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## Ionic OES officers installed Dec. 14th

On December 14th, Mrs. Gertrude Chapman installed the officers of Ionic Chapter No. 72 O.E.S. for 1965.

In the impressive ceremony, the following officers were installed: Worthy Matron, Mrs. Joyce Swift; Worthy Patron, Mr. Dan Dodds; Associate Matron, Mrs. Ella Hardy; Associate Patron, Mr. Neil Phillips; Conductress, Mrs. Evelyn Nolan; Associate Conductress, Mrs. Daisy Young; Secretary, Mrs. Georgia MacKay; Treasurer, Mrs. Pat Glover; Chaplain, Mrs. Georgia Christensen; Marshall, Mrs. Eileen Pike; Adah, Mrs. Ollie Moon; Ruth, Mrs. Kay Walker; Esther, Mrs. Rosalind Annis; Martha, Mrs. Helena Thiessen; Electa, Mrs. Vivian Murray; Warder, Mrs. Elizabeth Davison; Sentinel, Mr. Bill Davison.

When installation of the new officers was completed, Mrs. Joyce Swift presented the retiring Worthy Matron, Mrs. Georgia Christensen, with a Past Matron's Jewel. Mr. Dan Dodds presented Mr. Paul Thomas, retiring Worthy Patron, with a gift.

Mrs. Ella Hardy, on behalf of the Chapter, then presented Mrs. Swift with a bouquet of flowers and expressed the good wishes of the Chapter members for Mrs. Swift's year as Worthy Matron.

Mrs. Swift thanked Mrs. Hardy for the bouquet, Mrs. Chapman for the installation ceremony, and the members for the honor bestowed on her. She announced her plans for the year, beginning with a Christmas hamper and boxes of cookies for the bachelors at Christmas.

Mrs. Esther Anderson was honored for her eleven consecutive years as organist.

Rev. Hammett gave a Christmas message to the Chapter, after which a Christmas lunch was served.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

As we say goodbye to 1964, a year gone beyond recall, and as we enter into 1965, let us look forward with hope for a better and brighter year, with "Peace among the nations of the world, Love and concord among the people".

—JWR.

## A. W. Dragon passes at 69

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RYLEY.—Alexander William Dragon passed away suddenly on December 29th from a heart seizure, at the age of 69 years. He had lived on the Ryley district and farmed south of town for about 50 years. He leaves to mourn his loss, his loving wife, three daughters and one son, two sisters and one brother. Prayer services were held at the Catholic Church in Ryley with Father Scriven officiating. Interment followed in the Ryley cemetery.

**NEW METHOD FOR VACCINE**

Dr. E. B. O. Smith, director of Alberta Health Units and Communicable Diseases, demonstrates the method used to administer Sabin oral vaccine, as a staff member prepares to eat a lump of sugar saturated in the solution.

## Gun Club enjoys 'game' supper

Recently the members of the Tofield Gun Club held their annual "game" supper. All members and their wives were present along with special guests George Kidd of CFRN-TV, Bill Carlson and Nick Krevshero of the Alberta Arms and Cartridge Collectors Association.

The different game meats served, including white tail deer, mule deer, elk, moose, mountain goat, goose, duck, pheasant, grouse and rabbit, were enjoyed by all.

Color slides taken by members of hunting and fishing trips and also of several shoot-competitions ended a very enjoyable evening.

The Tofield Gun Club has recently purchased two light-weight .22 calibre rifles for the use of junior members and it is very gratifying to see the juniors learning proper gun handling.

## Junior High scores in December games

The Tofield Junior High basketball season opened on December 2nd with Holden playing host to the Tofield teams. The Tofield girls won their first game by a score of 20 to 6. The Tofield boys were ahead until late in the third quarter when Holden made a few quick baskets. Tofield was defeated 24 to 18.

Tofield played their next game in their home gym against Ryley on December 9th. The Tofield girls won their second straight victory by defeating Ryley 18 to 8. The Tofield boys again tasted defeat, this time by a 37 to 13 score.

On December 17th, Tofield Junior High teams again played against Ryley, this time in the Ryley gym. The Tofield girls were again victorious, winning by a narrow 17 to 15 margin. The Tofield boys were defeated by a 30-19 score.

## Local HS rinks play in Edmonton 'spiel

Tofield H.S. rinks made an excellent showing in the ACA high school bonspiel during the holidays at the Sportex in Edmonton. The rink skipped by Jack Nolan with Greg White at third, Robert Wall at second and Kevin Pike, lead, lost a last rock decision to Brian Douglas' Rose Shephard rink in the finals of the first event. The second Tofield H.S. rink made up of John Kwasny as skip, Mike Gallinger third, Brian McFadzean second and Allan Ewenitt lead lost out in the semi-finals of the third event.

H.S. basketball practice was held over the holidays in anticipation of this Friday's games against Ryley H.S. The games will begin at 7:30. Everyone welcome.

The H.S. party which was scheduled for December 19th, was postponed and will be held early in the new year.

Liberty lives only where the power of the people is supreme.

**STAR IN ICE SHOW**

Members of the Ice Capades' skating ballet, along with the featured artists Per Larsen, Revell and DesJardins and Dick and Joanne Maxfield, skate to the beautiful music of Gale Porter in one of the six magnificent production numbers plus 20 great acts in the all-new 1965 edition of Ice Capades which opens Tuesday, January 12, for a 6-day engagement at the Edmonton Gardens.

## School news

On December 11th, the Tofield and Viking basketball teams met in Tofield. The Tofield girls took the game 39-18 and the Tofield boys also won 46-14.

On December 18th, Tofield and Holden basketball teams, who were scheduled to meet in Tofield, met in Holden as a result of the fire at Tofield school. The Tofield girls won 34-19 and the boys won 62-31.

Students and the staff of the Tofield High School would like to thank the quick action of the fire brigade in saving our school.

The students of grades 1, 4 and 7 put on the annual Christmas concert for the elementary Monday morning and the high school in the afternoon.

Tuesday night the concert will be put on again for the public.

Tuesday afternoon the French students of the Tofield school put on a very enjoyable program for their annual French Day. The various French activities delighted all the non-French students.

## Historical Society plans annual meet

The president of the Historical Society, Harold Schultz, hopes to call the annual meeting of the society in January. At that time the election of officers will be held and entertainment provided. Further details will be given later.

Mr. Schultz is anxious to secure, for the museum, an old-time telephone which was in use about 1900.

Should the weather moderate, Mr. Lancaster and Mr. Francis, who have keys to the Historical Museum, would be pleased to show visitors around.

The Tofield Historical Society made application to the provincial government for a historical point-of-interest sign for Tofield but has been informed that this will not be granted.

## FUA meeting postponed to Feb. 9th

The joint meeting of the FUA and UFA called for the purpose of payment of UFA 1964 dividends on Tuesday, Jan. 12, has been cancelled due partly to the inclement weather.

It was intended at this meeting also to have a speaker on the new crop insurance plan, but on account of the great interest in this plan it was found impossible to get one for this date. Now it is hoped to get one for the February 9th meeting.

Please keep this date in mind, as it is not very fair to ask a speaker to come a long distance to find only a handful of people interested enough to turn out to hear of something that may be of great benefit to them.

Watch for advertising confirming this date in The Mercury issue of February 4th.

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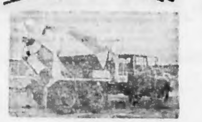

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For information apply to the undersigned.

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# Around town

Francis and Joan Campbell and girls from Edmonton spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Campbell. On Boxing Day they all visited with Ella and Harvey Young and family at Camrose.

Finley Dunlop, having been a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital for a week after suffering a bad fall at work returned home with his wife and family New Year's Day and is recovering nicely.

W. F. Empey, Dr. Beth Empey and the Misses Ruth McClure and Margaret Shaw, all of Edmonton, spent New Year's Day at the Stinson home.

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Helen Grover visited in Edmonton during the Christmas holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. Doug Dann and family and Mrs. Oslund visited in Calgary during the Christmas holidays.

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Doug and Evelyn Dann and family, Mrs. Oslund, Wayne and Gary spent New Year's Day a tthe Max Schacher home.

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and Edith Mary spent the Christmas weekend at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson. On Christmas Day, a long distance phone call from Philadelphia gave them all the opportunity of speaking with Isabel's brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. W. James Brickman.

**SOUTHERN HOLIDAY**

Donna and Wendal Clark and Granny Hardy left Saturday for California where Granny will visit with her sister at Long Beach, while Donna and Wendal will travel on to Mexico, Arizona and other points south. They plan to be away for a month.

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Mrs. J. W. Robinson spent four days in Edmonton during the holidays at the home of her daughter and while there visited former friends from Tofield. Mr. Robinson joined his family at the ehome of his daughter for New Year's Day and enjoyed dinner with them. Before leaving for Tofield, all had the opportunity of sending a call to Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson returned to Tofied by bus that evening.

## Council holds first meeting in new year

The Tofield Town Council met January 4th, 1965, at 8:00 p.m., with Mayor Dr. Freebury and Councillors Allan, Boese, Everitt, Patterson and Swift present.

The secretary-treasurer informed Council that an order had been received by Mr. Thompson of the local CNR station that installation of the flashing light protection would begin this month. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to take the necessary steps regarding the closing of the East crossing.

**HEARING**

Information wa sreceived from the Local Authorities Board of a hearing to be held on Tuesday, Jan. 26, at 2:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers, regarding the separation of Blocks A and B, Plan 761 AN from the Town of Tofield and registered in the name of Arthur C. Francis. Notice of the Hearing is to be sent to the Council of the Town of Tofield, A. C. Francis, County of Beaver No. 9, the Town and Rural Planning Board and Department of Highways.

It was moved and carried that Dr. Freebury prepare a brief to be presented at the hearing.

**LIBRARY BOARD**

The appointment of Mayor Dr. Freebury, Clr. Jefferson, Mrs. Hazel Patterson, Mr. Ed Watson and Mr. Don Hardy as members of the Board of the Tofield Municipal Library, with Mrs. Rita Halverson as secretary, was approved by Council.

Correspondence from the Department of Public Welfare stating that the Campbell family would be coming into pay of Social Assistance effective Feb. 1, 1965, instead of Jan. 1, 1965, as previously noted. A request for a clothing allowance was turned down.

Mrs. M. Boyles is to be asked to act as Welfare Officer for the Town of Tofield.

A poll, taken at the request of the Chamber of Commerce, showed four places of business favoring the present one-half day closing and seven favored closing all day Monday. The results are to be turned over to the Chamber for further action if they so desire.

A letter of resignation from D. W. Jacobs as building inspector was received with regret. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to contact the Gas Company regarding future gas inspections. The Committee is to contact Mr. O. Sware regarding plumbing and building inspection for the Town.

Clr. Swift informed Council that the Fire Department wished to take the St. John Ambulance course. The secretary-treasurer was asked to see if the E.M.O. would sponsor the course, with Larry Wilson as instructor.

Correspondence from Dept. of Municipal Affairs regarding Municipal Assistance Grant was read, and Council decided that a census be taken by the secretary-treasurer.

Two Gas Permits were issued to J. K. Neufeld and Chas. F. Kallal.

## League supper is postponed

The annual supper meeting of the Tofield Community League, originally to be held last Tuesday, Jan. 5th, has been postponed.

The new date is Wednesday, Jan. 13th. It is to start at 6:30 p.m., and will be held in the Tofield Community Hall.

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(Sec. 52)
The Domestic Animals (Municipalities) Act
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Notice is hereby given under Section 52 of The Domestic Animals (Municipalities) Act that ONE BLACK COW, 2 to 3 years old, branded LT on right rib, ear tag No. M6731 (this animal was sold by the owner of the brand and present owner unknown) was impounded in the pound kept on behalf of the Municipal District of the County of Beaver No. 9, located on the N.E. 33-49-14 W.4th, on Saturday, the 12th day of December, A.D. 1964, and that the said animal was sold on the 26th day of December, 1964, to (animal not sold as no bids were received) and that said animal may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animal.

For information apply to the undersigned.

OLOF MONSSON,
Secretary-Treasurer,
County of Beaver No. 9.

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# Around town

Francis and Jean Campbell and girls from Edmonton spent Christmas with Mr. and [illegible] Jim Campbell. On Boxing Day they all visited with Ella and Harvey Young and family at Camrose.

Finley Dunlon, having been a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital for a week after suffering a bad fall at work returned home with his wife and family New Year's Day and is recovering nicely.

W. F. Empey, Dr. Beth Empey and the Misses Ruth McClure and Margaret Shaw, all of Edmonton, spent New Year's Day at the Stinson home.

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Helen Grover visited in Edmonton during the Christmas holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. Doug Dann and family and Mrs. Oslund visited in Calgary during the Christmas holidays.

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Doug and Evelyn Dann and family, Mrs. Oslund, Wayne and Gary spent New Year's Day a tthe Max Schacher home.

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and Edith Mary spent the Christmas weekend at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson. On Christmas Day, a long distance phone call from Philadelphia gave them all the opportunity of speaking with Isabel's brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. W. James Brickman.

**SOUTHERN HOLIDAY**

Donna and Wendal Clark and Granny Hardy left Saturday for California where Granny will visit with her sister at Long Beach, while Donna and Wendal will travel on to Mexico, Arizona and other points south. They plan to be away for a month.

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Mrs. J. W. Robinson spent four days in Edmonton during the holidays at the home of her daughter and while there visited former friends from Tofield. Mr. Robinson joined his family at the ehome of his daughter for New Year's Day and enjoyed dinner with them. Before leaving for Tofield, all had the opportunity of sending a call to Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson returned to Tofled by bus that evening.

## Council holds first meeting in new year

The Tofield Town Council met January 4th, 1965, at 8:00 p.m., with Mayor Dr. Freebury and Councillors Allan, Boese, Everitt, Patterson and Swift present.

The secretary-treasurer informed Council that an order had been received by Mr. Thompson of the local CNR station that installation of the flashing light protection would begin this month. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to take the necessary steps regarding the closing of the East crossing.

**HEARING**

Information wa sreceived from the Local Authorities Board of a hearing to be held on Tuesday, Jan. 26, at 2:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers, regarding the separation of Blocks A and B, Plan 761 AN from the Town of Tofield and registered in the name of Arthur C. Francis. Notice of the Hearing is to be sent to the Council of the Town of Tofield, A. C. Francis, County of Beaver No. 9, the Town and Rural Planning Board and Department of Highways.

It was moved and carried that Dr. Freebury prepare a brief to be presented at the hearing.

**LIBRARY BOARD**

The appointment of Mayor Dr. Freebury, Clr. Jefferson, Mrs. Hazel Patterson, Mr. Ed Watson and Mr. Don Hardy as members of the Board of the Tofield Municipal Library, with Mrs. Rita Halverson as secretary, was approved by Council.

Correspondence from the Department of Public Welfare stating that the Campbell family would be coming into pay of Social Assistance effective Feb. 1, 1965, instead of Jan. 1, 1965, as previously noted. A request for a clothing allowance was turned down.

Mrs. M. Boyles is to be asked to act as Welfare Officer for the Town of Tofield.

A poll, taken at the request of the Chamber of Commerce, showed four places of business favoring the present one-half day closing and seven favored closing all day Monday. The results are to be turned over to the Chamber for further action if they so desire.

A letter of resignation from D. W. Jacobs as building inspector was received with regret. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to contact the Gas Company regarding future gas inspections. The Committee is to contact Mr. O. Sware regarding plumbing and building inspection for the Town.

Clr. Swift informed Council that the Fire Department wished to take the St. John Ambulance course. The secretary-treasurer was asked to see if the E.M.O. would sponsor the course, with Larry Wilson as instructor.

Correspondence from Dept. of Municipal Affairs regarding Municipal Assistance Grant was read, and Council decided that a census be taken by the secretary-treasurer.

Two Gas Permits were issued to J. K. Neufeld and Chas. F. Kallal.

## League supper is postponed

The annual supper meeting of the Tofield Community League, originally to be held last Tuesday, Jan. 5th, has been postponed.

The new date is Wednesday, Jan. 13th. It is to start at 6:30 p.m., and will be held in the Tofield Community Hall.

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# THE RYLEY TIMES

## District news items from Ryley

M. K. Westmancott

The Lutheran Sunday School held their annual Christmas concert on Sunday, December 20th, at 4 p.m. in the church, and in spite of the intense cold there was a very good attendance. The children gave a very nice program, as with smiles of joy they told, in song and recitations, the story of the holy birth of Jesus in the stable in Bethlehem.

Visiting ministers have been taking charge of Sunday services in the Lutheran Church during December, and will continue to do so throughout the month of January. On Sunday, February 1st, Pastor E. Rude, the new minister will be in residence, and will preach his first service.

Friends and neighbors called on Mrs. Alma Adams one afternoon recently to wish her a "Happy Birthday", and spent a pleasant hour visiting during the coffee period.

**Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hay spent the holiday season at Jasper with their daughter and son-in-law, the Val Greigs.**

Douglas and Marvel Down and their four little girls, of Athbasca, were Christmas visitors for a few days with Marvel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Neraasen.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodor Bendiksen were guests for Christmas in Edmonton with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wampler.

Mrs. Tillie Branes was in Edmonton to spend Christmas Day with Berniece and Odin Eckland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Oslund were holidaying in Edmonton for the festive season, guests with their daughter Alice Wilson, and Mr. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pepper and Garry and Ronnie spent Christmas Day at Ohaton with the Cliff Peppers, and with Ethel's mother, Mrs. W. Pepper.

Len and Jean Hutchinson, and Bill and Olive Hutchinson and family from Drayton Valley, and Lenard Hutchinson of Calgary were home with Jean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pepper on Christmas Day.

**VISITORS FROM U.S.A.**

Mrs. Alma Adams entertained at her home on Christmas Day with a supper party for relatives and friends. Guests were Mrs. Mary Erickson and Donald of Camrose, Miss Magda Anneho of Edmonton, Mrs. Astrid Holte of Kingman, Alfred Sorenson and family of Houden, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Sorenson of Droville, Wash., USA. Siguld Snortheim joined the party for coffee.

Mrs. Alma Adams spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Astrid Holte in Kingman.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Hostland of Calgary have been visiting with their daughter, Annie, and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pope and family for a few days before returning to their home in Calgary, after a holiday in the United States.

**Bill Ruddy had the misfortune to slip on the ice and fracture his ankle, and is a patient in the Tofield hospital.**

Bill Fisk of UBC, was at home for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fisk.

The Lions Club sponsored the New Year's Dance in the Community Hall with Emil Sadownyk and his orchestra supplying the music. All report that they had a very nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Edwards and boys of Fort Saskatchewan were New Year's visitors with Norah's father, George Lyons, and the other members of the Lyons families.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pope spent Christmas Day in Edmonton with their daughter, Madelene and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Budinski and family. Madelene's two brothers, Delbert and Dale, were both able to be present also.

Miss Dianne Hirchirch spent her holidays with friends in Vegreville.

## Rokos rink to receive 'eight-enders' awards

Robert Rokos and his foursome came up with one of those rare eight-enders when curling in the "Oyster 'Spiel" on December 3rd. With his seven rocks in the house and only one opposing rock, Robert chinned out opposing skip Art Anderson's rock and stayed to count that curler's dream score. Curling with Rokos were Stan Kubin at third, Garry Pepper throwing second rock and novice Lyle Roth as the lead position.

The Rokos rink now joins the exclusive "8 Enders Club" and will receive the awards which go with this membership.

Each member of the rink will receive engraved silver curling stone butter dishes and an 8-end pin from Corby Distilling Limited of Vancouver, B.C., as well as a plaque and crest from the makers of Canada Dry.

Presentation of these awards will be made at an Oyster supper to be held at the curling rink on Friday, Jan. 8th. The oyster supper is the culmination of the "Oyster 'Spiel" when the winning rinks will be the guests of the losers. Chefs for the occasion will be two of the towns most renowned "oyster stewers", Ernie Brown and Garnet Burnstad.

Following the completion of this first round of curling, new draws will be announced and the members of the Ryley Club will get down to some more serious curling—and who knows—another 8-ender may be in the offing.

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# NOTICE!

### OF PREPARATION OF ASSESSMENT ROLL – 1965 –

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DATED at Ryley, this 28th day of December, 1964.

GARNET J. BURNSTAD,
Secretary-Treasurer.

## British crops without plowing

(Press and Journal, Aberdeen)

"The biggest development in the use of pre-emergent selective weed killers is the possibility of sowing cereals without any direct cultivation. It simply means spraying the land and drilling in the seed." Mr Douglas Evans of Manchester, England, said this in Perth at a fall meeting of the Scottish Branch of the Institute of Agricultural Engineers.

Mr. Evans said they had 18 machines working throughout the country at the moment, sowing winter grain either into stubble or grass land that had not been ploughed.

Giving three years results, he said that productivity had been better maintained on land that had simply been sprayed and drilled, than on land under normal cultivation.

Everytime one took a cultivator through the soil in order to kill weeds that had germinated, one was exposing a fresh lot of seed to germinate and possibly compete with the existing crop, said Mr. Evans.

## Not any old sheet

Ten years ago a store could satisfy its customers' demands by having 48 different items on its bed-sheet counter. This week the same counter must carry 616 items to meet the more sophisticated demands of its shoppers. This comes from R. J. Butler, director and general manager of the T. Eaton Co. who outlines some of the new complexities in merchandising and the retailer's response to them. Butler makes this interesting point: By 1970, at least 60% of the products on sale in Canadian stores will have been newly introduced within the previous decade.

## Ryley to host Farmers' 'Spiel

The 1964 Farmers' Bonspiel was a resounding success and the Ryley Club is looking for a repeat performance in 1965 during the week of January 11th to 15th.

Excellent support from local business firms enabled the club to provide excellent prizes which farmers from surrounding districts did their best to take home. Present indications are that the 1965 prizes will be even more sought after as most will be trophies and items designed for the home mantle piece.

To enable all farmers to take part without too much interference with their farm duties, the curling will be restricted to daytime.

At press time several entries had already been received by secretary Stan Powers. Those contemplating entering and not yet having done so, should phone the secretary at Ryley 21 during the day or 51 after 6 p.m.

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### CARDS OF THANKS

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Sunday, Dec. 27th
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 8:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

## Church notes

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDannold, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Jan. 10th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "Faith Has Foundations".
Wednesday, Jan. 27th—Annual Meeting.
"A friend is one who thinks you're a good egg, even if you are slightly cracked".

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Sunday, Jan. 10th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
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Mass Schedule
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Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........9:00 a.m.
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of the month at ......10:30 a.m
RYLEY—
Second and Fourth Sundays of the month at ......... 10:30 a.m.
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of the month at .......9:00 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at .... 12:00 noon

## Holden news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Fred Shehinski, who was a hospital patient for a couple of weeks, returned home in time to spend the Christmas season with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Slywka of Edmonton spent the Christmas holiday with Marshall's mother, Mrs. William Slywka and with other relatives.

Chris Hovland, sons Reuben and Ray, were Christmas Day guests with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shehinski and family.

**Mr. and Mrs. Angus Keith have been receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, born December 16th.**

Mike Pastuzyk of Edmonton was a business caller in Holden and district the Wednesday before Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Budd and family spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Budd's mother and family at Provost.

Mrs. Laura Christianson, Mrs. Mabel Sizer, Mrs. Carrie Olson, Mrs. Mary James and Ray Hovland were guests at a pre-Christmas supper on Tuesday, Dec. 22nd, at the home of Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

**Mrs. Mike Tohir was taken to hospital Wednesday morning, Dec. 23rd, for treatments to her leg on which she recently had surgery.**

Stephan Jakobow of Royal Roads College, B.C., and Roman Jakobow of the Military College, Hamilton, Ont., spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Jakobow and family.

Sunday, Dec. 20th, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, Mrs. Elna Parsons and Chris Christenson were dinner guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sizer entertained a number of relatives and friends on Christmas Eve.

## Ross Creek district news briefs

Iris D. Bilan
(Intended for Last Week)

Max and Doris Schacker and family, and Gene and Lynn Schacker and daughter spent Christmas Day at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rawleigh Schacker, Edmonton.

Roy and Eileen Reinhardt and family spent Christmas Day with Eileen's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gordan Thor.

Christmas Day visitors at the home of Maurice Van Buskirk were Maurice's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Foyd, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carlisle and family, Maurice's niece, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davison, and Lorne Davison of Calgary, and his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Foyd and family of Whitecourt.

Christmas Day visitors at the home of Ralph Cossey were his mother and father, his son Terry and girl friend, John and Irene Warner, and Albert and Isobel Hallburg.

Alvin and Mabel Hauer and family were Christmas Day dinner guests at the home of Alvin's parents at Bruderheim, and supper guests at the home of Alvin's sister at Strome. On Sunday they visited at the home of Mabel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schacker of Sylvan Lake.

Raymond and Frances McLachlan and family were Christmas Day supper guests at the home of Raymond's brother, Arthur, in Edmonton.

Christmas Day dinner guests at the home of John Ferell were their daughter Eleanor and husband Paul, Albert and Beth Lauder and sons Arthur, Keith and Jimmie, Ellen and Ernie Sledz, and Rose and James Woytowich and family.

Christmas Day supper guests at the home of James Woytowich were James' brother, wife and family.

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Arthur and Mary Ferell spent Christmas Day with their son Harvey and wife Helen and family at Sherwood Park.

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Colin Van Buskirk is spending a holiday with his aunt in Edmonton.

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Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus and Miss Edna Giebelhaus of Jasper were recent dinner guests with Mrs. Beth Campbell.

## Ketchamoot news briefs

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Webber and Mark of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Nickols and Shannon and Stephen, and Delbert Lee, all of Edmonton, spent Christmas Day at the home of their parents, Mildred and Roy Lee.

Mrs. McCrea and Marj of Camrose and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dyer and boys of Edmonton were guests of Pat and Jeanie Sears and family on Christmas Day.

Barry Whillans has been spending part of his holidays with his cousin Donald Ovelson, in Edmonton. Most of their time is spent on the ski slopes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sutton had Christmas dinner in Edmonton with Isobel's sister, Virginia Sutton, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz and family motored to Edmonton to join their relatives for Christmas Eve festivities at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas George and family.

**FAMILY CHRISTMAS**

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Coombes gathered at their home for the holidays. They were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketchum and family of Mulhurst, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cooper and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Coombes and Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Ewalt Goberts and family, all of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Coombes and family.

Roy and Dorothy Whillans and the boys motored to Edmonton to spend Christmas with relatives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Hoss and family.

At the home of Lelia Sutton for Christmas Eve were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray and Ricky and Cheryl of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Holmes and family of Ministik, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stirrett and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ray and Ronald.

**Mrs. Gould Sr. was released from Tofield Hospital in time to spend Christmas with her daughter Louise, her son-in-law, Gordon Kyle, and her grandchildren.**

Christmas dinner guests at the Harold Schultz home were Mr. and Mrs. Stan Jack of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Schultz and family, Mrs. Minnie McConnell, Olof Haugen and Claude Gallinger. Sunday dinner guests at the Schultz home were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Appleby and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gallinger and Claude.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz had their neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ingram and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sears and the boys, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whillans and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell, join them at their home to welcome in the New Year and to enjoy a buffet supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whillans entertained at dinner on New Year's Day, when guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Ovelson and family of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ingram and family, Sharon Ingram and Richard Strong of Edmonton.

Joan and Frankie Dunham of Hastings Lake and Opal and Donnelly McGinitie were Sunday evening callers at the Gordon Kyle home.

For Christmas at the Ivan Mitchell home were their daughters and son, namely Judy, Orville and Lorna of Edmonton, Mavis and Charlie McLeod and family of Lindbrook.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Albert Sutton was a patient in the Tofield Hospital for a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz and family spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mitchell and boys in Edmonton.

For New Year's dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cribb and son Chris and Mrs. Cribb's mother, Mrs. Thibault.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly McGinitie and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGinitie motored to Viking to spend Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McGinitie and family.

Raymond McGinitie of Red Deer spent part of his holidays at home with his parents, Agnes and Henry McGinitie.

## Labor has no place to hide

Most observers say the court judgment brought down with regard to the strike against Gaspe Copper Mines Ltd., of Murdochville, Que., could prove to be one of the most far-reaching in the history of Canadian and international trade union movements, according to Amy Booth in The Financial Post. The court decision is still subject to appeal. United Steelworkers of America (USW) has been ordered to pay Gaspe approximately $2.4 million ($1,747,-645 for company losses during the seven-month strike in 1957 plus 5% simple interest on this total from Dec. 31/57). This is by far the largest judgment ever handed down in Canada against a union. In addition, the union has to pay Gaspe's legal expenses, about $750,000. The strike itself cost the union about $800,000 in welfare payments to the strikers, on top of the cost of four separate organizing campaigns that have been launched by the union.

What Mr. Justice Antoine Lacourciere, of the Quebec Superior Court makes very clear are these two points: 1 — Unions, corporations and individuals are in fact as well in theory equal under the law. 2 — Unions cannot hide behind their workers.

HOSPITALIZED. The 70-year-old Duke of Windsor has been hospitalized in Houston, Tex., for corrective arterial surgery. A special room was reserved in the hospital for the Duchess, who accompanied him. — TNS Photo.


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## News items from Holden district

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children were callers with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Taylor, Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Campbell, with Mr. and Mrs. Ruxton and children, were visitors and supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jakobow and family during the holiday week.

Pete Jakobow, sons Stephen and Roman, were visiting with friends and relatives at Thorsby for the day, Sunday, Dec. 27th.

Roman and Stephen attended a military ball in Edmonton on the Monday after Christmas.

**RETURN TO WINNIPEG**

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brekstad, who have been visiting for two weeks and spending the Christmas season with Leslie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad, left on their way back to Winnipeg last week, where Leslie is stationed with the RCAF.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus, Miss Edna Giebelhaus, and other members of the Giebelhaus family were Christmas Day visitors and dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Grosland had Mrs. Grosland's mother from Calgary visiting with them during the Christmas holiday, who also visited with her sister, Mrs. T. A. Liden and Mr. Liden before returning to Calgary.

Earl Giebelhaus and his wife motored from Rimbey on New Year's Eve to spend the New Year's holiday and weekend visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus and calling on other relatives and friends.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Chupka Sr. had been taken in the ambulance to Tofield hospital the latter part of the week, and hope that her illness is not serious and her stay there will not be very long.

**HOME FOR CHRISTMAS**

Kennie McLennan, who was a hospital patient in Tofield for two or three weeks receiving treatments for arthritis in his leg, was happy to be able to return home Tuesday, Dec. 22nd, in time to spend Christmas with his family. Mr. and Mrs. McLennan and son drove to Ohaton and spent Christmas Day visiting with their daughter, Grace, Mr. and Mrs. Pepper and grandchildren.

## Father of Holden woman passes on Christmas Eve

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Mrs. John Godbout was greatly shocked to receive the sad news, Christmas Eve, that her father, Ernest Malcolm Smith of Fort Saskatchewan, had passed away suddenly earlier in the evening. Mr. Malcolm is survived by his wife, one son, Ernest, of Fort Saskatchewan, three daughters, Mrs. J. Putman and Mrs. M. Whiteford, both of Edmonton, Mrs. J. Godbout of Holden, three sisters and seven grandchildren. The funeral service was held Tuesday, Dec. 29th, at the Partridge Hills United Church with Rev. Peter Ream officiating.

Interment was in the Fort Saskatchewan cemetery.

Sympathy of the community is extended to M[illegible] Godbout in their sad loss.

## News from Ross Creek and district

Iris D. Bilan

ROSS CREEK, Jan. 6.—Monday supper guests at the home of Graham and Elma Snider were Howard and Nell Malcolm.

Joseph and Iris Bilan were visitors at the home of George and Winnie McLachlan Tuesday evening, and at home of Howard and Nell Malcolm on Wednesday evening. Winnie McLachlan was a coffee guest at the home of Iris Bilan, Monday afternoon.

**AT HS 'SPIEL**

High School students Lawrence Woytowich, Stuart Snider, Scotty Malcolm, Ronald Bilan and Larry McLachlan, all residents of Ross Creek, were among a number of teen-age boys of Edmonton and district who participated in the High School Boys' Bonspiel, held at the Sportex Edmonton, from Dec. 28th to Dec. 30th.

**New Year's Day guest at the home of Arthur and Mary Ferell was Arthur's brother Tom, of Grande Prairie.**

Supper guests at the home of Howard and Nell Malcolm on New Year's Day were George and Winnie McLachlan and family. This was a special day, as it was also the 12th birthday of Blair Malcolm.

Visitors at the home of Wally and Nettie Yez on New Year's Eve were Gene and Lynn Schacker and baby daughter.

Howard and Nell Malcolm, and sons Blair and Cameron, were New Year's Eve visitors at the home of Joseph and Iris Bilan.

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By Roberta Lee

Q. What jewelry should be worn with a bridal gown?

A. This should be limited either to that which is functional, such as a pin needed to hold the dress together, to a strand of pearls, perhaps small gold or pearl earrings. A watch or bracelet should not be worn. The engagement ring may be worn on the RIGHT HAND, or left at home until after the ceremony.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Dec. 31 —The Peter and Daniel Reums and Elmer Stenarud attended the funeral of Allan Henderson, 23, at Tofield on December 26.

Mrs. Lars Knudson of Elbow, Sask., was up to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Signe Bard, 73, on Wednesday, Dec. 30th.

The Ernest Fischer family of Stony Plain, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell, Noreen and Diane, Ryley, were December 25th guests with the Harry Johnsons for turkey supper.

The Knudson families and Mr. and Mrs. John Tomasheski and Lawrence and Tom Larson assembled at the Ralph Knudson home, Daysland, Christmas Day.

December 25th guests with the Richard Vassbergs were the Jack and Marv. Vassberg families and Brenda Vassberg and Orval Kvale of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Kvale, Arthur and Mabel, and Orval and Annie Kvale and Virgie and James Sorenson of the U. of A., Edmonton, were December 25th dinner guests at the Stan Sorenson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lund and sons Gustave Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Shaw, Edmonton, the E. Aspeneses and Leroy Forres were guests December 25th at the home of Ingvald and Tom Bruce.

**ALEX DRAGON PASSES**

The Shaw district, south of Ryley, was shocked Monday afternoon, Dec. 28th, upon hearing of the sudden passing of Alex Dragon, 60, who suffered a heart attack sitting at the fireside in his home, having been in Ryley that forenoon.

He is survived by his wife, three daughters, Irene (Mrs. Peter Bietz), Alice (Mrs. Lewie Gusta), Agnes (Mrs. Raymond Kushnerick), and one son, Clayton at home. Funeral services were conducted Thursday at the Ryley Catholic Church, Hoveland Funeral Home in charge.

The Ed Christians of Dried Meat Lake were guests on December 25th with the Sam Olsens.

The Ralph Urlachers, Olds, and Arnold Seabars, Round Hill, spent Christmas with their parents, the Frank Urlachers.

All the family gathered December 25th in the evening at their parental home, at Anton Peter's.

The Ernest and Leroy Forre families of Camrose spent December 25th with the Lewis Forres.

The Theol Watland family of Armena spent Christmas Eve with the Ed Knudsons, while the Joe Knudsons were at the Towler Forre home.

The Roger Thiberts had their children and their families of Edmonton home during the holidays.

## Ross Creek news

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**HOME FROM HOLLAND**

Mrs. Annie Koffman has arrived back in Canada, after a long holiday with relatives in Holland. She is at present staying with friends in Edmonton.

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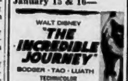


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Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell and sons, Jimmie and Bill of Leduc were visitors and dinner guests with Marjorie's mother, Mrs. N. L. Campbell on Christmas Day.

AT WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Allan, Mr. and Mrs. H. Beveridge and Mr. and Mrs. William Ogrodnick were guests at the wedding of Ben Lutz, a teacher at Holden school.

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus and Miss Edna Giebelhaus of Jasper were recent dinner guests with Mrs. Beth Campbell.

## *Ketchamoot news briefs*

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Webber and Mark of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Nickols and Shannon and Stephen, and Delbert Lee, all of Edmonton, spent Christmas Day at the home of their parents, Mildred and Roy Lee.

Mrs. McCrea and Marj of Camrose and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dyer and boys of Edmonton were guests of Pat and Jeanie Sears and family on Christmas Day.

Barry Whillans has been spending part of his holidays with his cousin, Donald Ovelson, in Edmonton. Most of their time is spent on the ski slopes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sutton had Christmas dinner in Edmonton with Isobel's sister, Virginia Sutton, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz and family motored to Edmonton to join their relatives for Christmas Eve festivities at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas George and family.

FAMILY CHRISTMAS

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Coombes gathered at their home for the holidays. They were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketchum and family of Mulhurst, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cooper and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Coombes and Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Ewalt Goberts and family, all of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Coombes and family.

Roy and Dorothy Whillans and the boys motored to Edmonton to spend Christmas with relatives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Hoas and family.

At the home of Lelia Sutton for Christmas Eve were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray and Ricky and Cheryl of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Holmes and family of Ministik, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stirrett and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ray and Ronald.

**Mrs. Gould Sr. was released from Tofield Hospital in time to spend Christmas with her daughter Louise, her son-in-law, Gordon Kyle, and her grandchildren.**

Christmas dinner guests at the Harold Schultz home were Mr. and Mrs. Stan Jack of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Schultz and family, Mrs. Minnie McConnell, Olof Haugen and Claude Gallinger. Sunday dinner guests at the Schultz home were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Appleby and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gallinger and Claude.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz had their neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ingram and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sears and the boys, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whillans and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell, join them at their home to welcome in the New Year and to enjoy a buffet supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whillans entertained at dinner on New Year's Day, when guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Ovelson and family of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ingram and family, Sharon Ingram and Richard Strong of Edmonton.

Joan and Frankie Dunham of Hastings Lake and Opal and Donnelly McGinitie were Sunday evening callers at the Gordon Kyle home.

For Christmas at the Ivan Mitchell home were their daughters and son, namely Judy, Orville and Lorna of Edmonton, Mavis and Charlie McLeod and family of Lindbrook.

IN HOSPITAL

Albert Sutton was a patient in the Tofield Hospital for a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz and family spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mitchell and boys in Edmonton.

For New Year's dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cribb and son Chris and Mrs. Cribb's mother, Mrs. Thibault.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly McGinitie and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGinitie motored to Viking to spend Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McGinitie and family.

Raymond McGinitie of Red Deer spent part of his holidays at home with his parents, Agnes and Henry McGinitie.

# Labor has no place to hide

Most observers say the court judgment brought down with regard to the strike against Gaspe Copper Mines Ltd., of Murdochville, Que., could prove to be one of the most far-reaching in the history of Canadian and international trade union movements, according to Amy Booth in The Financial Post. The court decision is still subject to appeal. United Steelworkers of America (USW) has been ordered to pay Gaspe approximately $2.4 million ($1,747,645 for company losses during the seven-month strike in 1957 plus 5% simple interest on this total from Dec. 31/57). This is by far the largest judgment ever handed down in Canada against a union. In addition, the union has to pay Gaspe's legal expenses, about $750,000. The strike itself cost the union about $800,000 in welfare payments to the strikers, on top of the cost of four separate organizing campaigns that have been launched by the union.

What Mr. Justice Antoine Lacourciere, of the Quebec Superior Court makes very clear are these two points: 1 — Unions, corporations and individuals are in fact as well in theory equal under the law. 2 — Unions cannot hide behind their workers.

**HOSPITALIZED. The 70-year-old Duke of Windsor has been hospitalized in Houston, Tex., for corrective arterial surgery. A special room was reserved in the hospital for the Duchess, who accompanied him. — TNS Photo.**

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# News items from Holden district

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Alan Tiedemann, who spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and his brothers, returned to Edmonton on the Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Albrechts' daughters, their husbands and families, their son, his wife and family, were visitors and dinner guests with them Sunday, Dec. 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children were callers with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Taylor, Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Campbell, with Mr. and Mrs. Ruxton and children, were visitors and supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jakobow and family during the holiday week.

Pete Jakobow, sons Stephen and Roman, were visiting with friends and relatives at Thorsby for the day, Sunday, Dec. 27th.

Roman and Stephen attended a military ball in Edmonton on the Monday after Christmas.

RETURN TO WINNIPEG

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brekstad, who have been visiting for two weeks and spending the Christmas season with Leslie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad, left on their way back to Winnipeg last week, where Leslie is stationed with the RCAF.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus, Miss Edna Giebelhaus, and other members of the Giebelhaus family were Christmas Day visitors and dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Grosland had Mrs. Grosland's mother from Calgary visiting with them during the Christmas holiday, who also visited with her sister, Mrs. T. A. Liden and Mr. Liden before returning to Calgary.

Earl Giebelhaus and his wife motored from Rimbey on New Year's Eve to spend the New Year's holiday and weekend visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus and calling on other relatives and friends.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Chupka Sr. had been taken in the ambulance to Tofield hospital the latter part of the week, and hope that her illness is not serious and her stay there will not be very long.

HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

Kennie McLennan, who was a hospital patient in Tofield for two or three weeks receiving treatments for arthritis in his leg, was happy to be able to return home Tuesday, Dec. 22nd, in time to spend Christmas with his family. Mr. and Mrs. McLennan and son drove to Ohaton and spent Christmas Day visiting with their daughter, Grace, Mr. and Mrs. Pepper and grandchildren.

# Father of Holden woman passes on Christmas Eve

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Mrs. John Godbout was greatly shocked to receive the sad news, Christmas Eve, that her father, Ernest Malcolm Smith of Fort Saskatchewan, had passed away suddenly earlier in the evening. Mr. Malcolm is survived by his wife, one son, Ernest, of Fort Saskatchewan, three daughters, Mrs. J. Putman and Mrs. M. Whiteford, both of Edmonton, Mrs. J. Godbout of Holden, three sisters and seven grandchildren. The funeral service was held Tuesday, Dec. 29th, at the Partridge Hills United Church with Rev. Peter Ream officiating.

Interment was in the Fort Saskatchewan cemetery.

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Godbout in their sad loss.

# News from Ross Creek and district

Iris D. Bilan

ROSS CREEK, Jan. 6.—Monday supper guests at the home of Graham and Elma Snider were Howard and Nell Malcolm.

Joseph and Iris Bilan were visitors at the home of George and Winnie McLachlan Tuesday evening, and at home of Howard and Nell Malcolm on Wednesday evening. Winnie McLachlan was a coffee guest at the home of Iris Bilan, Monday afternoon.

AT HS 'SPIEL

High School students Lawrence Woytowich, Stuart Snider, Scotty Malcolm, Ronald Bilan and Larry McLachlan, all residents of Ross Creek, were among a number of teen-age boys of Edmonton and district who participated in the High School Boys' Bonspiel, held at the Sportex, Edmonton, from Dec. 28th to Dec. 30th.

**New Year's Day guest at the home of Arthur and Mary Ferell was Arthur's brother Tom, of Grande Prairie.**

Supper guests at the home of Howard and Nell Malcolm on New Year's Day were George and Winnie McLachlan and family. This was a special day, as it was also the 12th birthday of Blair Malcolm.

Visitors at the home of Wally and Nettie Yez on New Year's Eve were Gene and Lynn Schacker and baby daughter.

Howard and Nell Malcolm, and sons Blair and Cameron, were New Year's Eve visitors at the home of Joseph and Iris Bilan.

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Roberta Lee

By Roberta Lee

Q. What jewelry should be worn with a bridal gown?

A. This should be limited either to that which is functional, such as a pin needed to hold the dress together, to a strand of pearls, perhaps small gold or pearl earrings. A watch or bracelet should not be worn. The engagement ring may be worn on the RIGHT HAND, or left at home until after the ceremony.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Dec. 31—The Peter and Daniel Reums and Elmer Stenarud attended the funeral of Allan Henderson, 23, at Tofield on December 26.

Mrs. Lars Knudson of Elbow, Sask., was up to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Signe Bard, 73, on Wednesday, Dec. 30th.

The Ernest Fischer family of Stony Plain, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell, Noreen and Diane, Ryley, were December 25th guests with the Harry Johnsons for turkey supper.

The Knudson families and Mr. and Mrs. John Tomasheski and Lawrence and Tom Larson assembled at the Ralph Knudson home, Daysland, Christmas Day.

December 25th guests with the Richard Vaasbergs were the Jack and Mary Vaasberg families and Brenda Vaasberg and Orval Kvale of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Kvale, Arthur and Mabel, and Orval and Annie Kvale and Virgie and James Sorenson of the U. of A., Edmonton, were December 25th dinner guests at the Stan Sorenson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lund and sons Gustave Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Shaw, Edmonton, the E. Aspeneses and Leroy Forres were guests December 25th at the home of Ingvald and Tom Bruce.

ALEX DRAGON PASSES

The Shaw district, south of Ryley, was shocked Monday afternoon, Dec. 28th, upon hearing of the sudden passing of Alex Dragon, 68, who suffered a heart attack sitting at the fireside in his home, having been in Ryley that forenoon.

He is survived by his wife, three daughters, Irene (Mrs. Peter Bietz), Alice (Mrs. Lewie Gusta), Agnes (Mrs. Raymond Kushnerick), and one son, Clayton at home. Funeral services were conducted Thursday at the Ryley Catholic Church, Hoveland Funeral Home in charge.

The Ed Christians of Dried Meat Lake were guests on December 25th with the Sam Olsens.

The Ralph Urlachers, Olds, and Arnold Seabars, Round Hill, spent Christmas with their parents, the Frank Urlachers.

All the family gathered December 25th in the evening at their parental home, at Anton Peter's.

The Ernest and Leroy Forre families of Camrose spent December 25th with the Lewis Forres.

The Theol Watland family of Armena spent Christmas Eve with the Ed Knudsons, while the Joe Knudsons were at the Towler Forre home.

The Roger Thiberts had their children and their families of Edmonton home during the holidays.

## Ross Creek news

Sunday visitors at the home of Ralph and Alice Cossey were Peter and Lillian Stadnick, along with Maurice and Lillian Van Buskirk while their daughter Judy Van Buskirk entertained friends at her parental home, the occasion being her 16th birthday.

Alvin and Mabel Hauer were Wednesday evening visitors at the home of George and Winnie McLachlan.

Sunday supper guests at the home of Joseph and Iris Bilan were Dennis Ludwig and Marshal Pawluk. After supper, Brian and Gloria Bilan, Dennis and Marshal motored to Vegreville.

Lorraine McLachlan left on Dec. 23rd for Duncan, B.C., to spend Christmas with her married sister, Carol.

HOME FROM HOLLAND

Mrs. Annie Koffman has arrived back in Canada, after a long holiday with relatives in Holland. She is at present staying with friends in Edmonton.

Ross Creek teenagers, members of Hi-C group, curled at Lamont on Boxing Day, along with other youth teams. All enjoyed the day and partook of a very tasty lunch.


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(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

On the evening of Christmas Day, Mary and John Wood and son, Johnny, Dede and Robert and children, Jack and Judy, of Drayton Valley, Marg and Lorne Berrecloth and George Abernethy gathered at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald for their annual yuletide gathering. After an evening of visiting, lunch and coffee was served by the hostess.

George and Ida Niemetz and Gail were Christmas Day visitors and dinner guests at the home of Ida's sister and brother-in-law, Emma and Ed Schultz in Edmonton.

George and Ida Niemetz were evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Chubaty in Tofield on Tuesday, Dec. 29th.

On Sunday evening, Dec. 27, Mrs. E. Eaton entertained her son and daughter-in-law, Leroy and Shirley Eaton and children, Margie and Ronnie of Holden, and Mervin Ross at a Christmas supper at her home in Tofield.

On Boxing Day, John and Mary Wood entertained their family, Lorene and Jim Francis and children of Viking, Evie and Vic Halwa and children of Edmonton, Robert and Dede and son Jack of Drayton Valley, and Johnny and Gloria Wood at Christmas dinner and luncheon later in the day before all left for their homes.

Christmas Day visitors and dinner and luncheon guests at the home of Martha and Emil Tiedemann were their daughter, Yvonne, and Peter Brown of Ketachamoot, Martha's parents and two brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Goubault and sons, Victor and Armand of Lindbrook, another brother and family, Robert and Dede Goubault and children, Jack and Judy of Drayton Valley, and Martha's sister and family, Adele, and Cliff Gossel and son Kenneth of Edmonton. In the afternoon, Billy and Natalie Berrecloth of Wetaskiwin called and were luncheon and coffee guests there.

On Boxing Day, Martha and Emil Tiedemann and daughter, Mary, and their niece, Judy Goubault were evening visitors and luncheon guests at the home of their daughter, Yvonne and Peter Brown at Ketchamoot. Mary and Judy remained to spend the Christmas holiday week with Yvonne.

Vi and Elmer Geoglein and Kay and Vernon Walker and family were New Year's Day visitors and dinner and afternoon luncheon guests at the home of Vi and Elmer's son and daughter-in-law, Ronnie and Barb Geoglein.

Billy and Lucy Miskew and children were New Year's Eve visitors and luncheon and coffee guests helping them watch the old year out and the new year in.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Monday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Boese in Tofield, where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boese and family of Didsbury, who were spending their Christmas holidays at the home of Ed's parents.

Barbara Baines of Edmonton arrived New Year's Eve to spend the weekend at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ethel Wood, and son Donald.

Sunday, Jan. 3rd, visitors at the home of John and Mary Wood were Esther and Joe Majakey of Edmonton. T. D. Ferguson and son, Stuart, who were dinner guests and spent the afternoon there. In the afternoon, Ellnor and Joe Jones were visitors and luncheon guests. Mrs. Ethel Wood and niece, Barbara Baines, also called and Barb returned to the city with Esther and Joe Majakey.

New Year's Day visitors and dinner guests at the home of George and Ida Niemetz were Ida's three sisters and their families, namely, Ed and Emma Schultz, Ruth and Carmen Fuller and boys, Greg and Doug, Vi and Ted Kremeater and daughter, Janet, all of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Joan Chubaty and son, Robert of Tofield. Also home over New Year's weekend was their daughter, Gail Niemetz, of Edmonton.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and daughter, Lucille, were New Year's Day dinner and afternoon luncheon guests at the home of their daughter, Yvonne and Peter Brown, at Ketchamoot. Another daughter, Mary, and their niece, Judy Goubault, returned home with them after having spent a week with Yvonne.

Lionel and Emma Ferguson and son, Harold and Diane Hoover motored to Edmonton New Year's Day and were dinner and supper guests at the home of their daughter, Audrey and Harold Kindley and family.

On New Year's Eve, Mrs. Edna Kendall, Mrs. Tillie Yurkowski, Walter and Jewel Tiedemann and two daughters, Gail and Laura and Mrs. Ellen Eaton were evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Tom and Dorothy Campbell.

Rachel Mahowich and Ken Ross were New Year's Eve visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton. Alson there for the evening were her grandchildren, children of Walter and Evelyn Eaton, helping Ellen to celebrate the coming in of the new year.

New Year's Day afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton was Mrs. Bertha Phillips.

**August and Lorraine Widynowsky and children of Hilliard were Boxing Day visitors at the home of Lorraine's parents, Tillie and Joe Yurkowski. Garry and Joey Yurkowski were also home for a couple of days over the Christmas holidays, both of whom are working with Peter Bawden Drilling Co. Garry is working near Fort Nelson and Joey near Slave Lake.**

Alex Kay and two boys of Mayerthorpe motored to Tofield on Sunday, Jan. 3rd, to visit Joe and Tillie Yurkowski. Tillie returned home with them and will stay for awhile to look after the family while her daughter, Evie, is in the hospital, and for a short time after to make the acquaintance of her new granddaughter.

Bob Moos spent the Christmas and New Year's holidays at the home of his parents, Verlyn and Ollie Moos. Bob is attending the agricultural college at Vermilion this year.

Christmas Day visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Doug and Vivian Murray in Tofield were Vivian's mother, Mrs. Marguerete Myers, her grandmother, Mrs. Lottie Moos, and her uncle and aunt and their son, namely, Verlyn and Ollie Moos and son, Bob.

On Boxing Day, Verlyn and Ollie Moos motored to Calgary and were Saturday, overnight and Sunday guests at the home of their daughter, Marilyn and Don Langille, and son, Greg. They returned home Sunday evening.

New Year's Day visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Ollie and Verlyn Moos were Verlyn's mother, Mrs. Lottie Moos, his sister, Mrs. Marguerete Myers and her daughter and family, Vivian and Doug Murray and children. During the afternoon, Verlyn's nephew and family, Vernon and Joan Myers and three children of Edmonton arrived and along with the others were supper guests there.

Vivian and Norman Jones, their son Donald and Janet Wickenberg, all of Edmonton, were Christmas Day dinner and supper guests at the home of Vivian and Janet's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg. Janet and Donald stayed over Cossey's son, Alice and Ralph Norm arrived Sunday and were Sunday supper guests there, Donald and Janet returning to Edmonton with them. Donald came back Thursday, Dec. 31, and Janet January 1st, for New Year's dinner and remained until January 3rd when she returned to Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lauchie McEachern of Lacombe and their daughter, Hazel of Saskatchewan, were visitors at the home of Lauchie's sister, Ellenor and Joe Jones on December 31st.

Victor and Sylvia Rudzcki and children were Christmas Day visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Victor's brother, Rod, and Isabel Rudzcki.

Isabel and Rod Rudzcki and family were supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Isabel's brother, Gordon and Louise Kyle and family.

Donna and Frank Edwards were Sunday, Dec. 27th, visitors at the home of Donna's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Christmas Day visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Howard and Mae Ferguson were their two daughters and their husbands, namely, Doris and Howard Brown of Lindbrook, and Loretta and Jack Weir and daughter, Wanda of Edmonton.

New Year's Day visitors and supper and evening visitors at the home of Doris and Howard Brown were Doris's parents and brother, Howard, and Mae Ferguson and son Nelson, Mae's mother, Mrs. Roberts of Tofield, also Howard Brown's parents and brother, Joe and Audrey Brown and son, Ronnie, of Lindbrook.

George Campbell of the Ryley district was a supper guest at the home of Howard and Mae Ferguson on Sunday, Jan. 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Cossey, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Halberg, and John and Irene Warner and son, Bruce, were Christmas Day visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Irene's sister and Mr. and Mrs. Cossey' on, Alice and Ralph Cossey and family at Ross Creek.

On Sunday, Dec. 27th, John and Alice Warner, John Jr., and Irene Warner and son, Bruce, and Alan and Joan Warner and family motored to Edmonton and were visitors at the home of John and Alice's other son, Herbert, and Carol Warner and family, where they were guests at an annual get-together and Christmas dinner for the Warner family.

Christmas Day visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home o fJoan and Alan Warner and family were Joan's parents, Joe and Helen Murray, her two sisters and their families, Jean and Arno Binder and son, Duncan, and Joy and Geo. Lukasiwich and son, Darren all of Edmonton. In the afternoon, Joan's brother, Larry, and Gwen Murray of Edmonton, and Gwen's mother, Mrs. Helen Grover of Tofield, arrived and along with the other guests were supper and evening visitors.

IT'S COLD!

Weather has been extremely cold in these parts with Monday night, Jan. 4th, dropping to 40 below and lower at some places in the district during the night.

Melvin and Rose Walker and Elaine were Friday (New Year's) night coffee and luncheon guests at the home of Mavis and Carl Jacobsen.

# MINISTIK NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick were hosts to the Joe Davenport family at dinner Christmas evening. On Sunday, Dec. 27th, the ywere dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Verne Monson and family in Edmonton.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy was a Christmas Day guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ulkness and family, in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horricks were hosts on Christmas Day to a family gathering which included Mr. and Mrs. Alex McSporran, Mr. and Mrs. George Horricks, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Horricks and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Horricks, all of Hamao, Rev. and Mrs. Brian Krebs, Miss Elsie Blain, Mrs. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gilbert and family, all of Edmonton.

# Holden news briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson motored to their daughter, Bernice's home in south Edmonton on Sunday, Dec. 20th, and spent the day visiting with her and her husband and the grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hammer and children of Viking, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sizer and Elmer Sizer were Christmas Day guests with Mrs. Mabel Sizer.

Melanie and Richard Hammer of Viking spent their Christmas holidays visiting with their grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Sizer.

Rev. and Mrs. Hartfield and children were visitors and dinner guests Tuesday, Dec. 29th, with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson were Christmas Day dinner guests with their daughter, Kay and family, Mr. and Mrs. Coombs of the Tofield district.

40th ANNIVERSARY

Mrs. Mabel Sizer attended the 40th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Nordstrom which was held at the home of their son at Ryley. The guests of honor were presented with a lovely chair by Anton Morland on behalf of those present, and many good wishes were extended to them. Mr. and Mrs. Nordstrom thanked all their friends and relatives for the kind thoughts in a very gracious and interesting speech. Their daughter and family from Calgary were also present. A very enjoyable evening was spent by those attending and to close the evening a delicious buffet lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor were Christmas Day dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and sons.

Alan Tiedemann of Edmonton spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Tiedemann and brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason Jr., and children of Red Deer, Mr. and Mrs. Riel and children of the Ryley district and Douglas Hardy of Edmonton spent Christmas Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason and children were also guests with Ralph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mason.

David Hladilo, student at the Northern Alberta 'Tech' School in Edmonton, was home for the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hladilo and family.

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# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Best wishes for a very happy and prosperous new year to the Tofield Mercury editor and family and all the staff and their families, also to all Mercury readers, our friends and neighbors and a wish for health and happiness to all the sick at home or in hospital wherever they may be.

**Congratulations to Joe and Tillie Yurkowski on the birth of their new granddaughter, born to their daughter, Evie, and Alex Kay at Mayerthorpe on January 1st, also to Evie and Alex on the birth of their first daughter and a sister to their two sons.**

45th ANNIVERSARY

On December 30th, Mrs. Ethel Wood entertained John and Mary Wood, Marg and Lorne Berrecloth, Vi and Elmer Geoglein, Ollie and Verlyn Moos and George Abernethy at a supper in honor of John and Mary's 45th wedding anniversary. In the evening, Mrs. (Johnny) Gloria Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe and their daughter and son-in-law, Irma and Art Francis, all of Tofield, and Martha and Emil Tiedemann joined the other guests and all were coffee and luncheon guests after an evening of visiting.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Ila Walker was able to go home from the hospital the day before Christmas and all wish her a speedy recovery and hope we will soon see her out and around again.

HERE FROM ONTARIO

Mrs. Lloyd Loxton and three daughters, Marilyn, Pauline and Phyllis of Ontario arrived on Sunday, Dec. 20th, to spend Christmas with their son and brother, Leonard and Patsy Loxton at the home of Patsy's parents, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz. After spending a week at the Niemetz home, they left for their home on Sunday, Dec. 27th. Leonard Loxton, who is employed with an oil company, spent Christmas Day to December 27th with his wife, Patsy, at the Niemetz home.

Charlie and Mickey Niemetz were Boxing Day visitors and supper guests at the home of Mickey's niece, Loris, and Howard Brown.

Johnny and Gloria Wood motored to Onoway on Christmas Eve to visit Gloria's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller. Gloria remained there over Christmas and returned on Boxing Day.

Martin Jens of Edmonton was a Boxing Day, overnight and Sunday, Dec. 27th, guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son, Donald.

Elmer and Vivian Geoglein and children of Ardrossan and Ronnie and Barb Geoglein and little daughter, Sydney, were Christmas Day visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of their parents, Elmer and Vi Geoglein.

Gwendolyn Jacobsen was a patient in the Tofield hospital from December 26th to 31st, where she had her tonsils removed. Hope she is feeling better and will soon be able to return to school.

Graham and Ella Allan and children of Tofield were Boxing Day visitors and dinner guests at the home of Ella's sister, Vi and Elmer Geoglein. Later in the day, Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Semotuik of Holden and Mr. and Mrs. Les McIntosh and family of Edmonton were afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Geoglein home along with their other guests.

Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton spent from Christmas Eve to the evening of December 26th at the home of their son, Morley, and Marjorie Jacobsen and family. Joe and Ellenor Jones were also Christmas supper and evening visitors at the home of their daughter, Marjorie, along with the other guests.

Joe and Ellenor Jones were Christmas Day dinner guests at the home of Ellenor's sister, Bessie, and Tom Jones in Edmonton.

Julius Jacobson of Edmonton spent from Christmas Eve to New Year's Eve with his daughter, Mavis, and Carl Jacobsen.

On Monday, Dec. 28th, Mavis and Carl Jacobsen and family and Mavis' father, Julius Jacobson, motored to Camrose and were visitors and dinner guests at the home of Mrs. E. A. Moen and her daughter and family, Myrtle and Jack Murray and family.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton was a Christmas Day dinner guests at the home of her son, Walter and Evelyn Eaton and family.

On Monday, Dec. 28th, Tom and Dorothy Campbell and little son, Robin, and Rachel Mahovich were supper guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

FAMILY GATHERING

Eileen and Conrad Simonson and their son, Dennis, of Kingman, also their daughter and son-in-law, Gwen and Fred Davis of Grande Prairie, Mrs. Tootsie Latoski and three girls, Fay, Jean and Lois of Holden, Ellen Eaton of Tofield and Bob and Tracey Phillips of Edmonton gathered at the home of Eileen, Tootsie and Bob's parents, Roe and Bertha Phillips, on Boxing Day afternoon. The family got together and brought food for a buffet dinner as a Christmas celebration. During the afternoon, Bertha's sister Mrs. Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton and her son and daughter-in-law, Morley and Marj Jacobsen called and were coffee guests along with the other visitors. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent in spite of the cold weather.

Gary Niemetz spent from Christmas Day to Saturday, Jan. 2nd, at the home of his parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz, before returning to Grande Prairie, where he is employed with Peter Bawden Drilling Co., at that point.

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

Church services were held on Christmas Eve and on the following Sunday at the United Church, but due to cold weather the attendance was smaller than usual.

Christmas Day warmed up considerably, enabling many who otherwise would not have gone out for Christmas dinner, to do so.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and Glenn and Ronald joined a family gathering at the Adam Campbell home in Edmonton to enjoy their Christmas dinner and day.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Grummett were hosts at Christmas dinner to Mrs. Mary Gladue, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gladue, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rowland and Theresa, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schwuchow, Lori and Edith and Donald Gummett. In the evening the Gordon Bell family from South Cooking Lake called at the Grummett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swabey and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Swabey and Gary and Cheryl joined a family gathering at the Geo. Lawrence home in Edmonton to enjoy their Christmas dinner.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach and Chester for Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Williams and family of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leach and Donna and Brian.

Ernie Loch, who is attending University in Edmonton, spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swabey entertained their two sons and wives, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swabey of Caroline and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Swabey of Edmonton, on Christmas Eve.

**Mrs. Irene Williams of Edmonton is once more to be congratulated on her recent article in the Free Press Prairie Farmer, "The Pioneer Christmas in the New Province", which took place in the South Cooking Lake district, where she lived as a girl.**

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland and girls were guests of their daughter and family, the Tom Collingwoods of Edmonton, on Christmas Day.

HERE FROM B.C.

Steele Murdoch of Taylor, B.C., called on his sister, Mrs. Russell Rowland, and family, one day during the Christmas holidays.

Edna Roddick of Edmonton spent four days at Christmas time and three days at New Year's with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick.

Mrs. Stanley George spent Christmas Eve at the home of her son, Walter George, and family, in Edmonton. On Christmas Day she joined a family gathering at the home of her son Bruce and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick and Edna were Christmas dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce George and family. Their daughter Margaret, who was a patient in an Edmonton hospital, was able to be with the family for Christmas Day, returning to the hospital in the evening.

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# County councli meet held Dec. 10th.

Following are the minutes (in part) of the regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9 held on Thursday, Dec. 10, 1964:

Mr. W. D. Isbister, assistant chief municipal inspector, attended the meeting in regards to the installation of artificial ice at Bruce under the Municipal Winter Works Incentive Program, and explained the situation to the Council. According to Mr. Isbister it would be possible to apply this work under the Winter Works Incentive Program providing the application was sponsored by the County of Beaver, and also that payment to the workmen and the claiming of refunds must be made under the auspices of the County. Mr. Isbister further pointed out that workmen involved must be either unemployed or persons who would be unemployed in the absence of the program. In this connection two ways of administering the program would be possible. One would be that the Curling Rink Association in Bruce made their own payments for labour and submit all the relevent information to the County. The other, and the more acceptable manner, would be for the County to make the payments and be reimbursed by the Curling Rink Ass'n.

It was moved and carried that the County does handle the administrative end for installation of artificial ice at Bruce and that the necessary application be submitted.

Concerning the Round Hill Flood Control Project, motion 585/64, the secretary-treasurer reported that the work had been completed except for the installation of one culvert, which the contractor intended to put in in the spring, as the ground was frozen too hard to make it an economical job at this time. The total price to the Mid-West Drainage Limited was $7,-178.20 and an advance had been made of $2,000. The manager of Mid—West Drainage Ltd. had contacted the secretary-treasurer requesting a further payment. It was considered that no hold-back was necessary, the secretary-treasurer reporting he had discussed this with the engineer from the Dept. of Water Resources.

Moved and carried that the balance of the account due in the amount of $5,178.20 be paid to Mid-West Drainage Ltd.

In the matter of the County's request that it be declared a disaster area for freight assistance purposes was brought up, and it was finally moved and carried that the secretary-treasurer inquire from the Field Crops Branch what is going to be done with the County's request with information that a great shortage of feed is expected in the late winter or early spring.

It was moved and carried that the P.F.A.A. be requested to inspect E½ of 49-13, W½ of 49-13, W½ of 47-13 and all of 45-12 to ascertain whether or not these areas may be eligible for the P.F.A.A. Bonus.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

It was moved and carried that letter from the secretary-treasurer of Highway 13-14 Ass'n, advising that the annual meeting of the Ass'n was to be held on Thursday, Dec. 10, at 2:00 p.m. in Camrose, be received and filed.

Moved and carried that letter from Tofield Gun Club thanking the County for donation of grass seed for their new shooting range be received and filed.

A letter from Mrs. Gordon Lancaster stating that the road between the S.E. of 14 and S.W. of 13-46-12 had been undermined by beavers, making the road unsafe for travelling, was referred to Council.

Moved and carried that this complaint be referred to Cr. Johnston for investigation and necessary action.

Correspondence from the District Engineer, Dept. of Highways, concerning the Natural Resources Grant 1964, was referred to Council. The letter indicated that the work, done by the County under this grant in 1964, had been very acceptable and that the grading costs, averaging $3,500 per mile, was very reasonable.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed.

A letter from the Assistant Chief Maintenance Engineer of the Dept. of Highways concerning Special Contingency Roads Appropriation was referred to Council, and some discussion took place. Cr. Weatherill requested that consideration be given for the regravelling of the road going north of Tofield, D.H. 345 N. stating that, although this road had not been considered as a Special Contingency Road, it had nevertheless been paid for 100% by the Department.

Moved and carried that the secretary-treasurer ascertain if this road would qualify for a regravelling grant and that the matter of the Special Contingency Roads Appropriation be tabled to the next meeting.

A letter from A. C. Francis of Tofield, advising that he had applied to the Local Authorities Board to have 80 acres in N.E.-3-51-19-W4th transferred from the Town of Tofield to the County of Beaver was referred to Council.

Moved and carried that the Local Authorities Board be advised that the Council has no objections to the proposed transfer.

Moved and carried that information from P.F.A.A. Branch concerning townships inspected and decisions made by the Board of Review on these townships be received and filed.

Resignation of the County's mechanic, Stan Towns, to be effective after this meeting, was referred to Council.

Moved and carried that the resignation be accepted.

Moved and carried that an honorium of $25 be paid to the pound-keepers, referred to Council at this time.

The matter of Centennial 1967 was brought up at this time, and it was realized that this matter could not be settled at today's meeting, but that it was necessary that the Council decided one way or another how this grant should be handled.

Moved and carried that the Council meets on Dec. 18th at 10:00 a.m. to consider this matter, as well as any other matters that may be brought before the councillors at that time.

Cr. Ruddick suggested that the large spray truck should be placed in the Town of Viking for the winter as an auxiliary fire unit, stating that as from Dec. 1st the Town of Viking would not allow its fire engine to leave the town limits, but that if the sprayer truck was left at Viking as an auxiliary unit the regular fire equipment might be available to the farm area. He stated that it appeared possible that a Local Fire Fighting Unit Association would be established early in the new year in the Viking area.

Moved and carried that arrangements be made to have the sprayer truck placed in Viking as an auxiliary fire fighting unit.

Moved and carried that the secretary-treasurer's report on tax collections to Nov. 30th be accepted—1963 figures shown in parenthesis:

Levy $758,510 ($740,526); current taxes collected $260,583 ($266,653); percent of current levy 34.5% (36%); arrears collected $338,920 ($274,350); F.F. lands collected $4,936 ($5,552). Total collections to Nov. 30, $664,439 ([illegible]); percentage of current levy, 79.7% (73.8%); arrears at Nov. 30, [illegible] ([illegible]).


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# Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Conquest and Miss Sandra Phillips, all of Edmonton, spent part of their holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Phillips.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunter and girls, Bob and Marlene and family and Arlene and Dale Rude were New Year's dinner guests with Olaf and Alice Stoken at Bardo.

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Christmas dinner guests at the Bob Hunter home at Fort Saskatchewan were Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunter and girls, Olaf and Alice Stoken, Dale and Arlene Rude and Kevan, Geo. Abernethy and Merna and Don Gilbert and family.

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Shirley and Archie McGillivray and Randy of Rimbey spent four days at Christmas with Shirley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lindsay.

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Allen Hunley, who has been employed at Fort Nelson, and Fred Hunley of Edmonton, spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. Annie Hunley and Glen. Annie and boys visited in Edmonton on Sunday with old friends from Fort McMurray, Mr. and Mrs. Larry O'Coffee. Fred Hunley is playing hockey on the Silverwood team in Edmonton.

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Kenny Widynowski and Garry Yurkowski left on Monday for Fort Nelson where they are employed with Peter Bawden Drilling outfit.

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Lynn Dunlop spent a few days last week in Edmonton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blake spent Christmas Day in Edmonton with their daughter and son-in-law and family, Evelyn and Denis Blakeman; and Boxing Day with their daughter, Yvonne and Henry Jans.

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Bob and Marlene Hunter and girls spent the New Year's weekend at the L. Hunter home.

Out-of-town guests at the Pete Enns home for New Year's were their son and daughter-in-law and family, Arnie and Dianna from Laird, Sask., Bill and Lou and family from Carstairs, Ed and Erand Reta Ennis from Camrose, and Reta Enns from Camrose.

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Mrs. Richardson is spending the holidays in Edmonton with her son, Ralph.

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**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Lawrence Gill is home after spending a week in Tofield hospital.

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Gwen and Larry Murray spent Christmas and New Year's with Gwen's parents, Helen and Stan Grover.

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Inga and Jack Hardy, Don and Marion spent Christmas in Camrose with Inga's mother, Mrs. Syvrud.

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Dick and Irene Harris and Collin from Milk River are visiting with friends for the holidays.

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Granny Hardy and Granny Hosler spent Christmas and several days in Edmonton with Mary and Gerald Hosler and family.

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Sam and Lilian Murdock, Pat and Bill from Savona, B.C., were holiday visitors here last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. Bruce McFadzean of Whitecourt, were holiday visitors at the McFadzean and Nolan homes.

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**HERE FROM WINNIPEG**

Mrs. R. A. Scott of Winnipeg arrived on Wednesday to spend the holiday season at the Stinson home. Mrs. Scott is Mr. Stinson's sister. They were Christmas Day guests of Dr. John and Mrs. Morrison at the Men' Residence U. of A., Edmonton.

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Mr. and Mrs. "Chick" Blacklock and family are spending the holiday season at their parental homes in Taber and Warner, Alberta.

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The Misses Pat Roth and Fern Stauffer have left the Bank of Montreal staff and are attending Bible School of the Mennonite Church at Kitchener, Ontario.

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Miss Shirley Stinson of Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, spent part of the holiday season at the Stinson home.

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Graham Allen was the winner of the December "Art and Arf".

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wilson of Edmonton and Markle Pecover of Calgary were dinner guests at the Stinson home on Sunday. Mr. Pecover and Mrs. Wilson are brother and sister, all having gone to school in Manitoba at the same time. Mrs. Scott and Mr. Stinson had not seen Mr. Pecover for almost 50 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunter spent Boxing Day and Sunday with their daughter and son-in-law and family in Edmonton, returning home on Monday.

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Sharon, Josephine, Garry and Earl Francis, all of Calgary, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Francis.

# From the mail bag

Editor, The Mercury:

I wish to thank all the Tofield friends, for the Christmas cards.

I appreciate them and am sorry I cannot return greetings except in this way.

Mrs. Sears Sr.

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Editor, The Mercury:

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Can you quit the farm and these dreams?

Geo. G. Abernethy.

## Kingman

New Year's Eve supper guests at the Clifford Gibson home were Mr. and Mrs. M. Peterson and boys, Mrs. Grace Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ovelson and girls, Mr. and Mrs. George Undin, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Undin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Ekdahl and family and Tony and Eddy Kozak.

Donald Jacobson and family of Royal Park spent last Wednesday at the A. M. Wick home. Donald is a brother of Mrs. Stuart Wick.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Ness spent New Year's in Edmonton where they were supper guests with the Lloyd Hamiltons, and spent New Year's Day with the Darrel Ness family and Mrs. Marith Horte.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Ekdahl and family and Mr. and Mrs. Albin Winder and family of Duhamel were New Year's supper guests at the Herb Asp home.


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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Wishes for a Bright and Prosperous New Year are extended to the Tofield Mercury Staff, and to friends far and near who receive the Mercury.

Due to severely cold weather services were not held Sunday at the United Church.

**NEW BABIES**

Mrs. James Holmes returned home from Tofield Hospital on Tuesday with a bouncing baby boy, named "James Arthur Milton".

Mrs. Rita Risdale brought home her new daughter on Wednesday.

Mrs. Irene Williams of Edmonton, spent a few days at the Keith Williams home, returning on Saturday with the Archie Dick family who were visitors that day.

Mrs. Nita Crittenden of Transcona, Man., left Saturday for Vancouver to spend Christmas holidays with her son and friends. She had been a guest for a week with her sister, Mrs. Les Whitford and Les.

Mrs. Irene Williams and Mrs. Nita Crittenden attended the annual children's Christmas party while on their respective visits here.

**FORMER DISTRICT WOMAN PASSES**

Friends of the district will be saddened to hear of the passing on Dec. 17th of Mrs. Jim Winter (nee Helena Heitman). Helena grew up and attended school here. She later worked in Edmonton and Jasper where she married and raised a family of five. Sympathy is extended to her husband Jim and family, and to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heitman of Tofield.

**Archie Flowers of Edmonton visited several families here prior to Christmas, among them the Alex McSporrans, Mrs. S. George, and the Alex Bosses.**

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gilbert of Edmonton, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horricks and boys.

The Andrew Fergusons were Saturday shoppers in Edmonton.

John Jones took care of the service station for a few days while Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre visited with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schwuchow, Edith and Lori, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Grummett, Ronald Ferguson and Mrs. S. George attended the Hastings Lake annual Christmas party.

**X-RAY CLINIC CANCELLED**

The T.B. X-ray clinic, scheduled for Dec. 17 in the school, was cancelled due to the cold weather. Watch for a date near to spring for new date.

Your Ministik reporter wishes to thank The Mercury for all favors shown in 1964 with special news items printed. Best wishes for a Prosperous New Year to all readers.

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# News briefs from Kingman district

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Jan. 4th — Salem LCW meets at the church parlors Thursday evening Jan. 14th at 8 p.m.

New Year's Eve supper guests at the Gordon Simonson home were the Fred Coykendahl, Wilfred Johnson, Floyd Johnson and Brith Johnson families.

Tuesday evening guests with Mabel and Alice Simonson were Mrs. E. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. I. Ness and Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Takema and Billie of Tofield were New Year's Day supper guests at the Lloyd Bjorgum home.

Sunday dinner guests at the Ingvald Ness home were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hamilton and boys, Mrs. M. Holte and Ronald, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Simonson and boys, all of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fjeseth and Brian, Mrs. Helga Evenson, Fred and Orville were visitors at the A. M. Wick home one evening last week. Lawrence Wick, who was here visiting from the coast, showed slides of his trip to Europe last summer.

Mrs. Ella Fuglem, Donald and Bill Bradley of Edmonton, and Randy and Audrey Anderson were Tuesday supper guests with Mrs. E. Gunderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Anderson had as supper guests New Year's Day, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young of Armena, Mrs. A. Johnson and Elias Anderson of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Erickson and Karen of Hay Lakes district, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Simonson and family and Mrs. Brith Johnson, Derald and Gail.

Some 30 young folks from Kingman and district were Saturday supper guests at the Clarence Skalin home in the Dinant district.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dahl, Mr. and Mrs. David Olson and boys, Mrs. A. Anderson, Audrey and Randy were supper guests at the Thor Johnson home New Year's Day. Mr. and Mrs. Albin Palm and girls were evening visitors there.

**Jonas Eastberg is now a resident in a senior citizens' home at Youngstown and his address is Youngstown Home, Youngstown, Alta.**

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cumberland and children spent New Year's at Drayton Valley.

## Thanks to All!

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK—The annual children's Christmas party of Ministik community was held on December 18 at Ministik Hall. The convenor, Mrs. Jim Roddick, wishes to thank all the boys and girls who contributed toward a very successful program.

Thanks also go to Mrs. Keith Williams and her committee for the delicious lunch, to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson for assisting in trimming the Christmas tree, to Mrs. Laurie Swabey for the wonderful choice of gifts for the children who numbered 54 this year.

Thanks is also extended to Mrs. S. George for her part in the program, and to parents who brought their children out to practice each week. Thanks also to any others who helped in any way to make this evening the success it was.

## Around town . . .

Pat and Calvin Gill and family, Bobby Ozubko and Gail Niemetz, Marlene Ozubko and Jim McKay, Lucy and Bill Miskew and family, and Larry Yoder were Christmas and New Year's guests at the Pete Ozubko home.

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Joe Sommers from Wainwright spent the Christmas and New Year's holidays at the Dunlop home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Toni Chilcowich and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Borys of Fort Saskatchewan, spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chilcowich.

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Mr. and Mrs. McBride, Kevin, Arlene and Staryl of Kinsella spent Christmas with Beve and Ron Brown and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Haukedal, and Mr. and Mrs. Al Innes spent Christmas at Edson with Jack and Koreen Innes and girls.

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**HOME FROM MANITOBA**

Pat Gray returned home on Monday from Glenella, Man., where she has been visiting for the past two weeks with her sister and brother-in-law, Shirley and Frank Heintz and family.

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# Vaccination programs are discussed by ASB

Dr. Stiles would likely complete his vaccination program by about December 15, 1964, and Dr. Bildfell would be a little later in starting his, Rex Boyles, field supervisor, told the recent meeting of the County of Beaver Agricultural Service Board.

The completion of the compulsory Brucellosis vaccination was discussed. Rex Boyles said according to information he had there would be no compulsory vaccination after October 1, 1965. The service board was in general disagreement with dropping the present system of Brucellosis control. They feel that the system now used is the best way of keeping this disease under control. Mr. Boyles said he had raised objections with Dr. Brisbane but could get no assurance that these regulations would not be changed.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

A letter was read regarding an Agricultural Service Board conference to be held in Two Hills December 9th, and it was moved and carried that all the members of the Service Board attend if possible.

Cr. Kropielnicki mentioned the amendment to the County Act that was proposed at the 1964 Municipal Convention. This amendment, if passed by the Legislature, would make the Agricultural Service Board a Committee of the Council. The details as to representation on this Committee were not established.

In his Field Supervisor's report, Mr. Boyles said: "Field inspections for weeds has been narrowed down to problem farms where fall work was promised. No seeding orders will have to be placed on five of these farms.

"Toad-flax infestations were checked and further spreading of this weed is unlikely due to the dry growing season.

"The application of Ureabor was carried out on three locations, including the Viking Carena and on patches of Leafy Spurge and Hoary Cress.

"Eighty strychnine pellets were released for coyote control. Five farmers have made use of the magpie traps. Four farmers received grass seed for backslopes and roadside ditches.

"The pesticide course was attended from October 26 to 30. A great deal of useful information was received and authorities outlined a complete program on the use of all farm chemicals.

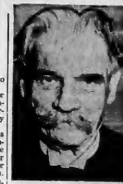
"Checks were made on Hydroseeding of forage seed on roadsides, also costs. Several Counties have adopted this type of seeding in order to reach backslopes.

"It has been suggested that the county supply grass seed to farmers at a considerable saving. Information and figures have been obtained from other counties that are handling grass seed, and we will consider the advantages of a similar program here.

"The Bangs vaccination program got under way on No. 0 in the western half of the county and on Nov. 16 the eastern part. If roads permit vaccination should be completed by the end of the year.

All Civil Defence equipment has been checked in accordance with headquarters requirements".

Mr. Boyles said he is having difficulty in getting farmers to control the weeds in ditches, since the County took over the control of noxious weeds on road allowances. He said that the county should possibly reconsider this bylaw.



**AND STILL WORKING. Medical Missionary Dr. Albert Schweitzer, above, became 90 years old on Jan. 14 but refuses to slow down his pace at his hospital station in Lambarene, in the jungle of equatorial Africa. The doctor cares for about 500 patients, with about 200 of them in an isolated leper colony.**

## Former ball champ now lives in city

A recent publicity booklet from the City of Wetaskiwin carried a baseball picture of the Wetaskiwin baseball team which won the Alberta Championship in 1904 and 1905. Pictured as a member of the team is Joe McLaughlin who lived in Tofield district for 30 years and is now a resident in Edmonton.

Unfortunately the picture was on a printed page from a booklet, and so it cannot be properly reproduced for The Mercury. Only original photos can be used because of the screening necessary for printing.

# Father Scriven named EMO co-ordinator here

Mrs. Rex Boyles advised the recent meeting of the Emergency Measures Unit meeting at Ryley that Father Scriven would be replacing her as co-ordinator for the Town of Tofield commencing January 1, 1965. It was moved by Joe Chamulke and carried unanimously that Father Scriven be accepted.

Mrs. Boyles advised that Northern Zone Headquarters had informed her that they would not have instructors available for the dates requested for a control room course, and it was moved by Joe Chamulke that the secretary write and find out if any other dates are available.

George Taylor noted that Rex Boyles would be used in radiological work by the provincial department of agriculture in the event of a nuclear explosion. As he is the chief radiological officer for the county it was suggested a new one be trained. As Mr. Boyles knows who is well enough trained to replace him, it was moved by T. F. Harris that Mr. Boyles get someone qualified to replace him.

George Taylor gave an outline of the meeting regarding Police training.

There was some discussion regarding First Aid courses, and it was moved by Selmer Hafso that the co-ordinators hold First Aid courses when arrangements can be made.

## High School team curls at Viking

The Tofield H.S. curling team participated in the zone playoffs in Viking on Saturday, Jan. 9th. The team skipped by Jack Nolan, with Greg Whyte at third, Robert Wall at second, and Kevin Pike at lead, although winning B section, they were defeated by Viking in A section finals.

The Tofield H.S. wishes to congratulate the excellent Viking team, skipped by Doug Dobry and wishes them every success in the provincial competitions.

The basketball game last Friday was called off because of the bad weather. The next basketball game will be at Viking Friday, Jan. 15th. The next home game is scheduled for February 5th when Viking will be in Tofield.

## Tofield Lions have first 1965 meeting

The first regular meeting of Tofield Lions Club in 1965 was held on Tuesday, Jan. 12th. Reports of visitation of other clubs were made and entertainment provided there.

Lion McAdoo reported that 158 donors had contributed $217.40 to the Canadian National Institute for the Blind canvass held late in 1964. Lion Dave Duguid reported on the skating rink situation, and Lion President Wall reported a snow blower had been purchased for less than $400. A donation had been made to the local Scout Troop. Lion Tom Kerlee was a visitor from Ryley Club. Discussion took place as to insurance on the operations of the club both on skating rink and playground and decided to have this placed in care of Lion Regehr.

**Now conducting a factual survey of public expenditures in Alberta is the Public Expenditure and Revenue Committee, shown above. Made up of representatives from both the government and the public, the group is seeking answers to how expenditures can be controlled and financed in the best interests of the people of the province.**

**To date, studies have been completed in the Department of Public Welfare, and the Department of Highways. The Salvation Army, Edmonton Family Service Bureau, Catholic Charities, (Archdiocese of Edmonton), and the Edmonton Welfare Council were all consulted during the study of the Department of Public Welfare. The Department of Highways survey included representations from the Canadian Association of Equipment Distributors; the Alberta Roadbuilders Association, and the Alberta Motor Transport Association.**

**The photo above shows, left to right: F. C. Bodie, Alberta Federation of Labour; J. M. McKay, Alberta Association of Municipal Districts; R. A. Splane, Committee Secretary; Honorable R. Reierson, Minister of Labour and Telephones; Honorable N. A. Willmore, Deputy Chairman, Minister of Lands and Forests; Honorable A. O. Aalborg, Chairman, Provincial Treasurer; E. Newman, Union of Alberta Municipalities; C. E. Parry, Associated Hospitals of Alberta; Dr. G. L. Burton, Alberta Federation of Agriculture; V. M. Dantzer, Alberta Catholic School Trustees' Association; and J. K. McIntosh, Farmers' Union of Alberta.** —Alberta Government Photo.

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## End this poisoning

Grain buyers, as well as farmers, are feeling the full brunt of regulations that no grain can be sold to elevators if it has been mixed with mercury-treated seed. Even an incredibly small amount of the treating compound can ruin whole shipments, and clamps have been screwed on hard in recent months, to the extent that one buyer was dismissed, and others have been repeatedly warned to keep their eyes open.

As pointed out many times, it's extremely difficult for a grain buyer to tell from the appearance of grain whether it's been treated, for wheat kernels can be found ranging all the way from green to red in color. And it's quite possible for a farmer to forget the auger or other equipment he's using for his harvest was also used in the seed treating program way back in the spring. Or he may not even know it was used by the hired man.

But the grain is just as poisoned as if it were done on purpose.

Since the effect is so deadly, and since it's so hard to detect, the suggestion of an old hand in the business seems eminently sensible. Chemical companies providing the compound should be required to give a distinct and different color, such as blue, to the chemical. Any wheat coming to the elevator with a blue tinge would immediately stand out: both farmer and buyer would be spared the responsibility. And the public would be safeguarded.

For safety's sake, let's color it blue.

## Hardly a holiday

Coming so soon after Christmas, Boxing Day and New Year's the country hardly wants another holiday on January 11th, yet certainly there should be some recognition of the day as the birthday of Sir John A. MacDonald, Canada's first prime minister.

1965 marks the 150th anniversary of the date, and it's not a bit too soon to get busy developing some sort of national observance. Probably no American has to be told that Lincoln's birthday was February 12th, nor Washington's on the 22nd. Thousands among us know that January 25th recalls the birthday of Robbie Burns. Yet we'd be surprised if even one in a thousand Canadians could date the birthday of John MacDonald.

It might even be surprising how few know he was the country's first prime minister.

## Out of the mouths of babes

The old saying that great wisdom may come from the young was demonstrated at New Year's when the Tuxis Boys' Parliament met in Calgary and discussed, among other things, fluoridation.

Representing senior youth from all over the province, the group carried a resolution asking the government to adopt legislation 'so that the adoption of fluoridation by municipalities be by a simple majority vote, rather than the required two thirds majority'.

Isn't it a shame we can't be so reasonable as we grow older? When we should be growing smarter, too.

## Co-operate to control

A Saskatonian, L. L. Lloyd suggests that Canadians should build more and bigger co-operatives to keep control of more of their own industries. President of the Federated Co-operatives, he points out that no other country in the world has so much of its economic life directed by people who do not live within its borders.

While we heartily agree with Mr. Lloyd's objective of control within our own country, we cannot agree with his method. He pointed out that the cash refunds being made to the co-ops would go back to members, and stay in Canada, and inject added purchasing power for consumers.

This reminds us of the argument used recently by Henry Young of Millet, in bolstering the suggestion that three Alberta cities generate their own power near Ardley. Mr. Young pointed out that privately owned power companies pay huge sums of money back to the investors as dividends, often reaching into millions of dollars.

What Mr. Young says is true as far as it goes. But he neglects to say this is the wages for the money employed . . . and even co-operatives pay this. He further neglects to point out the private companies pay even larger amounts to the government as taxes . . . something the co-ops do not do. Cut off this tax money, and the government will have to soak us more in some other direction.

A NATIONAL HOLIDAY? January 11 marked the 150th anniversary of the birth of John A. Macdonald, chief of the Fathers of Confederation. There is a growing movement in Canada to make this date a national holiday, especially for our Centennial Year in 1967. Above shows his modest gravestone in Kingston, Ont.

## Accident victim laid to rest on Dec. 26th

Allan Monroe Henderson was born May 2nd, 1941, and resided in Tofield. He passed away Tuesday, December 22nd, 1964.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Ester Henderson; two brothers, Melvin Donald Henderson and Melvin Jason Henderson, and a sister, Mrs. Ruth Lillian Furguson, all of Tofield.

The funeral service was held at the Tofield Mennonite Brethren Church on Dec. 26th, conducted by the Rev. Peter McCallum. Interment was in the Tofield Cemetery. Pallbearers were Ted Cochlin, Bob Oullette, Wes Lawson, Ken Bulat, Howard Anderson and Don Litwin. Hoveland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

FLORAL TRIBUTES

The Family; Ryley Junior High School; Department of Highways Camp 217.

MEMORIALS

To the Family—Mr. and Mrs. Albin Winder and family; Irene and Bill Wiens; Ray and Alice Gould; Geo. and Isabelle Lee; Stanley Dunham; J. Riediger and family; Mabel Lawson; Delbert Lee; Ray and Mildred Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell and Judy; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray; Ken, Sylvia and family; Ethel and Don Carlisle and family; Donna and Kelly Wiltzen; Lillian and Bob Berrecloth and family; Dorthy and Eugene Carlisle and family; Martin, Janette and family; Mrs. Clara Whillans; Roy and Dorothy Whillans and boys; Wesley, Irene, Vera and Dennis Lawson; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson, Robert, Raymond and Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Broen and family; George Peebles; Helge and Emma; Louisa Winder and Sons; Edith Turner; Mrs. Brown and Ethel; Keitha and Stanley Brown; Peter and Yvonne Brown; Kenneth, Anne Oliver; Annie McGinitie and family; Ron Brown; Joe and Audrey Brown; Emil and Martha Tiedemann; Russell and Mabel Ferguson; Roger and Ellen Hoffin; Leonard and Dorothy Ferguson; Dick Oslund; Madeline McCormick; Will and Amanda; Bill, Olive and famiy; Margaret, Andy and family; Maude, Roy and family; Clifford Ferguson.

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To Baptist Church (Building Fund) — James Francis; Ronald and Kay Coombes; Chester and Ida Coombes and family; Donnelly and Opal McGinitie; Harvey and Pauline McGinitie; Agnes and Henry McGinitie; Raymond McGinitie; Alice and Eric Munkedahl; Mrs. McCown; George and Laura Francis; Sharon Francis; John and Mary Wood; Harold and Mildred Litwin and family; Mr. Eaglesham, Jean and George Olsen; Glenn and Iris Francis.

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To Baptist Church (Current Expenses)—Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Tackema and Billy.

To Miquelon Lake Bible Camp—Harold and Lilly Schultz and family; Ralph and Mabel Hopf; Bert and Alberta Tiedemann; Eric and Bertha Sorrell and family; Archie and Janette Damberger and family; Pete and Anne Chilkowich.

To Bethany Home for Children—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Reum; Elmer Stenerud; Mr. and Mrs. Swanson and girls.

To Bardo W.C.T.U.—Clarence Rude and Carl Nelson families.

To the Heart Fund — Bruce, Hazel, Ron and Ray; Mr. and Mrs. E. Paulson.

To Tofield Municipal Hospital—Kate, Bill and Billy; Albert, James McAdoo; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McAdoo and Pat.

To Canadian Bible Society—Pat, Don and Gregory Litwin; Gladys and Lester Severson.

To Sunrise Gospel Hour—Mrs. Tillie Winder.

CARD OF THANKS

May the Lord's blessing and reward be unto each and every friend, relative and neighbor who has liberally given of themselves on our behalf at this time and during the illness of our son and brother. We give God the glory for surrounding us with your prayers and concern, also for the floral tributes and memorials. —Mrs. Henderson and Family. 2GL-1927

## No change in egg support program

The support price for eggs in the period of October 1, 1964, to September 30, 1965, will remain unchanged from the previous year's 34 cents, said Agriculture Minister Harry Hays recently.

In the 1963-64 period, the national average price amounted to 32 cents per dozen, resulting in a deficiency payment of two cents per dozen to producers. To date, payments amounting to approximately $700,000 have been made.

The maximum for a deficiency payment remains unchanged—4,000 dozen eggs per producer. This covers Grade A Extra Large, Grade A Large, and Grade A Medium sizes. No payments of less than $2 per individual.



## Jason Henderson passes away at age 65 years

Born in the Tofield district November 5, 1899, Jason Monroe Henderson passed away Friday, Dec. 11, 1964. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Esther Henderson; three sons, Allan Monroe Henderson (who died Dec. 22, 1964), Melvin Donald Henderson and Marvin Jason Henderson; one daughter, Mrs. Ruth Lillian Ferguson; and one sister, Mrs. Amanda Mitchell, all of Tofield.

Funeral services were held from the Tofield Mennonite Brethren Church on Dec. 15, Rev. George Francisco officiating. Interment followed in the Tofield cemetery. Honorary pallbearers were Alex Kleinschroth, Helge Reger, Frank Shupe, Henry McGinitie, Lionel Ferguson and Roy Lee. Active pallbearers were George McMann, Peter Foyd, John Thiesen, Peter Thiesen, Donnelly McGinitie and Bill Buckshot.

Floral Tributes

Ryley Junior High School Students Union; Lloyd, Marie and Family; Margaret, Hugh and Family; Nola, Ed and Family; Department of Highways, Camp 217; Bill and Kate Buckshot; Maude and Roy McKenzie.

Memorials

To The Family—Albin Winder and Family; J. Riediger; Donald and Ruth Yoder; Oscar and Signe Broen and Family; Russell and Mabel; Clifford Ferguson; Leonard and Dorothy; Ole and Hilma Sware; Margaret Jensen and Family; Louisa Winder and Sons; Mr. and Mrs. R. Berrcloth and Family; Mr. and Mrs.Fred Williams; Mr. and Mrs. Verne Williams; Mr. and Mrs. Grant Williams; George Peeples.

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To Bible Camp—Mr. and Mrs. H. Schultz; Mildred and Roy Lee; Martin and Janet Lawson and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitchell; Mr. and Mrs. Will Mitchell; Mrs. Mary Moore and Louise; Ronald Coombs and Family; Chester and Ida Coombs; Roger and Ellen Hoffin; Ralph and Mabel Hopf; Dick Oslund; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth, Jean and George; Emily Carlisle; Lionel and Emma Ferguson; Eddie and Jean Williams; Mabel Lawson; Roy and Mildred Lee; Grace and Herman Lawson; Knutson Family; Angus and Eileen Mitchell; Esten and Caroline Stirrett; Harold and Audrey Kindley; Helge and Emma Reger; Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell; Mr. and Mrs. Don Carlisle; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carlisle; Mrs. L. Carlisle; Andy, Margaret and Family.

To Ryley Cemetery Fund—Mrs. Gladys Annebo, Tommy and Kenneth; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Annebo and RuEllie; Mr. and Mrs. B. Helgelund; Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Loades; Mr. Jack Dueck.

To Cancer Fund — Jim and Florence; Mrs. Ingram Sr.

To Tofield Ambulance Fund—Mr. and Mrs. H. Weatherill; Petra Stauffer.

To Canadian Bible Society—Pat, Don and Gregory Litwin.

To St. Joseph's Lutheran Church, Hay Lakes — Mr. and Mrs. E. Paulson.

To Canada's National "Back to the Bible Hour"—Tillie Winder.

To Gideon Bible Society—Lloyd, Marie and Pat Cookson.

To Tofield Historical Society—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Lee; Stanley Dunham.

To Tofield Municipal Hospital—Herbert, Mary and Pat McAdoo; Bert McAdoo.

Card of Thanks

May the Lord's blessing and reward be unto each and every friend, relative and neighbour who has liberally given of themselves on our behalf at this time of bereavement in the loss of our husband and father. We give God the glory for surrounding us with your prayers and concern, also for the floral tributes and memorials.

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## Holden UCW has final meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Jan. 9. — Members of the U.C.W. of the afternoon group met Thursday afternoon, Jan. 7th, for their final meeting at the home of Mrs. Mary James. Most of the ladies, who are reaching a good old age, feel unable to carry on actively as their number decreases every year. However, they will meet to carry on with their Study book and various things.

The Devotions were taken by Mrs. N. L. Campbell, who also gave a report of the year's activities. There were thirteen ladies present including members and visitors. At the conclusion of the meeting a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

The next meeting in February will be at the home of Mrs. Earl Hardy, and Devotions will be taken by Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus.

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## BARLEY VARIETIES 1964

The accompanying map shows the 1964 distribution of the barley varieties in Western Canada. The three most commonly grown varieties (Parkland, Olli and Montcalm) now occupy 50% of the total acreage seeded to barley. In addition, seven other varieties are grown to some extent and three others occupy at least some acreage.

The percentage of the acreage occupied by the different varieties in Western Canada is as follows: Parkland, 21.1%; Olli, 16.3%; Montcalm, 12.6%; Gateway, 10.3%; Hannchen, 7.9%; Betzes, 5.7%; Husky, 5.6%; Compana, 4.6%; Palliser, 3.7%; O.A.C.21, 3.1%.

Miscellaneous varieties totalling 9.1%, include Jubilee, Keystone and Herta. In Alberta, Olli leads, occupying 34.1%; in Saskatchewan, Montcalm with 24% and in Manitoba, Parkland is predominant, occuping 48.9% of the barley acreage.

Principal changes as between 1963 and 1964 may be noted. Alberta: shows a moderate decrease in Olli and a slight increase in Gateway. Saskatchewan: shows a moderate decrease in Hannchen and a slight decrease in Montcalm. Manitoba: shows a moderate decrease in both Parkland and Montcalm and a sizeable increase in the acreage seeded to Keystone.

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## Ryley and district news briefs

(B. K. Westmancoat)

Johnny Bekker and family of Calgary were New Year's visitors with Johnny's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bekker and family. He also stopped over at Red Deer to visit with his younger brother, Dave, and family.

**TO ICE-CAPADES**

The 4-H clubs in Ryley are making a combined trip to Edmonton on Saturday, Jan. 16th, to attend the evening performance of the "Ice Capades". They will travel in a school bus with driver Edwin Klawitter, and one adult member from each club will accompany the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burnstad and family, of Round Hill, were Sunday visitors at the Bob Westmancoat home.

**4-H CHRISTMAS PARTY**

The Ryley 4-H Club with their leader, Mrs. Stan Powers, enjoyed a happy and joyous Christmas party in the home economics room on the evening of Dec. 21st. Invited guests were the members of the Boys' Food Club. The evening was spent in games and contests, and there was an exchange of Christmas gifts. The girls served lunch at the end of the festivities, and was much enjoyed.

Mrs. Danny Manderson is a patient in the Tofield Hospital.

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## Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Jan. 12th—The parish Luther League concert which was postponed due to the cold weather, will be held at Bardo Church on Friday evening, Jan. 15th, at 8 o'clock.

The WCTU will meet at the home of Mrs. Alma-Marie Nelson in Round Hill on Saturday at 2 p.m. This will be a party for the children who took part in the temperance lessons taught in the fall.

Sunday School at 10:30 and services at 11:30 next Sunday, Jan. 17th.

Those from Bardo wishing to participate in the parish Luther League bonspiel, give your name to Walter Johnson. Date to be set later.

**LCW MEETS**

The first LCW meeting in '65 was held at the home of Mrs. Selma Cinnamon on Wednesday afternoon. In spite of the bitter sub-zero weather, 20 members were present and Mrs. John Sirois was a visitor.

Mrs. Gladys Severson read from the 15th chapter of John for devotion, and the Bible study was led by Mrs. Mary Finseth. The theme for this year is "If God so loved us, we ought to love one another". The stewardship secretary, Mrs. Alice Stokkan, gave an outline of the program for 1965. The education secretary, Mrs. Mary Finseth, pointed out the importance of evangelism in this department. It was decided to take one the missions in Alaska as a project for this year, as well as a project for each month.

Mrs. Evelyn Foshaug and Mrs. Borghild Rude were elected to write the history of the LCW for the 70th anniversary celebration in June. Lunch was served by Mrs. Borghild Erickson and Mrs. Olive Foshaug.

Mrs. Olaf Anderson and Mrs. LeRoy Finseth called on Mrs. Petra Stauffer on Friday afternoon. Petra is confined at home with a leg ailment.

Miss Barbara McGinitie was a weekend guest with her friend Linda Erickson. On Sunday, her parents, who came for their daughter, were guests at the Erickson home.

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**FIRST AID COURSE**
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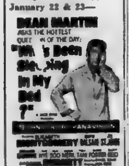


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**4-H CHRISTMAS PARTY**

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The WCTU will meet at the house of Mrs. Alma-Marie Nelson in Round Hill on Saturday at 2 p.m. This will be a party for the children who took part in the temperance lessons taught in the fall.

Sunday School at 10:30 and services at 11:30 next Sunday, Jan. 17th.

Those from Bardo wishing to participate in the parish Luther League bonspiel, give your name to Walter Johnson. Date to be set later.

**LCW MEETS**

The first LCW meeting in '65 was held at the home of Mrs. Selma Cinnamon on Wednesday afternoon. In spite of the bitter sub-zero weather, 20 members were present and Mrs. John Skrois was a visitor.

Mrs. Gladys Severson read from the 15th chapter of John for devotion, and the Bible study was led by Mrs. Mary Finseth. The theme for this year is "If God so loved us we ought to love one another". The stewardship secretary, Mrs. Alice Stokkan, gave an outline of the program for 1965. The education secretary, Mrs. Mary Finseth, pointed out the importance of evangelism in this department. It was decided to take one the missions in Alaska as a project for this year, as well as a project for each month.

Mrs. Evelyn Fosthaug and Mrs. Borghild Rude were elected to write the history of the LCW for the 70th anniversary celebration in June. Lunch was served by Mrs. Borghild Erickson and Mrs. Olive Fosthaug.

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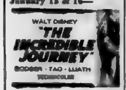


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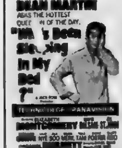


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Dominion Automobile Association whose interest in accident-free driving on winter-glazed roads is understandable through Mr. W. S. Chalmers, Manager, Members' Services Division, Dominion Automobile Association, offers below a time-proven set of rules which will, if adhered to, help guide the motorist through the winter months without mishap. Check your own driving habits with the suggestions contained in this decalog, and if necessary, revise your methods to conform.

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8. **Don't Take Your Car Muffler For Granted:** A leaky muffler or exhaust pipe can spell "curtains" for you under winter conditions. Have the boys at the filling station check these parts every time your car is on the grease rack.
9. **Don't Try To Push Your Stalled Car Out Of A Snowbank:** Especially if you are over forty! A severe strain on a faulty heart can result from unaccustomed pushing of a car out of a snowbank. Better to call a tow truck than an ambulance.
10. **Use Your Seat Belts at All Times:** Seat belts are particularly valuable in winter type skidding mishaps. Don't drive ANYWHERE without them in place.

A compliment is the pause that refreshes.

## Tofield Rural Fire Association

Annual meeting of the Tofield Rural Fire Protection Association will be held 1:30 p.m. sharp in the Library Room on Wednesday, Jan. 20th.

**BUSINESS:**

- 1964 Financial Statement.
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## Better English

By D. C. Williams

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**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

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**ANSWERS**

1. It is not correct to begin a written sentence with a numeral. Either write it out, as, "Forty-five persons", or recast the sentence thus: "When the train jumped off the track 45 persons were injured". 2. Say, "Although she approves of HIS working", and omit "more". 3. Say, "has been PROVED wrong, and is LIKELY to cause trouble". 4. It is better to say, "I WOULD rather be safe than sorry". 5. Say, "He has no REASON to talk WITH me AS he did". 6. Say, "They displayed all KINDS of pictures, and I thought they were [illegible] arranged".

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13. Caribbean, dependent, misappropriate, despair, tran[illegible]


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# Historical Society will discuss centennary plans

The annual meeting of the Tofield Historical Society will be held in the Historical museum at 8 o'clock on Thursday, Jan. 21st. This will be an important meeting for several reasons, namely:

1. Election of officers for 1965 will be [illegible].

2. A discussion will be held as to the members' wishes for a centennial project to be undertaken by the socity either alone or in conjunction with other organizations. It would surely show a regrettable lack of interest in Canada's history in general and that of our particular locality in particular to let this occasion pass without commemoration in Tofield. With this thought in mind, the executive of the Historical Society asks that all members, past, present, and prospective, attend the meeting. A cordial invitation is extended to members of other organizations who are interested in observing Canada's Centennary.

3. Jim Francis, director of the Historical Society will show pictures of his trip to Atlantic provinces this past summer. He has visited and has pictures of [illegible] historic sites as Upper Canada Village in Ontario and the storied Green Gables in Prince Edward Island.

4. Lunch will be served during the social hour which follows the entertainment. Come and bring a f[illegible].

Mrs. Harold Schultz, president of the society, is appealing for a collection of pioneer advertising media, such as plates, thermometers [illegible] the [illegible] merchant's name on them. Mrs Bowick also appeals for old or rare books to add to the museum's collection.

## Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

Lester and Wilma Odiorne and family, Mr and Mrs. Alex Ford and Wilfred and Shirley Ford and family were all visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs John Jackson on New Year's Day.

OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hennig at Andrew were his daughter, Elma, and her husband Graham and son, also Howard and Neil Malcolm, the occasion being Mr. Hennig's birthday.

January 8th was the birthday of Desmond Bilan and Georgina McLachlan. Georgina held her birthday party on Saturday, the 9th.

Mrs. Ella Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rogers were Sunday visitors at the home of Joseph and Isabel McLachlan.

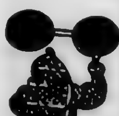
80TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs Winnie McLachlan, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Isabel McLachlan, held a birthday celebration Thursday, Jan 7th, at her home, in honor of their father Mr. Duncan's 80th birthday. All the Duncan families were present, and Raymond and Frances McLachlan also dropped in to offer their congratulations to Mr. Duncan.

Mrs. Annie Kofman was present for the United Church Ladies monthly meeting, held at the home of Mrs. Alice Cossey on Wednesday evening, Jan. 6th.

UKRAINIAN CHRISTMAS

To celebrate Ukrainian Christmas holidays, James and Rose Woytowich and family were dinner guests on Friday at the home of Rose's mother in Edmonton. In the evening they were supper guests, along with James' sisters and brothers, at the home of James' parents in Edmonton. Saturday, they motored to Wostok and were dinner guests at the home of Rose's father, along with her sisters and brothers, and in the evening they drove on to St. Michael, where they were dinner guests with James' brother. Later they motored again to Wostok to attend a wedding there.

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**NOTICE to Creditors & Claimants**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ANNIE JELLY [illegible], late of the Village of Ryley, in the Province of Alberta, deceased, who died on or about the 5th day of December, 1964.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above-named must file with the undersigned by the 18th day of February, A.D. 1965, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them.

SIGURD LEFSRUD, Esq.,
Solicitor for the Administrator,
Viking, Alberta.
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## Church notes

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only. Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays. Worship Service
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday. Sunday School.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnell, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Jan. 17th
No Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship. Preacher: Mr. Tom Harding, St. Stephen's College.
Wednesday, Jan. 27th—Annual Meeting.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, Jan. 17th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
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First, Third and Fifth Sundays of the month ........ 9:30 a.m.
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Every Sunday ........12:30 p.m.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, Jan. 17th
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 8:00 p.m.—Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

WAY TO THE HEART. Under test in West Germany's Tubingen University is this machine invented by Dr. H. Forster, which reads the heart impulses through vibration of the teeth. Clamp on the teeth transmits waves onto the graph at right. — TNS Photo

## Kingman and district notes

(Mrs. J. A. Andersen)

KINGMAN, Jan. 11th — A Home and School meeting will be held at the school on Friday, Jan. 15th, at 8:00 p.m.

The Salem LCW meets on Thursday evening at the church. Mrs. J. Johnson and Mrs. P. Bones are hostesses.

The Parish Luther League will have their belated Christmas program at the Bardo Church on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Myhre and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Marcisyn and Carol, all of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Winder and family were Sunday visitors at the Ray Ovelson home.

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

There were only three tables playing at the whist drive on Saturday, Jan. 2nd. Winners were: Ladies' high, Mrs. Persinie, and Frank Dunham, playing as a lady, low; gent's high, Collin Peterson, and gent's low, Ron Berrecloth. Next whist drive will be held Saturday, Jan. 16th.

The Ladies' Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Flege on Thursday, Jan. 21st.

Mrs. Rowland, Mrs. M. Gladue, Mrs. B. Gladue, Mrs. Simpson and Mrs. Flege spent a very enjoyable afternoon helping Mrs Krueger celebrate her birthday on December 30th.

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## R.F.P. annual meeting Wednesday, Jan. 20

There are several pertinent subjects to be brought up at the annual meeting of the Tofield Rural Fire Protection Association to be held in the Library [illegible] on Wednesday, Jan. 20th, at 2:30 p.m. Among other matters dealt with, will be the collection of dues, difficulty of collecting accounts from nonmembers and any question from the floor.

It is of the utmost importance that members turn out to take part, as in a co-operative movement. Members are free to discuss fully anything they wish to know.

## Double-ring ceremony for Lutz-Fraser rites

St. Francis of Assisi Roman Catholic Church was the scene of a lovely wedding on Monday, Dec. 28, 1964, when Betty Jean Fraser, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Fraser, of Tofield, and Benjamin Ewald Lutz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reinhold Lutz, of Holden, exchanged vows in a double-ring ceremony. Monsignor Joseph Malone of St. Joseph's Cathedral, Edmonton, performed the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, William Fraser Jr., wore a floor-length gown of embroidered nylon net, with Peter Pan collar and lily-point sleeves. Her chapel veil was held in place by a crown of pearls and rhinestones. She carried a white prayer book with American Beauty roses.

Attendants of the bride were her sister, Mrs. Joan Schacker, as matron of honor, and Miss Stephania Komarnisky as bridesmaid. They wore identical dresses of light blue and tea blue satin. They carried nosegays of carnations tinted to match their dresses.

The groom was attended by his brother, Walter Lutz, and his cousin, Wilmar Froelich. Ushers were David Frebrowski and Otto Froelich.

The organist was Miss Carold Hurum of Viking, and the soloist Mrs. Patricia Batty of Edmonton, who sang "Blessed Be This Day".

A reception for 180 guests was held in the Tofield Community Hall. The bride's table was centered by a beautiful three-tiered wedding cake flanked by vases of carnations. Kenneth Eastlick, master of ceremonies, proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom ably responded. Following the reception "open house" was held at the home of the bride's parents.

For her going-away trip to the West Coast, the bride wore a powder blue suit with fox cuffs and black accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Lutz will reside in Viking.

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## News items from Holden district

([illegible])

[illegible] student at Holden school spent the Christmas vacation with her family at [illegible].

[illegible] and [illegible] were New Year's Day visitors and dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Joe [illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sowers and daughters of Vermilion, were Boxing Day visitors with Mrs. Sowers' parents, the Clint Armstrongs, after spending Christmas Day with Bill's family the Len Sowers at Camrose. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cline Armstrong for New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Dutka and children, Mr. and Mrs. Gene [illegible] and children, all of Vegreville, were visiting with the girls' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Morland of the Bruce district were business callers and visitors in Holden Wednesday of last week.

**RETURN TO NEW YORK**

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Grosland and young daughter of New York, U.S.A., who have been visiting with Emory's mother, Mrs. Lillie Grosland, and other relatives, left last week to visit with Mrs. Grosland's brother and family, the Walter Groslands in Edmonton. Emory was expecting to leave there Saturday morning for Montreal on his way back to New York. Mrs. Grosland was going on to Lacombe to visit with her mother, Mrs. Woodward, for a while before returning to her home in New York. Emory is employed by the Royal Bank.

Mr. Samuel, of the Associated Engineers Ltd., of Edmonton, was a business caller at the village office last Friday.

Mrs. Hazel Armstrong was visiting with Mrs. Harriet Hvild Friday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Good, Judy, Terry and Denise returned home late Monday night, January 4th, after spending a couple of weeks visiting with Ernie's brother and family, the Jackie Goods in California, U.S.A. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Madsen, former Holden residents, and with other relatives. They reported no trouble driving home, but had to make one detour.

Robert Taylor of the Viking district was a caller with his parents, the Geo. Taylors, on Tuesday of last week.

Lefty Clark, of the Ryley district, a former Holden resident, left the early part of last week for Fort McMurray where he will be working with his gravel truck, stock-piling gravel for the highways.

**Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ratke, nee Marilyn Feran, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, a granddaughter for Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Feran.**

**TRIP TO ENGLAND**

Harry Olson, son of Mrs. Carrie Olson, left Holden December 31st, for Halifax from where he sailed to England for a two-month visit. Harry is planning to spend most of the time in and around London, and making visits to other localities. He was also hoping to contact some of his relatives in England.

Mrs. Campbell visited with Mrs. Lars Rilland for the afternoon on Monday of last week.

Mrs. R. Reader entertained a few friends for coffee Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Louie Sroka of Vancouver, B.C., who spent a few days around New Year's visiting with his mother, Mrs. Tekla Sroka, and other relatives, returned home the early part of last week, making the trip by plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sizer, Mrs. Carrie Olson and her son, Arthur, motored to Camrose on Sunday, Jan. 3rd, and visited for the day with the Sizers' daughter and family, the Alvin Knudsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow entertained Mrs. N. L. Campbell, Mrs. Mary James and Mrs Carrie Olson for dinner New Year's Day.

Visitors and dinner guests with Mrs. Carrie Olson on Boxing Day were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Knudson and family of Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ruskenveld last Friday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ogrodnick entertained a number of their relatives for dinner on New Year's Day, and for the evening.

Miss Nettie Feschuk, nurse at the Health Unit, spent the Christmas holiday visiting with her father at Gronlid, Sask.

Albert Schaurs of Calgary, formerly of Holden was a recent visitor with friends in the district and also called on his father, who is a resident in Vialta Lodge, Viking, during the Christmas holiday.

Dennis Stybe was a Christmas holiday visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Stybe, and other relatives. Dennis, who is in the Canadian Navy, is presently stationed at Shearwater, Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Mary James celebrated her birthday on Thursday of last week, and the ladies who were gathered there for a meeting, sang "Happy Birthday" for her. Mrs. R. Raeder made a lovely cake for the occasion, which was enjoyed by all.

**SHOWER**

On Saturday evening, Dec. 19th, a surprise shower and stag party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Laube of the Bruce district, in honor of Miss Leona Siegal of Viking and Herman Laube, whose wedding was held Saturday, January 9th, in the Lutheran Church, Bruce, with Rev Hartfield officiating. The evening was spent playing various games and dancing. Miss Sharon Nordstrom, on behalf of the ladies present, presented Miss Siegal with a basket of beautiful gifts and Stephen Stolarski presented Herman with a purse of money. The evening concluded with a delicious lunch served by the hostess.

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| 7 | -19 | -33 | 27.65 | .5" snow |
| 8 | -17 | -34 | 27.98 | 7" snow |
| 9 | -11 | -39 | 27.76 | 3" snow |
| 10 | 19 | -27 | 27.62 | 6" snow |
| 11 | -7 | -13 | 27.80 | 3" snow |
| 12 | 17 | -37 | 27.70 | 2.2" snow |
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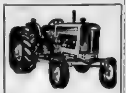

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Given in marriage by her father, the bride looked radiantly lovely in a floor-length gown of white peau de soie, featuring a fitted bodice, bell skirt and lily-point sleeves. The bride's train flowed from a rose and pearl trimmed headpiece, and she carried a bouquet of red roses.

Mrs. Helen Wiklun, sister-in-law of the groom, was matron of honor. Miss Sharon Larson, sister of the bride, and Miss Virginia Kawaliliak of Holden, friend of the bride, were bridesmaids. They were identically styled street-length gowns of vivid red velvet with matching veiled headpieces. Their bouquets were of white roses.

The groom was attended by his brother Alvin Wiklun of Edmonton. Ivan Sorenson and James Snortheim of Ryley, friends of tahe groom. Ushers were Hans Pilger, uncle of the bride and Bob Wiklun, cousin of the groom.

Larry Benson of Holden, soloist, friends of the groom. Ushers ist, sang "The Wedding Prayer" during the ceremony, and "O Promise Me" during the signing of the register. Mrs. Mildred Gorden accompanied him on the organ and also played the processional and recessional music.

A reception for 115 guests was held in the church basement at 4:30 p.m. where the mother of the bride received her guests wearing a beige satin brocade sheath with matching accessories and a corsage of pink rose buds. The groom's mother chose a gown of blue magic crepe and corsage of pink rose buds. Miss Colleen Cramton, cousin of the bride, was in charge of the guest book.

Master of ceremonies was Dave Cramton of Strome, uncle of the bride. Sam Olsen of Hawlf proposed the toast to the bride to which the groom ably responded.

For going away, Judy chose a charcoal wool dress with matching accessories and a red rose corsage.

The happy couple will reside in Sherwood Park where they are both employed.

MR. AND MRS. W. WIKLUN

– Photo by Jun Mah Studio.

## December births at Tofield Hospital

Following is the list of births at the Tofield Municipal Hospital for the month of December, 1964:

Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Lien of Ryley, a girl, on Dec. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. James Holmes of Tofield, a boy, on Dec. 9th.

Mr and Mrs. Lawrence Risdale, Tofield, a girl, on Dec. 10th

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Neufeld, Tofield, a boy, on Dec. 10th

Mr. and Mrs Walter Oslund, Ryley, a boy, on Dec. 16th.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rokos, Ryley, a boy, on Dec. 17th

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee, Deville, a girl, on Dec. 19th

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Wideman, Ryley, a girl, on Dec. 22nd

Mr. and Mrs Kenneth Zook, Dodds, a boy, on Dec. 29th.


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# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. [illegible] Eaton)

The Lakeshore UCW will meet at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton in Tofield on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 21st, weather and roads permitting. The meeting will start at 2 p.m. if possible, so please try to arrange to be early. A cordial invitation is extended to all visitors who care to come.

Weekend visitors at the home of Howard and Mae Ferguson were their two daughters and their husbands, namely, Donna and Frank Edwards and Loretta and Jack Weir and little daughter, Wanda, all of Edmonton.

Sunday Jan. 3rd, visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of John Jr. and Irene Warner were Irene's mother, Mrs. Mabel Bailey of Tofield and her sister and family, Alice and Ralph Causey and family of Ross Creek.

Judy Goubault spent Sunday with her cousin, Mary Tiedemann, later that evening Robert and Dede Goubault of Drayton Valley were visitors and coffee guests at the home of Robert's sister, Martha, and Emil Tiedemann, when they went to get Judy on their way home to the valley.

Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of John and Mary Wood were their daughter, Dede, and Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley, their son and daughter-in-law, Johnny and Gloria Wood, and Melvin Riley.

George Abernethy was a Sunday supper guests and evening visitor at the home of Joe and Elleanor Jones.

Lil and Maurice Van Buskirk were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

Art and Irene Trent and sons, Chum and Tommy, and Joan and Alan Warner and three children were Saturday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Joan's parents, Helen and Joe Murray.

Fred and Grace Jacobsen and boys of Edmonton were [illegible] afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Fred's brother, Carl, and Mavis Jacobsen.

We were sorry to hear Rev. McDannold is a patient in the Tofield hospital and all wish him a speedy recovery and hope he will soon be out and around again.

Mrs. Elleanor Jones visited Mrs. Ellen Eaton in Tofield on Thursday afternoon and had afternoon coffee together.

Janet Wickenberg and Mrs. Vivian Jones of Edmonton were weekend visitors at the home of their parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg.

Gail Niemetz of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of her parents, George and Ida Niemetz.

Mrs. Emma Ferguson went to Edmonton on Monday to spend a few days with her daughter, Audrey, and Harold Kindley and family, and with her daughter, Betty and Keith Paddock and family.

BIRTHDAY 'SURPRISE'

Mrs Ellen Eaton was pleasantly suprised on Saturday, Jan. 9th when a number of ladies called during the afternoon bringing cake and cookies, etc., to help Ellen celebrate her birthday. Among those visiting and afternoon coffee guests were Mrs Bertha Phillips, Mrs. Lena Hjelter, Mrs. Ethel Canfield, Mrs. Walter Wiklun, Mrs Ruth Wickenberg and her daughter, Mrs. Vivian Jones of Edmonton. Later, Ellen's son and daughter-in-law, Leroy and Shirley Eaton and children of Holden arrived with another birthday cake and were supper guests. Ellen wishes to thank everyone for making her birthday a very happy one, also for the gifts and those not present, Ida Niemetz and Evelyn Eaton for their gifts and Ellen's daughter, Rita for her gift. Later in the evening, Ellen had a phone call from her sister, Mrs. Grace Hallett of Tomahawk. Again many thanks to all and hope you will all call at any time and spend the afternoon or evening.

## Round Hill district news items

Last Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. E. Mizera were the Rudy Mizera family of Ryley, the T. Zarski family, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hohn and son of Camrose, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Delmarn and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gotheridge and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hanson motored to Red Deer on Christmas Day, to visit in Harold's parental home.

HERE FROM B.C.

Robert Quail of White Rock, B.C., has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Quail, and his brother Charlie and family, and other relatives and friends. He came to attend his parents' golden wedding anniversary in December and stayed on for a further visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt Campbell and family were Christmas Day visitors at the Lorne Gudmundson home. Later in the day they joined the Campbell families at their parental home with Mr. and Mrs. D. Campbell.

Last Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. W. Yoder were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roth, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Roth and family, the C. Lauber family, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Yoder and family of Camrose.

Cathy McLeoed of Camrose, visited at the Wagner home for a few days during the Yuletide holidays.

## Quick Canadian Quiz

1. Which Canadian Prime Minister had the longest continuous term in office?
2. The average wage in Canadian manufacturing was 98 cents an hour in 1949. What is the current figure?
3. Of Canada's 4,757,000 households, what proportion are equippde with cars?
4. Is Canada's population increasing at a rate of eight, four or two per cent annually?
5. What province contains one-third of Canada's total productive land?

ANSWERS: 5. Saskatchewan. 3. Three-quarters. 1. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, 1896-1911. 4. In recent years, at less than two per cent annually. 2. At June, 1964, $2.01.

## Disappearing Gypsy race invades Bavaria

Sudbury Star

A one-paragraph news despatch from Munich told how the state of Bavaria "has stopped a threatened invasion of its territory." The "invaders" were 1,000 gypsies who had planned to cross into West Germany by air and automobiles.

The news report is enlightening in one respect. It shows that the Nazis didn't get all of the gypsies into the gas ovens. A more interesting story could be told if it was known how many gypsies survive in the world. If there was ever a scattered race in the world it must surely be these wanderers who roam as single families or in small groups. An aging generation can be forgiven its nostalgia in mourning the passing of the gaily-decorated horse-drawn caravans and their mysterious inhabitants who silently appeared and disappeared like the seasons.

The North American continent has [illegible] hobo jungles but never gypsy encampments. The name of "gypsies" was given to these European people in the British statutes. In France they were known as "Bohemians" and in Germany they were called "Zigeuner". They called themselves "Rommany".


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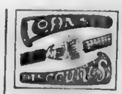

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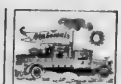

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# Mrs. Lavina Yoder passes in Tofield January 3rd

Mrs. Lavina (Kauffman) Yoder, daughter of Elias and Magdaline (Lehman) Kauffman, was born October 18th, 1888, and died at Tofield hospital January 3rd, 1965, aged 76 years, 2 months and 18 days. Death was caused by complications from the heart.

On July 27, 1911, she was married to Henry L. Yoder in Parnell, Iowa. To this union were born one daughter and two sons: Mrs. Velma Lehman of Tofield, Lloyd of Camrose, and Leslie of Tofield. Also surviving are 11 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Lena Berky of Kalona, Iowa; two brothers, Joe Kauffman of Tofield and Menno Kauffman of Newark, Ohio, who also mourn her passing.

and five sisters predeceased and five sisters preceded her in death.

One grandson, one son-in-law

In 1912 they moved from Parnell, Iowa, to Tofield, Alberta, where they took up farming. In 1963 they moved into Tofield to live with their daughter, Mrs. Velma Lehman, where the deceased lived till she went to the hospital, nine weeks before her passing. She accepted Christ as her Savior and joined the Mennonite Church in her youth. She was a faithful member up to the time of her death. Even though Mother suffered much, she bore it all patiently. Her family will remember her as being a devoted mother and grandmother, always concerned about the welfare of her children and grandchildren.

All is over, hands are folded
On a quiet and peaceful breast.
All is over, pains are ended,
Now dear Mother is at rest.

The funeral service was held at Salem Mennonite Church on Wednesday, Jan. 6th, at 2 p.m., with J. B. Stauffer and Milo Stutzman officiating. Order of service was as follows: hymn, "What a Friend We Have In Jesus"; hymn, "Fade, Fade Each Earthly Joy"; Scripture reading and prayer by J. B. Stauffer; hymn, "Midst the Darkness, Storm and Sorrow", by octette; obituary and message by Milo Stutzman; viewing songs: "Saved by Grace", "Heaven is My Home", "I Come to the Garden Alone".

Interment was made in the Salem Mennonite Church Cemetery. Pallbearers were John Wideman, Wayne Yoder, Loyal Kauffman, Eldon Boettger, Marvin Boettger and Donald Yoder. Hoveland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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To Church Library Fund — Leanard and Eleanor Wideman and Children; Joe, Edith and family.

To the Family — Lee and Mary Anne Roth; Martha Lauber and family; Eldon, Marge and family; Keith, Ada and Girls; Edgar and Norma Boettger and family; Donald, Ruth and Girls; Millie and Gladys; Elmer and Anna Maurer; John and Lydia Stauffer; Marvin and Edith; Celista and Norman Weber; Lydia Boettger, Orvin, Elsie and family; Jacob Riediger and family; Lavanda and boys; Petra Stauffer; Norman, Evelyn and family; Loyal, Lily, Inez and Joseph; Lydia and Edith W.; Ella Roth; Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Stauffer; Jake and Ida King; Ed and Mattie Sitler and Boys; George, Fern and Girls; Joe and Larry; Harley, Ferne and family.

To the Heart Fund— Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lehman and family.

To the Mennonite Hour- Mr. and Mrs. Menno Wideman; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Yoder and family

To Bethany Children's Home at Gwynne—Garry, Betty, Corina, Neil; Judy, Shannon, Gene; Marie, Laurel.

To United Church Building Fund, Camrose—Cecil and Virginia McArthur; Karon and Phil Miners.

To First Baptist Church, Camrose—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Olson

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# Around the Town

Mrs. R. A. Scott returned to her home in Winnipeg on Monday last, after a visit with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stinson, over the holiday season.

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Jack and Gloria Grover, Debby and Michel visited in Holden on Saturday with Gloria's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Danilak.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harley Page and family from Ontario have been transferred back to Edmonton and are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Page.

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On January 7th, Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davison and Marilyn, Mr. and Mrs Tony Chilkowich of Fort Saskatchewan, where Tony is now employed, and Evelyn Chilkowich and friends, Helda, Ellie and George, all of Edmonton, helped Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chilkowich to celebrate their Ukrainian Christmas.

The welcome change in weather has brought out quite a few shut-ins after the past cold spell.

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Mrs. Annie Chilkowich is still taking in the patching and mending and will pick it up if you wish to have work done.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dutnall and family were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Oslund.

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Floyd and Nettie Kendall and Kenny of Edmonton were New Year's dinner guests of Mrs. Edna Kendall. Floyd and his mother, Mrs. Kendall, also celebrated their birthdays on New Year's Day.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Herndon and Mrs. B. Baily motored to Stony Plain last Wednesday to help Joan Herndon celebrate her birthday.

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BIRTHDAY IN HOSPITAL

Last Wednesday evening, during visiting hours at the Tofield hospital, a surprise birthday party was held in honor of Peggy Nahrebeski who has been a patient there for the past month. A number of her friends gathered to wish her a happy birthday and expressed the hope that she would be home [illegible]

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Eddie and Jean Williams, Toby and Melissa Nomeland, were Friday evening guests of Stan and Liz Schacher, a very enjoyable evening was spent by playing cards.

# REA's to meet

The Alberta Union of Rural Electrification Associations of Division 3 will be holding their regional meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 20th, at 10:00 a.m. in the Three Links Hall at Camrose.

There will be no delegate restrictions at the regional meeting and each association is urged to bring as many members as possible from the local R.E.A.'s. Government and power company officials will be present to discuss and answer questions on rural power affairs.

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INSTANT PLAYMATES

These are only two of the many Tofield children taking advantage of the mild weather and like most of them find the snowman an ideal playmate. Also like most other children they stop all activity when the camera is in sight. These are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Murray of the local RCMP detachment. – Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Scarlet fever outbreak not serious says Dr. A. L. Leslie-Spinks, MHO

**Regarding the recent outbreak of scarlet fever in the Tofield-Ryley areas, the medical health officer for the Vegreville Health Unit, Dr. A. L. Leslie-Spinks commented this morning: "There is quite an unnecessary flap about all this. This is an outbreak — not an epidemic, mind you — but an outbreak of a mild form of scarlet fever, affecting mainly children of 12 years of age and younger, most of them from farms in the areas around Tofield and Ryley."**

SHOULD BOIL MILK

The common vehicle of the disease, said Dr. Leslie-Spinks, is milk or water. "It can be assumed that most of these farm children drink milk as it comes right from the cow, rather than pasteurized milk," the doctor continued. "We have therefore recommended that people boil their milk. We are not in a position to incriminate milk anywhere, but in order to do all that is possible, we have suggested that unpasteurized milk be boiled before it is consumed.

A total of 33 cases of scarlet fever in the Tofield-Ryley area have been reported to the health unit offic. "But these have come in over a period of three months approximately," said Dr. Leslie-Spinks, "so you can see the outbreak is not very serious However, we are doing everything possible to stop the outbreak."

VISITS AREA

The medical health officer was in Tofield and Ryley yesterday to meet with H. A. Page, superintendent of schools for the County of Beaver, as well as school principals. Asked if the question of closing schools because of the outbreak had ever arisen, Dr. Leslie-Spinks replied, "Heavens, no! Nothing like that. We merely discussed what action the school principals should be taking. After checking with the principals involved, I found they have been doing the right thing, and so I suggested they just carry on as they have been doing."

## New doctor for Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — We are pleased to welcome into our community, Dr. M. J. Bhadnani, who will commence practice in Dr. Calo's present office as of January 25th.

Dr Bhadnani will hold office hours from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. Monday, and 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. the balance of the week

Being a resident of Holden, he will also be available after hours as was Dr. Calo.

Dr. Bhadnani was born and raised in India where he received his early schooling.

His medical training was completed in England. After graduating he served as a general practitioner in England, Trinidad and later in Fort McMurray and Smoky Lake.

Dr. Bhadnani brings to his practice in Holden a most commendable medical background and a wealth of experience.

The Doctor and his wife are most charming people and with their twin sons, who are presently in grade 7 at school in Edmonton, will be a most welcome addition to the medical and social life of our community.

## Holden OORP meets on January 12th

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Jan. 16.– The Holden Lodge of the O.O.R.P. held their monthly meeting Tuesday, Jan. 12th, in the Community Hall. Owing to the cold and stormy evening the attendance was small.

Regular business was dealt with and reports received. Past Honored Royal Lady Sorenson was presented with a bar to her secretary's pin which was merited by her some years ago, after serving a fourth year in that capacity

At the conclusion of the meeting a delicious lunch was served by the hostesses for the evening, Ladies Mary Semotuik and Kay Chupka

## Two debates at 4-H meet

The debate on "Whether Fathers or Mothers are better leaders" at the Tofield 4-H club meeting recently ended in a draw.

The second debate was on whether "fast car drivers have less accidents than slow car drivers". The group that was debating for slow drivers won.

On January 30th calf judging will be held at Weatherill's — weather permitting

Interesting films were shown by Mr. Duggan.

## Around the Town

Ted Whyte, skipping a rink from Alberta College, was one of the four rinks from Edmonton to qualify for the Northern Alberta High School boys' curling playdowns to be held in Edmonton January 22nd and 23rd

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Monday visitors at the Hjelter home were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hansen and baby of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gothridge of Round Hill.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. Hjelter were Thursday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis.

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Monday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. O. Hjelter were Mr. and Mrs. John Bruce of Ohaton and Gordon Whilians.

Mary and Gerald Hosler and Evie Halwa, all of Edmonton, Deed and Robert Goubault and Judy of Drayton Valley were Tuesday visitors at the T. Gray home.

Sunday visitors at the Walter Wiklun home were Mr. and Mrs Melford Wiklun, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Paradee, all of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Phillips.

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Friday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter were Mrs. Jean Othen, Edith Wideman, Mrs. John Rudzcki, Lydia Wideman, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schmautz, and Gordon Whilians.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. Phillips spent the past week visiting in Edmonton.

# Baergen re-elected League president

(By Peter Nickel)

An unusual case turned up at the annual meeting of the Tofield Community League, held last Wednesday.

In the past, a nominating committee had selected officers for the new year, making it a point to have a new president each year. This time, however, the president's office was left blank, resulting in a "time out" for an election.

In sincerity, John Baergen was asked to remain in the president's office and, with a bit of persuasion, he finally consented.

OTHER OFFICERS

The nominating committee's choice for the other officers were: Cal Annis, vice-president; Arnold Swift, second vice-president, and Lionel Borton, third vice-president. The secretary's office was taken up by Jack Lampitt, while Hans Christensen was given the treasurer's office which he had filled since the resignation of Ralph Gorrie last fall.

Both the regular meeting and the annual meeting were brief. The only business other than the installation of officers and committee reports was a request to sponsor the cancer campaign, from Mrs. Con Patterson. The request was granted and voted into effect.

The meeting and pot luck supper were wound up in approximately two hours.

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

It is a mistake to look too far ahead. Only one link in the chain of destiny can be handled at a time.

—Winston Churchill.

—JWR.

## Icy streets a hazard!

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Jan. 16.—While we are enjoying the spell of mild weather, walking and driving is very hazardous.

Olaf Chotney had a nasty fall Friday of last week. After stepping out of the house and trying to avoid a pool of water, he slipped on some ice, hurting his face, breaking some teeth and cutting the inside of his lips quite badly.

FUN RIDE

A very unusual sight in this day and age but a very pretty one, indeed. The photographer caught this scene on Tofield's main street last Sunday while the riders were out for fun the old-fashioned way. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

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## Law of the jungle

Recent reports from Ottawa indicate that a group of crusading young Liberals are out to win their spurs by forcing down objections of W. E. Kilgour, chief spokesman for the insurance companies opposing the government's entry into the pension field with the present pension plan.

Disturbed when he came off best in a verbal duel recently, the group of ten or more have divided briefs into small sections, each one becoming an expert on one phase, and determined to best the opposition, get the pension plan approved, then effect the needed improvements as time goes on.

While this may be mighty good politics, there seems to be a wide gulf between this approach and statesmanship. We'll admit to being naive, but somewhere in the "get Kilgour" cry, we miss any interest in what might be best for Canada. Admittedly Kilgour has an axe to grind, but we completely agree that such far-reaching and continuing legislation doesn't have to be rushed through on the basis of a pack of wolves or jackals hounding a stag in turns until he trips and falls to his doom.

Kilgour isn't elected; members of parliament are. Is this kind of member representing the kind of people we think we are?

## Boom for farmers

Agriculture Minister Harry Hays has come up with a new program which, though inexpensive, will probably prove a real blessing to farmers across the country. Four special test farms will be established across the country, each operating under more or less typical conditions in its own area, and designed to point the way to increased farm efficiency and revenue.

With one each in the Maritimes, Quebec, Ontario and the prairies, the farm programs will be quite different from the experimental farms in that each will be farmed as a practical model designed to produce an adequate income for a farm family. All aspects of the program will be documented fully, so as to provide information concerning livestock weights, feed costs, labor expenditures, and whatever revenues are derived.

They'll never replace the experimental farm, but they may go a long way to supplement the first program on a practical, profit-making basis. If so, the farmers will bless Harry Hays.

## Carving his own monument

Few men in life ever leave a monument, and fewer still ever help to carve it during their lifetime. Yet Eric Harvie of Calgary has built one of the most enduring in this province, through the conception and development of the magnificent Glenbow Foundation in Calgary.

Since its formation almost ten years ago, the foundation has amassed an almost incredible wealth of historical material and data dealing with all parts of the history of Alberta, from the written record, to the pictorial histories and the antiques and relics of the immigrant settlers. Far-ranging in its vision, the foundation's first phase, now completed, has seen the establishment of the Glenbow Museum in Calgary's old Court House, the Glenbow Art Gallery in the Public Library Building, the Glenbow Historical Library and Archival Research Centre, and the Luxton Museum in Banff.

So much material has been amassed that expansion plans are constantly on the drawing boards, as more and more material is drawn in for preserving. The contribution being made by Glenbow cannot possibly be measured today: it will be left for future generations to assess its importance. Yet it's interesting that the preserving of this pioneer wealth of Alberta has been made possible very largely through the development of Alberta's wealth in the form of the oilfields at Leduc, which helped weave the legend surrounding Mr. Harvie.

However, while Mr. Harvie is turning the helm over to other hands, he still will do some of the navigating.

## Only a symbol

Lawyers were roundly criticized earlier this week by Chief Judge Nelles V. Buchanan, when he addressed a gathering of more than 70 lawyers. His criticism was for "playing it safe . . . playing it cool."

No lawyer has to worry over losing his job, he said, and in consequence they should be in the forefront in any struggle to improve the lot of his neighbors.

Well known for his outspoken nature and his acid comment, the chief judge was given a standing ovation for his fiery talk . . . which is to admit that many of his hearers agreed with him.

The real trouble is that the criticism they received is really deserved by all of us. Lawyer, merchant, or Indian chief, we don't want to get involved in controversy, we don't want to rock the boat, we want to maintain the image of the imperturable man in the grey flannel suit.

It's one of the biggest criticisms of our time that since we don't want to stand for something, we allow ourselves to fall for anything.

## The versatile soybean gains in popularity

Aside from the introduction of hybrid corn, one of the most striking developments in the field of crop production, in North America, has been the rapid rise of the soybean from a crop of very limited significance to one of considerable economic importance in both agriculture and industry.

Although the history of the soybean is lost in obscurity, it is probably one of the oldest crops to have been raised by man, having been grown in China for many centuries. Here the first record of the plant was contained in a materia medica describing the plants of China, written in 2838 B.C. by the Emperor of that time.

First introduced into the United States in 1804, soybeans were grown only in gardens as a curious plant from the Far East. Here, in 1920, only three million bushels were raised. Fifteen years later, in 1935, production had increased to 40 million bushels and fifteen years later again the production was 244 million bushels. Last year, soybean production in the United States reached a record of over 700 million bushels, of which 440 millions were crushed and another 181 millions were exported.

Because of the comparatively long frost-free season required, production in Canada as yet, has been limited to Ontario where the acreage has increased gradually, the latest soybean area totalling 231,000 acres from which a crop of 7 million bushels was raised. During the past five years, Canada has actually imported an average of 12.5 million bushels of soybeans, annually, as well as a significant quantity of soybean oil and meal.

In the Orient, soybean foods, to a very considerable extent, have provided a substitute for the protein that is furnished by meats in the diet of Western peoples. In the Western world, the uses are much more diverse. Here the soybean really came into prominence during World War II when it was not possible to import all the fats and oils that were required, from the Far East. At this time, too, an important use was found for soybeans in the plant and lacquer industry as well as in many other fields. [illegible] in the Western world, this increasingly important crop has found a wide range of [illegible], [illegible] of them far removed from the food [illegible] category. Nor is the [illegible] in sight.

## 'Most of Canada is owned by America', says George Hees

If you think of Canada as a company, you will realize what a disastrous state our company and our balance sheet is in.

Sixty-four per cent of our gross national product goes to Americans as their part in the ownership of Canadian companies. It would seem that more than 51 per cent of our Canadian company is owned by Americans. That almost makes us all American employees.

George Hees, president of the Montreal and Canadian stock exchanges and Howard Graham, president of the Toronto Stock Exchange, are selling Canada. That is their job. They sell it over the counter to whoever will buy. Canadian's won't and don't.

Mr. Hees has many times condemned Canadians for not investing in their own country for leaving their billions in bank savings accounts. And if Canadians will not buy their wares, who will?

Recently the Chase National Bank put out a news release which claimed that in their opinion investment in Canada was among the best of all possible investments.

What a tragedy that Canadians cannot be convinced of the same. Recently too, Howard Graham, of the Toronto Stock Exchange said that we would never be able to buy back our ownership in our own country.

He is right. It was an unfortunate fact that this is so. It is an unfortunate fact, too, that the United States will own the whole lot before the end of the century if nothing is done about it immediately.

Drastic and immediate steps must be taken if our grandchildren are to have any part of this country that is hardly ours now, and neither of the major political parties have announced their intention of taking such drastic steps.

The Liberals have a long history of "cooperation" with the United States which goes back before the days when Mackenzie King was employed by the Rockefellers, and they don't seems to be too concerned about the erosion that continues to move the 49th parallel further and further north.

Messrs. Hees and Graham will continue to sell choice bits of Canada over the counter to Uncle Sam. That's their job. Canadians won't even come into the store.

And when all the stock is gone, when we've nothing left to sell, we'll give the keys to uncle Sam, because then he'll have it all to himself.

— Independent Businessman.

Q. When someone to whom you have just been introduced says, "I'm so glad to have met you," isn't a smile of acknowledgement sufficient?

A. Just a wordless smile would seem to have a condescending air about it. I think it is better to accompany the smile with a pleasant "thank you".

## From the mail bag

Arlington, Calif.
Jan. 9th, 1965

Editor, The Mercury:

I do enjoy reading your paper and that way I get to know how all are doing. I see you have had [illegible] cold [illegible]. Well, we have it around 80 most of the time but a few nights we have had frost down to 29 but it does not stay long at that. It may start to get cold about 4 a.m. and by 6 it is all gone.

How about you all come to see us down here?

Best wishes to you all at Tofield and countryside.

Theo Gemakie



## Salem LCW has first meeting in new year

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Jan. 19th — The January meeting of the Salem LCW was held at the church on Thursday evening with 11 members and three visitors present.

Mrs. J. Holte, the new president, was in charge of the meeting and led in devotion. The Bible study was given by Mrs. Wm. Bjorgum. Mrs. Mary Bjorgum reported that eight boxes of baking were delivered to the Bethany Home and Hospital. It was decided to start two layettes and continue with the groups as before. Meditation and prayer was given by Mrs. P. Boness.

Mrs. J. Johnson and Mrs. P. Boness were hostesses and served a delicious lunch. Offering amounted to $7.70.

## News items from Holden district

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. Laura Christianson entertained at tea on Wednesday afternoon of last week, the occasion being her birthday. About 20 ladies attended to pay their respects to this grand lady, who still is active in her church and entertaining. We also add our congratulations with all those from her friends, and hope to see her around for many more years.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were visitors in Edmonton over the weekend, visiting their daughters and other relatives, also transacting business.

Ray Hovland was a supper guest with Lawrence and Diane Komarnisky Saturday evening of last week. Diane, who is employed at the N.A.D. Pool creamery, has been laid off until the beginning of March.

Joe Alexander and Geo. H. Taylor motored to Ryley on Tuesday afternoon of last week, when Mr. Taylor was a business caller in the County office on E.M.O. business.

**Hans Hussby and several friends from Edmonton left Monday, Jan. 4th, by car for a month's holiday in Las Vegas. The gentlemen usually spend a month in the "sunshine" this time of the year.**

Guests for the New Year holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kaluzny and family were Mrs. Kaluzny's mother, Mrs. Telka Skroka, and brothers Sam of Edmonton, Louie of Vancouver, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mothuski and family and Mr. and Mrs. Knudson, all of the Bruce district, Mrs. Mary Wandio, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gardecki and Leona.

**U.C. ANNUAL MEETING**

The annual meeting of the congregation of the United Church was held last Sunday morning, January 17th, after a short service. A report of the church finances and membership, etc., was given by the secretary, D. H. Allan. Reports of the year's work was also given by other church groups.

Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor was absent from her desk at the Village office for three days the end of last week, confined to bed and home with a bad attack of the stomach 'flu.

Ray Hovland was a supper guest with Mrs. Campbell on Friday evening of last week, before attending the annual shareholders' meeting of the Bruce R.E.A. The meeting was held at Veregin's stockyards.

**Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Pasnak are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby son, on New Year's Day at the Viking Hospital.**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hooper have had plumbing installed in their residence this past week.

Joe Alexander, the genial rural mail driver, made the mail trip alone Friday of last week, as Bert Taylor who usually drives around with him, was indisposed with the 'flu.

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## Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. If a hostess is talking with a group of persons at a large party in her home, and a new guest arrives, is it necessary that she excuse herself and leave to greet the new arrival?

A. Always. She should excuse herself, greet the new guest and see to his comfort, then return to her other guests and resume the conversation. All this can be done very smoothly, and the hostess needn't feel embarrassed about interrupting a conversation for this reason — her guests expect it of her.

J. Should a waffle with butter and syrup be cut with the knife, or must it be cut only with the fork?

A. Like pancakes, waffles are usually cut with knife and fork.

Q. Is the recipient of a birth announcement always expected to respond with a gift of some kind?

A. Definitely not — although it IS a nice response. It's up to how you feel about it.

Q. Who should alight first from a taxi, the man or the woman?

A. The man always goes first, then turns aside and assists the woman by offering her his HAND, not his arm. In assisting her INTO vehicles, he places his hand under her elbow for support, allowing her to go first.

Q. I've been told that a bride always wears gloves. True?

A. Formerly, yes. But today it's up to the individual. If gloves are worn, the seam on the wedding ring finger is ripped so that it may be slipped off during the ceremony.

Q. When giving an informal dinner, how should the hostess let her guests know the seating arrangement she wishes?

A. She stands at her place at the table, and tells each guest just where he or she should be seated.

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## Aud-ities

by Aud Jorgenson

**Plastic Bags!**—Has there been anything invented that the housewife appreciates and uses more? It is something that must be used a hundred times a day—for deep-freeze storage, for keeping breads and pastries fresh or when you are travelling, for protecting sweaters and blouses, and for carrying shoes and other types of footwear. Plastic bags . . . where would we be without them?

And now there's something new. It's a heavy and durable polythene tote bag. Made in an attractive tan bark color, they are 18"x20" and can be bought at most hardware stores. They are ideal for carrying bulky objects on a camping trip, taking swimming paraphernalia to the beach, and are just perfect for carrying junior's hockey gear. They should also prove very useful in the laundry until such time as Mom gets around to ironing; and when not in use they are so easy to store...

This is a product ideally suited for a number of varied purposes, and once these polythene drawstring bags are tried, chances are the homemaker will have a thousand-and-one other uses for them.

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Someone was really using her head when she suggested using muffin tins as molds for foods other than muffins.

Have you ever prepared baked apples for your family, and then just as you are ready to put them in the oven, found yourself wondering how you are going to keep them from falling apart after they've been cooked? The same thing goes for onions, potato puffs, rolled fish fillets . . . and muffin moulds are your answer.

Here's a real novel idea—prepare your meat loaves in miniature. By using muffin tins you rid yourself of the problem of meat slices that just won't stay together, and also, if you have small children who are picky eaters the miniature loaf will probably be just different enough to be both interesting and appealing.

And for something that should prove a little different in taste appeal, try [illegible]

**Meat and Mushroom Muffins**

- ½ pound (1 pint) mushrooms, sliced
- 1 medium carrot, shredded
- 1 large onion, finely chopped
- 1½ pounds lean hamburger
- 1 cup fine, dry bread crumbs
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon savory
- dash pepper
- ½ cup catsup
- 1 [illegible]

Mix all ingredients together and form into 12 large balls. Pat lightly into 3-inch muffin pans, leaving the tops rounded. Bake approximately 30 minutes in a 400° F. oven.

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In this modern century someone is always thinking up something to save us time and energy, but wait until you hear this . . . re-usable ice cubes!

That's right! They are called "Ice Balls" and are a thin ball of plastic inside which is contained water for the ice. Apparently all you have to do is stick them in the freezer until such time as you need them, and after you have used them, simply wash them in slightly soapy water and return them to your ice-box. The next time you need ice they're right there to be used again.

Should come in very handy for the family that just can't quite round up enough energy to fill the ice-cube tray with water all the time. Or, think of the advantage if you were in the middle of the Sahara where water is pretty scarce. And maybe it's just the thing for the person who has everything.

## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cretney and family of Edmonton, were visitors on Sunday with Mildred's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sewel Booth, and dinner guests with her sister Beulah and family, the Gunner Oslunds.

Garry Winsnes of Wetaskiwin was home for a short stay this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Winsnes.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Home again after a short stay in the Tofield Hospital, are Mrs. Mary Wisk, Mrs. Fred Lyons, Mrs. Danny Manderson, David Manderson, Mrs. O. Hagen [illegible] Mrs. Willie Pope.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion catered for the Farmers' Bonspiel banquet held in the Legion Hall on Wednesday evening, January 13th.

**LEADERS' CONFERENCE**

The annual leaders' conference was held in Vegreville on Friday, January 15th. Attending for the local clubs and accompanied by Stan Powers, the district agriculturist, were Bill Winsnes and Bob Westmancoat, Ryley Dairy Club; Peter Munkedal, Ryley Beef Club; and Johnny Moore and Andy Heiberg for the Tofield Beef Club.

Johnny Fish, Elmer Anderson and Stan Kozack enjoyed a very successful fishing trip to Buck Lake.

**LOTS OF CHICKS!**

Jerry Pepper now has his new chicken house finished and filled with 900 chicks. The day-old poults arrived at their destination during the frigid weather and are doing fine. Peter Munkedal also has his brooder house filled this week with 500 chicks.

**AT "ICE CAPADES"**

Edwin Klowttier had his school bus filled to capacity on Saturday afternoon when he drove members of the 4-H Clubs to the Edmonton Gardens, to attend the five o'clock performance of "Ice Capades". All report having had a wonderful time, and seeing a marvelous and colorful show.

## LCW elects '65 officers

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY. — The 1965 executive for the Lutheran Church Women's organization is as follows: president, Mrs. Margaret Rugge; vice-president, Mrs. Myrtle Magneson; secretary, Mrs. Ann Marie Pope; treasurer, Mrs. Sorenson; stewardship secretary, Mrs. Alma Adams; education secretary, Mrs. Eileen Magneson; sewing committee, Mrs. S. Oslund and Mrs. Agnes Hagen.

For the January meeting held in the dining room, Mrs. Eileen Magneson conducted the Bible study. Hostesses were Mrs. Alma Adams and Borghilde Sundlie. Visiting from Norway was Mrs. Orbeck's sister-in-law, Mrs. Ellen Lollie.

## The weather

| Jan. | Max | Min | Barom. | Precip. |
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| 13 | 38 | -9 | 27.69 | .2" rain. |
| 14 | 39 | 29 | 27.75 | .02" rain |
| 15 | 41 | 29 | 27.84 | — |
| 16 | 41 | 28 | 27.94 | — |
| 17 | 31 | 13 | 27.84 | — |
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# Kingman news briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Jan. 18th. The Kingman Sewing Club will meet at Mrs. John Johnson's home on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 27th, at 2 p.m. Everybody is welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Larson, Mrs. G. Rindahl, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rindahl and family and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tollefson and Beverly were Saturday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Russ Torris at Falun.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wick, Mrs. O. P. Haugen and Mrs. Juron Kjelleberg were Friday supper guests at the Pete Fjes- [illegible]

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walman, a son, January 17th, a brother for Trevor.

Mrs. Fred Davis Sr. of Stony Plain and Mrs. Fred Davis Jr. of Grande Prairie were Saturday visitors at the Conrad Simonson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Christenson have rented the Rimstad house in Kingman and are busy moving in.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Hole, Jeanette and Norma, Charlie Johnson, Mrs. Alma Feragen, Fritz Adamson and Gary Campbell were Sunday dinner guests at the John Johnson home.

The Boy Scouts and Cubs and their leaders enjoyed a tobogganning party and wiener roast on Sunday near Miquelon Lake. Transportation was provided by Herb Asp and the County bus.

M. D. Stutzman showed slides of Europe and Israel to Mr. Reistad's and Mr. Poile's rooms at the Kingman school on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Ness and girls were Friday overnight guests at the Ingvald Ness home, the girls staying until Sunday. The M. Ness's have moved to Edmonton from Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Liddell and boys and Mrs. Gunard Barlund, all of Edmonton, were Sunday dinner guests at the Wilfred Johnson home.

BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED

Miss Lois Simonson was an overnight guest with Alice Bjorgum on Friday, the occasion being Alice's birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simonson were Saturday evening birthday callers on Mrs. W. Bjorgum.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Lowe and family of Stony Plain were Sunday visitors at the Fred Coykendahl home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bjorgum and family and Myrtle and Elvin Bjorgum were Sunday dinner guests at the Alf Giles home in Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Ness and Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Ness were among the many guests at the Lester Severson home in Bardo Sunday, it being the birthday of Lester Severson and Carol Litwin.

Erik Wruck had approximately 15 callers on Saturday evening to help him celebrate his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marciszyn and Carol of Edmonton were weekend visitors at the Ray Ovelson home.

SKATING PARTY

The first skating party of the season was held on Friday evening with a very good crowd present. Music was provided and refreshments served.

There will be skating parties each Friday evening, weather permitting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Simonson and Dennis, Mrs. L. Hovelson and the Harvey and Norman Hovelson families were Sunday supper guests at the Albin Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Boness of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Erga and family of Ferintosh, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Erga of Hay Lakes, Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Magneson of Camrose, and Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Boness were Sunday dinner guests at the Lewis Erga home.

# Ross Creek district news briefs

Howard and Nell Malcolm were Sunday evening visitors at the Von Gaza home.

Marilyn Rienhardt is home again and well on the way to recovery after undergoing surgery for appendicitis.

Sunday visitors at the home of Wally and Nettie Yez were Wally's brother and wife. Saturday evening visitors were Tony and Polly Kassian and sons.

4-H CLUB MEETS

The peewee 4-H club met at the home of Ralph and Alice Cossey Saturday afternoon with the gathering numbering 40. The children planned a whist drive to be held in Tofield on February 5th. The visiting mothers provided and served a lovely lunch after the meeting.

Mrs. Lillian Van Buskirk took her children and Maxine and Delores Schacker to the Ice Capades in Edmonton Saturday evening.

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(Iris Bilan)

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Thursday evening visitors with Kenneth and Betty were Raymond and Frances McLachlan and family.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Dorothy Shultz is a patient in Tofield hospital.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Vivian Basaraba returned home Tuesday after spending several weeks as a patient in the Tofield hospital. Marie and Bruce were happy to have their mother home again. Mavis will stay a while longer with her grandparents in Tofield before returning home.

GREETINGS FROM FORMER CORRESPONDENT

A cheery hi! one and all. Best of health, happiness and peace for this new 1965.

Have almost enjoyed a year of daily duties at the Agnes Forbes Lodge trying to keep the ladies happy and healthy, also enjoy bowling as a recreation.

Thanks to Iris Bilan for taking over the Ross Creek news and keeping up each week. I did enjoy being correspondent the past eight years.

Sincere wishes to all,
Bessie Pederson,
Box 729, Fort. Saskatchewan

Grant and Jewell Becker were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Arthur and Mary Ferell.

Weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford were daughter, Edith, her husband Harold, and family Saturday evening, and daughter, Wilma and husband, Lester, and family on Sunday afternoon.

BONSPIEL

The "Farmarama" curling bonspiel got under way Monday, Jan. 18th, at Ross Creek. Two local rinks entered are: skip George McLachlan, with Joseph McLachlan, Raymond McLachlan and Nell Bailey; skip Graham Snider, with Howard Malcolm, Kenneth Pederson, and Marshall Elaniak.

Milton and Rita Hennig of Andrew were Sunday visitors at the home of Graham and Elma Snider.

On Saturday, Joseph and Isabel McLachlan took Isabel's father, Mr. Duncan, to Edmonton. He has been visiting with them since Wednesday.

Joseph and Iris Bilan, Joseph Hockertz and Kenneth Malkewich spent a most enjoyable evening Friday at the home of James and Rose Woytowich.

25th ANNIVERSARY

Saturday supper guests at the home of John and Gertie Ferell to mark their 25th wedding anniversary were Ernest and Beatrice Ferell and daughters, Shirly, and husband and family, and Ruth, and son, Kevin, George and Winnie McLachlan, Raymond and Frances McLachlan, Wilfred and Lydia Van Buskirk, Graham and Elma Snider and Basil and Clara Savage.

HANDSOME COUPLE

Along with the most welcome warm spell which hit Tofield last week came the urge to make snowmen, after waiting for five weeks even to get outside due to the extremely cold weather. Judging by the height of this happy couple though, it wasn't only the children who got the urge.

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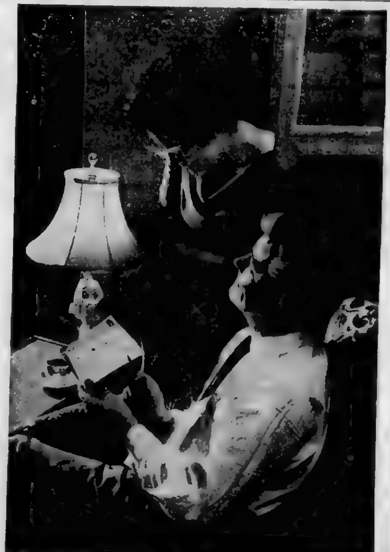

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The bestman was Edwin Davick, brother of the bride.

Ushers were Garry Stenerud nephew of the bride and James Davick cousin of the bride.

The wedding music was played by Mrs Pearl Kushnir. The soloist was Lloyd Wickstrom of Ryley who sang "I'll Walk Beside You".

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Davick chose a forest green crepe dress with white accessories.

A reception for 100 guests was held in the Legion Hall

The lovely three-tiered bridal cake was made by Mrs Clara Bodnar of Shonis and decorated by Mrs. Clifford Bratrud. Edwin Davick was master of ceremonies and Theodore Caney proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom ably responded. Mrs. Eric Larson was in charge of the guest book

The happy couple left on their honeymoon to Kitchener Ont., where the groom's parents reside.

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You speed to the address, and after ringing the doorbell several times and getting no response, you try the door and find it unlocked. In the living room you find Coleman sprawled on the floor next to a small table on which rests the telephone. There is a gun clutched in Coleman's right hand, a bullet hole in his right temple, and a quick check tells you he died almost instantly after the shot was fired. As you lean over him, you accidentally knock the phone receiver from its cradle and, upon replacing it you notice that it is considerably scratched up.

Now you hear the front door open, the sounds of approaching feet, then an attractive blonde woman and a distinguished looking man enter the living room. She stops short when she sees you, then she sees the body lying on the floor, and her hand darts up to her mouth as she stifles a scream: "David . . . my husband . . . is he . . . ?"

You slowly nod your head, and she sinks into a chair, sobbing convulsively You look questioningly at her companion, a tall, middle-aged man with a ruddy complexion and dark, greying hair.

"I'm Phillip Blaine, Dave's business partner", he says. "Of course, we've been having a little rough time lately in some of our business dealings, but I surely had no idea that Dave was taking it so seriously as to commit suicide this way".

"I just can't believe it!" cries the victim's wife. Dave mentioned a few times that the world would be better off without him . . . but I thought it was just so much foolish talk".

"Have you been away all afternoon?" you ask the pretty young woman.

"Oh yes", she replies. "In fact, no one so far as I know was here except Dave. I gave our maid and our house man the day off, and I left here shortly after lunch to do some shopping. Dave was staying home from the office today . . . said he wasn't feeling up to par. I met Phil . . . ah, Mr Blaine . . . on the street. He told me he was coming to see Dave on some business matter. So we came here together, and . . ."

"I think one or both of you knows more about this than has been told", you interrupt. "This doesn't have the appearance of suicide—but of murder!"

Why do you say this?

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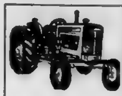
Both persons were a little too quick to point out the "suicide" angle to you, and you've already noted a big discrepancy. If it had been Dave Coleman who phoned you and who killed himself while talking with you on the phone, the receiver would still have been in his hand, or on the floor, when you arrived on the scene. After hearing the shot over the phone, you heard the groan, the crash, then silence. However, when you arrived, you found the telephone receiver resting on its cradle!

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## Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Jan. 18th — Sunday School next Sunday, Jan. 24th, at 1:30 p.m., and services at 2.30 p.m.

There will be a social at the Bardo Recreational Centre on Friday evening, Jan. 29th. Young and old are invited to come for an evening of fun which is being planned by the social committee.

Douglas and Clara George and family from Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests at the Olaf Stokkan home. Dale, Arlene and Kevin Rude from Inland spent the weekend with Arlene's parents.

The Leonard Stauffer family visited Leonard's mother, Mrs. Petra Stauffer on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cinnamon's dinner guests on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arthur and family from Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. John Sirois and Craig from Tofield.

Mrs. Elmer Sitler went to Edmonton on Sunday to stay at the Ed Look home and get acquainted with her new granddaughter, Karen Arlene.

**NORWEGIAN DINNER**

On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Kindley entertained at an old fashioned Norwegian dinner when guests were Mrs. Ragna Helberg, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haukedal, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cinnamon and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rude.

Sunday dinner guests at the Clarence Rude home were Axel and Nita Kindley, and Glen and Iris Francis and family. Afternoon visitors were the Lars Rude family and Linda and Johanne Lehman from Ryley.

**Grandma Feshaug and Ronnie Feshaug are patients in the Tofield hospital, and Phillip Feshaug, Bruce Anderson, Darlene, Shirley and Barry Rude are all in quarantine for scarlet fever.**

A large crowd was present to enjoy the fine program put on by the parish Luther League which had been postponed at Christmas due to the severe weather at that time. Lunch was served by the ladies during the social hour.

**BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED**

A joint birthday party was held at the Lester Severson home on Sunday afternoon when Gladys and Patricia entertained in honor of Lester's birthday which is on January 19th and Gregory's on January 18th. The guests included Ralph and Alice Dahl from Camrose, Ingvald and Gladys Ness from Kingman, Darrel and Niki Ness from Edmonton, Grandma Inga Ness, Albert and Agnes Haukedal, Glenn and Diane Reil and Brenton, Lief and Evelyn Feshaug, Ingolf, Esther and Donnie Brekkan; and David Severson was home from CLC for the afternoon.

## Former Tofield resident passes

A member of one of Edmonton's oldest families died Monday after a sudden illness.

Mrs. Katherine Ingram, 83, had been living the past 14 years at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John (Kathleen) Nickerson in Edmonton.

Mrs Ingram was born Katherine Ratigan at Dover, N.H., in 1882 and went to Edmonton with her family at the turn of the century.

She married James Ingram in 1907 and the couple homesteaded in the Tofield district where Mrs. Ingram lived until the death of her husband in 1948

Survivors include two sons, William of Kingman, and James who farms the original homestead at Tofield; three daughters, Mrs. Wendall (Mildred) Wiley and Mrs. Gertrude Ovelson, both of Terrace, B.C. and Mrs. John (Kathleen) Nickerson, Edmonton; three brothers, James and Frank, Edmonton, and Thomas, Los Angeles and one sister, Mrs. Ernest (Susan) Brick of Keg River, B.C.

Requiem mass for Mrs. Ingram was said in St. Francis Roman Catholic Church in Tofield with burial in the Tofield Cemetery.

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The bride was given in marriage by her father, and looked lovely in a white English satin brocade gown, slipper-length with lily-point sleeves and hooped skirt. Her headpiece was a sequin tiara with a full chapel veil. She carried a bouquet of red roses.

A friend of the bride Marilyn Kushnir of Ryley was bridesmaid, wearing a turquoise ballerina length gown with matching headpiece and carried a bouquet of double white and yellow daisies and lily of the valley.

The bestman was Edwin Davick, brother of the bride. Ushers were Garry Stensrud nephew of the bride, and James Davick, cousin of the bride.

The wedding music was played by Mrs. Pearl Kushnir. The soloist was Lloyd Wickstrom of Ryley who sang "I'll Walk Beside You".

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Davick chose a forest green crepe dress with white accessories.

A reception for 100 guests was held in the Legion Hall. The lovely three-tiered bridal cake was made by Mrs. Clara Bodnar of Shonts and decorated by Mrs. Clifford Bratrud. Edwin Davick was master of ceremonies and Theodore Caney proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom ably responded. Mrs. Eric Larson was in charge of the guest book.

The happy couple left on their honeymoon to Kitchener, Ont., where the groom's parents reside.

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BY A.C. GORDON

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You speed to the address, and after ringing the doorbell several times and getting no response, you try the door and find it unlocked. In the living room you find Coleman sprawled on the floor next to a small table on which rests the telephone. There is a gun clutched in Coleman's right hand, a bullet hole in his right temple, and a quick check tells you he died almost instantly after the shot was fired. As you lean over him, you accidentally knock the phone receiver from its cradle and, upon replacing it, you notice that it is considerably scratched up.

Now you hear the front door open, the sounds of approaching feet, then an attractive blonde woman and a distinguished looking man enter the living room. She stops short when she sees you, then she sees the body lying on the floor, and her hand darts up to her mouth as she stifles a scream: "David . . . my husband . . . is he . . . ?"

You slowly nod your head, and she sinks into a chair, sobbing convulsively. You look questioningly at her companion, a tall, middle-aged man with a ruddy complexion and dark, greying hair.

"I'm Phillip Blaine, Dave's business partner", he says. "Of course, we've been having a little rough time lately in some of our business dealings, but I surely had no idea that Dave was taking it so seriously as to commit suicide this way".

"I just can't believe it!" cries the victim's wife. Dave mentioned a few times that the world would be better off without him . . . but I thought it was just so much foolish talk".

"Have you been away all afternoon?" you ask the pretty young woman.

"Oh yes", she replies. "In fact, no one so far as I know was here except Dave. I gave our maid and our house man the day off, and I left here shortly after lunch to do some shopping. Dave was staying home from the office today . . . said he wasn't feeling up to par. I met Phil . . . ah, Mr Blaine . . . on the street. He told me he was coming to see Dave on some business matter. So we came here together, and . . ."

"I think one or both of you knows more about this than has been told", you interrupt. "This doesn't have the appearance of suicide—but of murder!"

Why do you say this?

**SOLUTION**

Both persons were a little too quick to point out the "suicide" angle to you, and you've already noted a big discrepancy. If it had been Dave Coleman who phoned you and who killed himself while talking with you on the phone, the receiver would still have been in his hand, or on the floor, when you arrived on the scene. After hearing the shot over the phone, you heard the groan, the crash, then silence. However, when you arrived, you found the telephone receiver resting on its cradle!

# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Jan. 19th — Sunday School next Sunday, Jan. 24th, at 1:30 p.m., and services at 2:30 p.m.

There will be a social at the Bardo Recreational Centre on Friday evening, Jan. 29th. Young and old are invited to come for an evening of fun which is being planned by the social committee.

Douglas and Clara George and family from Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests at the Olaf Stokkan home. Dale, Arlene and Kevin Rude from Inland spent the weekend with Arlene's parents.

The Leonard Stauffer family visited Leonard's mother, Mrs. Petra Stauffer on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cinnamon's dinner guests on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arthur and family from Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. John Sirois and Craig from Tofield.

Mrs. Elmer Sitler went to Edmonton on Sunday to stay at the Ed Look home and get acquainted with her new granddaughter, Karen Arlene.

**NORWEGIAN DINNER**

On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Kindley entertained at an old fashioned Norwegian dinner when guests were Mrs. Ragna Heiberg, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haukedal, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cinnamon and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rude.

Sunday dinner guests at the Clarence Rude home [illegible] Axel and Nita Kindley, and Glen and Iris Francis and family. Afternoon visitors were the Lars Rude family and Linda and [illegible] from Ryley.

Grandma Foshaug [illegible] nie Foshaug are patients in the Tofield hospital, and Phillip Foshaug, Bruce Anderson, Darlene, Shirley and Barry Rude are all in quarantine for scarlet fever.

A large crowd was present to enjoy the fine program put on by the parish Luther League which had been postponed at Christmas due to the severe weather at that time. Lunch was served by the [illegible] during the social hour.

**BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED**

A joint birthday party was held at the Lester Severson home on Sunday afternoon when Gladys and Patricia entertained in honor of Lester's birthday which is on January 19th and Gregory's on January 18th. The guests included Ralph and Alice Dahl from Camrose, Ingvald and Gladys Ness from Kingman, Darrel and Niki Ness from Edmonton, Grandma Inga Ness, Albert and Agnes Haukedal, Glenn and Diane Reil and Brenton, Lief and Evelyn Foshaug, Ingulf, Esther and Donnie Brekkan; and David Severson was home from CLC for the afternoon.

## Former Tofield resident passes

A member of one of Edmonton's oldest families died Monday after a sudden illness.

Mrs. Katherine Ingram, 83, had been living the past 14 years at the home of her daughter Mrs John (Kathleen) Nickerson in Edmonton.

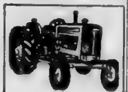
Mrs. Ingram was born Katherine Ratigan at Dover, N.H., in 1882 and went to Edmonton with her family at the turn of the century.

She married James Ingram in 1907 and the couple homesteaded in the Tofield district where Mrs. Ingram lived until the death of her husband in 1948.

Survivors include two sons, William of Kingman, and James who farms the original homestead at Tofield; three daughters, Mrs. Wendall (Mildred) Wiley and Mrs. Gertrude Ovelson, both of Terrace, B.C. and Mrs. John (Kathleen) Nickerson, Edmonton; three brothers, James and Frank, Edmonton, and Thomas, Los Angeles and one sister, Mrs. Ernest (Susan) Brick of Keg River, B.C.

Requiem mass for Mrs. Ingram was said in St. Francis Roman Catholic Church in Tofield with burial in the Tofield Cemetery.

Andrews-McLaughlin Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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# The Vagabond

(By Dorothy Barker)

## What a break for youth!

With each week that passes prospects for centennial celebrations are becoming more promising, yet if they were to achieve little more than move young Canada from one coast to the other over the next few years through the sponsorship of the Student Exchange Travel Programme, Canada's one hudredth birthday will have been honored in a most suitable manner.

A report on my desk informs me that hundreds of young people who took part in the pilot programme have written to express their enthusiasm for the opportunity to know Canada better, which their 1964 travel and inter-provincial visits afforded them.

When you try to analyse it, the project seems like a colossal undertaking. The objective, however, to establish a better understanding among Canadians, is to be commended.

Details of how this youth travel adventure was launched are interesting. Early last year, Milton L. Sinclair, CN passenger sales representative in the Ottawa ticket office, was asked to prepare individual itineraries for the students who would participate. At the same time, he prepared 3,000 sleeping car tickets for those who would require this accommodation. Together the CN and Claude Brouillard, project planning officer for the youth travel scheme, planned each move in detail. groups of 24 accompanied by

Fourteen section cars were assigned and the first travellers to be chosen were organized in two chaperones. The program will be expanded and it is expected that by the end of the centennial year some 30,000 teenagers will have benefited from the exchanges.

### 1964 PILOT PROGRAMME DUAL SCHEME

On the one part, the Centennial Commission, which is the federal agency responsible for promoting interest in the centennial celebrations and for planning and implementing programmes and projects befitting the occasion, awarded grants totalling $92,750 to some fifteen national organizations already engaged in youth exchange programmes, so that they might expand their activities in this field.

The second aspect of the programme involved a federal-provincial arrangement whereby 906 high school students travelled to provinces other than their own in 1964. Under this scheme, the federal government undertook to pay the travel costs from point of departure to point of arrival and return, plus a $20 contribution to the provinces for each towards reception costs. The provincial government, on the other hand, agreed to look after the selection of participants and chaperones, to find host families for the visiting students, and to arrange interesting programmes and side trips for their guests.

The Centennial Commission also arranged special one-day programmes for groups stopping in Ottawa while en route. Cabinet ministers and Members of Parliament were invited to meet their young constituents whenever possible. The Commission also prepared and distributed evaluation questionnaires to all participants and provided each of them with an attractive travel bag bearing the inscription "Centennial Travel / Voyageurs du centenaire".

To those young people who will be privileged to participate in this great travel adventure we echo the wishes of the Centennial Commission and the CN, "Bon Voyage".

## Winners named in decoration contest

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Jan. 16th.—In the annual contest held by the Chamber of Commerce for best decorated homes for the Christmas season, prizes were awarded as follows in Holden: 1st prize, Joe Chamulke; 2nd prize, John Semotiuk; the 3rd prize was a draw between Dennis Cooper and Don Coutu.

Owing to the very severe weather few farm homes participated, and 1st prize was awarded to Chester Wright.

# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Father Purcell was a visitor around Holden a week ago Friday, and was seen having coffee with Bill Ogrodnick and Gene Bilyk.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Alex Chupka, who was a patient in Tofield Hospital for several days, returned home a week ago, and is now feeling much improved.

Fred Shihinski, who was a patient in the Tofield Hospital, has been transferred to the hospital at Daysland, where his wife is a patient.

We were sorry to hear that George Albrecht had to be taken to hospital last week with a severe attack of 'flu and is receiving treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow spent a couple of days this past week on the farm visiting with their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas, of the Viking district, who were all recuperating from a bout with the 'flu.

HOLIDAY IN U.S.A.

Miss Nettie Feschuk is spending three weeks vacationing in Las Vegas with a friend, and visiting at other points in the U.S. Miss Feschuk, who was employed with the Health Unit for the past two years, has resigned from her position as Health Nurse with the Vegreville Unit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mason returned to Holden from Northern Manitoba, where George had been employed for several weeks in the mines. He says that living expenses were very high there.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children were afternoon visitors with Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor, on Tuesday of last week.

Zane Bilyk returned to the store last week after several days confined to bed and home with a bad attack of 'flu.

Alan Tiedemann was a visitor with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, and brothers last weekend.

Mrs. Campbell was indisposed for a day or two last week, with an attack of stomach 'flu.

Mr. aond Mrs. Percy Barlow, Mrs. Laura Christianson, Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell, Mrs. Mary James and Ray Hovland were supper guests with Mrs. Carrie Olson last Saturday evening.

**Mrs. Dennis Hoffman and young son Michael, of Vedder Crossing, B.C., are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sawchuk, while her husband, Dennis, is taking another course.**

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# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Lottie Moos is quite ill in the Tofield hospital, and hope that she will soon be well again.

Ernie and Eleanor Runzer were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guest at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

Leonard Loxton arrived Saturday from Swan Hills and spent Saturday overnight and Sunday with his wife, Patsy, at the home of her parents Charlie and Mickey Niemetz before returning to work Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hoover and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the home of Rod and Isabel Rudzcki.

**Abe Freese from Sudbury, Ontario, was a Monday morning visitor and coffee guest at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz. Charlie and Abe were boyhood friends and hadn't met for many years.**

Seventeen members of the ISCF group, with Miss Cummings in charge, had a tobogganing party on Saturday night north of Tofield in the McKenzie district. Later, all gathered at the home of Melvin nd Rose Walker for lunch. Carl and Mavis Jacobsen were visitors at the Walker home, with Mavis helping Rose serve lunch.

Leroy and Shirley Eaton and children of Holden were Wednesday dinner guests at the home of Leroy's mother, Ellen Eaton, in Tofield.

With warm weather arriving last Wednesday and staying for the week, after a month of below zero weather, it has been a welcome break in the winter and all are hoping the remainder of the winter is milder than December and early January.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and Emil's brother, Bill and Mary Tiedemann of Deville were Tuesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Neil and Grace Phillips.

Mrs. Martha Tiedemann and son, Bobby, were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Martha's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Goubault of Lindbrook. Also there on Sunday was their other daughter, Odele, and Cliff Gonseil and son, Kenneth, of Edmonton.

Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Yvonne's parents, Martha and Emil Tiedemann.

## Kingman HSA meets

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Jan 19th The regular meeting of the Kingman Home and School Association was held at the school on Friday, Jan. 15th, with Mr. Hendrickson in charge. A letter was read from the Girls' Club, thanking for the $15.00 received from the H & S. A letter from County Recreation board, Camrose, asking for assistance in planning activities for Farmers' Day, to be held at the fairgrounds, was tabled, to be decided on later.

Mr. Cumberland gave thanks on behalf of the Boy Scouts and Cubs for money raised for them from a turkey supper. Mr. Reistad's room won the award for best attendance, with 24% parental attendance.

Some interesting and educational films were shown.

Meeting adjourned for lunch, with hostesses Mrs. Wilfred Johnson, Mrs. Bob Mickleson, and Mrs. Hampton Anderson.

## WCTU has party for temperance writers

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Jan. 19th - The WCTU met at the home of Mrs. Alma Marie Nelson in Round Hill on Saturday afternoon when a party was given in honor of the children who wrote answers to temperance lessons and the mothers were also guests at the party.

A few choruses and rounds were sung in opening and Mrs. Borghild Rude read from Psalm 100 for devotion. Presentation of prizes was made. From the Baptist Sunday School in Tofield, Bill Taekema got first prize in his class; Lorna McMann in her class, and Dale McMann in his class.

From Round Hill Sunday School, Garry Nelson got first prize in his grade; Beverlee Burnstad first in grade 5 to 8; and Darlene Haugen won second prize in grade 5 to 8.

From Bardo Lutheran Sunday School, Harry Mosby got first and Walter Johnson second in the teenage group; Grace Helberg got first prize in her group and Carol Anne Francis, David Francis and Ivy Mosby tied for second.

Fay Anderson got first and Sandra Anderson second in that class.

Pencils were given to all the other children who didn't receive prizes. After the presentation, games were playd and the afternoon wound up with a delicious lunch and popcorn served by the members. The February meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Borghild Rude on February 10th.

## Mrs. M. Abernethy passes after lingering illness

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE — Sympathy of the district goes to George Abernethy on the death of his wife, Maggie Abernethy at Camrose on Friday, Jan. 15th, after a lingering illness. Sympathy also goes to her brother and sister and their families, namely, John and Mary Wood and family, and Esther and Joe Majakey and family, and all other members of the Wood families.

Maggie (Wood) Abernethy was an old-time resident of the Lakeshore district, having come to Alberta from Oklahoma with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wood, as a young girl in 1901. Maggie was a wonderful neighbor and friend, loved and respected by all who knew her and will be sadly missed by all.

Quite a number of relatives and friends from distant points attended the funeral of Mrs. Maggie Abernethy on Tuesday afternoon, January 19th. After the funeral the family and relatives and a few close friends gathered in the basement of the United Church and were served lunch and coffee by the Lakeshore UCW, of which Maggie had been a member for several years, having seldom missed a meeting until her illness.

Guests at the home of John and Mary Wood on Tuesday, Jan. 19th, were their daughter, Lorene, and Jim Francis and Mr. Francis Sr., all of Viking, as dinner guests before attending the funeral of Mrs. Abernethy. After the funeral, visitors and supper guests were their three other daughters, namely, Dede and Robert Goubault and daughter, Judy, of Drayton Valley, Mrs. Evie Halwa of Edmonton and Miss Kathleen Wood of Calgary, also their son, Johnny, and Gloria Wood and Mrs. Ethel Wood and son, Donald Wood.

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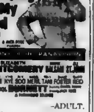

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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

There were no services at the United Church last Sunday but they will continue on Sunday, Jan. 24th. with Les Smith as student minister.

The Ministik Community Club is sponsoring a dance on Friday, Feb. 5th. with good music and a good time assured for all.

**PUBLIC MEETING**

A public meeting is being held at Ministik Hall to make plans for a donation of money for community services by the provincial government. A good attendance is expected.

**ICY ROADS!**

The icy highways and side roads bound many who commute daily to Edmonton, in the ditches. However, despite these conditions, Gary and Glenn Ferguson managed to reach their destinations. Most of the school buses were unable to travel, but things were back to normal the next morning.

**GOOD FISHING**

The mild weather we are experiencing has brought out ardent fishermen, among them Michael Naichuk, Andrew and Archie Ferguson and Bill Roddick, who join many from Hastings Lake district.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thor and Gregory were Sunday guests of the Alex Penrice family. While there, Gordon and Gregory enjoyed horse back riding.

The TB x-ray unit is expected to visit this area near the end of March. Watch for announcement of the date.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy was shopping in Edmonton Friday.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson spent Thursday in Edmonton with her sister, Mrs. J. Potts, who was celebrating her birthday.

Mrs. Violet Naichuk spent the weekend at her home on the farm.

The skating rink at the school was the meeting place for many youngsters on Sunday, who enjoyed the afternoon skating.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick and Margaret and Mrs. A. George were Sunday afternoon tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach. The Stanley Williams family of Edmonton were supper guests in the Leach home.

Andrew Ferguson visited his optometrist on Thursday, who fitted him with new glasses.

Mrs. Effie Naichuk was a visitor to Edmonton Friday and Saturday.

**Sympathy of the district is extended to Gordon Kildoyle, who lost his brother-in-law in an auto accident at Chilliwack, B.C.**

Friends will be glad to hear that Mrs. S. L. Edwards who was a patient in an Edmonton hospital, has now returned to her home.

**Margaret Roddick returned to her position at Wawanesa Insurance on Monday after seven weeks in hospital and living weeks at her home, following surgery on her ankle. Continued good health is wished her.**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill George and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce George were guests of their mother, Mrs. S. George on Sunday. They also visited with Mrs. Frank Shupe who is a patient in Tofield hospital.

Mrs. Pat Paterson was an afternoon guest Monday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson.

Mrs. Jim Holmes and Mrs. Russell Rowland were business visitors in Tofield on Monday.

# High school news items

(School Reporter)

On Monday, Jan. 18th, the basketball game drew one of the largest crowds in the history of the Tofield school. We wish to thank the public and invite everyone to continue this support as the basketball schedule draws to a close.

Monday night the Ryley girls won 36-31 over the Tofield girls and the Tofield boys won 43-35 over the Ryley boys.

This Friday at 7:30 the Holden teams will be in Tofield; everyone is welcome.

Ted Whyte, former student of THS, and the ship of last year's team, skipped his Alberta College team to a birth in the TPC zone playoffs. We wish Ted and his rink the best of luck in the provincial championship play.

Some degree of color blindness is suffered by about 10 per cent of Canada's male population and by about only one per cent of the female population.

# Spilstead news

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

Recent visitors at Mrs. Louise Winsler's home were Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Winsler and Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Winder and family and Glen Winsler.

Visitors at the Gus Schmidt home Sunday evening were Howard and Ed Knull.

**Mrs. Robert Sarrasinah spent a month in Edmonton recently, leaving after the family of Dr. and Mrs. John Larbalestier while he attended the World's Geographical Congress in India.**

Recent visitors at Ernest Belcourt's home were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brunner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitchell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Belcourt and daughter, Joanne and Eddie, Mr. and Mrs. Lirendell, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell, Lelia and Milton Ray, and Franklin Ray.

During the holidays, visitors at the T. W. Fairbrother home were Mrs. Joy Birtch, David, Donald and Darryl.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barnhard, Ted, Lloyd and Edward, called on Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fairbrother recently.

Recent visitors at the Ernest Fairbrother home were Mr. and Mrs. Helmuth Fester and family, Myrtle Stauffer, Dirk and Elaine deFreese, Virgil and Elsie Fairbrother and family, Harold and Lois Ray and Keith, Marie and Mathew Eagleshan, and Vivian Fairbrother.

Shirley Fairbrother has been a patient in the Tofield hospital. We hope she will soon be home again.

# Society re-elects Mrs. Belcourt pres.

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

SPILSTEAD — The annual meeting of the Spilstead Ladies' Society was held at the home of Mrs. Rae Fairbrother on January 6th, with eight members present. Mrs. Bertha Belcourt is president for another year; Birdie Brunner, vice-pres., and Mrs Rae Fairbrother, sec.-treas. Next meeting will be in February at Mrs. Bertha Belcourt's home.

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# Tofield youth is not involved in slaying, dynamite incident

## Taken into custody but released later

It was reported earlier this morning that an 18-year-old Tofield youth, found wandering in the area of Northwest Industries Ltd. in Edmonton, where a night security officer was killed and four F-84 jets were damaged by dynamite, had been taken into custody, along with another youth, by Edmonton City Police. The Mercury learned later, however, from Edmonton City Police, that the unidentified youth from Tofield was not involved in the incident.

**MAN CHARGED**

It was also learned that a 36-year-old German immigrant, Harry Hubsch, has been charged with capital murder. Hubsch came to Canada in 1957, and has been a farm laborer in the Edmonton district since that time.

The night security officer at the Northwest Industries plant, located near the Edmonton Airport, was found shot to death. He was also bound and gagged. The dead man was identified as Trenton J. Richardson, 49, of Edmonton.

Northwest Industries Ltd. has a one-year million dollar contract to overhaul 112 U.S. Air Force planes. Besides finding the four jets damaged by dynamite, police found dynamite strapped to other undamaged jets inside the plant.

After a 20-block chase in which about 20 policemen were involved, police arrested one man, believed to be Hubsch, after he had been seen leaving the plant. About the same time they took the now-released Tofield youth into custody.

Police also found an abandoned car, with about 80 pounds of dynamite in it, near the plant.

A DISASTER SERVICE

It took only six days to build this house using all voluntary labour. The project was taken on by the Tofield Mennonite Disaster Service after fire destroyed the farm home of the Joe Sadowski family. As many as 12 men during one day volunteered their services and each one was kept busy. Half of the material was donated by C. F. Kallal while the other half was paid for by various donations. — Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Tofield UCW annual meet January 20th

The annual meeting of the United Church Women was held in the church hall on Wednesday, Jan. 20th. Officers elected for the following year are: pres., Mrs. L. Hunter; vice-pres., Mrs. J. Lampert; sec., Mrs. C. Appleby; treas., Mrs. A. Francis; chairmen of committees are, Mrs. W. McDonald, Mrs. Minnie McConnell, Mrs. C. Blake, Mrs. C. Nolan, Mrs. H. Everitt, Mrs. F. Berryman, Mrs. J. Wall, Mrs. S. Sears, Mrs. H. Ferguson. Unit leaders are, afternoon group, Mrs. C. Blake; evening group, Mrs. R. Bayles; Lakeshore group, Mrs. J. Jones; Ketchamont group, Mrs. C. Sears.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

There is a special beauty in an old face—the reflection of years well spent, of courage and kindness.

—JWR

# Mennonites, Kallal Lumber aid fire victims

"We'll never forget this", exclaimed Joe Sadowski, first "We can't find any words to really express our feelings of thanks", chimed in his wife, Helena, during a recent interview.

Cause for the comments was a new house built for the Sadowski family of the Lindbrook district, after fire completely destroyed their previous farm home last November. No fire insurance was carried by Sadowski.

Realizing a need for help, the Tofield Mennonite Disaster Service came to the rescue and during a mild spell in early December constructed a modern new home for the fire victims, in a period of only six days. Co-ordinator Joe Kaufman stated that six or seven men were lined up for each day but as many as 12 turned up in one day, including friends and neighbors other than Mennonites, and all men were kept busy under the very capable directions of Abe Wiens who supervised the construction from the floor up.

All labor was voluntary and many of the volunteers travelled distances of up to 20 miles each day.

Material, supplied by Kallal Lumber of Tofield, was paid for by donations from various organizations, churches, fund-raising projects and one generous donation from C. F. Kallal who gave half of the total cost.

The family recently moved into their new home from a heated garage offered them by a neighbor till the new house was constructed.

"It's funny when I think of it", remarked Mr. Sadowski. "My wife had a baby boy during all the confusion and the poor fellow didn't even have a home". Then he declared that when the baby was old enough he would tell him many times of how these wonderful people helped them and built this house for them.

CURE-O-RAMA WINNERS

Winners of the Massey-Ferguson Curl-o-rama at Holden was the Ernie Dorin rink, left, of Holden, being congratulated by Joe Komarnisky of Beaver Motors Ltd., Holden, sponsors of the event. With Mr. Dorin are Harry Shybe, Norman Kastka and Ed Faryna. Runner-up, pictured right, is the Ole Haugen rink from Tofield, other members being A. McAllister, L. Ferguson and E. Ferguson. The district playoffs will be held in Holden on Feb. 5 and 6, with the Northern Alberta finals at St. Paul. The winner at St. Paul goes to Toronto.

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## New Liquor Store

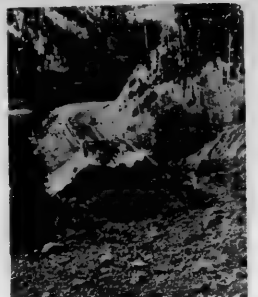
The application by the Town of Tofield, as recommended by the Tofield Chamber of Commerce, for a liquor vending store to be located in the town, apparently is meeting with opposition from certain individuals and groups. This, of course, should come as no surprise, but rather, it should be expected.

We wonder if those opposed to the establishment in Tofield of an outlet for liquor have weighed the situation carefully, or if this is the usual protest from those who condemn alcoholic beverages and would abolish their sale completely without regard for the consequences. They need only to look back to the era of prohibition to see the results of an unsuccessful attempt to ban the booze — boot-legging, hi-jacking, robberies with violence, speak-easies, gangland wars, establishment of crime syndicates, and last, but most distasteful of all, wholesale murders.

Bringing a vendor store to Tofield would, we suggest, be advantageous to those living in and around the town. We would not make a statement of this kind without valid reasons. They are this: Firstly, whether we like to admit it or not, liquor — like sex — is here to stay, and the tougher it is to get, the more it is desired, and the more drastic will be the method of getting it. In other words, people who feel they must have liquor will not think twice of driving miles to get it, and it is very likely that many of them will sample their purchases before they leave for home, or on the road home. The result? More drunken drivers on the highway. Wouldn't those opposed to the proposed vendor store feel better knowing that there would at least be a small decrease in the number of drinking drivers on the highways around their own community?

Secondly, we cannot see that having a liquor store in the town would result in more drinking among those under 21 years of age. How could a young person from around Tofield, for instance, possibly purchase liquor at the local store, where he is so well known, and most times his age is known? Having a local liquor store could conceivably make for more control on the sale of liquor to minors, but how could it possibly account for an increase in sales to minors is incomprehensible.

Thirdly, as was pointed out above, those who must have liquor will get it one way or another. Many times while in the town or city where liquor can be legally purchased, from a vending store, the purchaser spends considerable sums of money in other places of business for various commodities, most of which are available in Tofield. Why shouldn't the Tofield merchant benefit from these sales? It cannot be denied that the establishment of a vending store in Tofield would bring more business to the town. This, of course, should not be the main reason for bringing a liquor outlet to a community, nor is it. The main reasons, we feel, were covered earlier in this column.



A MOUNTAIN COLLAPSES. A 100-foot-high wall of rocks cuts off the southern route of the Trans-Canada Highway between Hope and Princeton, B. C., as rescue workers gather to hunt for bodies in the debris. The mountain was halved when millions of tons of rock and mud poured into the Nicolum Valley.

## From the mail bag

### Oppose liquor store

Editor, The Mercury:

As members of the Tofield United Church Women we wish to register our opposition to the Town Council's unanimous agreement in approving a liquor store for Tofield, which was requested by the Chamber of Commerce. This was reported in the December 24th issue of The Tofield Mercury.

We feel this will only encourage more drinking and delinquency among the youth of our town and country.

Yours truly,
(Signed):
Tofield United Church Women.

## Interested parties

On the face of it, a request from the Farmers' Union to the Alberta cabinet last week seems to have considerable merit. Suggesting that only the votes of producers concerned enough to cast a ballot on marketing board proposals should be considered, the FUA asks that the Marketing Act be amended to permit passage of a ballot which gains 66⅔ per cent of the ballots cast.

At present, anyone eligible to vote in such a plebiscite but who doesn't bother to, is counted as opposed. Many of those who don't cast ballots may actually be opposed, and simply take the easy way out.

But the FUA proposal has the courage to require itself to produce strong support favoring such an establishment, and should be considered seriously. After all, the disinterested voter isn't considered in most ballots, and this loading is considered to be safe enough even in such important ballots as fluoridation.

## By George!

I wonder how many times, for lack of something better, people have written the sentence, "Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of the party". I have heard of people using it to test typewriter or linotype keyboard, thinking they were using all the letters of the alphabet. A quick examination, however, shows a number of letters are missing.

But there is another sentence, probably every bit as common as the "aid to the party" blurb, that does contain all the letters. It is "The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog".

I can well imagine that a good number of people are tiring of the "quick fox" as a test sentence. Day after day, week after week, the same old thing. But now some smart fellow has come up with some new ones: "Graft kid vows quit cozy xylophone job", "Exiled zouave packs barque with jolly frogmen". "Squeaking rival jezebels exhume crypted wolf". "Wet squid's inky haze veils sex of jumping crab". "Doxy with charming buzz quaffs vodka juleps".

But did you know that of all of them, the old standby, the "quick brown fox" uses the least number of letters — 35. "Graft kid" is next with 36, and [illegible] managed to stick with me so far, you might be interested in one more observation. Counting spaces in between the words as characters all three are the same length with 42. So, if you want to make your test as brief as possible, dont use "Exiled zouave", "Squeaking rival" or "Wet squid".

Now, then, aren't you glad you read this column this week? Isn't it great to be "in the know"?

## Chateau Lacombe

Choice of Edmonton for a new hotel to be constructed by the Canadian Pacific Railway brings the interesting announcement that the name of Father Lacombe, the famed "Black-Robed Voyageur" is to be commemorated in this 36-storey luxury complex overlooking the North Saskatchewan.

Though maybe eighty years late, the name seems fitting for without Father Lacombe, there might have been no continental railway construction. It was his influence with Chief Crowfoot that resulted in stopping the Blackfoot from tearing up rails as fast as they were laid.

Co-incidentally, another link with the history of that era would seem to lie with the architect, whose name believe it or not, is John A. Macdonald.


**The Tofield 4-H Club** are holding a

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## Funeral held for oldtimer

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

MINISTIK, Jan. 25. Funeral services were held on Wednesday for the late Jos. Atkinson, who lived in this district from 1913 to 1925. He lived where [illegible], and homesteaded the farm where Carl Schwiechow and Bruno Jeske now live. Later he moved to Looma, where he worked with the CNR for many years.

Sympathy of the district is extended to his wife, who lived as a girl on the land where Lakeview summer resort now stands, and to all members of his family.

W. F. Davenport and Joe, Mr. Alex Bose and Alex, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick and Mrs. S. George attended the graveside services at South Cooking Lake cemetery.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)
(Intended for last week)

Dorothy and Roy Whillans and the boys motored to Edmonton where they enjoyed a turkey dinner with the Ken Ovelson family on Sunday.

**Mrs. Gerdie Ovelson and Mrs. Mildred Wyllie of Terrace, B.C., arrived here to attend their mother's funeral on Thursday morning.**

Lyle and Casey Coombes of Edmonton called on Ida and Chester Coombes on Thursday afternoon.

Mary and Jerry Wiens and family visited with Opal and Donnelly McGinitie and family Sunday evening.

Patsy Sears of Calgary is spending a few days with her parents, Pat and Jeanie Sears and family, before returning to continue her studies in the next semester.

## Community League reports progress in '64

After Father Scriven had said grace, about 50 people sat down to the annual potluck supper of the Tofield Community League on January 13th in the meeting room of the Community Centre. After supper, president John Baergen called the group to order and announced that the annual meeting of the league would be preceeded by the regular January meeting.

The December treasurer's report and the December theatre report were given by Hans Christensen and Jack Whyte, respectively. The reports included accounts of the December bingo and the Christmas Carol Festival, both of which were successful.

Since the WATCL has disbanded, Mrs. Hazel Patterson requested the TCL to sponsor the cancer drive which will be staffed by the ladies. The League was happy to accede to her request as for many years Mrs. Patterson has been the organizer of successful cancer drives in this area.

**ANNUAL MEETING**

President Baergen announced that the annual meeting would then take place. Hans Christensen who completed Ralph Gorrie's term as treasurer, gave the financial report for 1964. This showed the League to be in better financial condition than usual, due partly to the fact that the WATCL had turned over their funds when they disbanded. Donations had also been received from the Lions Club and the Tofield Branch of the Canadian Legion.

Jack Whyte gave the theatre report for 1964. He was happy to report that attendance at the

The library report was given by Mrs. Georgia Christensen on behalf of the library board. She reported that the tag day held in connection with Young Canada Book Week was more successful than in previous years. The UFWA had provided lunch for the library open house on November 20th. There are 1867 books in the Tofield Library and ten boxes of books were rented from the department of extension during 1964. There are six volunteer members of the library staff and the TCL supplies the meeting room for the use of the library.

President Baergen gave his official report of the League's 1964 activities. This included the operation of the 100 Club bingos, a successful July 1st celebration which netted over $900, help for the Scouts, supplying swimming lessons during the summer, the Carol Festival, and the 'Welcome to new residents' dinner.

He expressed his warm appreciation to all his committees and to those who had assisted him in any way. Also special thanks to Grace Phillips who did an outstanding job in reporting the activities of the League to the local paper.

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

Arnold Swift conducted the election of officers for 1965. This began with the re-election of John Baergen as president. Thus Mr. Baergen joins the ranks of those who have held the presidency for two years. Other officers elected were:

1st vice-pres., C. F. Annis; 2nd vice-pres., W. A. Swift; 3rd vice-pres., L. Borton; sec., J. C. Lampett; treas., Hans Christensen; board of directors, G. McFadzean, Ed Watson, Charles Sears, Elmer Goeglein, Dr. W. H. Freebury, E. Blacklock, P. Kuc, D. Shaw and H. Seiler.

Those present joined heartily in the vote of thanks to the out-going executive, proposed by Ed Watson.

## MINISTIK NEWS

Services were held at the United Church on Sunday, with Les Smith, student minister of Edmonton, conducting.

Don't forget the public meeting at Ministik Hall on Wednesday evening, Feb. 3rd. This meeting is an important one and will deal with current business.

A good time is assured all who attend the dance at the hall on Friday, Feb. 5th, sponsored by the Community Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch visited in Edmonton Wednesday evening with their son Raymond and family, before Ray left for Kamloops, B.C., where he takes up a position with Trans-Mountain Pipelines.

Mrs. Lloyd Grummett and Mrs. S. George attended the ladies' club meeting at the home of Mrs. Floge at Hastings Lake. Mrs. George stopped at the Claude Leach home, where she stayed overnight.

Mrs. Michael Nazichuk was a weekend visitor to her home here.


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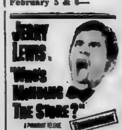


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# THE RYLEY TIMES



## John Moore sweeps Ryley farmers' 'spiel

John Moore's Tofield foursome swept all opposition aside to win the Dodds Coal Mine Trophies in the Grand Challenge Event of the Ryley Farmers' Bonspiel last week. The Moore rink, however, did not have an easy time earning their win as, by luck of the draw, they were pitted against the strongest rinks in all games and had to fight all the way to win the grand challenge shield and the barometers. In the final game John laid a four and five-ender on the Ed Lyons rink after a nip-and-tuck battle in the early stages, so Ed conceded the game to John without going the full stretch.

The Lyons rink were awarded the Kathan & Kondrowski trophies for placing second in this event. Nick O'Herton presented trophies to Harry Shyba of Holden, winners of third place in the grand challenge. Harry edged out Cecil Stenerud, who placed fourth and was awarded the Fred Londes Hardware trophies for his fine efforts.

In the second event, it was the "Bearded Hardo Boys", who never looked back after their first defeat, who won the event and the Corny Penner trophies. Several of this rink sporting beards made it the most colorful rink of the 'spiel and were the subject of much jest and conversation. Skipped by Larry Foshaug and backed by Richard Foshaug and Lars and Merlin Rude, they came up with some very fine curling to top the event. In the final game they edged out Murray Lyons rink and his foursome. The Lyons rink took home the Palm Dairy trophies. Vern Roth scored an upset over the Holowaychuk rink, skipped by Ted Strilchuk, to win the Jack Stumbo trophies, so Ted and his southern crew had to settle for fourth spot and the Ryley Curling Club trophies.

The Don Hultholm rink, ably skipped by Norman Koethe, with the able sweeping of Charles and Allan Zwierschke, came back after two initial losses to cop the third event. In the final they came up against the old pro, Bill Winsness, but youth beat out experience and Bill had to settle for second place, and was awarded trophies presented by Stan Powers.

Sig Helgeland, who was curling against bad luck all through the 'spiel, finally edged out a win over Harry Kuracn to place third, and his rink received two cases of oil through courtesy of Ed Albrecht, the Purity 99 oil dealer, while Harry Kurach's foursome each received a gallon of Tune for their efforts in the 'spiel.

Despite the threatening weather, 16 rinks were entered, an excellent entry considering the fact that all farmers were exceedingly busy maintaining feed supplies for their cattle. Had the weather broke a few days earlier many more rinks would undoubtedly have entered to vie for the $400 worth of prizes contributed by the Ryley business community.

With the Farmers' 'Spiel over, curlers are now looking forward to the two 'spiels which will take place next month. The first will be the Open Mixed 'Spiel to be held February 6th and 7th. This 'spiel will be restricted to 16 rinks and prizes will be paid in cash. Following the mixed 'spiel will be the Open 'Spiel, which will take place beginning February 15th. With interest presently shown in the two 'spiels, the executive feels that both will prove to be as successful as past bonspiels have been.


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CALVES sold from $20.00 to $80.00 each.
WEANER PIGS brought from $7.00 to $11.00, and Light Feeders sold up to $20.00 each.
PIGGY SOWS $67.50, and Gilts brought up to $50.00 each
BOARS sold from $25.00 to $45.00 each.

**SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, Jan. 30:**

A good listing of Misc. Items — Household Furniture and Tools.
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## Ryley 4H club is host at annual social night

(M. K. Westmancoat)

The Ryley 4-H Dairy Calf Club held their annual social evening on Saturday, Jan. 23rd, in the Legion Hall.

They invited the members of the other local 4-H clubs and, as usual, the Dairy Clubs from Viking and Vegreville, and from each of these came two carloads of members, accompanied from Vegreville by Ken Seiph and Dale Cole, and from Viking by Mr. and Mrs. Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Withers. Mrs. Gordon, a leader of the Ryley Food Club, came with her members. Altogether there were approximately sixty to enjoy the evening's entertainment.

Ernest Brown showed colored slides of Nova Scotia which he took on his vacation last summer and Mrs. Bertha Winsness showed slides of the Yukon Territory which were both interesting and much enjoyed.

The Ryely Dairy Club served a delicious lunch.

## Dodds - Ryley

(Mrs. O. Lehman)

Mrs. Walter Wiklun is a patient in the Tofield hospital.

Friday dinner guests at the Ole Hjelter home were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thompson and Doreen.

Edel Wiklun and Mrs. Alma Steffen of Ryley were guests at the Walter Wiklun home on Monday.

Bible study was held Tuesday afternoon at the George Thompson home.

The Baptist ladies held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Henderson on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Henderson led the meeting.

Visitors at the Ole Hjelter home at the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Orval Hjelter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lehman and family, Mrs. Evelyn Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Nearaasen and Walter Wiklun.

Mr. and Mrs. Melford Wiklun of Sherwood Park were visitors on Sunday evening at the Walter Wiklun home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Zook were coffee guests at the Ole Hjelter home on Saturday forenoon.

## Ryley news

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Mrs. Rose Nicholls moved into Edmonton this week to make her future home with her son James and family.

The Imperial Lumber Company store was broken into sometime Friday night, and much of the stolen merchandise was found under the office of the Alberta Pacific Elevator. The police are investigating.

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Mrs. Tillie Branes observed her 76th birthday on Sunday, Jan. 24th, and in the afternoon many of her relatives, friends and neighbors gathered at her home to help her celebrate the occasion. Her daughter Bernice, Mrs. Odin Ecklund, and boys, of Edmonton, were down for the day and presented her with a lovely pole lamp.

Some twenty-five ladies were present on the afternoon of Tuesday, Jan. 19th, to wish an old-timer of Ryley, Mrs. Caroline Davick, a happy birthday. The afternoon was spent in visiting and recalling incidents of past years. At the coffee hour, lunch was served by Mrs. Davick's granddaughters, Marion (Mrs. George Campbell) and Mildred (Mrs. Walter Stenerud), and her daughter-in-law, Lorraine (Mrs. Lenard Davick). After lunch the group sang "Happy Birthday To You", and made an appointment to meet for the same occasion again next year.

Terry Neraasen, of Edmonton, was down for a short visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Neraasen, this week.


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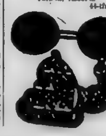

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**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
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11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School

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Sunday, Jan. 31st
10:00 a.m. Teen Church.
11:00 a.m. Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. Public Worship.
Topic "Ships That Never Sail".

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, Jan. 31st
10:30 a.m. Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m. Evening Service.

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First, Third and Fifth Sundays of the month ........ 9:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday ........ 12:30 p.m.

## Farmers' bonspiel set for February 8 to 12th

All that the farmers of the Tofield area have been waiting for will take place on February 8th to 12th, as the farmers' open bonspiel will be held on these dates. A large entry is anticipated, so get your entries in early, to either Bob Wyllie or Andy Heiberg.

There will be four events with four draws daily, with the first draw getting under way at 9:00 o'clock in the morning.

As an added incentive this year, the Bank of Montreal is awarding a large trophy and four miniature trophies to the rink winning the Grand Challenge. This trophy is to be awarded annually to the G.C. winner of the farmers' open bonspiel. Dr. Freebury and the F.U.A. have donated trophies in the other events. These trophies, together with the other good array of prizes should make for an interesting 'spiel to take part in. Ice-maker Bob Haycock has promised to have the ice in first class shape, so there should be first class curling.

Entries close Friday, February 5th, and the entry fee has been set at $12.00 per rink.

## Dodds - Ryley

The Emergency Measures Organization held a Municipal conference at the Jubilee Auditorium in Edmonton this week. Attending from Ryley were Tommy Harris, Fred Nordwaski and Bob Westmancoat.

Mrs. Minnie Hutchinson, of Easyford, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Tillie Branes, and other relatives around the district.

## High School news briefs

(Elaine Walker)

Last Friday night, the Holden and Tofield basketball teams met in Tofield. The Tofield teams won both games. This Friday, Tofield will play in Ryley. The last game will be held on February 5th, when Viking will be in Tofield.

The basketball tournament will be held on February 12th and 13th. Next week will decide who will be playing and where.

CURLING

Ted Whyte of Alberta College lost to Doug Dobry of Viking in the Northern Alberta final on Saturday, Jan. 23rd. Doug will be representing Northern Alberta in the provincial finals at the Jasper Place Curling Club this Saturday. The Tofield students wish Doug every success.

Entries for the open mixed bonspiel on March 6th are now complete. The names of the rinks will be given at a later date.

## Holden UFA to discuss hog marketing board

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Jan. 23 – The local F.U.A. wish to advise all who may be interested that they are holding a meeting on February 10th in the Beaver Livestock Yards office, the former Veregin's Stockyards, at which meeting Alex Gordey, MLA, will attend.

The discussion will be regarding the present procedure for forming a Hog Marketing Board. Members wish to discuss this in all phases with Mr. Gordey before the opening of Legislature, the middle of February. The meeting will commence at 8:30 p.m. so be sure to keep this date in mind and plan to attend so all views of the problem can be thoroughly discussed.

## Ketchamoot news briefs

On Sunday, Agnes and Henry McGinitie were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson in Tofield.

MRS. INGRAM PASSES

Mrs. Kathrine Ingram, an oldtimer of this district, passed away in an Edmonton hospital last week at the age of 83. The funeral services were held on Thursday morning at the Catholic Church in Tofield.

Mrs. Isabel Sutton and son, Brian, went to Edmonton on Saturday and Harold Sutton motored up to bring them back on Sunday afternoon.

Saturday evening callers at the Ivan Mitchell home were Harold Sutton, Charlie and Jean Ray and children, Milton Ray and Lelia Sutton.

Last Wednesday evening, Opal and Donnelly McGinitie held a birthday dinner party for Janet Lawson and Alice Munkedahl, as their birthdays are the same day. Martin Lawson and Eric Munkedahl and family of Ryley were present.

Emma Ferguson and Agnes McGinitie were callers at the Henderson home at Amisk Creek last Friday afternoon.

Martin Lawson entered the Tofield hospital for a few days for a check-up.

Gladys and Ester, daughters of Ida and Chester Coombes, and their family, were Sunday callers.

Agnes and Henry McGinitie were dinner guests on Saturday on the occasion of the birthday of their granddaughter, Elaine Munkedahl near Ryley.

Lois and Harold Ray and son were Sunday afternoon visitors with Delice and Jimmy Holmes at Ministik.

Miss Donna Ingram of Edmonton made a brief call on her parents, Bill and Mae Ingram and Wesley last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas of Edmonton were Wednesday callers at the Roy Williams home.


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# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Ronnie and Herb Gaughan and daughter, Sydney, were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mavis and Carl Jacobsen.

Sunday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Ellen Eaton in Tofield were Kenny Ross, Rachel Mahavich and Kenny's uncle, Mervin Ross.

UCW MEETS

The Lakeshore UCW met at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton on Thursday, Jan. 21st, with 13 members and two visitors and two children present. After the meeting, lunch was served by the hostesses, Ethel Wood and Ellen Eaton, assisted by Bertha Phillips. Ruth Wickenberg also helped provide the lunch. The next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Mae Ferguson in February.

Ruth Wickenberg was a Thursday evening visitor and supper guest at the home of Ellen Eaton.

OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Evie and Vic Halwa and children of Edmonton and Johnny and Gloria were Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Evie and Johnny's parents, John and Mary Wood. Later in the evening, visitors and luncheon guests also included Mrs. Martha Tiedemann and daughter, Mary, another daughter Yvonne and Peter Brown of Lindbrook, Daryl and Donald Bertch of Edmonton, Ethel Wood and son, Donald. All were helping Mary celebrate her birthday.

**We are very glad to be able to report that Mrs. Lottie (Grandma) Moos was able to leave the hospital on Saturday and is staying with her daughter, Marguerete Myers in Tofield. She is much improved and we all wish her a speedy recovery.**

Harold Ferguson, student at the University of Alberta in Edmonton, spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Lionel and Emma Ferguson.

Marilyn and Don Langille and son, Greg, of Calgary were visitors at the home of Marilyn's parents, Ollie and Verlyn Moos, from Thursday to Saturday. While here they visited Marilyn's Grandma Moos in the Tofield hospital on Friday afternoon, and were Friday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of her cousin, Vivian, and Doug Murray in Tofield.

Sunday visitors, dinner and afternoon coffee guests at the home of Martha and Emil Tiedemann were Martha's father and brothers, Emil Goubault and sons, Victor and Armand of Lindbrook, also their daughter, Yvonne, and Peter Brown of Lindbrook and Donald Bertch of Edmonton.

Afternoon visitors and coffee guests were Martha's sister Adele and Cliff Gossell of Edmonton and Gloria Scott of Lindbrook. Adele and Cliff had also visited Adele's mother in the Tofield hospital.

**We were sorry to hear that Mrs. Emil Goubault fell on Thursday and was quite badly bruised and shaken up. She was taken to the Tofield hospital in the ambulance where she is still a patient. We all wish her a speedy recovery.**

**Doug and Vivian Murray and children of Tofield were Saturday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Marjorie and Morley Jacobsen.**

Gary Niemetz arrived home Saturday from work in the north, to spend a week's holiday with his parents, George and Ida Niemetz. Gail Niemetz of Edmonton also spent the weekend at home, and Bob Ozubko was a Sunday afternoon visitor and supper guest there also.

Donna and Frank Edwards, Loretta and Jack Weir and little daughter, Wanda, all of Edmonton, were weekend visitors at the home of Donna and Loretta's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Mary and Herb McAdoo were Monday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Howard and Mae Ferguson last week.

Mrs. Helen Murray was an afternoon visitor with her daughter, Mrs. Joan Warner, on Tuesday.

Robert Goubault and Donnie Oberg of Drayton Valley were Tuesday dinner guests at the home of John and Mary Wood.

In the afternoon, Robert visited his mother, Mrs. Emil Goubault who is a patient in the Tofield hospital, before returning home.

## Brother passes in Washington, USA

Andrew Hillerud passed away December 25th, 1964, at Bellingham, Wash., at the age of 82. A retired logger and farmer, he had lived in the Bellingham area for 58 years. The visits he made to Alberta were among his dearest recollections. He is survived by his brother, Hans B. Hillerud of Ryley, and numerous nieces and nephews in Canada and the United States. Funeral services were held on Tuesday, Dec. 29th, with interment in the Bethany Lutheran Cemetery at Lawrence, Wash.

## Lions Charter Night set for February 27th

Regular supper meeting of Tofield Lions Club was held on Tuesday of this week in the Community League meeting room. This is re-dedication month in memory of the late Melvin Jones who founded Lions International in the year 1917.

Five original charter members sat as a group at the meeting. The usual number of items were attended to, the most time-consuming being arrangements for the Tofield Club Charter Night to be held on February 27th.

Lion Duguid reported that the skating rink is operating satisfactorily, and a delegation was appointed to interview the Tofield Town Council at next regular meeting to iron out two or three matters. Lion Kallal reported on another bingo.

Some start was made for attending the International Convention in 1965.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

The Ketchamoot UCW met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Roy Lee when plans were made to hold a bake sale on Saturday, Feb. 20th, at the Crown Lumber store.

Sunday dinner guests at the Martin Lawson home were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Baker and girls of Sherwood Park.

Ruby and Charlie Sears held a dinner party at their home on Saturday, the occasion of Mrs. McGinnis' and their daughter, Gail's birthday. Included with the guests were Mrs. McLennan, Ruby's mother, Mrs. McGinnis and Lawrence, all of Edmonton.

**District residents who are ill this week are Ethel and Rocky Carlisle and Ida Coombes.**

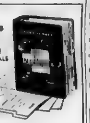
Ethel McCall and Gladys Gaberts of Edmonton called on their parents, Chester and Ida Coombes on Tuesday.

Roy Williams spent a few days last week in the Tofield Municipal Hospital.

Delbert Lee arrived home on Tuesday evening to spend a few days with his parents, Mildred and Roy Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sears and Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly McGinitie were Sunday visitors at the Otto home to help celebrate Mrs. Otto's birthday.

Sunday supper guests with the Roy Lees were Gerry Perro and Delbert Lee of Edmonton.

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# News items from Holden district

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus, with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, drove to Vermilion on Sunday afternoon of last week and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Dowhaniuk and family, former Holden residents.

POOR FISHING

Hilmer Olsen, Nils Hvidd, John Laskosky and Mr. Cedor motored to Little Moose Lake, near Two Hills, Wednesday of last week to try a little ice-fishing. John said they had poor luck, the fish were not biting, and they only caught one fish.

Mr. and Mrs. William McKeith and boys, of Legal, were Sunday visitors last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Algot S. Hultholm.

Oleh Shykora, Harry Christian and John Baraniuk were in Edmonton last Friday evening to attend a Social Credit meeting and hear the Federal Social Credit leader, Robert Thompson, speak.

AT REA CONVENTION

Fred Laskosky, and Leo Maruzecka of the Bruce district, directors of the Bruce Electrification, as delegates, and Ray Hovland, secretary, attended the convention of Rural Electrical Associations, held in Camrose on Wednesday of last week.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Alex Pooke was a hospital patient for several days this past week.

George Albrecht, who was a patient in Vegreville Hospital for several days, receiving treatments for a severe attack of the 'flu, returned home the early part of last week. Mrs. Albrecht also spent several days in the hospital recovering from a bad cold.

Mrs. Bud Sizer returned home Saturday, Jan. 16, from Camrose, after spending a week there with their daughter Carol, who is a patient in the Camrose Hospital, where she recently underwent surgery for a ruptured appendix. We are pleased to hear that Carol is now coming along very nicely.

We were sorry to hear Art Ham of Strome, former Bruce resident and member of Bruce REA, is in hospital with an attack of bronchial pneumonia. We hope his stay will not be too long.

Mrs. Laura Christianson was visiting in Edmonton several days this past week, having her eyes tested, and visiting with relatives and friends.

Paul Podlecki, who is employed at the B. & B. Hotel, is taking a month's holiday.

Alex Barlow, of Poe, was a visitor around Holden on Wednesday of last week.

Geo. H. Taylor was an Edmonton business visitor a week ago Wednesday.

David Hladilo, of Edmonton, was visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hladilo, the weekend of January 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Voigt were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Albrecht on Sunday afternoon of last week.

Joe Alexander was an Edmonton visitor a week ago Monday.

PAINT PARTY

Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 20, a Tri-Chem "paint party" was held at the home of Mrs. Laura Hultholm. Mrs. Inga Jacobson of Sedgewick was the demonstrator. Twenty-one ladies from Holden and district attended the demonstration, which is painting with tube paints on cloth. After the showing, the hostess, Mrs. Hultholm, served a delicious lunch assisted by her daughters, Mrs. Gretta Phillips and Mrs. Alice Hultholm, of Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hultholm and children, of Camrose, were visitors with Allan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Algot Hultholm, Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka spent the past weekend in Edmonton visiting their daughters and other relatives, and attending to business. We were sorry to hear that their daughter Betty had been very ill for a week with the 'flu, and hope she is now feeling better.

Visiting with Mrs. Carrie Olson for the weekend recently were her daughter, Mrs. Alice Jones of Edmonton, and her sister, Mrs. Oberg, also of Edmonton.

Mrs. Beth Campbell, Mrs. Carrie Olson and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus spent last Wednesday afternoon visiting with Mrs. Lars Ritland. Mrs. Ritland also had relatives from Viking visiting that afternoon.

Mrs. Laura Christianson returned home Friday evening, after spending a few days in Edmonton.

FATHER PASSES

Mrs. Pete Lukian received word last week that her father had passed away, the funeral being held Tuesday, Jan. 26 in Edmonton.

Hugh Clendenning motored to Edmonton with Oleh Shykora on Friday evening, and spent the weekend there visiting his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols were at Daysland last Friday evening, where they attended the Old Time Dance. They report a good time and a large crowd.

Lefty Clark and Barry, of the Ryley district, were visiting around Holden last Saturday afternoon.

**George T. Taylor, Co-ordinator for the County of Beaver No. 9 Unit, attended a two-day course of the Alberta Emergency Organization, Municipal Conference, which was held in the Jubilee Auditorium, Edmonton, Thursday and Friday, Jan. 21 and 22.**

Mrs. Diane Komarnisky returned home Friday, after spending several days last week visiting with her sister at Wetaskiwin.

25TH ANNIVERSARY

Miss Norma Zwierschke, student at the University of Alberta, was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zwierschke, and brother, Allan. Mr. and Mrs. Zwierschke were celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary.

REA ORGANIZES

The directors of the Bruce Rural Electrification Association held their organization meeting Friday evening, Jan. 22, at the home of Nick Laskoski, with all directors present. A report on the conference held in Camrose on Wednesday, Jan. 20th, was given. Officers installed for the year were John Skolny, re-elected president; Nick Laskoski, vice-president; Ray Hovland, secretary.

## Former district man passes at White Rock

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE — Sympathy of the district goes to Emil Goubault of Lindbrook and all members of the Goubault family on the recent death of his brother, Leon Goubault of White Rock, B.C., on January 21st. Leon was well known here several years ago as he was a former resident of the Westlake district, north of Lindbrook, and later a resident of the Lakeshore district where he was employed for several years before leaving for B.C.

## Around town . . .

Mr. and Mrs. George Undin were visitors with the Pete Ericksons Sunday afternoon.

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Merna and Bill Francis from Hay Lakes were weekend visitors in town.

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Rev. McDannold, Mr. Jefferson, and Dick Mutlow are all home from hospital. Their friends hope to see them out and around soon.

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Lorane Allen, Barbara Arnett and her friend, Beverly Ruff, from Vulcan, all attending the U. of A., were home for the weekend.

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Congratulations go to Laurence and Darlene Williams on the birth of a daughter January 21st.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McLennan and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. M. Christensen and Eddie, Mrs. Parsons and Mr. C. Christensen, all from Holden, were Sunday dinner guests with Winnie and Hans Christensen.

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Mildred and Ed Watson spent the weekend in Calgary.


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## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. S. Gladue)

The Social Credit group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunham January 13th.

The whist drive of January 20th was well attended. Winners were: ladies' high, Mrs. L. Grummett and low, Mrs. C. Sukretchow; gents' high, Mr Campion, low, Collin Peterson. The next whist drive will be Saturday, Jan 30th.

LADIES' CLUB

The ladies' club met at the home of Mrs. [illegible] for their annual meeting. Mrs A. Rowland, as president, and Mrs. Simpson as sec.-treas., were re-elected for another year. Mrs. A. Scott filled the post as vice president.

They are planning a grocery bingo for Saturday, Feb. 6th, at the hall.

Liza Ward is a patient in Tofield hospital.

## Historical Society has annual meeting Jan. 21

The annual meeting of the Tofield Historical Society was held on January 21st in the Historical Museum with the president, Harold Schultz, in the chair, and 30 persons present. The minutes of the last annual meeting and of two executive meetings were read and approved. Mrs. Bowick, treasurer, gave her report which showed a bank balance of $470.69.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The president's report recalled the society's welcome to the oldtimers on July 1st and the winning of the cup for its parade entry in the Community League's July 1st celebration. He also reported many improvements in the museum facilities and additions to the exhibits therein. Two new exhibits were called to the attention of the meeting: 1, a collection of letters showing cancelled stamps from rural post offices no longer in existence; 2, a collection of receipts for livestock which showed the vast differences between prices then and now. Some advertising novelties had come in in answer to an appeal in The Mercury; more would be welcome.

CENTENNIAL PROJECT

A centennial project was the main item of new business. The Alberta government has rejected our application for an historical point of interest sign on the grounds that Tofield's "claim to fame" is of local interest only. So the Historical Society is considering the erection of a cairn to mark Canada's one-hundredth birthday. Cost estimates are to be secured and discussed at a succeeding meeting.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The election of officers resulted in the following slate for 1965:

Pres., Harold Schultz; vice-pres. Conrad Patterson; sec. Mrs. Neil Phillips; treas., Mrs. Edna Bowick, all re-elected; directors for two years Dave Heidebrecht, James Francis; directors for one year, Stanley Dunham, Wm Lancaster.

Some discussion ensued regarding means of raising money. It was decided to not have the quilt raffle this year and have a donations-jar at the museum exhibit on July 1st.

Some method of keeping valuable historic documents is also being sought. Mrs. Goeglein suggested the acquisition of a small old-fashioned safe because that would be fireproof and an exhibit in itself. If anyone has one or knows where one could be obtained, the society executive would like to know of it.

Mrs. Bowick, treasurer, reminds past members and prospective members that she would be pleased to receive membership dues and will mail receipts for the same. The society also extends a cordial invitation to interested parties to visit the museum. Be sure to sign the guest book when you do!

After adjournment of the business meeting, the society members were entertained by James Francis who showed slides of a trip taken by the Jim and George Francis families to Eastern Canada this past summer. Scenes of historic and geographic interest, such as Upper Canada Village, the reversible falls on the St. John River, the tidal bore, the home of Anne of Green Gables, the longest covered bridge in Canada, and the magnetic hill, were shown and were enjoyed by the audience.

After the pictures, lunch was served by Mrs. Schultz and her helpers.

## Friendship group aids Home and Foreign Missions

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Jan. 23rd. The Friendship Group met at the home of Mrs. N. L. Campbell Thursday afternoon, Jan. 21st, with sixteen ladies present. Mrs Joe Hooper was in charge of devotions.

The members started to make plans for the world day of prayer which will be held on March 5th in the United Church. The ladies are also getting together quilts and children's clothing for a spring shipment to the missionary station in Hong Kong. They are also sending a parcel of used stamps to Calgary.

The group sent a "get-well" card to Mr. and Mrs. George Albrecht, who had been patients in Vegreville Hospital for several days. Mrs. Albrecht is a member of the group.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Carrie Olson on Thursday, Feb. 18th, with Mrs. Blanche Olson in charge of devotions. All women interested in missionary work and fellowship are most welcome to the meeting.

FATHER PASSES

Mrs. Stinson's father, W. H. Ismond, aged 95 years, passed away in hospital at Balcarres, Sask., on Wednesday, Jan. 20. Mrs. Stinson left on Thursday to attend the funeral at Abernathy, Sask., on Saturday. Mr. Ismond arrived there in 1882 and same has been his permanent address ever since.

## Few attend annual meet

(Mrs. S. Gladue)

There was a very poor attendance at the hall January 8th when the annual general meeting was held, with only enough persons present to hold the meeting.

Mrs. A. Gladue was re-elected president, Mrs. Fontaine, vice-pres., Robert Dunham, sec.-treas., Mrs. Muir, Mrs. P. Peterson and Mrs. Locktie, directors.

A vote of thanks was recorded in the minutes book to Mr. and Mrs. A. Rowland who have served for several years as vice-president and directors, but who were unable to attend the meeting. It is the wish of the meeting they will serve as honorary directors on the board for another year.

The new hall board met at the Dunham home January 19th. They arranged a ladies' night dance to be held at the hall on February 12th.

## Legion Auxiliary names new officers

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Jan. 23rd. -- The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Holden Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion held their meeting in the Legion Hall Tuesday evening Jan 19th. Regular business was attended to and reports from the Provincial Command were read.

Mrs. Anne Black was installed as president for a further term of one year; Mrs. Stella Komarnisky, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Nellie Kahamy, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Hazel Armstrong, secretary, and Mrs. Rene Taylor, treasurer.


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## Tofield Junior High plans Valentine tea

The Tofield Jr Hi "Big Three" will be holding their annual Valentine Tea in the school on Wednesday Feb 10 from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. The proceeds go to the student organization, the "Big Three". Last year, basketball uniforms were purchased with the proceeds.

This year a new feature has been added. Each of the six rooms in the Jr. Hi has chosen a candidate for a Queen of Hearts to preside over the tea. Votes for the candidate are being sold by the students at 10¢ a vote. The candidate for whom the most votes have been purchased will be crowned as Queen of Hearts during the Valentine Tea.

From the tickets sold, a draw will be made for a door prize, and the purchaser of the lucky ticket will receive an appropriate prize.

This annual event has always been well supported by the parents of the students and by the community at large. The "Big Three" asks for the same generous patronage this year. Free baby-sitting service will be supplied for children while their mothers enjoy the tea.

HAPPY FAMILY

Gathered at the supper table in their new home are, seated left to right: Mrs. Joe Sadowski, Mr. Sadowski, Jean, Marjorie and Caroline, and in the next room enjoying a catnap is baby Ernest Albert. The new home was built for them recently by a voluntary effort after fire destroyed their previous home last November. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

## Two-day course for Dr. Stiles

A two-day short course in veterinary medicine will be held on the University of Alberta campus February 8 and 9. The course, which is the third in a series is another example of the interest the university's medical school is taking in the continuing education of medical scientists throughout Alberta. Delegate from this area is Dr. W. C. Stiles of Tofield.

The course is sponsored by the Alberta Veterinary Medicine Association with the co-operation of the faculty of medicine. Eighteen veterinarians from various parts of Alberta will partake in the courses which are concerned with the clinical aspect of blood and its diseases in cats and dogs.

## Junior High basketball

Basketball is popular with the Tofield Junior High students. The two teams, girls' and boys', are participating enthusiastically in league games. The girls' team is doing very well and is in first place. Ryley is in second place, and Holden in third. Out of five games, the Tofield girls have lost only one, and that one by a narrow margin of 14-11. Their record is a fine tribute to Mr Rurka's fine coaching.

The Tofield boys' team has yet to win a game, but have lost by small margins and are improving rapidly. Mr. Stenberg, Mr. Dennison and Mr. Rurka share the coaching duties for the boys.

## Co-op refunds up this year

The annual meeting of the Tofield local United Farmers Co-operative Association UFA will be held in conjunction with the regular monthly meeting of the Farmers Union on Tuesday, Feb. 9th, in the Legion Hall, starting at 8:30 p.m. Lunch will be served.

Business for the year totalled over $10,000, and cash refunds of 6½% will be distributed that evening. This is more than double the previous year. This covers the year from August 1, 1963 to July 31, 1964.

It is hoped to have Danny Manderson, who was the local's delegate to the annual convention at Calgary in November, present to give the highlights of that meeting. The financial statement will be presented and officers for another year elected, including the secretary who is retiring.

A good turn-out of members is urged to avoid having someone vote not to pay out refunds, but keep them in the organization.

## Holden couple marks 25th anniversary

(Mrs. Taylor)

On Saturday evening, January 23rd, a number of relatives and friends met in the Community Hall, to honor Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zwierschke on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary. The evening was spent in playing various games, and several square dances were also enjoyed. On behalf of their many friends, Mrs. N. L. Campbell made the presentation of a purse of money to the guests of honor, and the members of the 4-H Club, in which they have always taken an [illegible] part, presented them with a beautiful silver tray. A delicious lunch was served, and the head table was centered with a lovely decorated wedding cake. Mr. and Mrs. Zwierschke thanked all present most graciously for the lovely surprise and the kindness of all, saying it would be an occasion they would always remember.

## Tofield oldtimer passes at 89 years

The sympathy of the district is extended to the McAllister family in the death of their father, Pete McAllister, an oldtimer of the Tofield district, who passed away January 31st in Edmonton at the age of 89 years. The funeral was held from the Tofield United Church February 3rd. Rev. W. H. McDonald conducted the services.

Mr. McAllister is survived by four daughters and seven sons.

## Superintendent for Elk Island

G. H. W. Ashley, 56, has been appointed superintendent of Elk Island National Park.

Born in Banff, Mr. Ashley received his education there. He saw active service in World War II with the Canadian Army and the RCAF. He was attached first as instructor to the Canadian Infantry Training Centre, Currie Barracks, Calgary, and later served overseas with the RCAF, returning to civilian life with the rank of Flying Officers.

Mr. Ashley's early employment with the government was in Banff National Park. He carried out Acting Park Warden duties from 1936 to 1941 and re-joined the National Parks Service after the war. After a brief period as Assistant Chief Warden, at Banff, he was promoted to Chief Park Warden in 1951. Three years later he became Assistant Superintendent.

In March, 1957, Mr. Ashley became Superintendent of Kootenay National Park, and was appointed Superintendent of Prince Albert National Park in October of the same year.

R. R. Webster, Superintendent of Elk Island National Park since 1959, now becomes Superintendent of Riding Mountain National Park in Manitoba.

## THE WEATHER . . .

| Jan. | Max | Min | Barom. | Precip. |
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| 27 | 2 | -9 | —— | .70" snow |
| 28 | 3 | -5 | 27.44 | 2" snow |
| 29 | 4 | 0 | 27.76 | —— |
| 30 | 9 | -14 | 27.36 | 10.9" snow |
| 31 | -6 | -6 | 27.86 | —— |
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| 2 | -3 | [illegible] | [illegible] | —— |
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## Community League meets to consider current agenda

The regular February meeting of Tofield Community League was held on Tuesday, Feb. 2nd, in the Community Centre meeting room, with President John Barrgen in the chair and sixteen members present.

It was decided to ask Mrs. Hazel Patterson to act as co-ordinator for the Cancer Drive, which is now sponsored by the League. Mrs Patterson has previously been the co-ordinator under the sponsorship of the W.A.T.C.L., which has now disbanded.

An auditing committee, consisting of J. E. Stinson and Conrad Patterson, was appointed to audit the League books.

The committee in charge of the One-Hundred Club, R. Mutlow, H. A. Pike and N. Glover, allocated the books of tickets to the sellers of same.

A building committee was appointed. George McFadzean, Charles Kallal and Arnold Swift will act in this capacity.

Charles Sears, Bill Davison, Frank Langkaas and Jack Lampitt will be the committee in charge of dances for 1965.

[illegible]ion arose as to the desirability of renting the hall to private parties when the renters requested that liquor be served. On motion of C. F. Annis and Lionel Harton, it was decided that any proposal of rental of hall involving the use of liquor be reviewed by the executive.

A new insurance policy proposed by Ed Regehr was adopted after some discussion. It was decided to add $3,000 [illegible]nce to cover the contents of the kitchen, formerly insured by W.A.T.C.L. The insurance now includes $80,000 on the building, $14,000 on contents, $1,000 liability which covers swimming lessons but not accidents on July 1, and a burglary clause.

The executive requested that J. E. Stinson and H. Seller act as a membership committee for the League, and that Mrs. Grace Phillips continue to act as League reporter for The Tofield Mercury.

It was decided after some discussion that the dance committee endeavor to put on a Teen-Dance once a month when possible.

Youth sport activities were discussed. The League felt that there was very little local interest in Sea Cadets, but that hockey was popular and that the League would endeavor to secure coaches for local hockey [illegible]

The July 1 celebration was discussed, and H. Sellers appointed to contact the Horse Show men.

## Locals . . .

The FWUA meeting will be held February 11th at the home of Vi Geoglein, with the district home economist in attendance, roads and weather permitting. Anyone interested, and if in doubt due to the weather, please contact Mrs. Moos or Mrs. Geoglein.

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Ethel and Paul Chorney and family from Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nahrebeski.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dutnall of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. F Campbell of Edmonton and Mrs. Max Schacher from Ross Creek were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. Oslund and family.

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## Conformity challenged

Does the pressure of modern society on getting a child to "conform" to his environment really smooth the entry of the young into society, or does it drive them to frustration and senseless acts of vandalism? This is the penetrating question asked by Robert Oliver, writing in QUEST, a national magazine endorsed by the Home and School Associations.

He points out that in every phase of life, the family, the school, business, social, religious and other communities, pressures, some subtle and some not so subtle are applied which push the individual into conformity. As the pressure rises, the temperature of some less susceptible young people rises until the blowoff comes, destructive, senseless, violent.

It may well be that Mr. Oliver has put his finger squarely on one of the major social problems and phenomena of our times. It may be that he has explained why the disease of group frustration is increasingly frightening throughout the affluent societies of the world. Here in North America, (and Canada is not free of the problem) holiday week-ends, or folk singing festivals often degenerate into juvenile mob scenes. Witness the Beatles performance, for instance, or those of Elvis Presley, Frank Sinatra, to name only a few. And Britain has her mods and rockers, too. Her teddy boys and others.

Is it the pressure to achieve "group adjustment," that's at fault? Is it our narrow intolerance, even fear or suspicion . . . of anyone who dare to be different?

We must have the individualists. It is they who dream great dreams, who write books, lead political parties and nations, design great buildings, invent new machines, become great teachers. In school, the class should be taught to respect individuality, and the young individualist should be led to being tolerant of others.

Adjustment to one's self, says the writer, should be put above adjustment to the group. "The young should not be prevented," reads his final statement "from rebelling against their narrow environment, lest they submerge in that narrow environment in order to rebel against the world."

## No shortage here

February may be the shortest month in the year, but there's no shortage of special 'days' or 'weeks' in this month.

Naturally, most people know the 2nd is Groundhog Day or Candlemas Day, and everyone surely must know what the 14th is. St. Valentine's Day is as firmly established as New Year's.

Some of you may have known that national electrical week starts Friday, and white cane week on Monday next. You may know that Boy Scout week and brotherhood week both start on the 21st, while the whole month is known as heart foundation month. But did you know that tomorrow opens kraut and frankfurter week, for instance, or that Friday starts Take tea and see week. Frankly, we're amazed they even exist.

This is only a slight start, too. It's even frozen potato month, milk fed lamb season, national sweeter air month, butter and pancake time, children's dental week, pencil week, crime prevention week. (We thought that was supposed to be every week).

We could go on, but maybe we're tiring you. Silly, isn't it all? At least when it's done to proliferation like this, we think it is.

## Heads in the sand

All railways in Canada should be operated as public utilities!

This was the position set forth recently when the Farmers' Union presented a brief to the Alberta government. Support for FUA proposals concerning rail-line abandonment was included, mentioning the effect on rural communities of branch line closures, and the extra costs of transporting grain, etc.

The last thing Ottawa wants is to take over the Canadian Pacific Railway. If it did, it would have no yardstick by which to judge operation of its own railway, and there are already headaches enough with that. Removing the incentive to match the privately owned system would almost certainly reduce efficiency and increase costs.

As for branch line closures, the farmers must realize no lines are closed when they're paying their way. It's only when all the freight is hauled in and out by truck, and all the people by car or bus that some recognition must be taken of the economics of the situation. Even if all the railways were operated by the government, the same assessment would have to be made, followed by the same decisions.

Keeping those trains rolling takes real golden eggs, but Ottawa doesn't want to be known as the goose that lays them.

## By George!

Following is an item I found in The Lethbridge Herald Saturday in the column, "Lights and Shadows", the product of a well known and respected veteran newsman in the southern part of the province, C. Frank Steele. Titled "Responsibility", it says:

One of the most dangerous things on a railroad is an engine moving without cars. It has power, it has speed, but it has no responsibility. It may leave the railroad on a curve — a curve that it could easily negotiate if it were pulling a string of cars. Like the railroad locomotive moving aimlessly without cars is the person who goes through life without responsibilities. He may lose his sense of balance on a curve of life and that curve may be just the one that a person with proper responsibilities would hardly notice.

## From the mail bag

### Opposed to liquor store

Editor, Tofield Mercury,
and to whom it may concern:

I am opposed to a liquor store in Tofield.

It was only through a misunderstanding and an error on my part that the council got a unanimous vote on this.

Yours truly,
George Bosse.

### No need for outlet

Editor, The Mercury:

I have been asked by concerned people to comment re the need for a liquor store in Tofield

I see no need for such a place at all. Thus far I have not been aware of any shortage of liquor in and around Tofield. To establish such a store will result in more cash money spent on liquor, more drinking, and more requests for credit from local tradesmen.

Despite Solomon's editorial in the local paper, being able to think logically for myself and being thoroughly acquainted with all ramifications of the liquor business and pressure, I am completely and openly opposed to the whole fallacious idea that such a store would be a benefit to Tofield. It would shorten the drive for the bootleggers who are supplying young folk with the stuff right now.

Yours sincerely,
W. H. McDiarmid.

## Huge ore cars for Pine Point

Canadian National Railways announced today that a contract for 245 steel ore-carrying cars of 100-ton capacity has been awarded to National Steel Car Corporation Ltd., Montreal.

By far the largest ore carriers on CN lines, the cars will be used on the Great Slave Lake Railway. Inside dimensions are 27' long by 10'5⅛" wide, with an overall height of 15'. The cars will be equipped with longitudinal centre-dump hoppers.

Delivery is expected to begin late in July at the rate of six a day

## Ross Creek district news briefs

(Iris Bilan)

Whist drives were held at the homes of Mrs. Neil Malcolm and Mrs. Winnie McLachlan on Wednesday evening and at the home of Mrs. Clara Savage, Friday evening. These parties are being held by the United Church Ladies to help raise funds toward the building of a new church in Ross Creek.

Howard and Neil Malcolm were Friday evening visitors at the home of Ron and Barbara Gorglein.

Wally and Nettie Yez, Debbie and Donald, were Friday evening visitors at the home of Joseph and Iris Bilan.

Stanley and Ann Klatchuk attended the Purity annual meeting and banquet in Edmonton Thursday.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Dorothy Shultz is home again after being a patient in Tofield hospital for a week.

James and Rose Woytowich and family were Saturday supper guests at the home of Graham and Elma Snider.

Graham and Elma Snider and family were Sunday visitors with Victor and Bernice Schneider at Bruderheim.

Mr and Mrs Alex Ford, and Wilfred and Shirley Ford and family and Lester and Wilma Odhorne and family were Sunday visitors with Joe and Verna Sadowski of Tofield.

Lorraine Washawski was Lorraine McLachlan's overnight guest on Monday

WITH THE CURLERS

Ross Creek men's open curling bonspiel will be held February 5th, 6th, and 7th.

George and Winnie McLachlan and Howard and Neil Malcolm participated in the Mundare Home and School bonspiel held Saturday and Sunday at Mundare.

Scott Malcolm, Stuart Snider, and Lawrence Woytowich took second prize in the third event while curling in the high school bonspiel at Fort Saskatchewan on Saturday, while the Larry McLachlan and Gail McLachlan rink took the first in the second event.

## Sewing Circle meets at J. Johnson home

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Feb. 1st — The Kingman Sewing Circle met at Mrs. John Johnson's home on January 27th at 2 p.m., with 14 ladies present. A new executive was elected, namely: pres., Mrs H Asp; vice-pres., Mrs. I. Ness; sec.-treas., Mrs. John Johnson. It was decided to raffle another quilt this year, and also to buy the pieced quilt top from Mrs. Pederson at the Bethany Home. Two large boxes consisting of ten complete layettes and 21 crib quilts were packed, as well as other clothing. Proceeds from the "travelling basket" amounted to $17.55. The next meeting will be on February 24th at the home of Mrs. Olaf Hein.

The firefly only shines when on the wing; so it is with the mind; when we rest we darken.

— Gamaliel Bailey



## Ketchamoot district pioneer passes

A member of one of Edmonton's oldest pioneer families died Monday after a short illness. Mrs. Catherine T Ingram, 83, had been living for the past 14 years at the home of her youngest daughter, Mrs. (Kathleen) John Nickerson, in Edmonton.

Mrs. [illegible] Catherine Ratigan in Maradam Junction, New Brunswick, on October 12, 1881. However, most of her childhood was spent in Maine and New Hampshire. When she was 15 years old, she was predeceased by her mother. From [illegible] on she cared for her five brothers and sisters. In the late nineties her father, Will Ratigan, and her eldest brother, Tom, came West to survey prospects for finding their fortunes. Catherine followed with the remaining children at the turn of the century, 1901 or 1902, and landed at South Side CPR station on Hallowe'en Day.

On August 6, 1906, she married James Ingram in Edmonton. The young couple prepared to homestead in the Tofield district. Before taking up a homestead they lived with the groom's brother, Pete, at the site of the first coal mine in the Tofield district, which was owned and operated by the Ingram brothers. Here, Catherine's talent at making delicious bread was enjoyed and commended by many who came miles to get coal

Later, Mr and Mrs. Ingram homesteaded in the Ketchamoot district, where they lived until Mr Ingrams passing in the fall of 1949. Mrs Ingram gave freely and gladly of her time and talents while a resident in this area.

Survivors include two sons, William of Kingman and James who farms the original homestead at Tofield; three daughters, Mrs. Wendall (Mildred) Wyley and Mrs. Gertrude Ovelson of Terrace, B.C., and Mrs. John (Kathleen) Nickerson of Edmonton; three brothers, James and Frank, of Edmonton, and Thomas, of Los Angeles, California, and one sister, Mrs. Ernest (Susan) Brick, of Keg River, B.C.

Requiem Mass for Mrs. Ingram was said at St. Francis Roman Catholic Church in Tofield, with burial in Tofield Cemetery. Pallbearers were her grandsons, Floyd and Stewart Ferguson, Wes Ingram, Royal Nickerson, Bill McCaffery and Casey Coombes.

**Floral Tributes**

The Family; Ellen, Jean, Pat and Albert; Ruby and Charlie; Hazel and Henry; Dr. and Mrs. O. Wright; Dr. and Mrs J. Bradley; Edna Kirkham; Post Office Transfer Staff, Edmonton; James and Alice [illegible], Joyce and Jack McNaughton; Ing and Gertie Bjorge; Sally and Billy Drew; Kirk United Church, Edmonton.

**Spiritual Offerings**

Sue, Ernie, [illegible] Pete; Helen, Frank and Jim; Bill and Gloria; Mrs. Kupnawicki; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wright.

**Memorials**

To Roman Catholic Church, Tofield Mr and Mrs. E. Belcourt; Mr. and Mrs C. J. Kallal; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Nomeland; Mr and Mrs. Paul Kallal and Family; Mrs and Mrs. C F Kallal; Mr. and Mrs. F. Stupe; Mr. H F. Sellers, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Glover; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ferguson; John and Mary Wood.

To United Church Memorial Fund: Lillian and Robert Berrecloth; Mrs. Brown and Ethel; Edith Turner and Annie McGinitie; Stanley and Keitha Brown; T. D., Lloyd and Stewart Ferguson; Janet and Martin Lawson; Mabel Lawson, Roy and Mildred Lee; Will and Amanda Mitchell; Harold and Lil Schultz and Family; Angus and Eileen Mitchell and Boys; Eston and Caroline Stirrett and Family; Andy and Margaret Jolbert and Family; Herman and Grace Lawson; Mr. and Mrs. C. Patterson; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stinson; Roy and Dorothy Whillans and Boys; Mrs. Clara Whillans; Ketchamoot U.C.W.; Mrs. Olive Sutton and Family; Chester and Ida Coombes and Family Ronald and Kay Coombes and Family; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson; Geo. Abernethy; Lorimer and Bessie Hunter and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Don Carlisle and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davison; Clifford and Barbara Appleby; Jack and Vena Appleby; Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Lee; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McHeffey; Mr. and Mrs. E. Carlisle; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Swift; Mrs. Neil Carlisle.

Miscellaneous Donations Mrs. Bessie Cressey; Mr. and Mrs. J. Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. W. Key; Mr. and Mrs. B. Hughes; Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Coombes.

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To Tofield Municipal Hospital —Wes and Teresa Ingram; Julius, Selma and Mrs Nomeland.

To Gideon Bible Society—Mr. and Mrs. H McGinitie.

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To Holy Trinity Church, Tofield -- Mr. and Mrs. R. Crispen; Mr. and Mrs. W. Lan[illegible]

To Lions Club—Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Garford. 21c-1833

## Books in review

"The Rector of Justin" by Louis Auchincloss. The story of a most remarkable man founder of a New England boys' school, as recorded by a young acolyte in the last year of administration.

"Peace River Chronicles" by G. E. Bowes. An excellent series of excerpts from diaries, from official records, from verbal recollections of oldtimers and other sources, of events that occurred as the country opened up.

"50 North" by Lt. Commander Alan Easton. One of the theatres of the last war in which Canadians played a major role was the Battle of the Atlantic. Little has been written by the Canadian participants, now however, Lt. Commander Alan Easton, RCNVR, has written an account of his four grim years in frigate, corvette and destroyer, back and forth across the cold ocean.

"Global Odyssey" by Howard A. Johnson. Around the world in 730 days, 200,000 miles, 210 aeroplanes, 80 countries, thus Canon Johnson describes his amazing journey in search of fellow Christians in almost every country of the world.

"The Pond" by Robert Murphy. Adventures of a 14-year-old boy the delights of the woods and ponds

"North to Adventure" by John T. Rowland. His youthful experiences in northern waters and the stark, rugged, storm battered land of Labrador.

"Many Trails" by R. D. Symons. The author's first book about stories of wildlife in the Canadian West.

"Clementine" by Jack Wincour. A biography of Lady Churchill

"Scruffy" by Paul Gallico. A diversion a novel of the meanest most malevolent and misanthropic ape who ever lived. Set in the days of World War II when Gibralter was threatened by the Axis

"Munro E.C.", the encyclopedia of art plates 300 in full color. For both children and adults. Section of art terms and artists biographies.

## Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Feb. 1st -- Miss Faith Sware of Red Deer spent the weekend at the Thor Johnson and A. Anderson homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seljehaug and Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson called at the Alex Asp home Tuesday afternoon to wish Mr. Asp a happy birthday.

Supper guests at Mrs. John Holte's home on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs Ingvald Ness and Miss Mabel Simonson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marciszyn and Carol of Edmonton were weekend guests at the Ray Ovelson home.

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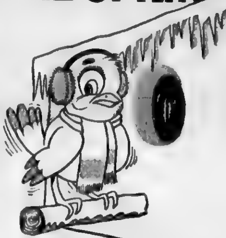

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# THE RYLEY TIMES

**Winter wonderland** Saturday's heavy snowfall, blown into drifts up to four feet deep, made every backyard a winter wonderland. Here some children are enjoying the sport of jumping from a fence into the drifts.

## Shower fetes bride - elect

Friends and neighbors of the Roberge family surprised Georgina with a miscellaneous shower on Wednesday, Jan 27th. She received many beautiful and useful gifts. After the opening of the gifts, Georgina thanked the ladies and invited them to visit her if they were ever in the Cold Lake area.

Before an enjoyable evening drew to a close, a delicious lunch was served.

**AT WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roberge, Kevin and Bendan left Friday for Cold Lake where they attended the wedding of their daughter, Georgina. The wedding took place Saturday, Jan 30th, in the Holy Name Chapel at the Cold Lake air base. They returned home on Sunday.

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## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Fish drove to Hinton this weekend for a three-day visit with their daughter, Joyce, and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Patrick and family.

Members of the Canadian Legion held a bonspiel on Sunday, the winner of the day being a rink from Viking.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Nerassen are visiting at Athabasca with their daughter Marvel and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Lewn and family.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Betty Kreins is a patient in the Tofield hospital.

Orval Bray and H. B. Stearns, are both patients in hospitals in Edmonton.

**EASTERN HOLIDAY**

Mrs. Roland Booth boarded the flyer in Edmonton on January 28th, and left our frigid climate for a holiday in Eastern Canada. She was accompanied by her two youngest children, Grace and baby, Kevin, and will be guests of relatives at Oshawa Ont. While there, she will visit with her eldest daughter, Vera, who is in her second year of nurse's training at the Branson Hospital in Toronto, and her eldest son, Gordon, who is a first year medical student at Andrew's College in Berrien Springs, Michigan, U.S.A. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Patterson, formerly of Tofield, and now of Berrien Springs, will drive up to Oshawa to visit with relatives, and will bring Gordon with them to join his mother in a real family gathering.

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## FUA to discuss hog marketing

(Mrs G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Members of the Holden District Farmers' Union wish to remind all members and farmers who would be interested that they are holding a meeting Wednesday Feb. 10th, at 8:30 p.m. in the office in the Beaver Livestock Association Stockyards formerly Veregin's Stockyards, at which Alex Gordey, MLA for Vegreville, will attend. It is planned to hold a discussion on the voting procedure for a provincial hog marketing board. They would like to see a good attendance to get the viewpoints of all who would be interested in such a board.

## Lutheran Church has congregational meet

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — At the annual congregational meeting of the Holden Lutheran Church held Monday, Jan. 11th, the following members were elected to office: pres., Algot Hultholm; vice-pres., Lyle Grosland; sec., Mrs. Kathleen Hurum; treas., Lawrence Hurum; trustees, Dave Laube, Art Siegal and Hilmer Olsen.

Reports from all the various church departments were given and all showed a good and successful year. Pastor Rude of Camrose was the guest minister in charge of the service of the Holden Lutheran Church on Sunday, Jan. 17th.

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We wish to express our sincere appreciation to those who have so generously shown sympathy during our loss, by cards, words, flowers, memorials, and in other ways.
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**1 FUTURE DATES**

**U.F.A. CO-OP ANNUAL MEETING**

The Annual Meeting of the U.F.A. Co-op will be held in the Legion Hall on Tuesday, Feb. 9, starting at 8:30 p.m. Rebate payments. Election of officers. Any other business. 23p-1937

**OPEN HOUSE**

Open House will be held at the Chilcowich home on Sunday afternoon, Feb 7th, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chilcowich, who will be celebrating their 25th Wedding Anniversary. 23c-2260

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**46 LEGAL NOTICES**

**Notice To Creditors and Claimants**

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TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the "above" named must file with THE UNDERSIGNED by the 10th day of March, 1965, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

PUBLIC TRUSTEE,
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## Church notes

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays. Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDannold, B.A., B.D. Minister
Sunday, Feb. 7th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship
Topic: "The Doctrine of the Holy Spirit".

Is it because girls tend to marry men like their fathers that mothers cry at weddings?

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, Feb. 7th
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.

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Every Sunday ........12:30 p.m.

## Cereal breeders employ new methods

The Research Branch of the Canada Department of Agriculture has thrown some interesting light on current trends with respect to its cereal breeding work.

In recent years, cereal plant breeders working with small grains, have improved the structure of plants in many ways and have built genetic stocks carrying protective genes against disease and insects. They have combined these to improve yield returns in desirable varieties and have employed back cross techniques to add more desirable genes to varieties which show some defect. Now they are looking much more closely at the physiology of plants.

Among other things they are looking for difference in light and temperature responses and are speculating on how to shift to a more desirable plant type to take advantage of light to improve photosynthesis. This is the process under which water and carbon dioxide are united by the energy of the sun's rays to form carbohydrates from which, by a complex series of processes, other plant substances, such as protein, are built up in the plant.

In general they stress the fact that, while they cannot afford to abandon their conventional methods of improving our small grain crops they cannot afford to overlook some of the more spectacular approaches. Root structures are now being examined, recent studies of the root patterns of wheat varieties, as related to yield, suggesting the value of further investigations.

Another matter, the physiology of the cells in relation to winter-hardiness and drought tolerance, is also being studied. Still another factor, dormancy is being looked at closely as a possible means of turning this physiological character towards higher yields in oat production.

Plant physiologists admit that they have as yet only a rather unsatisfactory knowledge of the whole field of drought resistance. Although they realize that the problem is of paramount importance, they also realize that its detailed analysis probably depends on the development of new experimental approaches.

Today more than ever before, grain producers require high yielding commercially acceptable varieties. The synthesis of high yielding varieties has always been the goal of the plant breeder but its accomplishment is becoming increasingly difficult, and when one considers the large number of factors and agents which produce yields, it is apparent that plant scientists have done well to maintain yields at their present level.

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To Holy Trinity Church—Mrs. G. Nerland.

To Cancer Fund — Jack and Venah Appleby.

To United Church — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davison; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sears; Mrs. Ellen Sears.

**ADDITIONAL MEMORIALS IN MEMORY OF ALLAN HENDERSON**

To The Family — Margaret Jensen and Family; Evie and Pat GrGay; Mary Moore and Eileen.

To United Church — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davison; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gray; Mary Moore and Sears; Mrs Ellen Sears.

To Baptist Church — Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ferguson; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bruce; Mr. and Mrs. R. Pollock; Mr. and Mrs. F. Shupe.

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# Aud-ities

by Aud Jorgensen

Keeping a good shine on a floor, any kind of floor, whether it be hardwood, tile or linoleum, is one of the things that will always separate a good housekeeper from an amateur. The greatest difficulty is in finding a wax that will not only give a good shine but will also be hard enough to take the harsh treatment of high heel shoes and children's scuffings. Here is what I have found to answer this problem and maybe you'll find it just what you've been looking for too.

Big commercial department stores and car and tractor show rooms, I believe, have the floors that receive the worst treatment imaginable and yet, somehow most are managed to be kept clean and shiny. My father hit upon this idea one day and suggested we try commercial wax on our floors. At first I was quite hesitant, thinking that perhaps the formula might be too strong for ordinary use . . . but let me tell you it works wonders.

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## The story of the lost father

A certain man had two sons: and the younger of them said to his father, "Father, give me the portion of your time and attention, the portion of your time and attention and wise council which is my due."

Believing himself to be wise, the father divided his substance; he paid the bills for his son and placed his son in a "proper" boarding school. Then he, believing he had fulfilled all his fatherly duties, went his way.

A few days later, the father gathered all his interests and projects and journeyed into a far country, into a pattern of life in which there was no room for a boy. He wasted the precious opportunity of being a father and helpmate to his son.

When he had thus spent the best years of his life, laying up earthly treasure, he suddenly discovered that he was not really happy. He began to be in want!

Seeking to satisfy his want he joined an organization and by and by was elected president. He represented this organization in many lands.

He fain would have filled his hungry heart with the high esteem he had among men. But nowhere did he find true friendship. Eventually he came to his senses and said, "How many of my acquaintances have sons with whom they share mutual understanding? How many live in a sincere and intimate friendship with their sons, while I perish here with hunger? ! ! I will go to my son, and say to him, "Son I have sinned against heaven and in thy sight; I am no more worthy to be called your father — accept me as one of your acquaintances."

And he arose and went to his son.

While he was yet afar off, his son saw him coming, but he was very greatly surprised. Instead of running to him and falling on his neck and kissing him, the son felt uncomfortable and cowered back with great hesitation.

The father, however, in desperation spoke, "Son, I have sinned against heaven and in your sight; I am no longer worthy to be called your father. Forgive me and let us be friends."

But the son replied, "No! I wish it were still possible — but you have waited too long. When I needed your friendship and your fatherly advice, you were too busy. I sought fatherly confidence from others and found them willing to counsel me — but their counsel was corrupt.

What more can I say?
. . . You are too late!"

## Mrs. Grace Mrakota passes at 84 years

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Jan. 29. —A former resident, Mrs. Grace Mrakota, 84 passed away Jan. 24 at the Bethany Hospital in Camrose. She was born in Ontario and spent 37 years in the Likeness district, north of Bawlf, where she led a full life teaching and nursing. She taught at the Likeness and Hampton schools. During her declining years, she made her home with her only child, Mrs. Harold Jensen, and Mr. Jensen and three grandchildren at Ferintosh. Her neighbors from Likeness were in Camrose on Tuesday to attend the funeral.

# Palmer - Earling notes

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Jan. 29. Saturday evening guests at the Frank Urlacher home were Anton Peter, Kay and Ann, Joe Peter Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peter Sr., Mrs. Noulette and Leo, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reinhart, Garry and Arden, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Urlacher of Bawlf, Philip Urlacher of Daysland, and from Camrose were the John Sharugas and the Carsten Otnoes.

Mrs. Russel Zilkie, Mrs. Tillie Johnson and Mrs. Earl Drader of Edmonton were visitors with Mrs. Jack Vassberg and girls. Her mother, Mrs. Drader, stayed on for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Knudson, Wayne, Terry and Gail were Wednesday supper guests at the John Tomasheski home, marking their 38th wedding anniversary.

**Andrew Reum is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, having undergone surgery.**

Mr. Setterlund of Edmonton, accompanied by a group of young people from the Bible School there, conducted services at the Peter Reum home Thursday night.

Saturday guests at the Clifford Bratrud home for a turkey supper were Mr. and Mrs. Allan Helleikson and Marlene and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. George Mosby and Linda, Mrs. Lyle Bratrud and Dale and Rickie, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson and Larry and Rodney, Mr. and Mrs. Adrien Bergquist and Karen and Shyla of Bawlf, Noreen Campbell and Valerie Johnson of Camrose.

Leonard Johnson left by plane last week for Sunnyside, Wash., to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, Harold Fike, 82, who passed away Jan. 17, following a heart attack. The deceased is survived by his wife, Beata Fike (nee Johnson) a former Palmerite, three married daughters, and a number of grandchildren.

The Skudesnes LCW met on Wednesday, Jan. 27th, with Mrs. Joe Knudson and Alice Aker co-hostesses. Mrs. Knudson led the first lesson of the new Bible study, "If God so loved us". The Sunday School teachers Mrs Richard Vassberg and Mrs. Finvald Aspenes expressed their thanks for gifts received at Christmas. There were also several "thank you" letters read for get-well cards received from the LCW. Offering for lunch was $5.65. Next meeting Thursday, Feb. 25, when Mrs. Bob Beattie will conduct the Bible study and the servers will be Mrs. Sam Olsen and Mrs. Evan Kvale.

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# Holden and district news items

Mrs. Marian Tkaczyk is working for Dr. Bhavanhi, the new resident doctor in Holden, as receptionist for the surgery hours in the afternoons. She will still be employed at the Treasury Branch office during the morning hours.

Leo Maruszecka of the Bruce district was a business visitor around Holden Wednesday afternoon a week ago.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Steve Komarnisky from Vancouver, B.C., was visiting in Holden Wednesday and Thursday of last week, on business and renewing friendships. He was saying that although the snow had just about gone at the coast, it had been very bad there and the people not used to such a heavy fall of snow did not seem to know how to cope with it. He also told us that Sandra (Mrs. Komarnisky) had had a bad accident falling on the icy pavement and breaking her right wrist, which she had in a cast for two weeks and would have to keep it on for another four weeks. She wished to be remembered to all her friends in Holden.

Ernie Good was confined to bed and home for a few days last week with a very bad cold and a touch of pneumonia. We were pleased to see him up and around again on Thursday.

Geo. H. Taylor, EMO co-ordinator for the County of Beaver No. 9 unit, was a business caller in Ryley last Thursday afternoon, also calling on Tommy Harris.

**SISTER PASSES**

Mrs. Roy Nichols received the sad news Sunday evening, Jan. 24th, that her eldest sister, Mrs. Dan Kirkham of Sexsmith, had passed away in the University Hospital after undergoing major surgery a day or two previously. The funeral was held at Sexsmith Friday, Jan. 29th. The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Nichols and family in their sad loss.

It was with pleasure that we heard that Mr. Ruxton was first in recent exams on the New Testament at St. Stephen's College.

Chris Christenson and his sister, Mrs. Elna Parsons, were recent Sunday visitors and dinner guests with their nephew, Hans Christenson, his wife and family in Tofield.

Mrs. Oscar Ruskenveld was a patient in the University Hospital, Edmonton, for several days last week, having tests taken. She hoped to be able to come out on the Saturday.

Recent Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad were Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Nelson of Edmonton, one time residents of the Holden district.

**Terry Good, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Good, was taken to Tofield hospital last week with a badly infected throat and did not seem to be responding to treatments given, where she had intravenous injections, being unable to swallow. We were pleased to hear Saturday that she was showing some improvement and hope it will not be too long before she is home again.**

About 20 ladies of Holden and district attended a plastic ware party at the home of Mrs. Lud Mieliamka Saturday, Jan. 23. After the demonstration, the hostess s-e-r-v-e-d a delicious lunch.

Mr. and Mr. Albert S. Pederson of Camrose, with sons George and Robert, were recent weekend visitos with Mrs. Pederson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Glebelhaus, and their other relatives in the district.

We were sorry to hear that Harry Bilyk is again a patient in the Vegreville hospital. Mr. Bilyk has been in poor health for some time, but we hope that his stay in hospital will not be too long.

Mike Nalesnik has sold his farm south of Holden to Mike Manchur of Edmonton, and is planning to enter the restaurant business.

**BAPTISM**

Mr and Mrs. Wilbur Michlich of Edmonton were visitors the weekend of January 17th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albin Lukawiecki and attended the baptismal service of Mr. and Mrs. Lukawiecki's baby daughter on the Sunday, Mr. Michlich being one of the sponsors. Mr. and Mrs. Bober, also of Edmonton, parents of Mrs. Lukawiecki, were also in attendance for the occasion, Mrs. Bober being the other sponsor. After the service, relatives and friends were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Lukawiecki.

The regular monthly meeting of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 was held Saturday afternoon, Jan. 30th, in the office of the sec.-treas., Ray Hovland. Trustees present were Oscar Afseth and Nick Laskoski, while Hans Huseby is absent on holiday in the States. Regular business was discussed and attended to, and reports given regarding bridges, etc.

**Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rurka, nee Eileen Tymchuk, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, last week.**

Mr. and Mrs. Barker were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Eaton, also picking up the three children who had been overnight visitors at the Eaton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and sons, David and Robert, were Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zwierschke and son, Allan.

Mrs. Carrie Olson, Mrs. Mabel Sizer, Mrs. Laur Christianson and Mrs. Beth Campbell were visitors and dinner guests Saturday at the home of Mrs. Mary James.

**CENTENNIAL MEETING**

A second meeting was held in the Community Hall Monday evening, Jan. 25th, regarding the centennial grant which is being given by the federal government. There was not a very large attendance, but it was decided to build an addition to the present hall which would be a separate building. Committees were set up for the building and financing of same.

## Local student aids Witness convention

A girl from the Tofield district, Elsie Ovelson, is slated to participate in the program of a three-day assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses in Wetaskiwin this weekend.

Miss Ovelson will give a six-minute sermon on the convention's model ministry school Friday night. This is a meeting which is featured weekly in all congregations of the Witnesses to develop better qualified ministers for both the speaking platform and their ministry in the homes of people.

Miss Ovelson is taking her Grade 12 in Camrose. Her parents farm a quarter south-west of Tofield. She is the fourth child of the Ovelsons to become an active member of the Witness movement. Two older brothers are ordained ministers and a sister does missionary work.

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# Solve a Crime
BY A.C. GORDON

**YOU ARE THE DETECTIVE**

Vernon Vance, wealthy investment counsellor, is exclaiming loudly to you on the burglary that has just taken place at his offices. "That scoundrel surely must have been fast on his feet", Vance tells you. "I was alone here in my private office this morning . . . none of my employees had arrived yet. Suddenly I heard some suspicious sounds coming from the outer office, and I jumped up from my chair and went immediately to investigate . . . but there was no one there. Then I heard the sound of running feet, and I threw open the door to the corridor . . . but lengthy though the corridor is, the intruder had already disappeared . . . probably down the the stairway at the other end of the corridor".

You turn to look at the other two persons who have followed you this morning into Vance's private office - the white-faced secretary, Mary Peters, and the young bookkeeper, Jack Ireton, who is limping heavily on a heavy-looking cane clutched tightly in his right hand.

"It must have been someone who knew about the heavy amount of cash we were keeping in the safe", volunteers Jack Ireton.

"I was much earlier than usual this morning", says Vance. "I unlocked the safe when I arrived . . . I had to get out some important papers to work on. I suppost it was very careless of me to leave the door of the safe open while I was in my office, but I was expecting Miss Peters and Ireton to arrive soon . . . they both knew I was coming to the office early and was eager to complete an important transaction. We've never had anything like this happen before . . . more than a thousand dollars . . . gone!"

You examine the inside of the littered safe, then turn back to the two employees.

"It's a dreadful thing", exclaims Mary Peters. "If only I had arrived a little earlier, this wouldn't have happened. . . . Mr. Vance was phoning you when I came into the office . . . not five minutes after the robber escaped".

"What's wrong with your leg?" you ask Jack Ireton, nodding your head at his heavily-bandaged left ankle.

"A bad sprain while I was skiing last weekend", he replies.

"Well, I suspect that you can still move much faster than you have indicated", you then state. "At present, Ireton, you're my Number One suspect!

Why do you suspect Jack Ireton?

**SOLUTION**

Jack Ireton had been very careless. He had entered the office limping heavily on a cane held in his RIGHT hand. Yet it was his LEFT ankle that was supposedly injured!

Thought and theory must precede all salutary action; yet action is nobler in itself than either thought or theory.
— William Wordsworth

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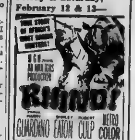

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## January bride-elect honored at shower

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER LARLING Jan. 29 - A miscellaneous shower was held at Skuleson's Church on Saturday evening, in honor of bride-elect Anne Kvale and her fiance Michael Willis.

Edna Sorensen was master of ceremonies for an interesting program that began with a hymn by all, followed by a song by the ladies' group, duet, by Jeanette and Emma Knudson, amusing readings by Mrs. R. Vassberg, Mrs. E. Sorenson, Percy Bergquist, Bawlf, Mrs. J. Bruce, Arthur Kvale, Velvet Dumes and Jeanette and Emma Knudson.

On behalf of all present, Edna Aker made the presentation speech. The bride-to-be then received a corsage, pinned on by her only sister, Mabel. Anne and Michael expressed their thanks for the program, good wishes and lovely gifts, and a delicious lunch was served. The wedding of Anne Kvale and Michael Willis of Edmonton took place in Bawlf Lutheran Church on Saturday, Jan. 30th, with Rev. P. Olson officiating.

## 6 COLD WEEKS?

Tuesday was Groundhog Day, when, if the groundhog sees his shadow, legend forecasts it portends six more weeks of cold, hard winter. Try as he would, however, the groundhog couldn't climb up through the deep drifts of snow dumped in Saturday's storm, and the cameraman had to be satisfied with the picturesque jackpine above . . . and the sharply defined shadow it cast. The question is, is it the shadow that casts the spell, or the groundhog? If the groundhog couldn't make it, does that mean the end of winter?

## Better English

By D. C. Williams

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. There isn't but one apple in the box, and that one is kind of rotten.
2. We need in the neighborhood of fifty feet of wire for this job.
3. I came nearly winning the game, and it was disappointing to lose out in the end.
4. I forbid you from entering into my house until you have conferred with the older of the three men.
5. When she had at length returned back home, she fixed the meal for all of the men.
6. We are anxious to hear the program, which is to be broadcasted from Chicago.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Entree. 8. Poultice. 9. Khedive. 10. Valiant. 11. Respite. 12. Chocolate.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Commiserate, committee, colateral, connote, concommitant, irredeemable, irrational, irrascible, irritable, irrigation, degredation, delectation, derelirtion, detritus, furlough, fusillade, fuedalism, funicular, fulmination, diameter, diaphram, diagnose, detrimental, degeneracy, saxaphone, sanatorium, seminary, salutary, sagacious.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "There IS but one apple in the box, and that one is SOMEWHAT rotten" 2. Say, "We need ABOUT fifty FEET of wire" 3. Say, "I came NEAR winning the game", and omit "out in the end". 4. Say, "I forbid you TO ENTER", omit "into", and say, "with the OLDEST of the three men" 5. Omit "back" and "of", and say, "When she had AT LAST returned home, she PREPARED the meal for all the men" 6. Say, "We are EAGER to hear the program, which is to be BROADCAST from Chicago"

7. Pronounce awn-tray, accent second syllable 8. Pronounce pole-ties, accent first syllable. 9. Pronounce keh-deev, accent second syllable. 10. Pronounce vaal-yant, accent first syllable. 11. Pronounce ress-pit, accent first syllable. 12. Pronounce chawk-oh-lit, in three syllables, and not "chawk-lit".

13. Collateral, irascible, degradation, feudalism, diaphragm, saxophone.

## Modern Etiquette

Q. When should you introduce yourself to new neighbors?

A. Not before you're sure they are completely settled down. Don't walk in on people the day they move in when they're busy and tired, and possibly in the midst of what seems to them an inextricable mess. They'll enjoy meeting you much more when you give them a chance to be at their best.

Q. When a dinner course is finished, should the hostess' plate be removed first, and if not, whose plate?

A. There is no rule governing the order of removal of the dinner plates. This is entirely a matter of convenience.

Q. Whose privilege is it to select the music to be played at a church wedding?

A. The bride's. But, of course, she should consult her minister regarding this, since some types of music are banned in certain churches.

Q. For how long should the bread-and-butter plates be left on the dinner table?

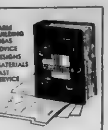
A. Until it is time to serve the dessert.

Q. Is it permissible to sip water at the table while one has food in the mouth?

A. This is very poor manners. One should never take so much food into the mouth as to make it necessary to use water for "washing it down".

We will have to want Peace, want it enough to pay for it, before it becomes an accepted rule.

Peace is not absence of war, it is a virtue, a state of mind, a disposition for benevolence, confidence, justice.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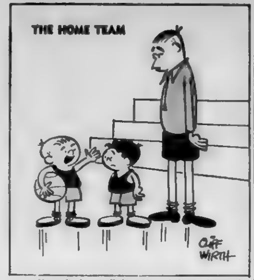


"He can't play at all, but think of the psychological advantage he'll give us!"

## Only 16 attend rural fire protection meet

The annual meeting of Tofield Rural Fire Protection Association, held in the Tofield Library room on January 30th drew a very poor crowd only some 16 members out of a total membership of 170 and five visitors from the vicinity of Viking, where they are investigating the formation of a unit such as this.

There was a total of six rural fires attended during the year, five members and one non-member. An auxiliary pump unit and 300 feet of hose for same were purchased. This unit will be used in case of a lengthy fire, to permit the tank to be filled from a water supply at the same time as the large unit is working thus eliminating any stoppage for re-filling the tank. These purchases have somewhat depleted reserves, but it is felt the unit is now well enough equipped to fight almost any fire. Members are, therefore, urged to pay their dues, which were again set at $3.00, either to the Bank of Montreal or R. Crispin, treasurer.

The bylaws state as follows: "Annual dues are payable at beginning of the year. Any member whose dues are not paid would, in case of a call to a fire on their premises, be considered a non-member and would be liable for $200 for the first hour and $40 per hour for each additional hour". So please give this your urgent attention, and also hang the yellow phone number card near your phone for convenience.

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## Ketchamoot news briefs

(Mary Mitchell)

Pauline and Harvie McGinitie and family, of Viking, were Saturday callers at the Henry McGinitie home. Their grandchildren spent the day with them while their parents were on a shopping trip to Edmonton

On Friday evening the Stirrett Mutual Telephone members met at the home of Henry and Agnes McGinitie for their annual meeting.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Harold Coombes took his mother, Ida Coombes, to Edmonton on Monday, where she remained with her daughter, Gladys Gaberts, and family overnight, and will then enter the University Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Harvey Stirrett returned home from the Tofield Hospital, where she was a patient.

**MRS. NEUFELD PASSES**

District old-timer Mrs. Barbara Neufeld passed away in the Tofield Hospital, at the age of 82 years. For the past 13 years she made her home with her daughter, Mrs. John Thiessen and family. Funeral services were held on Monday, Feb. 1st, from the Tofield Mennonite Church.

Warren Belcourt and Orville Mitchell of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon and supper guests with Ivan and Mary Mitchell

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whillans attended the funeral of their cousin, Roy Wier, in Edmonton on Saturday afternoon. Later, they called on Mrs. Clara Whillans at the Hardisty Nursing Home.

## High School news briefs

(By Elaine Walker)

This year, in connection with the Grade Ten Social Studies course, the grade tens have drawn up a town council slate. Tuesday, the high school students voted in a council and Mr. Cribb, the social studies teacher, has arranged for them to take over a council meeting later on. The students are very interested in this project and are glad they will have a chance to [illegible] in this practical experience.

Last Friday night the Tofield and Ryley basketball teams met in Ryley. The Ryley teams won both games, the boys 41-28 and the girls 15-13.

This Friday night the last game of the schedule will be played in Tofield, when Viking will be in Tofield. As this is the last game before the tournament, everyone is urged to attend.

This Saturday, an unscheduled game will take place in Tofield, the boys of the Holy Redeemer High School, Edmonton, playing the Tofield boys' team.

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

Last call for the Grocery Bingo, sponsored by the Ladies' Club, at the Hall on Saturday, Feb. 6th.

Owing to the snow-blocked roads, many of the whist players couldn't attend the game on Saturday, Jan. 30. The next whist drive will be Saturday, Feb. 13.

The Social Credit Group will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Gladue on Wednesday, Feb. 13.

The Ladies' Club will meet at the home of Mrs. M. Gladue on Thursday, Feb. 18th.

Final plans have been made for the Ladies' Night Dance, sponsored by the Hall Board, for Friday, Feb. 12. The Tiedemann Orchestra will provide the music.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Mr. Campion has been in the Tofield Hospital. It is hoped he is now feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Donald, formerly of this district and now residing in Edmonton, were visiting in the district one day last week.

Theresa Rowland stayed with her grandma for the weekend

## Local couple mark 40th anniversary

On Saturday evening, the Oslund family gathered together for a surprise turkey supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Oslund to help celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Jean Campbell presented a corsage to Mrs. Oslund and a purse of money to Mr. and Mrs. Oslund from the family.

Later in the evening, friends came and spent the evening by visiting and dancing.

Jack Hardy presented Mr. and Mrs. Oslund with a gift for which they both expressed their thanks.

Closing the evening, lunch was served by their four daughters, Mrs. Jean Campbell, Edmonton, Mrs. Doris Schacker, Tofield, Mrs. Fern Dutnall, Calgary, and Mrs. Evelyn [illegible]

## Eulogy to Sir Winston Churchill

(by Iris Bitan)

As an English woman, and former member of the English Women's Air Force, who served during the Second World War, I would like to express the fact that Sir Winston, or "Dear Winnie", as he was affectionately known to his fellow countrymen, and women, was a truly great, and fantastic figure of man.

My personal memories of this fabulous, and indominatable leader, and statesman, are of how he spurred the men and women of England to rise up, to think, and act victory, and defiance to the enemy, during those battle-scarred years of 1939-1945.

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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. Jim [illegible])

Despite a cold day, services were held at the United Church [illegible] with a faithful few [illegible] and Les Smith of Ed[illegible] conducting.

**51st ANNIVERSARY**

Mr and Mrs [illegible] McGorran received congratula[illegible] day, Feb. 2nd on the occasion of their 51st wedding anniversary. May there be many more for this gracious couple.

Archie Ferguson was an Edmonton shopper on Thursday, and while there visited his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Edwards. He found them both in excellent health.

Mr and Mrs. Verden Sears joined a family gathering in Edmonton recently, to honor Mr. Sears' mother, who was celebrating her 82nd birthday. Her many friends hope she may have many more enjoyable birthdays.

Mr and Mrs. Jim Holmes were Sunday afternoon guests with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland.

The February meeting of the Ministik Ladies' Club will be held on Wednesday, the 10th, with the roll call being the exchange of a 5¢ Valentine. Have your valentines ready, ladies.

Some members of the Community Club and their friends enjoyed an evening of curling on Saturday at the Tofield Curling Rink. Most of these young people had never curled before, but joined in and declared it was a most enjoyable evening.

Three young chaps, who don't call themselves musicians, nevertheless spend many happy hours together strumming their guitars and banjos.

Mr and Mrs Irvin Likses and family of Edmonton, were Saturday guests with Mrs. Helen Hennessy.

Mr and Mrs. Gordon Thor and Gregory, of Edmonton, were Sunday guests of the Alex Pearce family.

Mr and Mrs. Ellwood Dekinder were weekend guests with Mr. Dekinder's parents at Stony Plain.

# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

**P. McALLISTER [illegible]**

Sympathy of the community goes to the members of the McAllister family and other relatives on the death of their father and grandfather, Peter McAllister during the weekend in Edmonton. Mr. McAllister was an oldtimer of the Lakeshore and [illegible] district where he farmed for many years on a farm just north of Tofield [illegible] Beaverhill Lake and [illegible] his illness a few years ago.

Leonard Loxton arrived home on Monday of last week from work with the Pete Bawden drilling company and [illegible] be home for a time [illegible] the [illegible] ing rig is shut down.

Patsy and Leonard Loxton were Monday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Ronnie and Barbara Geoglein last week.

Mrs. Emil Gesbault of Lindbrook returned home this Monday after spending ten days in the Tofield hospital following a bad fall.

Leroy and Shirley Eaton and children, Margie and [illegible] of Holden were Thursday visitors and dinner and [illegible] guests at the home of Leroy's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton at Tofield.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and girls Lucille and Mary, were Wednesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Eddie and Nola Ferguson and family last week.

Patsy and Leonard Loxton were Tuesday evening visitors and [illegible] also overnight guests, at the home of Patsy's cousin, Doris and Howard Brown at Lindbrook last week.

Doris and Howard Brown of [illegible] were [illegible] afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of [illegible] aunt, Mickey and Charlie Niemetz and family.

Norman and Vivian Jones of Edmonton were Friday afternoon [illegible] and supper guests at the home of Vivian's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg, where they were helping their son, Donald (who is staying with his grandparents) celebrate his [illegible].

Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg and grandson, Donald Jones, accompanied Ruth's daughter, Janet Wickenberg, to Edmonton on Sunday evening, where they will visit Ruth's daughter and Donald's mother, Vivian Jones for a few days.

Mrs. Martha Tiedemann was an afternoon visitor and luncheon guests at the home of John and Mary Wood on Sunday.

Jimmy Francis of Viking was a Saturday visitor and dinner guest at the home of John and Mary Wood.

# Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

Mrs. Doris Schacher attended a surprise 40th wedding anniversary celebration held Saturday for her father and mother at their home in Tofield.

Wednesday evening visitors with Gene and Lynne Schacher were Lorne and Virgie Schacher.

Maxine Schacher celebrated her 14th birthday on Saturday, Jan. 30th, and Monday, Feb. 1st was Gloria Bilan's 16th birthday.

Richard Stadnick and friend, Sharon, were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Wally and Nettie Yez.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Wilma Odlorne is a patient in the Archer Memorial Hospital at Lamont.

Ivan and Florence Malcolm and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Ivan's sister and husband, Ernie and Margaret Vickery of Edmonton.

Saturday supper guests at the home of Howard and Nell Malcolm were Dr. and Mrs. Dobson and family, of Lamont.

Mrs. Winnie McLachlan visited with Mrs. Bessie Pederson and Miss Doughty at the Agnes Forbes Lodge, Fort Saskatchewan, on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Cossey's mother, Mrs. Bailey of Tofield, visited her from Sunday to Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Cossey's granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard of Calgary were Thursday visitors with her grandparents.

Ralph and Alice Cossey were visitors at the home of Bernard and Mary Schacher of Tofield, last Sunday.

**CURLING NEWS**

Curling is now well under way here at Ross Creek. It is hoped for lots of good curling, even with the late start.

George and Winnie McLachlan, and Graham and Elma Snider were participants in the Mundare Co-op bonspiel held at Mundare on Saturday and Sunday, and won first prize in the second event. Other entrants were John and Josie Herchuk and Francis and Sue Shiptitsky.

**AT ICE CARNIVAL**

A number of Ross Creek high school students attended the Ice Carnival dance, held in the auditorium of Lamont high school Friday evening. Highlight of the evening was choosing of the Carnival Queen, and Miss Arlene Frunchak of Lamont was proudly and victoriously crowned queen. Some of the parents attending the dance were Raymond and Frances McLachlan, John and Josie Herchuk, and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Diduck.

The 4-H Club boys of Ross Creek, and Tofield, spent Saturday afternoon on a tour of inspection of cattle on the farm of Harold Weatherill, of Tofield.


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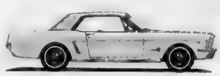

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# School committee meets Jan. 12th

Following are the minutes, in part, of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee meeting, held Tuesday, Jan. 12:

**COUNTY CREST**

In connection with the County Crest, motion 453/64, Mr. Pike reported that a large number of entries had been received and that more would be forthcoming, and that the deadline for submission of the entries had been cancelled. There had been quite a number of very good entries submitted and it would be up to the Crest Committee to finally settle on a suitable crest which might conceivably be a combination of a number of entries.

It was moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the office assistance for school principals, motion 475/64, some further discussion took place, and Cr. Weatherill suggested that, in his opinion, a stenographer might be sufficient. Mr. Pike stated that this would not be very satisfactory, as a straight stenographer would be useless for at least 70% of the work that this person would be expected to do.

It was was finally moved and carried that this matter be deferred to later in the meeting, when Lars Olson would be in attendance.

The secretary-treasurer reported that Title to Lots 11 and 12, Block 9, Plan 3940 W., Village of Holden, had now been issued in the name of the County as No. 154-B-710, this being the property purchased from W. Laskosky.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

A letter [illegible] Johnnie B. Thiessen of Tofield applying for the position of school bus driver at Tofield was referred to the Committee.

Moved and carried that Johnnie B. Thiessen be appointed spare bus driver at Tofield provided he is approved by the Bus Supervisor.

A letter from A. B. Wetter, assistant director of school administration, was referred to the School Committee. The letter stated that Elmer Sagmoen had called at the Department and discussed some of his road and bus transportation problems with Mr. Wetter.

After some considerable discussion, it was moved and carried [illegible] matter be referred to the County Council with the request that, if possible, a road on the east side of Mr. Sagmoen's place be opened up.

Moved [illegible] carried that the Fire Commissioner's report [illegible] cerning the schools at Bruce, Holden and Viking be received and referred to the maintenance foreman and janitors concerned for attention.

Moved and carried that the Bus Supervisor's report for the month of December be received, and that his account in the amount of $31.64 be approved and passed for payment.

**TEACHER AGREEMENT**

The Committee was advised that according to the agreement between the County and the teachers in the County it was necessary to give notice of intent to negotiate amendments or to renew the agreement not later than the last day of January and that at the time of giving notice the party would provide the other with amendments desired to the agreement.

Moved and carried that the Beaver Local ATA be advised of the intention of the County to negotiate the 1965-66 salary grid, and any other items in the present agreement that may require adjustment.

Moved and carried that prepayment on the 1965 taxes on the County's property in the Village of Holden, in the amount of $1,388.16, be authorized.

The secretary-treasurer reported that the case of R. Oslund vs. County of Beaver would be tried in the District Court in Edmonton on January 21, 1965, at 2:00 p.m., and that he and the superintendent, H. A. Pike would appear on behalf of the County. [illegible]

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Mr. Pike informed the Committee that some of the teachers had inquired about plug-ins for their cars at the schools and he inquired if the policy, suggested a year or two ago in this matter, would still be considered by the School Committee. The suggestion had been a charge of $3 per month per car for the winter months.

This was not considered too satisfactory, and it was moved and carried that, providing there is sufficient demands for plug-in, this be arranged for with a charge of $12 for the season for each plug-in.

**TOFIELD SCHOOL FIRE**

Mr. Pike referred to the fire at the Tofield School on Dec. 17, and stated that, with the approval of the Insurance Adjuster, he had employed Watson (Tofield) Limited to do all the necessary repair work, and that an initial estimate of the cost of the repairs had [illegible] $4,500 to $5,000.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and action concurred in.

Mr. Pike referred to Motion 427/63, which stipulated that school buses could not operate for extra-curricular activities when the temperature was down to 20 degrees below zero or more. He stated that the principals of the schools felt, as well as some parents, that the regulation was too drastic, and that he also agreed with this. He stated that in most cases a car driven by a teacher accompanied each bus and that therefore the danger of the bus being stalled in the middle of the night with no way of getting assistance was quite remote.

After some discussion, it was moved and carried that, providing a car with at least one teacher accompanies the bus, motions 427/63 and 61/61 be rescinded, and the question whether a bus should be used for extra curricular activities within the County be left to the discretion of the principals.

**BUILDING PROGRAM**

Mr. Pike referred to the need of additional rooms at the Viking School, namely a Biology Laboratory, a Chemical Laboratory, a Commercial Room and a General Purpose Room; also, possibly two washrooms and additional storage room. He stated that the architect, Mr. Clovig, together with himself, Cr. Roddick and Mr. Allen, had looked over the situation at the Viking School and that no difficulty was encountered regarding space for the proposed extension, which would be on the south side of the home economics building. The architect stated that he would interview the School Building Board to see what the possibilities were for the proposed extension.

Mr. Pike suggested that the County should try to purchase the two lots adjoining the school grounds, and it was moved and carried that the proposed project be approved, and that the Building Committee endeavor to obtain information as to whether the two lots, referred to by Mr. Pike, could be purchased.

In regards to the Building Projects at Holden and Tofield, Mr. Pike reported that the work on these projects was progressing very favorably, and that only some minor changes had been necessary.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Mr. Pike mentioned an amplification unit was needed at the Ryley School and that the Students Union was prepared to assist in the purchase of this unit, which would cost approximately $300.

Moved and carried that the purchase of the amplification unit be authorized at an approximate cost of $300, to be shared on a fifty-fifty basis between the County and the Ryley Students Union.

Mr. Pike referred to the numerous repairs that had to be made to the water line to the Holden School on the County's property, and stated that he and the secretary-treasurer and Cr. Gibson had discussed the advisability of having the line replaced with a different type of material.

Moved and carried that the cost of replacing the present water line on the County's property at the Holden School be investigated and reported back to the Committee.

**PRINCIPALS' ASSISTANCE**

Lars Olson, representing the Beaver Local ATA, attended the meeting at this time. The matter of office assistance for school principals was brought up at this time, and some considerable discussion took place. It was mentioned that one or two of the principals in the County were not entirely in favor of the proposal, having stated that they did not know how to lay out the work for an office assistant of this type.

It was finally moved and carried that Mr. Olson discuss this matter at the next Principals' meeting to ascertain if the principals are 100% in favor of the proposal, and that the question be tabled to the February meeting, at which time a report should be available.

Mr. Pike mentioned that a Ditto Machine was badly needed at Tofield School.

Moved and carried that purchase of a Ditto Machine for the Tofield School be authorized.

**BUS AND DESK PURCHASES**

Moved and carried that tenders be called for four only 48-passenger school buses.

Moved and carried that 30 large pupils' desks be purchased.

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# Around town

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Osland of Edmonton, a son, on Monday, Feb. 1st.

Born to Mr and Mrs. R. Lansing of St. Albert, on January 19th, a daughter, Katherin Louise.

Yvonne and Cindy stayed with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yakabuski while their mother was in the hospital.

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Pat and Calvin Gill and family of Edmonton spent the weekend at the Osubko and Gill homes.

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At the Ole Hjelter home on Monday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pope of Ryley.

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Sunday afternoon coffee visitors at the Ole Hjelter home were Mr and Mrs Fred Hertetter and family.

Mrs. Helen Wikhm was able to return to her home on Saturday from the Tofield hospital, much improved and all wish her a speedy recovery.

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Mrs. Reinold Grinde of Holden was a dinner guest on Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter.

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Mrs. Rose Rose was an overnight guest at the Roe Phillips home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wikhm and baby visited at the Walter Wikhm and LaRock homes over the weekend.

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Mrs. Barbara Neufeld of Tofield passed away January 29 at the age of 82 years. She is survived by five sons and three daughters. Funeral services were held Monday, Feb. 1st from the Tofield Mennonite Church, with Rev. David Regier and Rev. Abe Baergen of Tofield officiating.

Rose Mathews from High Prairie is staying at the Dunlop home and is employed at the Diamond Cafe.

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Joanie and Ray Majeau, Karen and Barbara and Pete Majeau of Edmonton were weekend visitors with Mildred and Findley Dunlop.

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Keith and Elsie Appleby and Jack and Gloria Grover attended the "Grand Ole Oprey" held in Edmonton on Friday night.

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Mrs. John Koop entertained a few friends on Thursday afternoon in honor of her mother, Mrs. Pete Dueck, the occasion being her 81st birthday.

Mrs. J. McCowan spent a few days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCowan at Fort Saskatchewan.

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Out of town visitors at the T. Gray home on the weekend were Pat Gray, Mrs. Robert Ash and Ellen from Viking, Edna and Fred Johnson, Ruth and Don MacDonald and Evie Gray from Fort Saskatchewan and Stan Snell from Edson.

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INJURES FINGER

Albert Haukedal suffered an accident to the index finger of his right hand, resulting from getting the finger of his glove in the fan belt of his car.

## Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Alex Gordey, MLA of Vegreville, was a business caller around Holden district and a caller at the village office Saturday, Jan. 23rd

Mr and Mrs Marshall Slywka of Edmonton were weekend visitors with Marshall's mother, Mrs William Slywka, on Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 23rd and 24th. Her daughter and son-in-law were also visitors on the Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bilyk were visitors in Edmonton on Monday of last week, Mrs Bilyk having dental work done

Joe Alexander was a business visitor in Daysland Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Miss Annie Black of Edmonton was visiting with her brothers and families a couple of days last week and was an overnight visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Foran.

Dr. Leslie-Spinks, health officer for Vegreville Health Unit and Ed Najdziak, also of the health department, were business callers at the village office Wednesday of last week.

David Good and children of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with his mother, Mrs. Lars Ritland and Mr Ritland, Sunday of last week.

TRIP TO CALIFORNIA

Mrs. N. L. Campbell entertained Mrs. T. A. Liden and several other ladies, for coffee Monday afternoon of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Liden were leaving Saturday, Jan. 30th, for a three week vacation with their daughter, Ardis and family, Mr and Mrs. Gordon Hafso, in North Hollywood, California.

BIRTHDAY OBSERVED

A number of relatives and friends met at the home of Mrs. Lillie Grosland Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 20th, to wish her a happy birthday. Mrs. Grosland is one of the oldtimers of the district, and all present congratulated this grand lady on reaching another year and we also, with many other friends around the district, wish her more happy years in our midst.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell entertained a number of ladies for coffee and tea Thursday afternoon of last week.

**Joe Padiecki, former manager of the coffee shop at the hotel, now chef and manager of the Pan American Hotel in Edmonton, was a visitor in Holden Wednesday of last week.**

## New books at library

YOUTH

"The Black Stallion Challenged" by Walter Farley.

"Beastly Boys and Ghastly Girls" (collection of poems) by Wm Cole.

"24 Days Before Christmas", by N. L'Engle.

"Barbie Goes to a Party", by Jean Bethel.

"Alice in Wonderland" (Easy-reader with pictures) L. Carroll.

"Pippi Goes on Board" by A. Lindgren.

ADULT

"The Invisible Government" by Wise and Rose.

"Terror in the Name of God" by Simma Holt.

"The Trap" by John Knowles.

Encyclodedia of Art, E. Mun-[illegible]

"Reinhold Craft and Hobby Book" by Gunther Voss.

On Loan from Extension Library

"Nine Tomorrows" by Asimov.

"Ridorado Jane" Bottome.

"Other Side of the Coin" by Boulle.

"Hit and Run", Creasey.

"Ranch in the Cariboo" by Fry.

"Miss Willie" by Giles.

"How not to kill your Husband" by Hutchin.

"The Longest Night" (historical fiction) Lewis.

"Pnin", by Nabakov.

"Homecoming" by Snow.

"Wild Summit" by Stuart.

EASYREADERS

"Sledges to the Rescue" by Briggs.

"Tweeter of Prairie Dog Town" by Gag.

"Eddie Makes Music" Haywood.

"The Otters and the Indians" by Hogan.

"Everything Happens to Stuey" by Moore.

"How to do nothing with nobody" by Smith.

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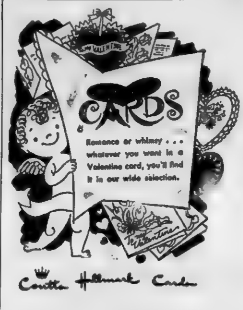


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## Beef production school is slated for Holden

All beef producers should welcome the news from the District Agriculturist's office that a beef production school will be held in Holden on Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb 16th and 17th. This school is designed to provide the latest information on production and building trends in the beef industry will begin at 10:00 a.m. on each of the above days and will continue through to 4:00 p.m.

The speakers at [illegible] will be C. Gordon, livestock supervisor with the Alberta department of agriculture and J. Forrest agricultural engineer. Mr. Gordon will deal with all phases of beef raising and management while Mr Forrest will speak on building design and construction, water systems and other engineering requirements for beef producers.

All farmers are urged to take advantage of this opportunity to get the latest information on this industry first hand.

## Tofield Legion polio drive slated for Wed.

Members of the Tofield branch of the Royal Canadian Legion will conduct a drive for funds for the Canadian Foundation for Poliomyelitis and Rehabilitation next Wednesday evening, Feb. [illegible]th. The drive will get under way at 7:00 o'clock.

Residents of the town are asked to leave their porch lights on for the drive. Rural donations will be received at Macleod's, the post office or Frank Langkaas.

$45,000 IN 1963

In 1963 the Alberta Chapter of the Canadian Foundation for Poliomyelitis and Rehabilitation received funds for the care of Polio Patients in the amount of $45,000

For several years the Foundation had eaten into a reserve that was intended to care for any contingency, but the demand had been so great that in 1963 they had to borrow from the bank in order to meet every day expenses.

The 208 branches of the Royal Canadian Legion throughout Alberta raised approximately $70,000 in 1964, and were [illegible]ible for more than 900 polio victims receiving assistance in one form or another. This assistance ranged from helping students in the University of Alberta, both Calgary and Edmonton, to providing transportation to and from hospitals all over Alberta.

WANT $80,000

During the 1965 campaign, January 15th to February 28th, 1965, the Royal Canadian Legion hopes to raise $80,000 and again help the polio victim to "Live in Dignity".

The only help employed by the Foundation is a secretary in the Provincial Command office in Calgary. No rent is paid for this accommodation and the Foundation is able to keep expenses to an absolute minimum by utilizing the services of every Legion Officer throughout the Province.

The Directors of the Polio Foundation are the elected officers of the Command and the President and General Chairman is the President of the Alberta Command of the Royal Canadian Legion.

The Foundation books are audited annually and a financial statement is submitted monthly.

The Directors of the Foundation feel confident that their objective of $80,000 will be met in 1965, as all Legion branches in the province have been alerted and are now arranging the new drive for funds.

LUTHERAN CHURCH NEWS

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — The Lutheran Church Ladies' Aid held their February meeting in the dining room on Thursday, Feb. 4, with Mrs. Margaret Bugge and Mrs. Erna Maaren as hostesses.

Pastor Stanley Rude is now in residence at the Lutheran manse, and preached his first sermon here on Sunday, Feb. 7th. In spite of the inclement weather and snow-blocked roads, there was a good attendance to welcome him to his new parish.

SIX SISTERS AND THEIR RELATIVES

These ladies, one of them from Tofield, gathered to meet for a holiday on the beach at Waikiki in the Hawaiian Islands. In the background is Hawaii's trademark, famed Diamond Head crater. Dressed in colorful muumuus and pictured in the gardens of the Halekulani hotel are the six sisters (standing left to right) Mrs. Alvin Jacobsen and Mrs. Will J. Gilmore, both Vancouver; Mrs. Fred Burdeck, Unity, Sask.; Mrs. Alex Horne, Victoria; Mrs. Ed Stitt, Vancouver; and Mrs. Ken Meir, Lakewood, California. Other relatives (seated, left to right) are Mrs. James Park, a cousin from Unity, Sask.; Mrs. Mona Marshall, sister-in-law, Vancouver; Mrs. R. J. McKay, cousin, Tofield; Mrs. R. R. Lloyd, cousin, Unity, Sask.; Mrs. W. Pecock, Vancouver, B.C., mother of Mrs. McKay, and Mrs. Lloyd. —CP Airlines Photo.

## Blackfoot grazing Association meets

Members of the Blackfoot Grazing Association met in annual meeting last week to hear a report on 1964 operations and to make plans for 1965.

The secretary-treasurer reported that although the association had an operating loss of $966, the bank balance still stood at a healthy $4,500. The operating loss was due largely to the fact that $2,000 was spent on brushing to improve the carrying capacity of the pasture.

The meeting voted to continue making further expenditures for brushing and clearing, and directed the executive to investigate the possibility of spraying brushed areas to retard the regrowth of brush. It was also decided to sow grass where feasible to increase the value of the pasturage.

Mr. Klumph, inspector with the department of lands and forests, expressed satisfaction with the manner in which the pasture was operated and commended the association for the manner in which they attempted to improve the pasture through controlled burning, brushing and spraying. He reported there was nothing new to report insofar as ARDA was concerned. However, he expressed the hope that some assistance might be forthcoming from that source before the year was out. He also urged the association to study and adopt a new constitution, which, he said, was necessary to ensure the continued operation of the association. He indicated that the new suggested constitution demanded that all persons using the pasture should be members of the association. The matter of the new constitution was considered at some length but was tabled for the time being to allow all members sufficient time to study it before making a final decision on many of the regulations involved.

Following the business portion of the meeting, an election was held, and Roland Booth, Leroy Finseth and George Williams were re-elected to a further three-year term of office.

## Locals . . .

Sunday visitors at the Chilcowich home were Mrs. Chilcowich's brother, Nick and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nester Romaniuk, Mr. and Mrs. Shandro, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Macaborski, all of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Komaniuk from Lamont. A number of friends and relatives helped Annie and Pete celebrate their 25th anniversary on Sunday.

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Mrs. Freebury spent a few days last weekend in Calgary, buying new books for the library, after which she went on to the coast for a short visit.

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Joe Jamault from Winnipeg, Man., spent Saturday and Sunday at the Pittet home. Mr. and Mrs. Pittet and Susan and Joe Jamault spent Monday and Tuesday in Edmonton where they attended the Macleod's convention.

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Hans Beier, M and M Store, was the winner of the Arf and Arf this month.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hunter and girls from Fort Saskatchewan were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunter.

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Betty Swanson attended the Locker convention held in Red Deer last week.

## Beaver county council meeting

EQUIPMENT PURCHASE

Following are the minutes (in part) of regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9, held Thursday, Jan. 14th. Present were Councillors Wm. A. Doriz, A. L. Gibson, W. D. Johnston, W. Kropielnicki, E. M. Magneson, J. H. Roddick and H. Weatherill.

Mr. George Gallimore, representing R. Angus (Alberta) Limited, interviewed the Council at this time with a proposal for one new Caterpillar Diesel D7 series E. equipped as per proposal at a price of $31,401.00 and a new Caterpillar No. 127 cable-control unit at a cost of $3,445.00 making a total cost of 34,846.00. Trade-in of a Caterpillar Diesel D8 Tractor equipped with No. 25 cable-control unit of $7,346.00 leaving a net purchase price of $27,500.00.

The proposal was fully discussed and the tender was considered quite satisfactory. It was then moved and carried that we only consider purchasing a Caterpillar tractor and that no other make of equipment be considered.

Moved and carried that we purchase the D7 Caterpillar Tractor for a net price of $27,500.00 as per quotation submitted by George Gallimore.

Business arising from the minutes

In the matter of County of Beaver being declared a disaster area for freight assistance, motion 646, 682 64, the Secretary-Treasurer referred to the Council a letter from Mr. A. M Wilson, Field Crop Commissioner, further outlining the situation in this case.

Moved and carried that the information be accepted and the letter received and filed.

ROUND HILL FLOOD CONTROL PROJECT

In regards to the Round Hill Flood Control Project, motion 645 64, the Secretary-Treasurer reported that the account had been submitted to the Department of Water Resources in the amount of $3750.00 and that the amount of $440.00 had been received from the County of Strathcona being the contribu-

(Continued on Page 10)

NOTES ON THE WEATHER. Josephine Defaire was wondering whether we're due for a long or short winter so she went to interview the traditional winter weather prophet, the groundhog. If Mr Groundhog sees his shadow when he pops out of the snowbank Feb. 2, it means we're in for six more weeks of frigid wintry weather.

# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Feb. 10th. — Friday evening supper guests ... [illegible]

OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Mabel Johnson celebrated her birthday on Friday ... were Olaf and Nora Anderson, Albert and Agnes ... [illegible]

Last weekend Leonard and ... [illegible]

Ronny Foshaug returned home on Wednesday from the ... hospital where he was a patient for three weeks. ... [illegible]

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# 24 rinks participate in Ross Creek men's 'spiel

(Iris Bilan)

ROSS CREEK — The Ross Creek men's open curling bonspiel was held at Ross Creek on February 5th, 6th and 7th, with 24 rinks entered. Winning rinks in the first event were, 1, Eddie Mazurek, Edmonton; 2, Glad McCue, Fort Saskatchewan; 3, Ernie Rocque, Fort Saskatchewan; 4, Graham Snider, Ross Creek.

Mazurek and McCue played off for the Grand Challenge and were tied in the 11th end, victory coming to the Mazurek rink with David Antoniuk, the skip of the Mazurek rink, throwing the last rock in the 12th end and making a perfect draw shot.

Second event winners were: 1, Billy Ferby, Edmonton; 2, Geo. McLachlan, Ross Creek; 3, Bill Litun, Hilliard; 4, Paul Stadnik, Mundare. Bill Ferby's win is attributed to his wonderful cheering section, consisting of his wife and her two lady companions.

Third event winners were: 1, Adolph Gobert, Josephburg; 2, Basil Marler, Ardrossan; 3, Gordon Olsen, Ardrossan; 4, Ed Regehr, Tofield. Ted Arbaldistin, who curled with the Gobert rink, was especially happy to be in Ross Creek again, as it was his first return in 25 years, the occasion he attended a quarter of a century ago was his brothers wedding dance.

Hard luck event: Before winning first in this event, Ken Pederson defeated the Paul Stadnik rink and the Ed Bartz rink of Lamont; 2nd was the Archie Garret rink of Lamont, who defeated the Joseph and George McLachlan rinks before dropping down. The Garret rink was skipped by Boyd Strand, formerly of Ross Creek.

Ron Goeglein of Tofield forfeited his second game to Basil Marler as due to the heavy storm of Friday night, Ron had to battle snow and shovel his way home after his Friday night game, and did not reach his home until 4 o'clock Saturday morning.

A good deal of entertainment and pleasure was derived Saturday from the curling between the Ed Regehr rink and the teen-age rink consisting of Ross Creek boys, Laurence Woytowich, Scott Malcolm, Stuart Snider and Wayne Malkewich. With the spectators being behind the teen-age team in full force, Ed had to resort to being his own cheering section for each good shot he made. Other Ross Creek teen-age boys who participated in this 'spiel were Larry McLachlan and Richard Stadnik.

ROLLIE MILES HERE

A sumptuous banquet was served to all entrants Saturday evening, with the highlight being the speeches made by Rollie Miles, who played on Norm Swartz's team from Edmonton, Bill Ferby, John Melnyk, Chipman. Each of the spokesmen acclaimed in glowing terms the hospitality and good sportsmanship of the Ross Creek people and each one stated how pleasant it was to curl here.

The Athletic Club wishes to express their grateful thanks to the volunteer workers in the lunch booth, to all the members of the home teams who donated pies, and to Raymond McLachlan and Graham Snider for the choosing of the very nice prizes and trophies. Greatly missed in the booth this year was Wilfred Van Buskirk who, owing to illness, was unable to render his services of usual.

# From the mail bag

## Opposes liquor store

Proposed Government Vendors at Tofield and Viking:

I was happy to see that one of the Councillors of Tofield repudiated the report in the town council minutes regarding his vote about location of government vendor in Tofield as previously published in the Tofield paper. Also there seems to be considerable opposition by the citizens to the extent that the application may be refused for Tofield.

I have been told that there is no opposition in Viking. Imagine! I am sure that a majority of the citizens of Viking are actually opposed to this second vendor of poisonous beverages. But they are namby-pamby's without any backbones unable to say no when the liquor interests says yes, and perhaps half-way believing what the paper very falsely asserts.

To induce sensible people to believe the combined sales of two outlets of these poisonous beverages would not add to the gruesome category of final results where one outlet existed previously, especially when the second outlet dispenses much more potent wares is too silly for words.

I am hoping the good citizens of Viking and vicinity will wake up and quash this satanic effort by the liquor interest. I believe Tofield will escape this additional boozery.

A. Finseth.

## Another protest

February 7, 1965.

Editor, The Mercury:

I wish to associate myself with those of this community who are protesting the establishment of a Government Liquor Store in Tofield.

The arguments that:

(1) Such an outlet would benefit the town's merchants is extremely doubtful.

(2) People are going to get it anyway, so why not here is fallacious both on moral and practical grounds.

Of course such an outlet would be a convenience to those good folk whose yearly liquor consumption is almost negligible, but those whose appetites are not so well in control, such convenience would be nothing less than disastrous.

My observation is that we have sufficient youth problems in Tofield and surrounding area already. An additional liquor outlet would, in my opinion, compound the situation.

Surely it is unnecessary in this day to point up the distress caused by excessive liquor drinking: financial stress, broken homes, moral degradation of men and women, families and youth. Why court an increase of these conditions?

To ask the age old question, "Am I my brother's keeper?" is to answer it.

Yours sincerely,

Walter L. Hammett,
Rector Holy Trinity
Anglican Church.

# Local cadet wins $125 scholarship

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — Officer Cadet Roman Jakabow, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jakabow recently was presented with a Royal Canadian Engineer Memorial Scholarship, which is valued at $125, for high academic standing and leadership. Roman is attending Royal Military College at Kingston where he is studying Engineering Physics and, on completing his course this year, will continue his career with the Canadian Army. Roman has had a most distinguished course during his studies both at Royal Roads College B.C., and now at Kingston, winning many scholarships and awards and standing high in all his examinations. He is to be congratulated in winning this latest award.

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# THE RYLEY TIMES



## Ryley A-I reports continued progress

One of the best turn-outs at an annual meeting in the history of the Ryley A-I Unit Association attested to the increased interest in the work of the association, when over 50 members attended the annual meeting last week.

The financial statement, read by Secretary Mrs. Wm. Winenes, indicated that the association was in a financially sound position and would again pay dividends on the year's operation. The only discordant note sounded was the unduly large accounts receivable figure which was in excess of $2,800. Many members questioned the secretary on this matter and were advised that every means possible, short of legal action, was used to try to collect the outstanding accounts without too much success. The meeting went strongly in favor of taking legal action against those members who neglected to pay overdue accounts. Members were advised that dividends would be aid as soon as these funds were collected.

The secretary reported that although several new members were enrolled, the number of cows serviced remained about the same as in previous years. The two technicians, O. Hagen and R. Potts, were able to adequately handle all the calls without difficulty. It was stated that although most of the demand was for service of dairy bulls, there was a continued increase in the use of beef bulls.

Harry Stauffer, who was appointed by the executive to attend the provincial convention at Red Deer, reported to the meeting on the actions taken by the Provincial body at the convention last summer. He was highly commended for his report by Chairman Roland Booth.

H. B. Jeffery, supervisor of A-I for the Alberta department of agriculture gave a lecture on "Selection of Bulls". This enlightening talk gave the members a greater insight into how bulls were selected for use in A-I studs and gave all members a better understanding of what to look for when they were selecting bulls for use on their herds.

In his talk, Mr. Jeffery stated that it took from five to seven years to test and select a bull before his service was available through A-I Units, and the costs of this selection was in the neighborhood of $12,000 for each bull. Most members expressed surprise at the time and money involved in proving a bull and went away satisfied that using A-I bulls was a very cheap way of obtaining the service of the very best bulls in Canada.

Following the talk on bull selection, Mr. Jeffery was questioned about the conception rates, and he gave results of research tests which showed that conception rates for A-I were as good or better than that obtained through natural breeding. He stated that where individual cows in a herd were difficult to settle, a veterinarian should be consulted to determine the cause, because it could be caused by one of many diseases or physical deformities. However, when an entire herd was having conception difficulties it was usually found to be caused by poor feeding or management practices. Local unit records, he said, showed that the conception rates obtained by local technicians was on a par with the provincial average so was satisfied that the technicians were doing excellent work. He suggested that if any member was having conception difficulties he should make certain his animals were amply supplied with minerals, vitamins, and high energy feed for a reasonable length of time prior to breeding. He warned that due to the poor pasture season last fall and the feed shortage this winter, more than normal numbers of repeats could be expected unless care was taken to ensure that all cows received proper levels of nutrition prior to breeding season.

Following the business session, elections were held to fill vacancies on the board of directors. Reuben Giebelhaus was elected to fill the un-expired term of the late George McVige, and John Warner and Ed Chappell were elected to further three-year terms.

The meeting was closed with a reminder that all members should try to promote the use of A-I by their neighbors. All cattlemen living within a 25-mile radius of Ryley can obtain the services of the A-I Unit by phoning the secretary at Ryley, 1?2 between 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. Service charges are $8 per cow. Farmers who have not used A-I service are urged to try breeding a few cows so that they can see how much improvement can be expected through use of proven A-I bulls.

## Holden news briefs

The Sea Cadets of Holden and Viking attended the recent hockey game held in the Edmonton Gardens, Oil Kings vs Drumheller Miners, in which the latter team won 5-3. Gene Bilyk and Don Manchur accompanied the Holden boys and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bornas, and Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor the Viking boys.

Mrs. Campbell was a visitor and supper guest with Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ritland Monday of last week.

Peter Ogonoski was an Edmonton visitor last Saturday driving up to visit with his sister, Mrs. John Kaluzny, who is a patient in the Misericordia Hospital, following surgery.

The Friendship Group will meet at the home of Mrs. Carrie Olson on Thursday, February 18. All those interested are cordially invited to attend.

**Mr. and Mrs. Larry Harris of Killam, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, on January 15.**

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ratke, from B.C., were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Foran. Marilyn, with their small son, David and new baby daughter visited for several days last week with her parents while her husband attended a convention in Calgary. Mr. and Mrs. Foran were making the acquaintance of their new granddaughter.

Eddie Piasta of Edmonton, lawyer in attendance each Tuesday afternoon at the Village office, has been away on holidays in California the past three weeks, and Edgar Gerhart has been taking his place.

## Holden 4-H Club has annual meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Holden 4-H Club held its third annual meeting Friday, January 15th in the Beaver Co-op office Holden. The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Dennis Olson and the pledge was then given by Bill Lowry. The usual roll call was taken and later the land location of each member. Ways of raising funds were discussed and it was decided that a bake sale would be held. (This was held February 6th in the Holden Meat Market).

Dwayne Marcinkoski thanked the treasurer, Marilyn Tymchuk for her talk on "Commercial Cattle Production in Alberta". Richard Tymchuk gave a report on record-keeping, and he was thanked by David Afseth.

Guest speaker for the evening was Dr. Millar who spoke on the "Wild Life of the North". Dr. Millar was introduced by Steven Motkoski, who also thanked Mr. Millar at the conclusion of his talk.

Lunch was served at the conclusion of the meeting.

The next meeting will be held on February 19th, when a skating party will be held.


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—The Henderson Family.
24p-1944

### 1 FUTURE DATES

**BAKE SALE**
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The Tofield girls have won seven games and lost two, which entitles them to the trophy donated by Gabe Pittet for the league winners. The boys have won five games and lost three and finished the season in second place. The tournament is to be held this year in the school of the girls' league winner and will therefore commence in the Tofield gym tomorrow evening.

**TOURNEY SCHEDULE**
On Friday, Feb. 12th, at 7:30 the Tofield girls will play the Viking girls. At 9:00 the Holden girls will play the Ryley girls.

On Saturday, Feb. 13th, at 9:00 in the morning, the Holden boys will play the Ryley boys. At 11:00 a.m., the Viking boys will play the Tofield boys. At 1:00 p.m., the girl losers will play; at 2:30 the boy losers will play; at 4:30 the girl winners will play; at 7:00 the boy winners will play.

Prices: Adult $1.00; Students 50c for the entire tournament. Everyone welcome.

After the games, a high school dance will be held with the visiting teams, coaches and cheerleaders invited.

## Locals . . .

**HERE FROM OREGON**
Mrs. Blanche Hosler had as her guest last week her grandson Arthur Lewis of Albany, Oregon, U.S.A. Arthur also visited in Edmonton with his uncle, Gerald Hosler, and family, and the Ray Hosler family, returning home Saturday by plane.

## Church notes

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
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11:00 a.m. Other Sundays Worship Service.
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Sunday, Feb. 14th
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11:00 a.m. Public Worship
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Sunday, Feb. 14th
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11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m.— Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

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## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs Joe Knudson)

The Zion L.C.W. met Feb. 3 with Mrs. Allan Hellekson. The Bible study was led by Mrs. C. Bratrud. Offering for lunch $10.30. Next meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 17th with Mrs. Lyle Bratrud.

Pastor Palmer Olson, his brother Julius Olson, and sister, Mrs. T. Oseass motored to Peace River Wed. upon hearing of the sudden passing of their brother, Rudolph Olson.

Wednesday evening guests at the Anton Peter home were the Frank Urlachers, Joe Peters, Leo Urlachers of Bawlf, Philip Urlacher, Daysland, and the Henry Rienhart family, Bawlf.

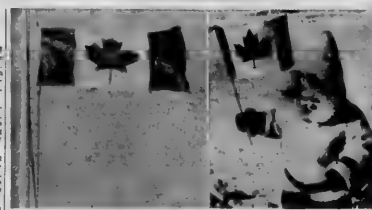
Friday night visitors who helped Morris Reum observe his birthday, were Grace, Vern Glen and Billy Reum, Carol Chapell, Noreen Campbell, Larry and Valerie Johnson, Garry Stenerud, Harold and Alf Reum, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stenerud and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Reum, Philip, David and Alana.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Sam Lockhart underwent surgery in the Daysland hospital. The children Sidney and Mavis are presently staying with their grandparents the Henry Stenaruds.

The grade 10, 11, and 12 students at Ryley accompanied by three teachers, Paul Voegtlin Dennis Siminon and Diane Davis went by bus to Edmonton and enjoyed hearing the Symphony Orchestra (40 pieces) and a choir of 150 at the Jubilee Auditorium Tuesday night.

Hans Mosby and Lawrence Hoveland are patients in St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose.



THE BITTERNESS FORGOTTEN. After months of furore, on February 15 it becomes official . . . Canada will have a new flag. The maple leaf flag, chosen in December, will be raised proudly atop the Peace Tower of the Parliament Building, day before Parliament meets. Right, little Mark McDayter is too young a Canadian to know what all the fuss was about, but he thinks the new flag is certainly pretty. And by the time he's an adult, perhaps the bitterness that came with the birth of our nation's flag will be forgotten.

## Mark anniversary

(Mary Mitchell)

KETCHAMOOT — A family gathering was held on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coombes on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary. A turkey dinner with all the trimmings was brought and served by their daughters, sons and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Coombes were married in Holden on February 8th, 1915, and settled on a farm in the Ketchamoot district where they have farmed all of their married life. They have three sons and three daughters, 14 grandchildren, and one great-granddaughter to give joy to their golden years.

Their children presented them with a television set. They received numerous telephone calls, gifts, cards and flowers.

Due to the road and weather conditions and illness, celebrations were postponed to a later date.

# Modern Etiquette

Q. Is a man supposed to pay for everything during a date, even when she makes a telephone call?

A. Yes, without exception. If she has to make a call, have a dime ready, and if she runs out of cigarettes, produce a fresh pack. And if you're in a posh place which has a powder room with attendants, don't forget to ask if she needs some change.

Q. Do you approve of sending birthday cards or any kind of greeting card via third-class mail, that is, with the flap of the envelope tucked inside and unsealed?

A. No. Any sincere and heartfelt greeting should be a "first class" one, and deserves the dignity of a five-cent stamp.

Q. Isn't it the girl's privilege to select the table when entering a restaurant with a male escort?

A. No; she should allow her escort to do this.

Q. Just what is the proper way to get the attention of a waiter or waitress in a restaurant?

A. All that should be necessary is for the diner to raise his hand or one finger in a summoning gesture. If this fails, the diner may call softly, "Waiter", or "Waitress" (not "Miss"). No glass rapping or finger snapping, please! You may also ask another waiter or waitress to fetch yours.

Q. I've just received an invitation to something called "a trousseau tea". Exactly what is this, and am I expected to take a gift?

A. This is a very intimate tea party given by a bride-elect for her best girl friends, for the purpose of showing her trousseau. And you are not expected to take a gift.

Q. Is a woman ever introduced or presented to a man?

...s, but ONLY if he is an official of high rank, an ecclesiastical dignitary, or a very elderly man.

Q. If an usher at a church wedding doesn't recognize a guest, how does he know on which side of the church to seat him?

A. He may ask whether the guest is a friend or relative of the bride or groom. Of course, if the church is filling up on one side and the other is conspicuously empty, the usher may begin seating guests on either side in order to balance things up.

Q. When friends and guests come to your home to spend the evening watching television or playing cards, is it expected of the host or hostess to serve refreshments?

A. Certainly—if you want to be thought of as a GOOD host or hostess.

Q. At an informal dinner in a private home, where there is no maid, who starts the dishes around the table?

A. After the host or hostess begins passing some of the dishes nearest them, the guests pitch in and start the dishes nearest them.

## Around the town

Mrs. J. Oslund spent a few days in Edmonton with her son, George, and family, returning home Saturday.

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Saturday visitors with Don and Ella Hardy were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hamilton of Edmonton.

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Don't forget the Billy Graham film "World's Fair Encounter" Tuesday night, Feb. 16th, at 8 p.m. in the Community Hall.

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## Lakeshore -

Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamont and Donald and Daryl Bertch of Edmonton were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Yvonne's parents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann.

Mrs. Betty Chaddick and two little girls of Edmonton arrived Sunday at the home of her parents, Lionel and Emma Ferguson, and while here she has also been visiting her sister, Mrs. Jean Williams and family. She returned home on Wednesday.

Herb McAdam is still in the Tofield hospital where he has been a patient for the past two weeks. We all wish him a speedy recovery and hope he will soon be able to be up and around again.

We were sorry to hear that Mrs. Tillie Yurkowski is a patient in the Lamont hospital and all wish her a speedy recovery.

The weather lately has been quite changeable with one day thawing, the next snowing and blowing with temperatures dropping from 30 above to 20 below in less than 24 hours. Everyone hopes we will soon have more settled and warmer weather.

## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

Despite a stormy day church services were conducted at the United Church by student minister Les Smith of Edmonton.

**RECREATION GRANT**

A very good representation participated in a discussion regarding a grant by the provincial government for recreational purposes in the community at the Ministik Hall on Wednesday, Feb. 3rd at 8:30 p.m.

After many good suggestions it was decided to use this money towards improvement of the hall.

Several from the community attended the grocery bingo at Hastings Lake Hall on Saturday evening. Few who attended came home empty handed as a lot were fortunate enough to win one bingo or more. Among these were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Williams, Mrs. Russell Rowland, Mrs. Lloyd Grummett, Mrs. Claude Leach and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson.

A speedy recovery and continued good health are wished Mrs. Grace Grummett who underwent surgery on her leg in an Edmonton hospital recently.

The dance on Friday evening sponsored by the Community Club was enjoyed by all present. A very stormy night cut down the attendance.

Bill Reddick visited his dentist at Sherwood Park on Friday having several teeth extracted.

Alex Kleinschroth has been doing some carpentry work at Mrs. Norah Jame's home.

**61st ANNIVERSARY**

As in years past, Archie Flowers of Edmonton, bringing a lovely birthday cake, sandwiches and a bouquet of spring flowers surprised Mr. and Mrs. Alex McSporran on their 61st wedding anniversary. Among the guests were Mrs. Irene Williams and Mrs. S. George. A most enjoyable evening was had by all in attendance.

Ministik friends join in extending their deepest sympathy to Mrs. Norman Willmore in the tragic loss of her husband in an auto accident on Wednesday, Feb. 3rd.

Due to severe cold and stormy weather, your correspondent lacks news items for the column.

## Palmer - Earling news items

PALMER-EARLING: Jan. 27 —Ingvald and Tom Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Eivald Aspenes, the Joe and Ed Knudsons were recent visitors at the Bob Beattie home.

Pastor P. Olson of Bawlf conducted Bible study at the Alvin Bratrud home Friday night.

Saturday supper guests at the Harry Johnson home were Mr. and Mrs. Gabelhaus, Diane and Gloria of Holden, Noreen and Diane Campbell, Ryley, the George Mosbys, Alvin and Lyle Bratruds, Allan Hellekson, Mrs. Anne Bratrud and Clifford Bratruds.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Throndson were Sunday visitors at Ed Knudson's.

**BIRTHDAYS**

Mr. and Mrs. Edof Wikhe were Sunday afternoon guests with Mrs. Alma Steffen, the day being her 73rd birthday. Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steffen and Wanda were guests there for a lutefisk supper.

On Sunday, the Stenerud families were guests at the Cecil Stenerud home marking his mother, Mrs. Haakon Stenerud's 74th birthday January 12. Mrs. Don Campbell Sr., and Donald Law of Round Hill were also present.

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## Holden news

Due to the severe storm Friday night and blowing conditions Saturday morning, the rural mailman, Joe Alexander was unable to make his trip around Route #1 having to turn back due to badly drifted roads.

The annual meeting of South Holden Mutual Telephone Co. was postponed from Saturday, February 6, and will now be held Saturday afternoon, February 20, in the Masonic Hall.

North Holden Mutual Telephone Co. annual meeting will be held Saturday, February 13 in the Masonic Hall at 2:30 p.m.

Dave Hladilo of Edmonton was a weekend visitor this past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hladilo.

## Around town . . .

Mrs. Roberts spent the weekend in Edmonton with her daughter and family, returning home Saturday.

**SHOWER HONORS LOCAL BRIDE**

A miscellaneous shower was held last Saturday evening in the United Church basement, in honor of Mrs. Hamilton (nee Dianna Hardy), when over 30 friends of the bride gathered to wish her happiness in the future. Her sister, Gerry Hardy, and cousin, Marion Hardy, helped her unwrap the many beautiful and useful gifts after which Dianna thanked everyone and for coming out in the storm. A delicious lunch was served by the ladies of the Eastern Star.

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## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The Lakeshore UCW will meet at the home of Mrs. Mae Ferguson on Wednesday, Feb. 17th at 2 p.m., weather and roads permitting. Please try to be early. Visitors are always welcome. Read the first two chapters of Genesis before writing out the answer to the question.

Johnny and Gloria Wood and Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald were Sunday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Johnny's parents, John and Mary Wood.

Mrs. Ida Siemens is attending the croup clinic in Edmonton this week.

Wednesday of last week dinner guests at the home of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen were Carl's parents, Julius and Martha Jacobsen, also his uncle, Bill Wolfe, all of Edmonton. They later visited Martha and Bill's sister, Bertha and Roe Phillips in Tofield, and their brother-in-law, Jack Miller, in the Tofield hospital.

**Sympathy of the district is extended to the Conrad Simonson family on the death of Conrad's brother, Martin, last week, and to all members of the Simonson families and other relatives.**

**JIM CANNON PASSES**

Sympathy also goes to Mrs. Mildred Cannon of Edmonton whose husband, Jim, passed away on Friday. It also goes to the Cannon families of Innisfail and Viking and other relatives of Mildred and Jim. Mildred will be remembered as the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Graham, formerly of the Lakeshore district, where she lived as a young girl and attended high school at both McKenzie and Tofield schools.

Donna and Frank Edwards of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of Donna's parents, Mae and Howard Ferguson. On Saturday, Mae and son Nelson accompanied Donna and Frank on a business trip to Elk Point. After returning Donna and Frank left for their home in Edmonton on Sunday afternoon.

Tom and Elsie Basaraba and son Darrell of Chipman were Monday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Howard and Mae Ferguson. Later Monday, Willie Nashman was an evening visitor and supper guest there.

## Mrs. Gertie Ferrel hosts UCW meeting

(Iris Billan)

ROSS CREEK — The United Church Women held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Gertie Ferrel on Wednesday, Feb. 3rd with a nice turnout of members. Roll call was answered by a donation of candy or cookies which were later presented to the ladies of the Aeries Ladies Lodge, Fort Saskatchewan. No whist drives will be held for the month of February. Anyone interested in buying electric light bulbs, a family pack of four for $1.00, please contact Wanda McLachlan, proceeds of same for the church building fund. A lovely lunch was served by Nell and Florence Malcom.

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## Aud-ities

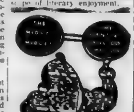
by Aud Jorgenson

"The Spread of the Eagle", a Sunday afternoon TV program, is something which I feel is worth the time and attention of all TV viewers and should be of special interest to High School students studying Shakespeare and Roman history. Julius Caesar is now being played in part installments and I suggest that parents take a special interest in these programs and encourage their children to watch them.

It's a standing belief among teachers that nothing makes learning easier than seeing, and visual helps are fast becoming a major part of the classroom. When things like these are made so readily available to the student at home, it seems a shame to pass them by. Programs similar to this offer one of the few remaining arguments in favor of the worth of this thing which has otherwise been termed a mechanical menace to the student.

And it's not only the student that I feel would benefit from this type of show, but parents and younger children should also be able to appreciate a little of this culture. There is enough drama in Shakespeare's plays to appeal to even the youngest, and it is only the criticism of older people who continually suggest that this type of entertainment is dry and boring, that convinces younger people this kind of literature isn't worth their time.

Once again I impress upon the student that this is well worth your time and effort and may even help you gain a few marks on those finals where your understanding of Shakespeare counts rather heavily. If for no other reason than this, it would be to your advantage to spend a half-hour increasing your scope of literary enjoyment.



**The County of Beaver No. 9**

**NOTICE**

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TAKE NOTICE that a penalty of 5% will be added to all unpaid taxes at the close of business February 26th, 1965.

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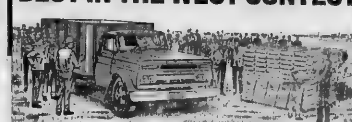

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# Bardo LCW to aid children in Alaska

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO Feb. 10th — The Bardo LCW met at the home of Mrs. Horghild Erickson Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 3rd. Mrs. Mabel Johnson gave the devotion, and Mrs. Patricia Litwin led the Bible study "The Law of Love". Mrs. Nita Kindley read the offering meditation.

It was decided to send $50.00 toward the building of a children's home in Alaska. It was also decided to visit the Bethany Home in Camrose with a program on March 18th, if the date was suitable, when each member will bring a towel, dish cloth or pot holder. Mrs. Olive Foshaug, Mrs. Evelyne Stauffer and Mrs. Beatrice Mosby were chosen by the stewardship secretary, Mrs. Alice Stokkan, to act on the work committee.

The roll call was answered by 19 members with a favorite Bible passage, and Mrs. Louis Lerbekmo of Cooking Lake, Mrs. Petra Stauffer and Mrs. Sharon Strois from Tofield were visitors.

Mrs. Agnes Haukedal and Mrs. Diane Reil assisted the hostess with the serving of lunch. The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Evelyne Foshaug.

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# Beaver county council meeting

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tion from that County towards that project.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

**Road Complaint**

In regards to the road complaint lodged by Mrs. Gordon Lancaster and dealt with by motion 652 64, Cr. Johnston stated that he had not made the investigation in this case on account of the cold weather.

**SPECIAL CONTINGENCY ROAD APPROPRIATION**

In regards to the Special Contingency Road Appropriation, motion 654 64, the Secretary Treasurer stated that the acting Chief Maintenance Engineer had informed him that the road from Tofield north to the County boundary D.H. 345N, would not qualify for regravelling with the use of Contingency funds.

Moved and carried that information be accepted and the letter received and filed.

**COUNTY HANDLING GRASS AND CLOVER SEED**

A letter from Canwest Seed Company concerning the County handling grass and clover seed for farmers in the County was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the letter be referred to the Agricultural Service Board for consideration.

**ALBERTA FIRE PROTECTION ASSOC.**

Correspondence from the Alberta Fire Protection Association was referred to the Council with a recommendation that the County join the Assoc. The membership fee being $10.00 per year.

Moved and carried that the County of Beaver No. 9 does join the Alberta Fire Protection Assoc.

**SPEED ZONE AT LINDBROOK**

A letter from Mr. Earl E. McFall of 7614-118 Street, Edmonton with a copy of a petition signed by residents of the Lindbrook area and forwarded to the Hon. G.E. Taylor, Minister of Highways, requesting a speed zone of 25 miles per hour on Highway 14 in the Hamlet of Lindbrook was referred to the Council.

It was considered that the speed zone would not be necessary if the access road in the sub-division was completed and further more a speed as low as 25 miles per hour was not considered advisable.

Moved and carried that the Council goes on record as not being in favour of the petition.

**ROAD COMPLAINT**

A letter from the Assistant Director of Schools Administration concerning Elmer Sagmoen's complaint of the distance that his children have to walk to the school bus was referred to the Council, the letter having been considered by the School Committee on January 12th and ordered referred to the Council for action.

Moved and carried that the Assistant Director of School Administration be advised that no school buses are operating on private roads but that efforts will be made to open the road east of N. E. 22-27-34-52-19 which will bring the bus stop to some ½ mile from Sagmoen's house.

**MUNICIPAL INSPECTOR'S REPORT**

The Inspector's report from the Department of Municipal Affairs concerning an inspection made of the books and records of the County on December 9th, 1964 was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and that the necessary report be made to the Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs.

**SPECIAL CONTINGENCY ROAD APPROPRIATION**

Letter from District Engineer concerning the Special Contingency Road Appropiation with a request that application for grants under this Appropriation be submitted as soon as possible was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that application be made for the completion of the present Contingency Road east of 27-34-48-16 and east of 3-10-15-49-16 and further that application be made for regravelling part of the road already constructed; also that if the funds are available, application be made for the regravelling of the Lindbrook road.

**QUINTE SCHOOL BUILDING**

The Secrtary-Treasure report that two tenders had been received for the purchase of the Quinte School Building, located on Pt. N.E. 30-47-11-W.4th. One tender submitted by Harry McKinney of Viking in the amount of $130.00, the second bid submitted by Arthur These of Viking in the amount of $250.00.

Moved and carried that the tender submitted by Arthur These of Viking for the purchase of the old Quinte School Building, located on Pt. N.E. 30-47-11-W.4th in the amount of $250.00 be accepted.

**COMPLAINT RE BANGS VACCINATION**

A report from Rex Boyles as Inspector under The Livestock Diseases Act, concerning a complaint from Dan Eberhart regarding Bangs Vaccination, was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

**RECREATIONAL FACILITIES GRANTS PROGRAM**

A letter from Mrs. Rae R. Fairbrother, addressed to Cr. Weatherill, concerning the Recreational Facilities Grants Program extension to smaller communities was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. George Olberg of Edmonton spent a week recently visiting with her brother, Bud Sizer, and Mrs. Sizer and family.

Pete Sizer of Crescent City, California, a brother of Bud Sizer, spent the past week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer and other relatives.

Miss Victoria Motkoski, who is presently employed at Wainwright, was visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Motkoski, for the weekend a week ago.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Carl Sizer, who was a patient in the Camrose Hospital for ten days after surgery, is now at home, and was able to return to school last week.

Mrs. Mary Andrews returned home the early part of last week, after being a patient in Tofield Hospital for a month recovering from a bad attack of the 'flu and receiving treatments for an infection.

Terry Good, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Good, who was a hospital patient in Tofield for several days with a very bad attack of tonsilitis, returned home the early part of last week.

**UNIVERSITY CHORUS**

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Zwierschke, with Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell, motored to Edmonton on Tuesday evening Feb. 2 to attend a concert given by the University of Alberta mixed choir at the Jubilee Auditorium. Norma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zwierschke, who is a student at the university, is a member of the choir. They greatly enjoyed the concert and said the singing was really excellent.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Slywka of Edmonton were visiting with Marshall's mother, Mrs. William Slywka last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Raeder entertained several ladies for supper a week ago Sunday.

Alex Barlow was a weekend visitor with his brother, Percy, and Mrs. Barlow for the weekend of last week.

Keith Ruxton, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruxton celebrated his birthday Tuesday, Feb. 2nd and entertained eight of his friends at a birthday party after school.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children were visitors and dinner guests with Robert's family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor last Wednesday.

Mrs. Jene Wayne, of Ryley, was a business caller in Holden a week ago Wednesday.

Mrs. Joe Alexander, of Edmonton, came down Tuesday evening to visit with her husband fo ra few days, returning home on the bus Thursday evening.

**PROMOTION**

Mrs. N. L. Campbell received word a week ago that her son Bill, of Winnipeg, has been promoted to manager of the Toronto, Ontario, branch of his firm, Bailey Meters, but will not be leaving Winnipeg immediately. Bill has been manager of the Winnipeg branch for the past five years. His wife and three sons will not be leaving until school is out. Bill received his schooling in Holden and took his degree in civil engineering at the University of Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Jack Keith was an afternoon visitor with Mrs. Mabel Sizer on Wednesday of last week.

Miss Donna Benigfield, nurse at the University Hospital, visited for three days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Vogt.

Al Johnson, of Edmonton, inspector with the Provincial Fire Commission department, was in Holden Wednesday and Thursday morning of last week, making the annual Village fire inspection.

**County of Beaver is sponsoring an Agriculture School next Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 16th and 17th, in the Holden Community Hall, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. All farmers and others interested are cordially invited to attend one or both days.**

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Fediuk and family were recent supper guests at the home of the Van Cauwenbergers, who reside on the former George Mehler farm.

Art Boetcher of Edmonton, a former resident of Holden, was a visitor in town one day last week. When in Holden, Art was employed in the butcher shop, and is now with the Welfare Department in the city.

Miss Myrtle Laskosky was visiting last week for several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Laskosky.

**PIONEER GROUP MEETS**

The Pioneer Group met at the home of Mrs. Earl Hardy Thursday afternoon, February 4, with 12 ladies present. Chapter 5 was taken in theid study book on "God and His Purpose", by Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Ruxton, who held a question period afterwards. Mrs. Ruxton was also in charge of the devotions.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Maurice Runkenveld, and devotoins will be taken by Mrs. R. Raeder. Mrs. Campbell would like to advise those ladies who subscribe to "The Observer" that dues for this should be paid this month to be eligible for rates on the "family plan".

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus has been visiting the past two weeks with her daughter Dorothy and family at Ardith.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann and Mrs. Eloise Chamulke were visiting with Mrs. Cliff Foran Thursday evening, to meet Mrs. Bob Ratke and children who have been visiting for several days this past week.

Mrs. Mary James drove to Edmonton with Mrs. Ruxton Monday morning, to have test, and examinations on her eyes.

Mrs. Jean Lemko is confined to home this past week with an attack of the 'flu.

# Kingman news briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Feb. 8th — Service on Sunday, Feb. 14th, at the Salem Lutheran Church will be at 11:30 a.m. with Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.

Salem LCW meets Thursday at the church parlors at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wick, Miss Idie Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seljehaug were dinner guests Wednesday afternoon at the Oscar Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchinson and Gary Hutchinson of Drayton Valley were recent visitors with the Roy Hutchinsons.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Simonson and Mr. and Mrs. N. Hovelson, Myrna and Melvin, were Sunday evening visitors at the Roe Phillips home at Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Ness were Monday visitors in Edmonton with relatives.

Miss Theresa Towry of Camrose spent Thursday to Sunday visiting at the Lloyd Bjorgum home.

**M. SIMONSON PASSES**

Merlin Simonson passed away Thursday, February 4th, at St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose, at the age of 51 years after a lengthy illness. Funeral services were held Saturday at the Haveland Funeral Home. Sympathy of the community goes to Mrs. Simonson and family in their sad loss.

Sympathy also goes out to Mrs. ... Oness family and relatives in the sudden passing of her brother, Rudolph Olson, of Beaverlodge. Funeral services were held Saturday at Scandia Church.

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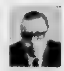

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# Beaver county council meeting

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Secretary contact Mrs. Fairbrother with the necessary information.

Moved and carried that the Elks Club No. 164 at Kinsella be given information concerning this special Recreation Grant.

Some further discussion on the Special Contingency Road Appropriation was held at this time and it was

Moved and carried that application be made to have the road east of N.E. 15-49-16, north 9½ miles to the Correction Line hence west 4 miles to hence north 4 miles to the boundary of the County be applied for as a Special Contingency Road; as an alternative the road from the Correction Line could go straight 2 miles to the boundary rather than west and north.

TOFIELD HOSPITAL

Cr. Weatherall brought up the matter of the proposed remodeling of the Tofield Hospital stating that the proposal was not at all satisfactory as it would actually reduce the bed capacity of the hospital and the estimated cost, approximately $100,000.00 was unwarranted for the benefits that would be obtained.

Moved and carried that it be recommended to the Dept. of Public Health and to the Flagstaff-Beaver Auxiliary Hospital Board that consideration be given to have the present Tofield Municipal Hospital converted into a nursing home and a new hospital constructed to take its place.

# Community suffers loss in passing of Mrs. Abernethy

The recent death of Mrs. George Abernethy, a highly respected and much loved member of that rapidly diminishing group we know as the pioneers, came as a deep loss to family and friends. She made her presence felt in her home and neighborhood by an unobtrusive but complete giving of herself in service to those whose lives touched hers.

Margaret May Wood was born in Kansas in 1880, and moved, while a baby, with her parents and two older children to a farm in Oklahoma on the Cherokee Strip, that had been won by her father, the late Henry Wood, in the famous race in 1889.

HERE IN 1901

In 1901, Mr. and Mrs. Wood and their seven children came to what was then the North West Territories, arriving at Wetaskiwin in September, and travelling by horse and wagon to Tofield. Maggie had started her schooling in Oklahoma, and after coming to Tofield, attended the old Tofield, Logan and Lakeshore schools.

In 1905, Mr. and Mrs. Wood moved from their farm, now part of the townsite of Tofield, to a homestead north of town in the Lakeshore district. Here they established a home that was known far and wide for its hospitality to friends and strangers alike, and famous for Maggie's delicious baking.

When Maggie was in her early teens, Mrs. Wood suffered a serious illness and never fully regained her health, and the burden of housekeeping, and mothering the younger members of the large family became almost wholly Maggie's. As time went on and family members moved away to establish their own homes, they never failed to gather at Christmas and on Maggie's birthday, drawn together by the one who had been the heart of their home for so many years.

In the spring of 1937, she went to live with her brother, Lloyd and was there till after her marriage to George Abernethy in 1911.

Many of the large crowd that gathered to pay their last respects recalled the countless kindnesses received from Maggie's generous hands. Typical of these memories was that of one pioneer woman who said, "We would never have had the courage to stay and face another Alberta winter but for Maggie's kindness to us that first year."

Maggie had a wonderful sense of values that made it possible for her to make important the things that should be important —and her quiet but keen sense of humor enabled her to put lesser things in their proper perspective. She took great pleasure in her garden and shared her flowers and vegetables with all who called. Never too busy to help others in time of need, she also rejoiced with them in their good fortune. A member of the Lakeshore United Church and the Lakeshore WA, she served as president of the latter for several years and was presented with a life membership by that group in recognition of her faithful service.

Mrs. Abernethy passed away January 15th, and was buried in the Tofield Cemetery January 19th. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Ricker, a long-time friend, from the Tofield United Church. The pallbearers were Jim Francis, Tod Gray, Elmer Geoglein, Joe Jones, T. D. Ferguson and Doug Murray, all friends and neighbors of long standing.

The numerous floral tributes and memorials bore silent testimony to the high regard in which Mrs. Abernethy was held.

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

It is alright to hold a conversation, but you should let go of it now and then.

Richard Armour. JWR

# Ross Creek district news briefs

(Iris Bilan)

Lynne Schacher and baby were visitors with Doris Schacher on Monday.

Terry Craney was home with his family on Sunday.

Saturday, Feb. 6th, was the birthday of Max Schacher and visitors with Max and Doris that evening were Gene and Lynne Schacher, Lorne and Virgie Schacher, Alvin and Mabel Hauer, and Maurice and Lil Van Buskirk.

Lil Van Buskirk's mother, Mrs. Mary Schacher, of Medicine Hat, and her brother, Ken, and wife were Sunday visitors at the home of Lil and Maurice. Lil's mother is staying on to visit for a few days more.

Nick and Mary Malkewich attended a Ukrainian supper held in Chipman on Friday evening.

James and Rose Woytowich attended a "Pusrhenia" held at Solman Saturday night.

# Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Sunday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Coombes were Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olsen of Holden and Jeanie and Pat Sears. Monday evening callers were Mary and Ivan Mitchell.

Dwayne Sears of Calgary spent the weekend at home with his parents, Ruby and Charlie Sears, and sister and brothers.

Many of the farmers of the district are curling in the bonspiel this week.

Mr and Mrs. Roy Whillans and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Radford in Edmonton.

Later in the evening, they called on their son, Gerald, and his wife, Grace, and grandson.

A quilting bee was held on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Mitchell. Present were Mrs. Bertha Belcourt of Spilstead, Mrs. D. Watt, Bonnie and Linda, Mrs. Mary Larson and Dwayne, Mrs. Mavis McLeod and Susie and Greg, all of Lindbrook.


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# Lions will sponsor ice carnival

The Tofield Lions Club will be the sponsors of an ice carnival to be held in Tofield this weekend. First events will take place Saturday night, with more to follow Sunday afternoon.

Included will be broomball games, a ladies' hockey game, a junior hockey game and a moccasin dance on Saturday night. Topping it off will be the crowning of the carnival queen, with a good prize for the winner of this contest.

A trophy will be presented to the winner of the broomball game.

There will be races for the children as well, and prizes will be presented to the winners.

More details regarding this carnival will be found in the advertising columns of this issue of The Mercury.

# Gordey addresses FUA on 'marketing board'

Alex Gordey, MLA, was the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Holden Local of the FUA last Wednesday. The meeting, attended by over 80 members, was one of the best attended meetings for many years, which attests to the interest in Mr. Gordey's subject, "Marketing Boards." Mr. Gordey outlined the present thinking and proposed legislation on this matter. He stated that the provincial government for assessing marketing plans submitted by commodity groups and to advise these groups on how best to achieve their objectives. This council would also make recommendations to the cabinet and would be called upon to supervise the operation of boards which would be established. He also gave the meeting an outline of the manner in which established boards operated in Ontario and the experience of the Manitoba groups to date.

RESOLUTIONS

Following his address, two resolutions were presented. The first was a resolution requesting the government to change the present voting registered voters in favor. The meeting was of the opinion that this was not in keeping with accepted democratic procedures where 51% of the votes cast was sufficient to carry an election.

The second resolution dealt with eligibility of voters. The present regulations state that anyone marketing five hogs in the previous year is considered an eligible producer and thus eligible to vote in a plebiscite. The resolution requested that a producer would be eligible to vote only if he sold $500.00 worth of hogs in the previous year. This resolution received considerable discussion but was passed despite considerable opposition.

MOTION REJECTED

Mike Tchir spoke at some length regarding the necessity for more concern about the present grading system. He insisted that if present grading standards were improved there would be no need for changing the presenet marketing setup. Chairman Jim Tymchuk ruled that his motion was out of order inasmuch as the subjects under discussion were matters dealing with voting procedures and suggested that he bring his motion to a subsequent meeting.

Henry Wiebe, Edmonton

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NO SHOW FEBRUARY 27

There will be no show at the Tofield Theatre on Saturday, Feb. 27th, because the hall is booked. Showing Friday, Feb. 26th, will be, "The Wheeler Dealers".

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

Misunderstandings and neglect cause more mischief in the world than even malice and wickedness.

F. W. Robertson JWR

# Holden couple observes 60th anniversary

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Feb. 13. — On Sunday, Feb. 7th, Mr. and Mrs. George Albrecht with all their family met at the farm home of their son John, the occasion being to celebrate the 60th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Albrecht, who were married in 1905.

All the family were present, three sons and six daughters. Their son Richard of Vancouver, B.C., visited for a few days with his parents before returning home last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Albrecht also have 24 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Albrecht have been residents of the district and Holden for many years and have been quite active until this last winter, when they were ill with severe attacks of the 'flu. We wish this happy couple many more years in our midst and returning good health in the near future when warmer weather comes.

CANADA'S PRIDE

Canada's new maple leaf flag was run up many flag poles in Alberta on Monday, some flying it proudly first thing in the morning, while other waited until it was official at 12 noon to unfurl the new colors. Jim Mah Photo.

# World Day of Prayer service on March 5th

The Women's World Day of Prayer service is held each year on the first day in Lent following Ash Wednesday. This call to prayer issued by the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada started in a very humble way, originating in the hearts of a few Christian women. It was not always interdenominational nor was it always international. In 1887 the Presbyterian women in the United States began observing a day for united prayer for home missions. For many years home and foreign mission groups observed days of prayer separately, but in 1919 they came together and a committee representing both national organizations prepared a service the theme being "Christ the World We Bring".

In Canada in the year 1919 a committee was set up, convened by Miss Bessie MacMurchy, who later became the treasurer and for 22 years served most faithfully a cause she dearly loved. The committee was composed of a group of women with true Christian vision and outstanding ability who were brave enough to follow an untrodden path—an inter-denominational day of prayer for women. The first of these services was held in 1920, and in 1922 they joined with the women of the United States who were similarly planning and the first International Day of Prayer was held. At the request of interested women in other lands it became the World Day of Prayer in 1927.

After World War II having in mind the critical needs of the post-war world and observing the fact that the World Day of Prayer observance should not be limited to members of missionary societies, but was meant to unite all Christian women, including young women and girls in fellowship and service, plans for advance were made. At the annual meeting held on May 15th, 1946, the inter-board committee of Women's Missionary Societies became the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada.

MODERN MIRACLE

The World Day of Prayer is a modern miracle with the services held and the offering received increasing year by year. For this we are grateful to God who gave this day in which Christian women worship together around the world as an expression of their united witness. This order of service is

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# Agricultural Service Board hears report on conference at Two Hills

The Service Board conference at Two Hills in December was discussed by members of the County of Beaver Agricultural Service Board at their meeting held January 26th. The members felt that this was [illegible] of the best conferences of this type they had attended. However, some of the board members felt that more time should be taken up by service board members and less by government officials, as these officials should be present to find out what changes in policy or legislation are required by municipalities.

It was [illegible] that Rex Boyles was appointed to a committee to arrange a program for the next conference, and it was felt he should be advised of any topics the board would like discussed. [illegible] topics were [illegible]tioned —crop insurance and public relations. A small portion of the County will be in the crop insurance area, and after a crop season some discussion on this point would be advantageous. Public relations concerning service board work and aims should be discussed, as there seems to be a lack of understanding by ratepayers for the purpose of a service board.

RECLAMATION

The provincial department of agriculture through the field crops branch submitted a land reclamation project to ARDA, which has been approved.

The objectives of the program are to reclaim land damaged by wind and water; reclaim areas on cultivated land affected by alkalinity due to natural drainage, and to reclaim land seriously affected by infestation of persistent perennial weeds.

The assistance is not to exceed $200 per farmer for a maximum of three years, and is on a cost sharing basis as follows: Cost to the farmer, [illegible]; cost to the federal government, 25%; cost to the province, 25%; cost to the municipality, 16 1/3%.

The amount of funds available for each municipality will be about $1,000 per year.

This project has been included in the 1965-66 Agricultural Service Board program, and it was agreed to try to take advantage of this project.

A letter was read from Mr. L. G. Dobry regarding the control of weeds on road allowances. The writer felt that this should remain a county responsibility, as most farmers do not have the equipment necessary to do this job and that roadsides are too steep for cutting. Also, some of the weeds have been introduced by the County from gravel pits. The letter was received and filed.

The field supervisor said in report, "Since the last meeting, Bang's vaccination and pest

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## Bardo news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Feb 15th - Sunday School and church services were called off for the third consecutive Sunday due to the blocked roads.

Mr and Mrs Charles Rude and children motored to Viking on Sunday where they were dinner guests at the Edwin Klein home in celebration of their son Gordon's birthday.

Mr and Mrs Charles Rude entertained at supper on Friday evening when their guests were Mr and Mrs Harry Mosby and family, Mr and Mrs Phillip Anderson and family, Mr and Mrs Lester Severson and Mr and Mrs. Don Litwin and Gregory.

## Holden news

TELEPHONE MEETING

The annual meeting of the South Holden Mutual Telephone Co. was postponed from Saturday, Feb. 13th, and will be held as a joint meeting with the North Holden Mutual Telephone Co. on Saturday, Feb. 20th, in the Masonic Hall, at 2:30 p.m. A good attendance is hoped for. A telephone meeting was held Wednesday, Feb. 10, in the Community Hall, when a discussion took place on the new system of telephone lines to be installed in the near future for rural lines.

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## ATA plans for Education Week

The Tofield A.T.A. sub-local held its regular meeting on Feb. 9th.

Attention was drawn to Education Week which will be held March 7th-14th. In order to provide better relations between the Home and School during this time Mr Cribb's Grade X social studies class will stage a mock town council meeting, to which the public will be invited.

Another activity of the Week will be an A.T.A. meeting, at which Dr Harper from the University will speak on the topic, "Mental Health."

The annual Teachers' Bonspiel will be held in Viking on March 20th.

## Mrs. Rude is hostess to Bardo WCTU meet

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO Feb 15th The WCTU met at the home of Mrs. Borghild Rude on Wednesday afternoon, opening with the president reading a poem. Mrs. Pauline Rude read Psalm 121 for devotion.

It was decided to have a speech contest, the tentative date set for March 20th. A nominating committee was elected and Mrs. Pauline Rude, Mrs. Marie Frances and Mrs. Nita Kindley were chosen.

"Lest we forget" was the clip sheet read by four of the members, paying tribute to Frances Willard, founder of the WCTU.

A marble statue of Miss Willard is the only statue of a woman placed among those of the greatest men that lived in the U.S. in the Statuary Hall, Washington.

The meeting adjourned with the repeating of the motto and the hostess served lunch to ten members and the visitor, Mrs. Verna Hart.

The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Selma Cinnamon. This will be the annual meeting and reports will be given.

## Canadian pictures shown to students

The two Grade VIII classes had the privilege on Tuesday of being shown slides of Ontario, Quebec and the Maritimes by James Francis.

Since the class is working on the beginning of Canada in their Social Studies unit, these pictures were of great interest.

## Ministik news

Mrs. Claude Leach and Mrs. Helen Hennessy were Edmonton shoppers on Thursday.

INJURED IN FALL

Mrs. Les Whitford has been giving husband Les a helping hand with the janitor work at the school since he had a nasty fall on ice on the streets in Tofield.

## Re-union for 'Fusiliers'

Plans for an All-Ranks, all-battalions re-union of the Edmonton Fusiliers have been arranged starting with a smorgasbord dinner at the Norwood Legion (82nd Street and 112th Avenue Edmonton, for 6 30 p m. Friday March 12 Any former Fusilier interested is asked to contact Jack Clucas, former R.S.M. of the 2nd and 3rd Battalions, at 11202 - 60th Street, telephone 479-2237.

Committee members include six former Fusiliers drawn from the 1908 Regiment, 1st, 2nd and 3rd Battalions.

## Valentine tea is huge success

The Junior Hi Valentine Tea was a huge success due to the excellent attendance of parents and friends.

The Valentine motif was carried out in decorations of pink and silver. Large pink and silver hearts were joined by pink streamers to decorate the sides of the gym. On the end wall of the gym was displayed a collection of Valentines of many years ago. The tea table featured a Valentine centerpiece and was emphasized by pink, white and silver streamers. Suspended from the ceiling was a huge hoop from which silver cupids and pink hearts moved in the air currents. Cupid table centres and pink candy baskets decorated the tables for the guests.

An added feature to this year's tea was the crowning of the Queen of Hearts. The six nominees were Donna Mosby and Lynn Astley from Grade VII, Gwen Sears and Leona Thiessen from Grade VIII, Gwen Klassen and Louella Schacker from Grade IX. Mr. Lampitt, vice-principal of the Tofield school, anonunced Louella Schacker as the winner and crowned her as the Queen of Hearts. All the contestants were presented with boxes of chocolates. The Queen received a heart-shaped pendant as a token of her sovereignty. The Queen then drew the lucky ticket, the owner of which was Douglas Fleseth, who received a heart-shaped box of chocolates.

The students and staff of the Tofield Junior Hi wish to thank all those who supported [illegible] yearly effort.

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## News items from Holden district

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

Members of the Friendship Group are arranging the program for the World Day of Prayer which will be in conjunction with members of the Lutheran Ladies' Aid in the United Church. Those interested are asked to keep this date in mind. This is a service held all over the world on this date, the first Friday in Lent, 5th of March.

We were pleased to hear that Mrs. Joe Hendel, who is a patient in Tofield hospital, is making good progress after recent surgery and hope she will soon be home again.

HOME FROM SOUTH

Hans Huseby returned home a week ago from his trip to Las Vegas and Los Angeles, where he and several friends spent a month holidaying. Mr. Huseby reported good weather, with a couple of nights down to about 30 degrees. Other places were having very bad weather and road conditions were poor.

Mike Chupka was to Tofield Wednesday of last week to bring home his mother who has been a patient in the hospital at Tofield for the past three weeks, having treatments for arthritis.

Geo. H. Taylor, co-ordinator of the County of Beaver No. 9 EMO unit, and Joe Chamulka, EMO co-ordinator for the village of Holden, attended the regular meeting of co-ordinators and directors, Monday afternoon, Feb. 8th, in the county office, Ryley.

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus, who was visiting with her daughter, Dorothy, and family at Ar[illegible] for two weeks, returned home at the weekend a week ago.

HOLIDAY IN ENGLAND

Mrs. Carrie Olson heard from her son, Harry, who is holidaying in England, that he had spent a week visiting around London and was then going to visit various localities in Sussex where he was stationed with the Canadian Army during World War II.

Mr. Jeglum, brother of Mrs. Lars Olson, who makes his home with Mr. and Mrs. Olson, was taken to a hospital in Edmonton Wednesday of last week for treatments to an infected foot.

George H. Taylor was a business visitor at the county office in Ryley Wednesday afternoon attending to affairs concerning EMO.

Harold Giebelhaus has been helping Metro Poole in the store while T. A. Liden and Mrs. Liden have been spending a three-week holiday in California with their daughter and family, the Gordon Hafsos.

Mrs Angus Keith was forced to stay in the village overnight Thursday of last week owing to the stormy conditions and they [illegible] home on the Friday morning after the snow plow went through their road.

The Holden Lodge, OORP, held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening, Feb. 9th. In spite of poor weather, there was a good turn-out of members. The usual business was attended to and a donation made to St. Mary's Home, Edmonton. Lodge work was practised for the annual inspection which will be at the March meeting. The hostesses for the evening were Ladies Taylor and Siner.

AT CHRISTENING

Mr and Mrs Cliff Foran took their daughter, Mrs. Bob Ratke, and two children, who have been visiting from New Westminster, B.C., to Edmonton a week ago Saturday, to meet Mr. Ratke, who had been been attending a convention in Calgary. Mr. and Mrs. Foran attended the christening of their new granddaughter the following Sunday, who was named for her great-grandmother, Mrs. Grace Foran, and great - great - grandmother, the late Mrs. Mary Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Ratke and children returned to their home the early part of the week.

IN HOSPITAL

Larry Strilchuk, eldest son of Mr and Mrs. Paul Strilchuk, has been a hospital patient in Tofield for the past three weeks. He had an infected knee which he has been having drained, and now has an infection in his hip, and is receiving treatments and X-rays. We hope it will not be too long before he is able to come home.

Mrs. Mary James spent the past week in Edmonton, having eye tests and visiting with friends. She also was [illegible] her son Arthur of Vancouver, B.C., who had been attending a convention at both Banff and Calgary, and who was to be in Edmonton Friday on his way to Prince George on business before returning home to Vancouver. Mrs. James and her son visited together Friday, and Mrs. James returned home by bus Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevan Kondrat and children were visitors over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kondrat.

Mrs. Derkach, teacher in the Holden High School, was away from her teaching duties the end of last week, due to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Malowany, of Edmonton, were visiting over the weekend with Paul's mother, Mrs. Malowany.

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## Ryley and district news briefs

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Mrs Roland Booth has returned home this week from her trip to Oshawa Ont., and reports having an enjoyable holiday, with even the weather co-operating fairly well. She found both Vern and Gordon well and studying hard for their exams.

**Mrs. Betty Weins has returned to her home after being hospitalized in Tofield for quite a long stay. She is now feeling much improved in health, and we trust this feeling will continue.**

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Nerassen returned over the weekend from two weeks' visit at Athabasca.

When the County of Beaver hold their annual ratepayers' meeting on Saturday, Mar. 6th, the Lutheran Church Women will be serving a waffle lunch all day, commencing at 10 a.m. in the dining room.

Taking advantage of the two-day holiday from school during the teachers' convention, Miss Valerie Main of Edmonton came to visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Halberg. When the short holiday was over, Mr. and Mrs. Halberg took their granddaughter home, and stayed over the weekend in Edmonton to visit with their daughter, Norma, and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Main.

Mrs. Lavina Loades is visiting in Calgary with her daughter, Gerry, and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tiedemann and family.

There was no Lutheran Sunday School this week due to the snow-blocked roads.

Madeleine Budinski and children of Edmonton spent a long weekend visiting with Madeleine's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pope.

EDUCATION WEEK

To mark Education Week March 7th to 13th Ryley elementary teachers are sponsoring a meeting at the school on the evening of Wednesday Mar. 10th, for parents of the children attending their classes. The topics are the new arithmetic program, and the continuous program plans for grouping in reading. Parents are asked to attend for the meeting has been planned to foster understanding of the new method and change.

Mrs Hazel Davidson is a patient in an Edmonton hospital.

## 4-H'ers attend winter rally

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — One of the most popular of 4-H social activities was held on Saturday, Feb. 13, when the annual curling and skating rally was held in Viking. It was a poor day for travelling, and many members living in the country couldn't get through the snow-blocked roads to attend, but still over 100 members were there to spend a very pleasant day on the ice. The ladies of Viking and district were kept busy supplying the hungry members and grown-ups accompanying them with hot dogs, coffee, and pie. Six clubs from Ryley were represented, who went to Viking in a school bus driven by Edwin Kloepper.

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## Shower fetes Joan Ferrel

(Iris Bilan)

ROSS CREEK — A bridal shower was held Saturday evening, Feb. 13th at Ross Creek to honor Miss Joan Ferrel, who is to be married in the near future. As Saturday was a very stormy day, and many roads were impassable due to high snow drifts, many were unable to attend, although 22 ladies were present, as well as a number of teen-age girls.

The hall was very prettily decorated in a Valentine theme by Joan's sister, Ruth. Joan, the bride-elect, was very attractively attired in a midnight-blue brocade dress, accented with a red rose corsage. Entertainment was provided by Miss Lorna Ferrel and Miss Barbara Wuetherick, both cousins of the bride-to-be, who arranged the shower. Very nice prizes were awarded to the winners of the contests held.

After Joan had opened her lovely gifts and thanked everyone present, a delicious lunch was served.

## Tofield High defeats Ryley

The Ryley and Tofield Junior High basketball teams met in Tofield on February 9th. This was a very important game for the Tofield Junior High School as they were competing for the Western County championship. The Ryley girls had beaten Tofield once before and the Tofield girls were determined to win this semi-final championship. And win it they did by a score of 24-5. The Ryley girls played well and never gave up but Tofield ended as well as they started, scoring 16 points in the first half and eight in the second half.

The Tofield girls, coached by Mr Burke, will play two games against Bruce, the Eastern County champions, for the county championship. The first of these games will be on February 17th in Bruce.

## MINISTIK NEWS

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

Services continue at the United Church with Les Smith, student minister of Edmonton, conducting.

SIGNS OF SPRING

Despite the fact the ground hog saw his shadow and spring is at least six weeks away, signs of spring are appearing. At the Gordon Killoyle farm, 15 lambs have been welcomed. At Andrew Ferguson's farm last Thursday, twin lambs made their appearance.

A grocery bingo, sponsored by the Ministik Ladies' Club, is being held on Friday, Feb. 19th, at the hall with Mrs Albert Horricks as convener. Lunch will be served. Bingo starts at 8:30 p.m.

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I wish to express my thanks and appreciation to my friends and neighbours for their acts of kindness, visits, gifts and cards, that I received from you all during my stay in the Tofield Hospital. Special thanks are extended to the doctors and nurses.

—Mrs. Betty Weins, Ryley. 25p-1546

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And sad has been our way,
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Each eventide a prayer,
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—Ever remembered and sadly missed by his loving wife, Elsie, and Family and Grandchildren. 25p-2267

### 1 FUTURE DATES

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## NOTICE to Creditors and Claimants

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARGARET M. ABERNETHY, late of Tofield, in the Province of Alberta, deceased, who died on or about the 16th day of January, A.D. 1965.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above-named must file with the undersigned by the 20th day of March, A.D. 1965, a full statment of their claims and of any securities held by them.

SIGURD LEFSRUD,
Solicitor for the Administrator,
Viking, Alberta
25c

## Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Miss Anne Appleby, student at the University of Alberta, was a visitor last weekend with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Bert Appleby.

OORP ANNIVERSARY

Saturday evening, Feb. 6th, the members of the OORP lodge entertained their husbands and escorts at a sumptuous turkey supper, the occasion being to celebrate their 19th anniversary. In spite of the stormy weather, there was a very good attendance. After supper various card games were played, the evening concluding with a late lunch. Zane Iiilyk, Exalted Ruler of the Holden BPO Elks, offered a vote of thanks to the ladies for the delicious supper and pleasant evening.

The Marshall Slywkas of Edmonton visited with Mrs. William Slywka over the weekend.

Miss Carol Hurum, who is teaching in Viking was visiting Saturday and Sunday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hurum.

81st BIRTHDAY

On Monday, Feb. 8th, Mrs. Maurice Ruskenveld entertained at tea to honor Mrs. Oscar Ruskenveld who was celebrating her 81st birthday. About 20 ladies were present to offer their good wishes and congratulations to the honored guest. Mrs. Ruskenveld still keeps fairly active although her doctor has forbid her taking her usual long walks. She is a member of the Ladies' Legion Auxiliary and rarely misses a meeting. Her many friends offer good wishes to this cheery lady and hope she will have many more happy days with us.

Nestor Semotuik attended the convention of frozen food locker plants held at Red Deer on Sunday and Monday of last week.

Rev and Mrs William Beckstead and family of Edmonton visited with friends around the village last Friday. They were dinner guests with Mr and Mrs. Earl Hardy and afternoon visitors with Mr and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann.

Mrs. Alfred Sorensen and David were visitors in Edmonton Friday where David was having dental work done.

Stuart MacGregor who is at present employed at Golden, B.C., visited for several days a week ago with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don MacGregor.

Mrs. Annie Kolodychuk has closed her residence and is staying for the present with her son Mike A. Komarnisky, and Mrs. Komarnisky.

Mr and Mrs Joe Mothoski were visitors and evening coffee guests with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gardecki a week ago Sunday. Also visiting the Gardeckis the same evening were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wandio and family.

Mr and Mrs Mike Chupka were in Edmonton Sunday and Monday of last week, visiting and on business.

## Church notes

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m. First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion
11:00 a.m. Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH
W. H. McDannold, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Feb. 21st
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church
11:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Public Worship
Topic: "The Moment of Truth".
"Experience is one thing we cannot buy on the easy payment plan".

TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, Feb. 21st
10:30 a.m. - Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. - Prayer Meeting and Bible Study

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Sunday, Feb. 21st
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Worship Service.
Everyone Welcome

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Pastor S. J. Rude
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
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CATHOLIC CHURCHES
Winter Schedule, Nov. to April
TOFIELD -
Second and fourth Sundays of every month .. 9.30 a.m.
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of the month .. 11:00 a.m.
RYLEY
Second and Fourth Sundays of the month .... 11:00 a.m.
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of the month 9:30 a.m.
MINISTIK
Every Sunday .. 12:30 p.m.

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# Ministik Ladies' Club has annual meeting

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK — The annual meeting of the Ministik Ladies' Club was held at the home of Mrs. Albert Horricks on Wednesday Feb. 10th, with 13 members present.

Roll call was the exchange of 5¢ Valentines which were all very lovely.

Officers remain the same as last year as they were voted in for two years at that time.

Reports were read from sick committee, Mrs. S. George; Christmas tree report by Mrs. Jim Roddick, gift report by Mrs. Ronald Swabey; and financial report for the year by Mrs Dennis Jones, secretary.

Requisitions for 1965 were made up, $80 being sent to six different charities among them being the TB fund, the Heart fund, Crippled Children's fund, and Retarded Children's fund.

It was decided to have a grocery bingo on Friday, Feb. 19th, with Barbara Horricks as convener.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Keith Williams, Mrs Martha Rouyle and Mrs. Verdon Sears.

Roll call for the March meeting is "a bad habit I should break". The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Les Whitford.

# Merlin Simonson, 51, passes away Feb. 4th

Merlin Thoreau Simonson passed away February 4, 1965, in the St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose, at the age of 51 years, 7 months and 14 days. He was born in Kingman, Alberta, on June 18th, 1913.

On October 10, 1939, he was united in marriage to Mae Josephine Thompson, and they made their home at Kingman except for six years while they resided at Gwynne Alberta.

Mr. Simonson is survived by his loving wife, Mae; four daughters, Elaine (Mrs. Orval Sutton), Marlene (Mrs. Ken Daley) and Evon all of Camrose and Trudear and one son, Dwaine, both of Kingman; three grandchildren, Valerie, Jeffory and Trent; his mother Mrs. Christine Simonson; four sisters, and two brothers.

Funeral service was held in the Hoveland Funeral Home Chapel on February 6, at 2:00 p.m., with Rev. Warke officiating. The service was as follows: Opening prayer; Scripture reading; solo, "There's A Land That Is Fairer Than Day", by Mrs. Warke; the obituary was then read, followed by a poem, "God's Beyond"; solo, "Beyond The Sunset", by Mrs. Warke. The message was based on Psalm 23. We have the assurance of God's constant presence. "The Lord 'IS' my Shepherd". God has prepared a place. Let us keep our appointment. Closing prayer.

**Card of Thanks**

May the Lord's blessing and reward be unto each and every friend, relative and neighbor who has liberally given of themselves on our behalf at this time and during the illness of our husband and father. We give God the glory for surrounding us with your prayers and concern, also for the memorials and floral tributes.

—Mrs. Simonson and Family.
28L-2949

# *From the mail bag*

## Abnormal cases?

Ottawa, Ontario.

Editor, The Mercury:

The Metaphysical Society concerns itself with the varied manifestations of psychic phenomena, and is interested in any experiences with extra-sensory perception which Canadians may have had.

Would you be so kind as to print this letter in order that any of your readers who has experienced supernormal incidents, and would care to tell about them, might write to the Society. All such letters would receive personal replies, and would either be kept confidential or recorded in our publications, according to the writer's preference.

Anyone who would like to contribute an incident should try to state the date and place of the occurrence, giving as much detail as possible. Information on ethnic origin is also helpful for cross reference purposes, but this is entirely up to the writer.

Thank you for your consideration.

J. McCann (Mrs.)
Secretary.

## Co-op opposed

Tofield, Alberta.

Editor, The Mercury:

The Board of Directors of the Tofield Co-op Association wish to make it known that they are opposed to the proposed Government Liquor Store in the Town of Tofield.

Edith Patterson, Sec'y,
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# Ben Bowerman passes Feb. 10th

MINISTIK — Ben Bowerman passed away quietly at Jubilee Lodge in Edmonton on Wednesday, Feb. 10th.

Funeral services were held at the Ministik United Church on Saturday, Feb. 13th, at 2 p.m. with Rev. W. McDannold of Tofield in charge. Mr. H. Dunham brought the personal message and prayer.

Mr. Bowerman will be greatly missed by all who knew him for his wit and humor and for being the good neighbor he was while residing here.

He was a member of the United Church here and took an active part in the community until failing health two years ago forced him to a quieter life. Since the death of his wife, Enid, two years ago, he has resided in the Jubilee Lodge in Edmonton.

He is survived by one son, Baden; one daughter, Mrs. J. A. Cordingley of Boyle, Alta., and three grandsons, Myron and Brian Bowerman, and Alan Cordingley.

Interment was in South Cooking Lake cemetery with Hainstock Funeral Home in charge.

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# Ross Creek hosts Chipman bonspiel

(Iris Bilan)

ROSS CREEK — Owing to the lack of ice at Chipman Curling Rink, two events of the Chipman High School curling bonspiel were held at Ross Creek on Saturday, Feb. 13th, and Sunday Feb. 14th. A number of Chipman teen-agers came out on the school bus on Friday evening and stayed with Ross Creek families until the end of the 'spiel. With the stormy weather of Saturday blowing huge snow drifts across the country roads some players were unable to get out, but other players ably substituted and the 'spiel went ahead as scheduled. Sunday after the snow plow had opened up some of the roads, there was a good attendance of players and parents.

First event winners were: 1, Wayne Malkewich; 2, Monte Malcolm; 3, Harold Antoniuk; 4, Lorne Haines.

Second Event: 1, Donald Zinyk; 2, Brock Snider; 3, Gail Wisnick; 4, Jim Eglenski.

The Wayne Malkewich rink, with lead Johnny Zanko, second Ken Sharun, and third Gregory Bilan, played the last game with the Monte Malcolm rink as opposition. Wayne and his rink were victorious, thus winning the Grand Challenge. A big vote of thanks goes out to Donald and Ken Malkewich, Donald for working in the lunch booth Saturday afternoon, and all day Sunday, and to Ken for attending the ice during that time, and to John Ferrel and Joseph Bilan for helping out on Saturday morning.

# Ross Creek district news briefs

(Iris Bilan)

Lawrence Woytowich, Scott Malcolm Stuart Snider and Lorraine McLachlan curled on Saturday in a one-day 'spiel at Vegreville, while Gayele McLachlan curled with the Francis Cholak rink, taking the first prize in the second event.

**Congratulations to Miss Jo-Anne McLachlan and Jim Carter who announced their engagement recently.**

Monday, Feb. 15th, was the birthday of Debbie Yez, and Gloria, Ronald, Gregory and Desmond Bilan were Debbie's guests in the evening. Each enjoyed a large portion of Debbie's lovely birthday cake a gift from Debbie's grandmother.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Peter Stadnik, who has been a patient in the Archer Memorial Hospital, is now home again.

Friday, Feb. 12th, was the birthday of Howard Malcolm when supper guests with Howard and Nell were Graham and Elma Snider and family.

Thursday afternoon Gertie Ferrel and Iris Bilan visited with Mary Ferrel and Wilma Oilkow at the Archer Memorial Hospital, Lamont. Wilma has now returned home.

Bruce Elanik of Chipman was a weekend guest at the home of Ralph and Alice Cunsey. Bruce was one of the participants in the bonspiel held at Ross Creek Sunday. Supper guests at the Cunsey home were Bruce's parents.

A "quilting bee" was held at the home of Mrs. Olga Eglenski on Wednesday. Six ladies worked hard and long, completing the quilt, which is to be sold by the Ross Creek United Church Women.

# Agricultural service

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Cold weather and bad roads hindered the progress of the campaign. 38 herds were missed in Dr. Stiles' area during the first round where farmers did not co-operate or have calves home. 12 herds were missed in Dr. Bildfeld's area, and most of these herds will be done by Jan. 30. Co-operation was good during the second round of vaccination. 7,380 calves were done to December 24, approximately 1,000 more will be vaccinated during January.

"Sixty coyote pellets and 9 magpie baits were released since the last report. Thirteen farmers have requested the use of magpie traps. These traps were very effective when used according to instructions.

"The County Spraying Unit was serviced and stored in Viking as a rural fire fighting unit".

SPRAYING

Rex Boyles mentioned that the roadside spraying was not as effective last year due to the dry weather and shortage of water. He said this year he would like to use both spraying units and start about June 1st.

Stan Powers suggested that the board should look into the hiring of farmers with boom sprayers to do some of the roadside spraying. He said this is done in some areas with good success.

There was some discussion on the selling of weed chemicals at Ryley. The sale of chemicals was down at this point compared to the other outlets. It was felt that the board should probably have an agent other than the office, who would be able to discuss weed problems with the farmers and whose hours would be more suitable, and it was moved and carried that the board recommend the appointment of the Wheat Pool elevator agent in Ryley to sell weed chemicals on a commission basis.

Stan Powers mentioned there were rumors that the Province of Saskatchewan was subsidizing the freight on feed. He advised that this was not true.

# Ketchamoot

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Don Carlisle returned to her home on Thursday afternoon after spending ten days in the Tofield hospital.

Last Wednesday evening, Agnes McGinitie attended the birthday party for Ester Henderson at her home at Amisk Creek.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Webb of Edmonton (nee Lorraine Lee), a daughter on February 11th.**

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Parent of Mannville were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sutton. They were forced to an extra day or two due to the snow blocked roads.

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# NOTICE

To Ratepayers in The County of Beaver No. 9

TAKE NOTICE that a penalty of 5% will be added to all unpaid taxes at the close of business February 26th, 1965.

To avoid this penalty payment must be made at the office before close of business February 26th, or postmarked February 27th, 1965.

OLOF MONSSON
Secretary-Treasurer.

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1962 MASSEY SUPER 95 DIESEL—Hydraulics, Power steering. Used two seasons — $4700
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1951 J. DEERE R DIESEL—Hydraulics. LPTO. $2700
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1953 McCORMICK SUPER W6—New rubber — $1150
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1949 MOLINE "U" GAS—Live Power Take-Off — $850
1952 OLIVER 88 GAS — $1250
1953 McCORMICK W4—Built-in hydraulics — $750
OLIVER 70 — $175

Eric Lofgren, Hay Lakes
PHONE 335 and reverse charges
(12-13)

# NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

**NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the electors of the County of Beaver No. 9 will be held in Ryley School Auditorium at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, the 6th day of March, 1965, for the discussion of the affairs of the County.**

The electors of towns and villages and of rural school districts included in the County for school purposes are entitled to attend to participate in the discussion of school affairs, which will be held immediately after election of a chairman to conduct the meeting.

DATED this 12th day of February, 1965.

OLOF MONSSON,
Secretary-Treasurer.
25-26-C

# Around the town . . .

On February 9th the firemen and their wives spent the evening curling and on February 12th their supper was held in the meeting room of the Community Hall served by the Tofield Cafe. Most of the firemen are attending the first aid course held in the meeting room of the hall each Thursday night for eight weeks. Instructor Larry Wilson.

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Last Wednesday afternoon visitors with Mr and Mrs Pete Erickson were Mr. and Mrs. A. Weder and Mrs Gunda Rindahl of Kingman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ray of Edmonton were weekend visitors with Mrs. A. A. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Ray.

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Mr and Mrs Bill Lee and Marcia and Mrs E. Calvert of Edmonton visited with Mrs. Ethel Canfield on Sunday.

Herb Dawson and Duane Sears of Calgary spent the weekend at their homes in Tofield.

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Delbert Lee of Edmonton spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee.

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Mrs Bruce McFadzean of Whitecourt is visiting with Mr and Mrs C Nolan and Mr. and Mrs. G. McFadzean.

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**BIRTHS**

Born to Pauline and John Widynowski on February 12th, a daughter.

Born to Peg and Bob Nahrebeski on February 13th, a son.

Born to Mr and Mrs Bill Webb at the University Hospital in Edmonton on February 11th, a daughter, 7 lbs., 12 ozs.

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Graham Allen is a patient in an Edmonton hospital.

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Jack Whyte is attending the Crown Lumber Co. Ltd. convention and sales meetings in Calgary this week.

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**'CAPPING' CEREMONY**

Miss Sandra Phillips and Miss Louise Wideman, both of Tofield, were among the 127 student nurses to receive their caps at the Royal Alexandra Hospital capping service on Friday, Feb. 12th.

# World Day of Prayer

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more than a program and should not be discarded after the meeting is over. It has been prepared and adapted with the utmost care and study and contains material that could be used as inspiration for private and public devotional periods and valuable information for reference such as the list of allocations of offerings always to be found on the last page.

More than 3000 groups observe the World Day of Prayer. This number does not include the many of whom we are not informed the shut-ins who receive the order of service in their missionary magazines or leaflettes, the family group and the isolated little circles out of touch because away from the beaten path. Many follow the service by means of Braille or who listen to recordings of the service. However, there are still scores and even hundreds in our towns and cities, country districts and villages who are not yet conscious of the opportunity of this day. Also there is abundant reason to hope that as more women join in intercession the ministry of giving may be more widely extended.

The world theme this year is "What doth the Lord Require", taken from Chapter VI verse VIII of Micah states "to do justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with thy God". This theme will be used in Canadian cities towns and rural communities and by Christian women all over the world who kneel to pray. For over 34 years women have communed together in the deep spiritual understanding of their individual needs and beliefs so that for one day at least "the whole round earth is in every way bound by gold chains about the feet of God".

The local churches alternate for the World Day of Prayer service. This year the service is to be held in Holy Trinity Anglican Church at 2.30 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all women of the town and district churches to avail themselves of the opportunity of attending this world wide service.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

All district roads were snowbound again for another weekend. Each week seems to be worse than the one before. Many farmers face the grim task of getting to snow covered stacks of feed in their fields. This is a winter that will be long remembered for the heavy snowfall.

Sharon Ingram and Richard Strong of Edmonton spent the weekend with Florence and Jim Ingram and the girls.

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# Gordey addresses . . .

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manager of ALC, was called on to give his impressions on marketing boards and he indicated that the function of such a board would be very similar to that now served by the ALC. The main difference being that presently it is voluntary and only 25% of the hogs are sold on a competitive market through ALC. This 25% thus set the price for the other 75% which are sold directly to plants. With 75% of the hogs going direct to plants had, he said, had a depressing effect on the market.

Mr. Winklaar stated that he had visited Ontario to view the operations of the marketing board there and indicated that he was highly impressed with its operation. He predicted that in a few years changes would be forthcoming in the marketing arrangements in this province which would improve the farmer's postion in the market place.

**MSI**

Chairman Tymchuk advised the members that the Holden Local would offer MSI to its members if sufficient interest was shown by the membership. He suggested that all members wishing to avail themselves of Group Medical Services Insurance should contact him or the secretary, George Hunchak, prior to the next meeting, when a decision would be made on the matter.

## Basketball tourney is smashing success

Last weekend the basketball schedule came to a smashing climax with a very successful tournament held in Tofield.

Friday evening the Viking girls lost to Tofield 24-12 and the Holden girls lost to Ryley girls 37-31.

Saturday morning the Tofield boys won over the Viking boys 44-33, and the Ryley boys won over the Holden boys 42-37.

In the afternoon the Holden girls won 30-20 against Viking and the Holden boys won 45-42 against Viking.

The girls' county championship game between Ryley and Tofield ended with Ryley on top by a score of 29-25.

Later in the evening, the boys' game ended with a score of 41-30 with Ryley again on top.

**'THANK YOU'!**

The students of the Tofield school wish to congratulate the county champions and all the other teams on well-played games. A special thanks to all the cheerleaders on a superb job. Also, a big thank-you is extended to all those who have supported the basketball teams throughout the season and the tournament.

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# Tofield junior 'Hi' girls win County championship

The Tofield junior 'Hi' girls' basketball team won the County basketball championship this past week. Last Wednesday, the girls played the first game of a two-game, total-point series in Bruce. Several Tofielders accompanied the Tofield players to Bruce where after a fiercely contested game, the Tofield team emerged victorious with a score of 16-8.

Monday, Feb. 22nd, saw the return match in the Tofield gym. A good crowd saw Tofield win by the narrow margin of 12-11. The game was tied until the last few minutes when a free throw by Terry Moore gave Tofield the extra point.

At the close of the game, the County trophy for junior 'Hi' girls basketball was presented to the Tofield team by Dave Bell of Holden, ATA sports' convener.

The successful team has been coached by Leo Rurka, the physical education teacher for the Tofield school. Mr. Rurka's team has lost only one game during the season of 1964-65.

The team consists of Marjorie Moore, and Gerry Hardy, co-captains, Gwen Klassen, Cheryl Astley, Karen Davison, Gwen Sears, Terry Moore, Vicki Wall, Beth Ingram, Nettie Appleby, Ethel Taylor and Kathy Klassen.

**CHEERLEADERS HELP**

The cheerleading squad consisting of Sandra Brown, Brenda Eaton, Luara Tiedemann and Barbara Knutson, under the leadership of Miss Carol Matthews, have put on effective performances at all home games and at some games in other towns. Their mascot, Fred, is a familiar sight to the spectators of the basketball series. The cheerleaders have also been responsible for serving cookies and pop to the players, their coaches and referees at all home games.

The staff and students of the Tofield junior 'Hi' congratulate Mr. Rurka and his team on winning the 1964-65 County championship.

## Friendship Group aids foreign missions

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Feb. 24th. — The Friendship Group held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Carrie Olson on Thursday, Feb. 18, with 12 ladies present. The devotions were taken by Mrs. Blanche Olson and Mrs. Mary James was in charge of the meeting. Final plans were made for the World Day of Prayer, to be held Friday, March 5 in the United Church.

A large amount of child's clothing and quilts is ready and will be parcelled up for shipment this week and sent to the Mission in Hong Kong. The sum of $27 was sent for the use of their little protege in Hong Kong, towards his schooling and clothing.

At the conclusion of the meeting the hostess, Mrs. Carrie Olson, served a delicious lunch. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lars Olson on Thursday, March 18th, and devotions will be taken by Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus.

SNOW CAP

This is what Tofield residents mean when they say this is the most snow we have had in a good many years. Somewhere about ten feet below this snow formation is a lawn patiently waiting for the sun to come out and melt the snow, which will give an abundant supply of moisture for the coming year. The photo was taken at the residence of Ted and Zig Grey. Photo by Peter Nichol.

## Lions Club meets

Tofield Lions Club held their last meeting for February in the meeting room of Tofield Community League, four members absent, with one visitor present. Matters taken care of were restaging of the carnival for March 6th and 7th, and which had to be postponed due to bad weather on February 20th and 21st. Arrangements were also made for Charter Night February 27th. Other items discussed were club visitation, tokens, etc.

# Beef, swine sale slated

This year, on the 14th and 15th of April, the Camrose Agricultural Society will again be holding their annual Registered Beef Breeds and Swine Sale. The sale will be held in the heated sales pavilion on the Camrose Exhibition Grounds. Entries must be received by Secretary Ed Schmitke by the 10th of March.

This is a fully approved sale, and all entries are subject to selection committees. Additional information can be obtained from the Camrose Agricultural Society.

## Narrow escape in car-truck crash

Father L. Scriven narrowly escaped a serious accident recently on Highway 14 when the car he was driving was sideswiped by a truck travelling in the opposite direction. The driver of the truck momentarily took his eyes off the road while switching on his extra supply gasoline tank, when the mishap occurred.

**The funeral of George Lions, a prominent farmer of the Ryley district, was held at Ryley on Tuesday of this week.**

# FUA convention deals with current agenda

George G. Abernethy of Tofield was a delegate to the recent FUA convention and gives an account of the highly interesting five-day sessions.

The convention began on the Monday afternoon with a lecture by Rev. Hart Cantelon in which he left three questions! Who am I? What am I worth? (The chemist puts our value at about 17c); and Where are we going? All three questions apply to each as an individual, as an organization, as a member of society, of the nation, of our civilization and of humanity and left all listeners with a final challenge "you do not lose by making wrong decisions but by doing nothing".

Those present heard notable lectures by both the provincial and the national ministers of agriculture, president of the Alberta Wheat Pool, the chairman and a commissioner of the wheat board, and numerous fraternal delegates.

About 40 subjects were dealt with covering over 60 resolutions with the usual discussions and disagreements, from tree planting to building of a $31 million fertilizer manufacturing complex, with organization, membership and fees. Further matters discussed were machinery, repairs, prices and warrantees; livestock and veterinary services, rural electrification and rural telephones; gambling and education; insurance of crops, of life, and health, welfare and medicare; natural resources of oil, gas and water, irrigation, markets and marketing boards; railroads and their profits, and other methods of transportation; hunting and the public; car licences and insurance, and the misunderstanding of our economic position by other groups of our society.

It was a thinking convention all through the five days. And A. P. Glieve of the National Farmers' Union, expressed a good concluding sentiment, "We must pester people until they think".

# Scouts and Cubs have father and son banquet

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — On Thursday evening, Feb. 18th, the Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs together with their fathers, gathered at the Community Hall for the annual father and son banquet to honor the founder of the Boy Scout movement, Lord Baden Powell. A delicious turkey supper was served by the ladies auxiliary of the Holden Scouts and Cubs group.

The toast to the Queen was very ably proposed by Gary Semotuik. Terry Ogrodnick proposed the toast to the fathers in a few well chosen words, to which Zane Bilyk replied. Mr. Bilyk also thanked the ladies for the delicious supper and they were given a very hearty applause.

William Ogrodnick, the chairman, gave an interesting talk on the life of Baden Powell which was enjoyed by all, also giving praise to the Scout and Cub leaders of the Holden troop for their good work and time they are spending with the boys. The Cubmaster, Henry Tiedemann then made a presentation of the first star to Gregory Ogrodnick, Richard Bilyk and Lyle Toderovich. An investiture of a two star cub was held, this being Gregory Bilyk. The District Commissioner, Mr. Child, was present and presented the boys with their respective stars.

The Scoutmaster, Nick Shihinski, and some of the Scouts put on a demonstration in semaphore code. To end the program, Mr. Ogrodnick showed a film on world wide Boys Scouts' jamboree.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Personally I am always ready to learn, although I do not always like being taught.

—Winston Churchill. JWR

## 'Shower' fetes bride - elect

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Feb. 24.—On Tuesday evening, Feb. 16th, a large group of over 90 ladies met in the parlors of the Roman Catholic Church, the occasion being to honor Miss Myrtle Laskoski, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Laskoski whose wedding will take place Saturday, Feb. 27th. She will become the bride of Theodore James Danesik, son of Mr. Albert Danesik of Vegreville.

On entering the room, a beautiful corsage of roses was pinned on the guest of honor by Mrs. Grace Appleby, who was in charge of the program. Mrs. Pearl Allan and Mrs Doris Ogrodnick were in charge of the entertainment, and several games were played, after which Mrs. Grace Appleby made the presentation to the bride-elect of many beautiful gifts. Seated at the head table and assisting to unwrap the gifts were Mrs. John Laskosky, Mrs Steve Laskosky, Elvina Laskosky and Miss Anne Appleby. Myrtle very graciously thanked all for the lovely gifts and kind thoughts, after which a delicious lunch was served by the ladies of the R.C. Ladies' Aid.

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## How fraternal are high school fraternities?

Jim Almrud

As the name 'fraternities' implies, these organizations are meant to be fraternal, and offer new brotherhood and fellowship. The high school fraternities of Calgary offer very little of either.

There is a good explanation of how the large number of fraternities came about. The first few were organized as junior branches of university fraternities. The idea of high school fraternities spread. When a group felt left out because they were not in a fraternity they formed their own. Today each high school has several fraternities.

At the beginning of every school year the fraternities look over the new students to see who will become new members of the 'elite' group. Incoming members go through a week of trials to see if they are worthy of the fraternity. During this week the initiates spend their lunch hours as well as pre- and post-school hours marching the streets with members of the fraternity. The accompanying members paddle the initiates with a wooden paddle whenever they feel inclined to do so.

The initiates wear ridiculous garments such as odd socks and shoes. They are forced to praise their superiors in public while on bended knees. They tell the senior members how good they are and how lowly the pledges are.

The climax of the week comes when on the weekend all the fraternity members take their initiates to the point where they make fools of themselves. Afterwards, the initiates are taken to the place of meetings where they take upon themselves solemn vows of secrecy.

Very little is accomplished by fraternities considering the number of them. Some of them give away Christmas hampers to needy families. Others sponsor dances and formals, but most of them sponsor only beer or poker parties. From the situation in Calgary we conclude that fraternities are undesirable for the High Schools of other cities.

## The dangerous herd

Eleanor Moan

"Wolves travel in packs, sheep move in flocks and geese go around in gaggles, but the most picturesque herd-former of all is the human animal. He's glorious in adult life and even more spectacular in the junior high-through-college world where it's often true that Happiness is Belonging to the Right Clique . . ."

People-packs form for good and bad reasons, obvious and obscure ones. Also there are both beneficial and disadvantageous effects on those who are part of this small, elite group known as a clique. Not only does it affect those who belong to this group but it has a pronounced effect on those who are not considered worthy of membership.

In the junior high years it is evident that a any person seeks a sense of security, of belonging, and also desires something concrete to which to cling. I believe a clique can remedy this sense of instability. It is in these younger years that one needs, and can ever benefit, from this closely knit group of friends.

But when the same people, now in their senior year or in college, are still part of the same clique, having the same group of friends, I think it is entirely wrong. There is apt to be a change in the different individuals' personalities and interests, and if there isn't and they all still share the same views as they had in grade seven, obviously little progress has been made by any of [illegible]

I am not saying that as soon as one enters his senior year of high school he should forget about all his old friends. It is quite natural that a person should have friends, some of whom are closer than others.

As people grow older, the cliques formed become groups who snub everyone else outside their small circle. Rival cliques seem then to go to great pains not to pay attention to each other. Stop and think! Do you belong to a clique? Do you and your friends belonging to the golf club, say, snub and look down on those who belong to the opera society and bridge club? Do you invite people, other than your very closest friends, to your parties and social functions?

This is not the only ill-effect that a clique may have on a person. There are many limitations put on those who belong to such a group. Little chance is had for them to [illegible] and understand others. Belonging to such groups makes one self-centered and very dependent on those of his crowd. He may not further his knowledge on a subject or activity in which he is interested. For example, he may give up his love for music, even though he has great talent, just because of his friends' lack of enthusiasm for it.

I feel that, as one grows older and becomes more mature, people will discover that they have no need for a wall of security any more, that they will enjoy doing many things with many people, and that above all they [illegible] will delight in being separate entities.

## By George!

Things are tough all over. Even cheque thieves and forgers are finding the cards are being stacked against them.

More than 1,000 banks and branches in Canada and the eastern United States are linked into a network for defense against cheque thieves and forgers through a warning bulletin system, an American Express press release claims. The banks are co-operating in order to help stamp out travelers cheque fraud and other forgery and check rackets. They are coming up with some arrests, and as a result crooks have been shifting to other hunting grounds, mainly Montreal, Toronto and other Canadian cities.

During the past sixty days an inspector has extended his warning bulletin network to nearly 400 banks in Canada as a defense measure. A similar system was introduced in European countries last year and by summer at least 1,300 banks overseas will be linked into the plan.

Apparently crooks now work in teams and are completly mobile. With the use of jet air travel, for example, travellers cheques stolen in Montreal or Toronto this morning can be offered for encashment in Philadelphia this afternoon or San Francisco this evening. Those who steal the cheques hand them to passers to unload in a distant city before the alarm is sounded.

The only defense is equal speed or greater speed, and American Express uses telephone, telegraph and cable to transmit warning information ahead of the crooks. Numbers of "hot cheques" are flashed to co-operating banks in areas where the passers are known to be operating, sometimes on a daily and even hourly basis when a drive is on.

So the element of chance in forging and bank robbing is increasing. I'm going to have to pursue some other "get rich quick" plan. Working harder might be an answer.

*Legislative report*

## –from the Press Gallery

by Wally Strang

The provincial governmet Friday took its first step towards protecting the public from unscrupulous eye glass dispensers when it introduced Bill No. 47.

In effect the bill will now make it compulsory for all dispensers of Ophthalmic appliances to belong to a provincially controlled guild.

In explaining the bill to the press, minister of health Dr. Ross said a motion was made last year by certain individuals to have the bill introduced as a private bill . . . but the government thought it was important enough to warrant government legislation.

According to the new act . . . which will become law in June and October of this year . . . anyone who supplies, prepares or manufactures such things as lenses, spectacles, eye glasses, frames, contact lenses, artificial eyes or other specified devices must pass a government board.

The board, according to Dr. Ross, will consist of five men, including a legally qualified medical practitioner. When the act becomes law . . . all dispensers in Alberta must belong to a guild and must obtain a certificate of competency. When I questioned Dr. Ross about putting a small man out of business, he admitted that even though a person can obtain a certificate of competency from the government, he must join the guild in order to practice— which in a sense makes it a closed shop.

The government for the first time in years, Friday introduced a total of 20 bills, which, according to rumors, indicate that all the government bills have been printed. Should this be the case, the second session of the 15th legislature may be a dull drab affair. The advantages of introducing the bills early make it possible for everyone to read and study the new legislation before being asked to approve it. If our readers will recall . . . last year there was considerable criticism about the bills being introduced late in the session, and as a result many of them were passed without too much quibbling.

As usual, Socred party whip Chester Sayers, of the Camrose constituency, was in his usual [illegible] the [illegible] business, and from my place in the press gallery (which is directly over him), I always get the full blast of his booming voice. Chester, of course, has not had time to make his presence known during this session . . . but there is no question of who is on the floor when Mr. Sayers does get to his feet. I should also point out at this time that the sound system installed last year was not installed for Mr. Sayers' benefit, as they usually turn the volume right down or off when he addresses the house.

Just a little note to the grooms who have been able to get married in church without a licence . . . fellows, you were lucky. According to the new Act introduced today, it will now be necessary to obtain a licence, even if you have your banns read. Under the existing Act, if you had your banns read three times, it was not necessary to obtain a licence, but according to Dr. Ross, who introduced the new legislation, there were not too many who knew this and took advantage of same. However, if you are planning on getting married, the new act does not come into force until January 1966 . . . so there is still just about ten months left to take advantage of the licence-free marriage.

## From the mail bag

### MB churches are opposed

Tofield, Alberta,
February 15, 1965.

Editor, The Mercury:

We, the Churches of the Tofield area, as designated below would like to express our disapproval of the proposed liquor store in Tofield. It is our opinion that such an outlet for the sale of liquor would be a detriment rather than an asset to the town and community; therefore we join with others who have voiced their opposition to its establishment, knowing all too well the long train of evil that follows alcohol.

Yours in the interest of the best for our town and community,

Salem Mennonite—H. R. Boettger;
M.B. Church of Tofield—J. J. Dueck;
Tofield Mennonite—D. J. Regehr;
Tofield B. Church—A. W. Thompson.



## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Despite a cold day, services, conducted by Les Smith of Edmonton, were held in the United Church on Sunday.

Due to a very stormy night, the grocery bingo that was to have been held on Friday, was postponed to this Friday, the 26th.

Claude Leach shipped several head of stock on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. Prices are much more favorable now than earlier months.

Mrs. Michael Nasiejchuk spent the weekend at her home on the farm.

Peggy Rowland and Maureen Perussini are staying in Edmonton until after the spring break-up. Until recently they commuted daily to their respective positions.

Bill Roddick visited his dentist again on Friday, having the remainder of his teeth extracted, and is now waiting for his plates.

Mrs. Lloyd Grumett and Mrs. S. George attended the Ladies' Club meeting at the home of Mrs. Mary Gladue on Thursday afternoon.

A GOOD JOB!

Once more our grader man, Pat Peters, has come through with flying colors, having all roads snow-plowed out over the weekend so there were no school buses delayed in any area. This is a real accomplishment, especially after the blizzard experienced Friday evening. We hear of places that are still blocked several days later.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones were guests at the Tom Jones home on Sunday.

THE WINNER!

Friends and neighbors will be interested in the fact that S. L. Edwards of Edmonton won the "bowler of the month" trophy in the senior citizens bowling league at Bonnie Doon bowling alley, with a score of 294.

Mrs. S. George and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick were Monday evening dinner guests with Mr and Mrs. Arthur Ellett and Frank in Edmonton. Part of the evening was spent watching slides of various trips taken by the Elletts.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport and girls were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mrs. S. George.

The Ministik Community Club has made plans for a dance to be held on Friday, March 5th, with good music and a good time assured.

## Holden couple marks 35th anniversary

(Mrs. G. H. Tayler)

HOLDEN — On Friday, Feb. 12th, a family gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Pooke of Holden, the occasion being to celebrate their 35th wedding anniversary. Corsages were pinned on them by their eldest son, Lloyd, and youngest daughter, Shirley. Rev. Lozynski gave the blessing for them, and hoped they would have many more happy years, also offering the congratulations and good wishes from all. Peter Puk, a brother of John presented the guests of honor with a beautiful pole lamp on behalf of all present, and Mr. and Mrs. Pooke thanked all their family, relatives and friends for the lovely gifts, the congratulations and the kind thoughts from all.

A delicious turkey supper was served and a very pleasant and sociable evening was enjoyed by all.

Out-of-town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. William Pooke of Ohaton, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Grosland and children of Sherwood Park, Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Petie of Ryley.

## Raging blizzard halts motorists

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE-McKENZIE. - On Friday afternoon, a sudden drop in temperature and high winds with a light snow falling caused weather to change from a thawing warm afternoon to below freezing with blizzard conditions within about an hour. The storm raged all night and early Saturday morning, leaving many roads blocked and numerous motorists of the district stranded here in town or on the roads, seeking shelter for the night at the nearest farm home in the district.

This has been the third or fourth week in succession that snowstorms and high winds have blocked the roads, but this week saw the worst blizzard conditions yet. It is hoped it is the last such storm of the winter as many roads and lanes are still blocked and almost impossible to plough out because of the deep snowfall this winter and the large drifts.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Gary Niemetz arrived on Saturday night and expects to spend a week at the home of his parents, George and Ida Niemetz, before returning to his work in the north with the Peter Bawden Drilling Company.

**We were sorry to hear that Tyler, son of Joe and Eva McLennan of the Lakeshore district, is a patient in a hospital in Edmonton, and all wish him a speedy recovery.**

Mrs. Ida Niemetz of Lakeshore was one of those unable to get home on Friday night due to the blizzard and was a Friday supper and overnight guest at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton in Tofield.

Joe and Eva McLennan were Monday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son, Donald.

Robert and Dede Goubault and daughter, Judy of Drayton Valley were Saturday overnight guests at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood.

On Friday afternoon, Mrs. Alice Omery, Mrs. Olga Eglinski, Mrs. Mickey Niemetz, Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen, Mrs. Violet Bailey, Mrs. Isabel Rudzcki, Mrs. Vi Geuglein, Mrs. Mae Ferguson and Mrs. Isabel Riley called on Mrs. Irene Warner with a surprise party to honor her birthday.

On Tuesday afternoon last week, Mrs. Olga Eglinski, Mrs. Winnie McLachlan, Mrs. Doris Schacher, Mrs. Lil Van Buskirk and Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen called on Mrs. Violet Bailey in a surprise party to help her celebrate her birthday.

Miss Barbara Baines of Edmonton spent the weekend from Thursday to Sunday at the home of her aunt Mrs. Ethel Wood. On Sunday afternoon, Lorne and Marg Berrecloth motored to Edmonton taking Ethel and Barbara along with them and all were supper guests at the home of Barb's parents and Ethel's brother, Doug and Fran Baines and family, Barb remaining at home. The others returned home Sunday evening.

Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann were their daughter Yvonne, and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot and Martha's brother Robert, and Dede Goubault and daughter, Judy of Drayton Valley.

Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Martha and Emil Tiedemann were Joey McLennan of Lakeshore and his sister, Mrs. Paul Roy and daughter, Venice and their father Joe McLennan Sr., all of Edmonton.

Jack and Loretta Weir and daughter Wanda were weekend visitors at the home of Loretta's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson.


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# THE RYLEY TIMES

## Koelke wins Grand Challenge in Ryley open bonspiel

Norman Koelke and his Holden [illegible] back all opposition at the Ryley open bonspiel held last week, to win the Grand Challenge event. Curling with Norman Koelke were Don Hultholm at third, Allan Zwirschke throwing second rock and Charlie Swierenko, lead.

Norman and his crew were never seriously challenged in their quest for the Northwestern Utilities Trophy. The final game with runner-up Carl Naslund was expected to be a nip and tuck battle but the Viking crew could not get the feel of the ice in the early stages of the game and were well down on the scoreboard throughout the entire game. They shook hands at the end of the 11th end to end the one sided match.

The [illegible] won the Northwestern Utilities Grand Challenge trophies and electric blankets presented by Calgary Power Limited. Carl Naslund and his rink received TV trays from Gordon's Variety Store and barber George Cline for placing second in this event. The Charles Magneson foursome of Ryley were presented with lamps by the Hoveland Funeral Home for placing third and a similar set of lamps went to Oscar Knudslein's rink, Viking for placing in fourth spot, these were through the courtesy of local farmers who contributed to the prize fund.

The second event saw Cecil Stenerud in the top position when he outpaced the Walter Kondrowski rink in the finals. Cecil and his sweepers took home trophy ash tray stands presented by E. H. Brown for their efforts, while Walter and his Ryley foursome received electric tea kettles from Dr. Price. Third and fourth spots went to the Foshaug rink of Tofield and Harry Shyba of Holden. Both received steak knives through courtesy of Imperial Lumber and the Treasury Branch.

In the third event, the Strilchuk rink of Round Hill edged out Art Francis of Tofield to win the Burnstad trophies. Art Francis received [illegible] from Roth's Red & White Store for his efforts. The Kelly rink from Viking won over the Rose rink from Tofield to place third. Both rinks received glass sets provided by the local farmers.

The fourth event finals saw Matt Leake of Holden and the Noble rink of Tofield battling it out for top spot. This game provided the only "cliffhanger" of the finals with the outcome in doubt until the final end. Leake maintained a one-point lead throughout the entire game and managed to keep it that way in the final end. Matt and his crew took home clocks through courtesy of Geo. Kast, manager of the local hotel. Chuck Noble received a set of silver mugs presented by the Alberta Brewers Agents.

Mielimaka of Holden and Burnstad of Ryley placed third and fourth in the final event and both received a nut bowl set through courtesy of the farmers and [illegible] earners in Ryley.

Despite the [illegible] conditions existing on the first day of the 'spiel, all rinks entered showed up, although some were a trifle late for their draws. However, those who were late were well warmed up from walking a mile or two or shovelling a blocked stretch of road.

## George Lyons passes at home near Ryley

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY. — George Lyons, a long time resident of the Ryley district passed away at his farm home north of town on Saturday, February 20, at the age of 75 years. He leaves to mourn his loss, three sons, Fred, Eddie and Murray, all of Ryley, and one daughter, Nora (Mrs. Charlie Edwards) of Fort Saskatchewan; 14 grandchildren; one sister Mary, and one brother Fred of Terra Cotta, near Brantford, Ontario. His wife predeceased him in 1954.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon, February 23 at 2:00 p.m., from the United Church in Ryley.

## Ryley and district news briefs

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY, Feb. 24th. — Mrs. Erna Maaren spent the weekend in Medicine Hat visiting her sister.

**TO HOLIDAY IN WEST INDIES**

Mr and Mrs. [illegible] Patrick with Donna and Darcy of Hinton, were weekend visitors with Joyce's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Fish. Elmer and Joyce have now completed their plans for a [illegible] holiday in the British West Indies. They will travel by air starting on March 17, and will spend three weeks in the sunny islands and [illegible] waters of the Caribbean.

Members of the Ryley Badminton Club were at Camrose on Sunday afternoon for the Central [illegible] badminton [illegible]ment. The previous Sunday afternoon, Feb. 14th, the Ryley Club were hosts to 30 members of the Camrose club.

Miss Peggy Fisk and Miss Elida Helgeland, [illegible] of Mrs. Bob Cruss, have passed their Grade Three History exams with honors for the Toronto Conservatory of Music.

The Lutheran Women's waffle lunch on March 6th will begin at 12 noon and continue throughout the afternoon.

## Lakeshore —

George and Ida Niemetz were Saturday night visitors and supper guests at the home of Morley and Marjorie Jacobson.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and son, Bobby, were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil's nephew, Johnny and Helen Tiedemann in Tofield.

Robert Goubault and daughter, Judy, of Drayton Valley, were Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Goubault of Lindbrook.

Mrs. Dede Goubault and Lorne and Marg Berrecloth were Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Marg's mother and brother, Mrs. Ethel Wood and Donald.

On Sunday, Feb. 14th, while the roads were blocked with snow for travelling by car, old time methods were used when guests arrived at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood on horseback and by sleigh. The afternoon visitors and coffee guests were her daughter, Marg, and Lorne Berrecloth, Mrs. Mary Wood and son, Johnny, and Gloria Wood.

**Congratulations go to Pauline and Johnny Widynowski on the birth of their baby girl, Theresa Judy, born on Friday, Feb. 12th, at the Tofield hospital.**

Joe and Ellenor Jones of Lakeshore attended the funeral of Joe's nephew, Wilfred Jones, in Edmonton on Monday.

## George Lyons funeral at Ryley

Funeral services for George Wilfred Lyons, an old timer of the Ryley district who passed away February 20 at his home, at the age of 74 years, were held on Tuesday, Feb. 23rd, at 2:00 p.m. from Calvin United Church, Ryley, with James Runton officiating. Interment was in the Ryley Cemetery.

Mr. Lyons was predeceased by his wife Ada in 1954, and is survived by one daughter Norah (Mrs Charles Edwards) of Fort Saskatchewan; three sons, Fred, Edward and Murray, all of Ryley; a sister, Mary Lyons, of Erin, Ontario, and a brother, Fred, of Terra Cotta, Ontario.

Andrews - McLaughlin Funeral Home, Edmonton, was in charge of arrangements.


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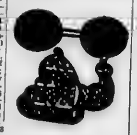

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**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
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11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "How Great Thou Art".
"You're getting old when work is less fun and fun is more work".

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, Feb. 28th
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8:00 p.m.—Evening Service
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

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## AUD-ITIES . . .

If cows and pigs only knew it they have come into their own this season. That's what shoe manufacturers tell us.

The fashion spotlite has settled on the genuine thing and all imitations are strictly taboo. Even evening fashions are featuring leather—in sling-backs and low-cut pumps with slim low and mid-heels.

For the teen on campus, the fashion forecast suggests for the informal look, the low-cut, low-heeled pump or sling-back in "in". As for the sting, it's a charmer in grained, smooth and brushed leathers and is bigger than ever for campus and casual wear.

For a sportier effect there are traditional leather moccasin styles or colorful tie-flats in grained, embossed and brushed leathers. The tie shoe, too, boasts side openings for an airier effect.

Color combinations in shoes this year will be like everything else in fashion colors unlimited. Blues and greens, greens pinks blues and browns . . . and pinks, blues and browns . . . included in the new and daring approach. Pastel suedes dark patents, and clear, true shades in smooth and grained leathers will be covering the campus. The beige family bone through brown including natural leather colors will also continue in popularity.

Manufacturers suggest that for someone that's on the go and very active, leather leads on all counts. A natural animal product, leather has breathing pores that keep feet dry all day and a suppleness that "gives" with every movement of the foot. And only leather has the unique asset of moulding itself to your foot's contours.

## Henry Ruste lands minister

Henry Arild Ruste, 47-year-old MLA for Wainwright, was sworn in as Alberta's Minister of Lands and Forests last week. He succeeds the Honorable Norman A. Willmore, killed in a traffic accident February 3. Mr. Ruste was first elected to the Legislature in June, 1955.

The son of Johan Johanson Ruste and Ronneaug Bjornegaard, both Norwegians, he was educated in Wainwright and is a member of the Lutheran faith. He married Arlene Christine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oskar Steffensen of Irma, Alberta, who is a graduate of the University of Alberta with a degree in Bachelor of Science in Home Economics. They have three children, Ivor 10, Sharon 8 and Donald 4.

At home, Mr. Ruste has served in several positions on the municipal hospital board, with the Wainwright REA, on the board of the co-op, on the supervisory committee of the credit union, on his church board, as an alternate director for District 7 FUA, and in an executive capacity of the local FUA, as well as being active in other community organizations.

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# Grade nine students have interesting Edmonton tour

On Tuesday, Feb. 23 the two grade nine rooms of the Tofield School enjoyed an interesting and informative trip to three points of interest in the city of Edmonton. The two buses, driven by John Baergen and Charlie Sears, left Tofield at 9:15 a.m.

The first point of interest visited was the B-A Oil Refinery, at 10:00 a.m., where the students were given free pop and doughnuts, and were given an idea of the workings of the refinery. They were then broken up into groups of ten each and escorted through the refinery by informative guides.

They left the refinery and had dinner at the Burger Baron, where they enjoyed hamburgers, chips and a drink.

At 1:30, they arrived at the Parliament Buildings, where Mr Gurdey, MLA for Bruce, escorted them on a tour to the dome of the building, and at 2:30 they were seated in the balcony watching the legislative assembly in action.

At 3:00, the boys and girls left the Parliament Buildings and travelled north to the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology, where Miss Cumming's brother showed them through the Institute. A few of the departments visited were the automotive, plastering, technical and welding sections.

The tour ended at 6:00 o'clock, when the student body went to the Institute cafeteria to enjoy an excellent meal. Mr Lampitt thanked Mr Cummings for guiding them and giving factual information about the Institute. Following an informative talk by Mr. Cummings, the group boarded the buses at 7:15 for the return journey, and pulled into Premier Motors, Tofield, at 8:30.

The grade nine students would like to thank Johnny Baergen and Charlie Sears for providing transporation for the trip, and Mr. Lampitt and Mr. Stenberg for arranging the trip.

## Storm disrupts power service

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Feb. 22nd.—Many people from this district were caught away from home in the blizzard on Friday evening and had to spend the night wherever they could find shelter. Several from here who were in Camrose got as far as Ole Rosendahl's where they stayed overnight.

Bertil Asp's school bus with 41 children aboard, had to stay at the Lloyd Bjorgum home. It was possible to phone all the parents, thus relieving their anxiety. The children were delivered safely home next day. Mr. and Mrs. Bjorgum did a fine job in housing and feeding the hungry group.

POWER DISRUPTED

Kingman village had a few farm homes without power from noon till midnight on Friday. The homes dependent on electricity for cooking and heat were quite uncomfortable and some persons stayed overnight with neighbors. Crews from Calgary Power were here from Camrose and Hay Lakes, and cause of the disruption was found at midnight about two miles southeast of Kingman.

## Library has new fiction

There are several new books in the Tofield Public Library. Listed are a few of the fiction:

"Lady On The Coin" — Margaret Barnes.

"The Siren Song" — David Heaty.

"The Gentle Gunman" — Max Brand.

"White Pills" Ted Carroll.
"An Infinity Of Mirrors"—Richard Candon
"A Song Of Sixpence"—A. J. Cronin.
"Too Few For Drums"- R. F. Delderfield.
"The Joyous Seas" —Patrick Dennis.
"Bella" Dorothy Eden.
"Rustler's Empire" — Peter Field
"Nuts In May" Richard Gordon
"Stories Of Famous Spies"—Leonard Gribble.
"Credos And Quips" Virginia Hudson.
"The Explorer" — Parkinson Keyes.
"Boys And Other Beasts"—[illegible]
"Trial At Monomy" — John [illegible]
"A Pennant For The Kremlin" Paul Molloy.
"A Time To Speak" — Chas. Morgan Jr.
"Over The Gate" - Miss Read.
"Flamboyant Canadians"—[illegible]
"Singapore Kate"—Ron Standish.
"Must Be Good Riders"—Don Standford.
"A Doctor Comes To Bayard" Eliz Seifert.
"A Vicarage Family" — Noel [illegible]
"Welcome To Thebes"—Glendon Swarthout.
"Life With Grandma"—Doreen Tovey.
"The Centaur"—John Updike.
"Bushranger Of The Skies"—Arthur Upfield.
"Mr. Jelly's Business" — Arthur Upfield.
"Undine"—Brett Young.
"Deepdown River"—Neil Wilson.
"They Used Dark Forces"—Dennis Wheatley.
"Von Ryan's Express"—David Westheimer.
"Tutankhamen's Tomb"— Leo Cottrell. (Non-fiction).

# Bardo district news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Feb. 24th Bardo Sunday School will be held at 10.30 a.m. and services at 11.30 a.m. on Sunday, Feb. 28th.

The Parish Luther League will sponsor a program at Bardo church on Sunday evening, Feb. 28th, at 8 p.m.

The Parish Luther League curling bonspiel which had to be called off on Saturday due to the storm, will be held Saturday, Feb. 27th, at the Tofield rink.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Leif Fushaug is a patient in the Tofield hospital, having undergone surgery. Little Bruce Anderson was also a patient in hospital for a few days. He is at home again but not too well as yet.

Mrs. Stan Ramstad and Darren from Camrose arrived at the Arnold Johnson home on Wednesday evening and spent a few days. Stan came out on Sunday to bring his family home.

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Word was received on Friday and Mrs. Alma Vekved of La Glace had passed away in Grande Prairie hospital following a heart attack. Mrs. Vekved, the former Alma Johnson, came to this district from the United States as a little girl and spent many of her years here before moving north.

Mrs. Glen Francis and Mrs. Laurence Rude, teachers at the Round Hill school, were stranded on their way home. They walked about a mile to the Tom Campbell home where they spent the night. They both suffered frostbites and will not be able to go back to school for a few days. Mrs. Lester Severson is substituting for Mrs. Francis.

Mrs. Clarence Rude attended LCW at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Nelson, at Round Hill on Tuesday evening. She stayed overnight with the Nelsons, returning on Wednesday evening.

The Peter Bjornsons of Edmonton were visitors at the Glenn Francis home on Sunday.

The Lawrence Anderson family from Edmonton visited at the Olaf Anderson home on Saturday. Pastor and Mrs. G Ostrem, Mr and Mrs. Albert Haukedal and Mrs. Alma Fushaug were Sunday after-service visitors there. Olaf was also celebrating his birthday on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Ed Wesner and Lori and Miss Caroline Fushaug, all from Edmonton, were visitors at the Ivan Fushaug home on Sunday.

Warren Stauffer is confined to his home, suffering with scarlet fever.

## Palmer - Earling

HERE FROM B.C.

Mrs. Jim Tremble of B.C. arrived by train to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Mohler, and her brother, Harry Johnson and family, and her aunt, Mrs. Hilda Webb, Edmonton, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mosby and Beverly and Brian have returned home from Camrose to their farm here.

## Chemical school at Vegreville, March 3

A chemical school, sponsored jointly by the department of agriculture Agriculture Service Boards and the chemical trade, will be held in Vegreville on Wednesday, Mar. 3rd, at the Elks' Hall beginning at 9:30 a.m.

This school is intended to bring the latest information on new chemicals and proper use of the older and better known chemicals to chemical dealers and farmers.

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# Tofield HS news

(Elaine Walker)

A group of ambitious high school students, under the direction of Miss Cummings have gone to work to produce a school newspaper. The paper will be put out once a month and will contain feature articles, literary compositions, humor, cartoons and all types of news. Everyone is waiting anxiously to see the results of our future newspaper.

Last weekend six students from Tofield joined the Viking students on their trip to the Varsity Guest Weekend held at the University in Edmonton.

On Saturday, Feb. 20th, Jacklyn Hunter and Dale Christensen represented Tofield in Ryley at the Oddfellows and Rebekahs' United Nations competition. Although they lost out they represented Tofield very well.

The high school would like to congratulate the junior high girls on winning the County basketball championship. Congratulations on a job well done.

The high school open mixed bonspiel will be held in Tofield on March 6th. Of the teams participating this year there will be four from Tofield, three from Chipman, three from St. Joseph's High School, one from Leduc, two from Ardrossan and three from Fort Saskatchewan. The bonspiel will begin at 8:00 a.m. on March 6th and everyone is invited.

Betsy-Ann Shultz and Kevin Pike will be submitting essays in the Lions International District 37B Students' Foreign Exchange Competition. The students of Tofield school wish them the best of luck.

JUMP BALL Captured in this photo is some of the action which took place in the Tofield gym last Saturday during the county basketball tournaments. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Kingman local news briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

LCW MEETS

KINGMAN, Feb. 22nd. — The Salem LCW met at the church on Thursday, Feb. 18th, at 8:00 p.m., with Mrs. Bill Simonson leading in devotion, and Miss Mable Simonson the Bible study.

It was decided to visit the Bethany Home in the near future. Offering meditation was read by Mrs. P. Boness and Mrs. A Anderson, and Mrs. A. Asp closed with prayer. Hostesses were Mrs. Helga Evenson and Mrs. Willie Bjorgum.

VISITORS

Beverly Ovelson and Lorraine Wruck were Friday overnight guests at the Elwood Flemming home, to help Nola celebrate her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Johnson and Mrs. Minnie Sorgaard and Laverne of La Glace were Friday overnight guests at the Louie Erga home, and were Saturday dinner guests with Mrs. John Holte.

Mr. Cumberland and children spent the weekend in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ovel Bjorgum and family were Sunday visitors at the Lloyd Bjorgum home.

Charlie Johnson and Mrs. Alma Feragen of Camrose, Fritz and Ernest Adamson and Oscar Swanson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seljehaug.

Audrey Anderson spent several days last week at Wetaskiwin with Diane Lindstrand.

Anne Bjorgum was a Sunday overnight guest with Lois Simonson.

Mrs. Alex Asp and Miss Mabel Simonson were at Mrs. J. Holte's for her birthday Saturday afternoon. Evening visitors were Mrs. Mary Erickson and Donald of Camrose, and Mr and Mrs. Bill Simonson.

Mrs. J. Holte was a Sunday dinner guest with Mabel Simonson. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Ness and Mrs. Emma Schmidt.

## Locals . . .

HOME FROM N.B.

Mrs. Marie Worton returned by air on the weekend from Fredrickson, N.B., where she attended the Dominion High School Curling Championships. Also attending from Viking were the boys' parents Mr. and Mrs. L. G Dobry, H. Hafso, P. Chillibeck and V. Slavik. Jerry Slavik, the lead on the Alberta rink, is Mrs. Worton's nephew. She said the calibre of curling was excellent and the Alberta rink made a good showing in placing second.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Eaglesham and boys of Wainwright were Sunday dinner guests with Marie Eaglesham and supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Lancaster. They also visited with Jean Othen and Mr. Eaglesham in the hospital.

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The World Day of Prayer service will be held in Holy Trinity Anglican Church on Friday, Mar. 5th, at 2:30 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all women of the various churches.

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## Hastings Coulee notes

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

The ladies club met at the home of Mrs. M. Gladue on Thursday, Feb. 18th. It was decided to send the annual donation to the heart fund. They plan to hold a parcel post sale on Friday, Mar. 26th. A military whist drive will round off the evening.

A good time was enjoyed at the Social Credit whist drive held Saturday, Feb. 13th, with six tables being played. The next whist drive will be held Saturday, Feb. 27th.

The dance sponsored by the hall board on Friday, Feb. 12th was quite well attended with everyone reporting a good time.

The hall board met at the Fontaine home Monday, Feb. 15th, where they arranged a cash bingo to be held Friday, Mar. 12th.

J. Poriste is a patient in an Edmonton hospital. He was home for the weekend, returning to hospital on Monday.

## Ross Creek district news briefs

(Iris Bilan)

Wednesday, Feb. 17th, was the 43rd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford, and to mark the occasion, they were guests of honor at a turkey supper, held at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Edith Atterwell.

BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED

Thursday, Feb. 18th, was the birthday of Neil Malcolm, when visitors in the evening with Howard and Neil were Joseph and Iris Bilan.

A number of friends dropped in to wish Violet Bailey happy birthday on Tuesday, Feb. 16, bringing a delicious lunch which was served later.

Friday, Feb. 19th, was the birthday of Irene Warner, and on that day, a number of Ross Creek ladies joined with the Lakeshore ladies to call on Irene and wish her birthday happiness.

After spending two days with her daughter, Doris and husband, Russ at Vegreville, Mrs. Bessie Pederson, and her sister, Mrs. Ella Rogers, visited with her son, Kenneth, and his wife Betty, en route home on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Gertie Ferrel visited with Mrs. Mary Ferrel in the Archer Memorial Hospital, Lamont, on Monday afternoon.

George McLachlan, Bill Liton, Marshall Elaniak and skip, Graham Snider were participants in the Mundare open men's bonspiel held at the weekend.

The Ross Creek closed bonspiel is now underway and will be played off this week.

Kenneth and Betty Pederson and family, who were shoppers in Edmonton on Friday, made it home just ahead of the blizzard.

FRIDAY'S BLIZZARD STOPS SCHOOL BUS

One of the school buses carrying district school children from Chipman, was caught in the storm Friday evening and the driver and children had to take refuge at Ross Creek with the Fred Antoniuk, Bill Eglenski, Ralph Cossey, Stan Klatchuk, Alvin Hauer and Joseph Kachure families, each taking a number of children into their homes overnight.

Ross Cossey was Clifford McLachlan's guest Friday night and Saturday, Friday being Clifford's birthday.

## Gobbert-Malcolm rites held in Edmonton

(Iris Bilan)

ROSS CREEK — Howard and Neil Malcolm and Graham and Elma Snider attended the wedding Saturday afternoon of Howard's niece, Mavis Malcolm, daughter of Archie and Bertha Malcolm of Edmonton. The wedding ceremony was held in Edmonton with Mavis united in marriage to Gene Gobbert. After the ceremony, Howard and Neil, and Graham and Elma drove to Bruderheim where the reception and dance were held. John and Gertie Ferrel also attended the reception and dance.

## Holden news

**One of the workmen working on the new residence being built for Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lautsen was taken to the Viking Hospital in the ambulance Friday evening, after suffering a heart attack. The driver and attendant found the trip back to Holden very difficult due to the blowing snow and storm.**

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kachman and children, of Bellevue, were visitors here for a day a week ago. Lloyd was on his way to attend a week-long Royal Bank conference being held in Calgary. Mrs. Kachman and children were visitors for the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Bilyk, and Lloyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kachman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hillman (nee Betty Michlich) of Grande Prairie, were recent visitors with Betty's father, Harry Michlich, and other relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Hillman are expecting to move to Dawson Creek, B.C., about the end of Februray.

Harry Shehinski and Chris Hovland were Edmonton visitors on Tuesday of last week.

**CBC CORRESPONDENTS COVER THE GLOBE**

Stanley Burke (left) and James M. Minifie (right) are two of the senior men in CBC's lineup of foreign correspondents. Burke covers stories in France and other parts of Europe from his home base in Paris. On the other side of the Atlantic Minifie keeps Canadians informed about happenings in Washington and other parts of the United States.

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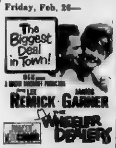


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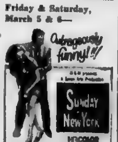


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NO SHOW on Saturday, Feb. 27th

HALL IS BOOKED.


## Palmer - Earling notes

AT WEDDING

The L. A. and C. Bratruds, Lawrence Hovelands, George Mosbys, and Allan Helleksons were in Camrose Thursday, guests at the Helleksen-Logan wedding at the Mission Covenant Church.

Edof Wiklum an his sister, Mrs. Alma Steffen were Monday callers with the Walter Wiklums, Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Kost Chrystian were weekend visitors with the latter's aunt, Mrs. Annie Chomik, at Lac La Biche, and also with the Dan and Mathew Chrystians at Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pearse, Kelly, Paul and Scott of Edmonton spent the weekend with the Lawrence Pearses.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilf Ewaskiw and Beverly of Daysland, the Lewis Chrystians of Camrose were Friday evening visitors with the Mike Chrystians.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bratrud and Mr. and Mrs. Adrien Bergquist, Kasn and Shyla of Bawlf motored to Dawson Creek, B.C., to attend their cousin's wedding on Saturday.

**Nick Kushnerick and son have purchased the half section farm where the Paul Temkes now reside. Mike Nasleenik, south of Holden, has sold his half section farm to Mike Manchur from Edmonton.**

Mr. and Mrs. Jorgen Davick have returned after a ten-day holiday by train to Vancouver and Victoia, B.C. At the latter place they visited Leon Willans, former postmaster at Ryley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewie Chrystian and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Blades have returned from a two-week holiday, motoring to Disneyland and points in California. En route home they visited Lewie's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stapleford at Qualicum, B.C.

MRS. BJELLAND PASSES

PALMER-EARLING, Feb. 19 —Hans Husebys received word from Oslo, Norway, of the passing of their aunt, Mrs. Ragna Bjelland, 86 years, on December 28th, following surgery.

The deceased was a former Palmerite, having made her home with the Hans Husebys for a number of years, returning to her native Norway some time in the 1920's.

Her husband predeceased her two years ago. She leaves to mourn her loss, one son and two daughters, and a number of grandchildren, all in Oslo. Funeral services were conducted January 4th at the Sem Chapell, Oslo.


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# Flash blizzard leaves huge cost

Sudden blizzard conditions last Friday afternoon caused loss and damage of almost unprecedented totals, even though very little snow fell during the storm. Winds which gusted to over 50 miles per hour whipped up any loose snow, plus the little precipitated, causing blinding conditions for pedestrians and motorists, and disrupting power and phone lines.

Highways became focal points of disaster as car after car fell victim to the impossible conditions. Scores of motorists refused to travel the roads, and spent the night wherever they could find accommodation and roadside farm homes suddenly became hostels for large numbers of storm-stayed visitors. Twenty visitors overnight were reported in several areas, while the school bus driver, found himself sheltering forty pupils in his small home. Unable to make their normal trips, many school buses had to return to the schools or other emergency accommodation.

SCANT WARNING

Although the blizzard later was reported to have been experienced in the Peace River block early in the morning, little warning was heard of it in this area.

Power lines blew out in the Kingman and Armena district, telephone communication in the Kingman area was knocked out, so that no communications got through after the early part of the storm.

Luckily the storm was short lived. By morning, the wind had moved on, and visibility was again perfectly clear. Throughout, temperatures were never as serious as usually accompany a storm of such proportions, and reconstruction started immediately.

Separate reports of individual experiences in the storm are carried in many items and district reports throughout this issue.

**THE WEATHER . . .**

| Feb. | Max | Min | Barom. | Precip. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 17 | 46 | 11 | 27.53 | — |
| 18 | 46 | 30 | 27.48 | — |
| 19 | 40 | 7 | 27.05 | .50" snow |
| 20 | -5 | -13 | 28.07 | — |
| 21 | -6 | -08 | 27.96 | — |
| 22 | -6 | -31 | 27.97 | — |
| 23 | 25 | -03 | 27.47 | — |
| 24 | — | 5 | 27.63 | .2" snow |


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# 54 attend FUA meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Feb. 13. — A meeting of Holden FUA Local 61 was held in the Beaver Co-op buying station Wednesday, Feb. 10th, with 54 members and interested persons in attendance.

The main topic for discussion was the hog marketing board. Speakers for the evening were Alex Gordey, MLA for Vegreville, H. Winkler, general manager of the Alberta Livestock Co-operative Association of the Edmonton Branch, and B. Barber, hog salesman for the Alberta Co-operative of Edmonton.

The next meeting of the FUA will be held March 16th at 8:30 p.m. in the office of the Beaver stockyards (the former Veregin's stockyards), when anyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

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## TEST ANTHRAX VACCINE ON BUFFALO

The Canadian Department of Agriculture's Animal Disease Research Institute at Lethbridge is the scene of an experiment being carried on to determine whether anthrax vaccine, which is effective for cattle, will also work on bison. The project is also to determine how much vaccine should be administered to guarantee immunization of a bison.

As an initial step, some 30 bison calves are receiving injections of varying amounts of anthrax organisms to determine the minimum lethal dose of the disease. In another phase of the project injections of the vaccine will be given a number of bison at Wood Buffalo National Park. In the spring the vaccinated animals will be given 200 times the lethal dose to determine if the vaccine has given them immunity, and if found effective the vaccine will be used by veterinarians in a large-scale immunization program covering all herds in Wood Buffalo Park and adjacent areas in the NWT.

The park has been a scene of recurring outbreaks of anthrax since 1962 that have taken the lives of hundreds of bison.

Photo courtesy Canada Dept of Agriculture

NUCLEAR FLEET IN FORMATION. The United States nuclear fleet is pictured in formation, slicing across the blue Mediterranean. Up front is the nuclear-powered aircraft carrier U. S. S. Enterprise, with her crew forming the atomic formula "E equals MC2" on the flight deck. Nuclear powered missile cruiser U. S. S. Longbeach and destroyer U. S. S. Bainbridge are at her side.

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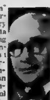
# New deputy in ag branch

The Honourable H. E. Strom Minister of Agriculture, has announced the retirement of R. M. Putnam as Deputy Minister, effective January 31, and the appointment of his successor, Dr. E.E. Ballantyne, formerly Director of Veterinary Service Alberta Department of Agriculture.

After 10 years as deputy minister, Mr. Putnam requested permission to retire for reasons of health. He was the first native-born Albertan and the first University of Alberta graduate to be appointed to this post. He served in several departments during his 30 years with the government.



Dr. E.E. Ballantyne, has been Director of Veterinary Services for Alberta since 1947. During this period he initiated the first Brucellosis Restricted Area in Canada; was chairman of the Alberta Central Rabies Control Committee and directed a program which eradicated the disease from the province; initiated the first swine health and livestock medicine programs in Canada, and has been active in such fields as Agricultural Civil Defence, livestock diseases, and food safety, for which he was made a Fellow of the Royal Society of Health. He has been active in veterinary medicine and is a member of many committees dealing with agricultural problems.

Dr. Ballantyne was born near Stratford, Ontario. After teaching for four years, he attended the Ontario Veterinary College, graduating in 1943, and winning the Andrew Smith Gold Medal for efficiency. He was Provincial Animal Pathologist for Nova Scotia before coming to Alberta.

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A CHEER — As everyone knows, a good basketball team must have a cheering section to help them win. Here is the team which stamped their feet, waved their arms and shouted words of encouragement in favor of the Tofield teams.
—Photo by Peter Nickel

# News items from Holden district

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Lars Ritland, who was a hospital patient in Tofield this past week for a few days, receiving treatment for a very bad cold, returnd home Thursday, feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy visited with their daughter Ines and family, the Howard Riels, Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Eileen Pike of Tofield was a visitor and dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann on Wednesday of last week. Mr. Pike was also a caller in Holden on Wednesday, on school business.

Chris Christenson, Mrs. Elna Parsons, Mrs. Magnus Christenson and Mrs. Kennie McLennan were visiting with Mrs. Serena Christenson in Tofield on Friday, to wish her "happy birthday".

### FALLS CAUSE INJURIES

Clare Anderson had the misfortune to slip on the icy street last week, fracturing his arm, and was in Tofield Hospital for x-rays and treatments.

Mrs. Henry Hanson had a bad fall last Friday morning on the icy street, and bruised her elbow very badly.

Mrs. Joe Knudson of the Ryley district was a visitor in Holden on Wednesday of last week, and a caller at the Village office.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ritland on Thursday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children were visiting with Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Taylor, a week ago Tuesday afternoon.

Mike Natesnik and Mrs. Irene Wandio, of Edmonton, were in Holden on business a week ago Monday. Mike recently sold his farm and moved to Edmonton.

**The Budinski boys of Bud's Electric, have closed their business in Holden and moved their equipment back to the farm.**

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Grosland and children, of Sherwood Park, visited in Holden the weekend of February 13th with relatives, and to attend the wedding anniversary party for Shirley's parents, the John Pookes.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Styba were Edmonton visitors a week ago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow visited at Tofield on Tuesday of last week, with Mrs. Serena Christenson, to congratulate her on her 83rd birthday, which she was celebrating last week.

**We were pleased to hear that Larry Strilchuk, who has been a patient in Tofield Hospital for the past month, came home Saturday morning, and is feeling much improved and is able to walk around some to exercise his hip and leg. He will be returning to hospital within a week for further treatments and tests.**

On Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 16th, a tea was held at the home of Mrs. Elna Parsons, on the occasion of her birthday. Her daughter, Mrs. Elsie Clark, was present to assist. About 20 ladies were there to offer congratulations and good wishes to the guest of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Zayonce moved into the residence owned by Mrs. Bill Hladilo last week.

Stanley Misyk, a student at the Technical School in Edmonton, was a weekend visitor with his parents, north of town.

Mrs. Peter Laskoski and her small daughter had to stay overnight Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Danilak, due to the blizzard.

Mike Chupka motored to Edmonton on Wednesday evening of last week, returning home on the Thursday evening. He found the highway extremely icy, especially through the hills.

The old-time dance sponsored by the Centennial Committee, which was to have been held in the Community Hall on Friday evening, was cancelled due to the bad storm that evening.

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## NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

**NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the electors of the County of Beaver No. 9 will be held in Ryley School Auditorium at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, the 6th day of March, 1965, for the discussion of the affairs of the County.**

The electors of towns and villages and of rural school districts included in the County for school purposes are entitled to attend to participate in the discussion of school affairs, which will be held immediately after election of a chairman to conduct the meeting.

DATED this 12th day of February, 1965.

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# Bardo news

### TEACHERS SUFFER FROSTBITE IN STORM

The storm on Friday afternoon which struck without any warning was the cause of much anxiety to many. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Finseth, Keith and Cheryl had gone to Camrose to celebrate Pastor Carl Johnson's birthday. On the way home, they bumped into a car ahead of them which had stopped because of the poor visibility. Leroy applied his brakes but the car skidded on the ice. The result was a punctured radiator and loss of antifreeze. The Finseths were sheltered at the Russell Rouse home until Saturday.

# Elaine Johnson leads zone in speech contest

Saturday evening, February 20, the Oddfellows and Rebekahs of Ryley and Camrose held their semi-finals for the United Nations Speaking Contest in the Ryley High School Auditorium. About 60 people were present to hear the 10 contestants compete for a place in the finals for Zone 6 of the province of Alberta to be held at a later date. There will be 10 students chosen from this province, who will receive an all-expense-paid trip to the United Nations in New York this summer.

The competition was very close with the winner being Elaine Johnson of New Norway and Colin Nashund of Camrose in second place. Elaine's topic was "The U.N. Freedom from Hunger Campaign". Colin's topic was "The U.N., Success or Failure".

Judges were J. B. Hemphill and S. Lefbrud of Viking, and Mrs. Brundage of New Norway.

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

UCW MEETS

On Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 17th, the Lakeshore UCW met at the home of Mrs. Mae Ferguson with a good turnout of both members and visitors, despite the poor roads and cold day. After the business of the meeting it was decided to hold the March meeting at the home of Mrs. Vi Geoglein, the weather and roads permitting, time and date to be announced later. After the meeting a delicious lunch was served by the hostesses Mrs. Mae Ferguson and Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen.

Weekend guests at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg were Ruth's three sisters and a niece, namely Mrs. Nettie Thomas and Mrs. Sybil Nelson, both of Lacombe, and Mrs. Ada Keeton and daughter, Christine of Alix. They all arrived Friday afternoon by car with a friend, Mrs. Martin, who was visiting relatives in the Tofield district. On Sunday, Art Keeton of Alix arrived and was a dinner guest with the rest of the family before his wife and daughter, Ada and Christine, left for home with him in the afternoon. Nettie and Sybil remained at Ruth's for a few days' visit and returned by bus on Tuesday morning to Edmonton and then on home to Lacombe.

John and Alice Warner of Tofield were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of their son, John Jr., and Irene Warner on the farm on Tuesday, Feb. 16th.

Mrs. Mabel Bailey of Tofield was a visitor and dinner guest at the home of her daughter, Irene, and John Warner, on Thursday, Feb. 18th. She also went to Edmonton on Friday to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Joyce Brumacombe.

AT UCW CONFERENCE

Mrs. Elleanor Jones, president of the Lakeshore UCW accompanied Mrs. Bessie Hunter of Tofield to Edmonton Thursday where they attended the annual UWC provincial conference on Thursday and Friday. Due to the blizzard Friday evening, they also remained in the city Friday overnight, returning home Saturday afternoon.

SUCCESSFUL TEA

On Saturday afternoon, Ellen Eaton of Tofield was hostess at a Stanley demonstration and tea at her home with Mrs. Sybil Nelson of Lacombe as representative of the Stanly Co. Due to the sudden cold spell only eight ladies were in attendance beside the hostess, but a very enjoyable afternoon was spent playing games before Sybil started her demonstration. Lunch was served by the hostess, who wished to thank all the ladies for making it a very successful party, also those not present but who purchased goods. She also thanks Ruth Wickenberg for her help with the baking and Bertha Phillips for helping serve.

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LEAGUE AND COUNTY CHAMPS

There is no doubt, these boys can play basketball as they proved on February 13th during the basketball tournaments held in Tofield. They not only took the league championship this year but went ahead to capture the county championship as well. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

## Wilfred Jones dies suddenly in Edmonton

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE-McKENZIE. — Sympathy of the district goes to all the members of the Tommy Jones family on the sudden death of Tommy's youngest son Wilfred Jones in Edmonton on Friday morning. It also goes to his wife Mildred and daughter Arlene in Edmonton, and the Jones families of the Lakeshore district.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Jones and family lived and farmed in the Lakeshore-McKenzie district for a good many years and all their family grew up and attended either the MacKenzie or Lakeshore schools.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

KETCHAMOOT, Feb. 24th. — Agnes McGinitie was pleasantly surprised Saturday evening, on her birthday, by a number of friends who bought the birthday lunch with them. Those present were Ruth and Willard Ferguson, Ester and Marvin Henderson, and Mrs. Broen.

Little Darlene McGinitie spent the weekend with her grandparents, Agnes and Henry McGinitie.

Mrs. Herman Lawson spent the weekend in Edmonton, her nephew George White bringing her home on Sunday.

Sunday visitors with Mildred and Roy Lee were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Nickols and children of Edmonton, and Mrs. Ethel Canfield of Tofield.

Lilly and Harold Schultz were coffee guests with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hunter, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Martin Lawson spent a few days in Edmonton with her daughters, Verna and Eileen.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGinitie were guests of their daughter Alice Munkedahl, Eric and family of Ryley on Sunday afternoon, the occasion being Mrs. McGinitie's birthday.

**Mrs. Chester Coombes is a patient in the University Hospital, Edmonton. Chester and Harold motored there to visit with her Tuesday afternoon.**

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Mitchell were Sunday afternoon callers at the Ivan Mitchell home.

A number of people of the district were caught in the blizzard that struck late Friday afternoon. Many motorists sought shelter wherever possible and were forced to stay away from their homes for the night. The temperature dropped rapidly, and visibility was cut to zero. It was one of the worst blows of the winter.

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# Education week sparks 'mock' council meeting

In conjunction with the observance of Education Week, the Tofield School will present a "Mock Town Council Meeting" in the school gymnasium at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, March 8.

This project, under the leadership of Lloyd Cribb, was organized as a supplement to the Grade X Social Studies program. The students involved were duly elected by their peers to positions, corresponding to actual offices on the Tofield Town Council, on the mock council. During the past several weeks these students have been busily engaged in delving into actual problems of local administration, and through the co-operation of local officials have developed an interesting program for the "meeting" on the 8th.

The public is invited to this "meeting" and it is hoped [illegible] many will find it possible to attend. We feel sure that besides enjoying the excellent presentation by these students, the public may become better informed as to the workings of local government and henceforth take a more active part in the basic institution of Democracy.

B of M TROPHY

Mr. Horace Sellers, manager of the local Bank of Montreal, proudly presents this winning rink with the B of M trophy for the first time. Left to right, are: Joe Strilchuck, J. Beychuck, B. Hellewychuck, Ted Strilchuk (skip) and Mr. Sellers. The rink won the grand challenge in the long drawn out Tofield Farmers' Bonspiel which ended last Wednesday. Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Large crowd attends 'Good Neighbor' night

A large crowd attended the Tofield Co-op annual "Good Neighbor" night held last Wednesday night, Feb. 24th in the Tofield Community Hall.

With Harold Schultz as master of ceremonies, the program opened with the high school band playing "O Canada".

The band, led by Captain Jefferies, entertained with several numbers, followed by Marilyn Price with a solo on the clarinet, accompanied by Rita Schmidt on the piano. Eight girls from Lee Rurka's gym class gave some demonstrations in gymnastics. George Thiessen sang two numbers with guitar accompaniment; followed by a piano solo by Louise Janzen. Jacklyn Hunter gave a talk on the "Freedom from Hunger" campaign.

Following more selections by the band, Jerry Neufeld played a solo on the trumpet, accompanied by Rita Schmidt on the piano, and three Dunham boys sang a medley of songs. "The Road Runners" high school orchestra, consisting of Robert Obertos, Keith Knudslein, Larry Tiedemann and Donald Tiedemann, entertained with several rock and roll numbers.

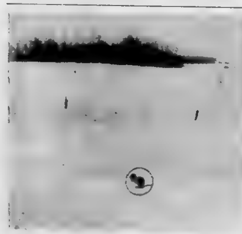
**Laurie Weatherill made the draw for the 4-H $50.00 bill which was won by Pete Kuc.**

Bill Nashman entertained with his guitar and told some jokes. The master of ceremonies introduced members of the co-op associations and I. Ness spoke on behalf of the Alberta Wheat Pool and co-op movements.

The newly formed "Tofield String Quartet", consisting of Keith Appleby, Ed Regehr, Tom Miller and Beve Brown, entertained "Hillbilly" style. The Barbershoppers, Henry Schrader, Vernon Walker, Neil Bailey and Ronnie Geoglein sang three numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Stinson at the piano; and the "Tiedemann Orchestra", Emil, Bert and Donald, played several selections.

Harold Schultz thanked the sponsors and all who made the evening so enjoyable.

Lunch was served by the wives of the co-op members.



SEASON'S FIRST GOPHER

At least one gopher (circled) in the Tofield area apparently adopted the winter works slogan and decided, "Why wait for Spring? Do it now." And he did . . . he came out to check on the weather. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

## Tofield ladies win at Holden

Two rinks from Tofield entered the bonspiel held at Bruce on February 21st and 22nd.

Mildred Dunlop skipped one rink with teammates Faye Dodds, Elizabeth Davison, and Olive Pollock. They won fourth in the Grand Challenge event.

The Joyce Swift rink won first in the second competition. Her foursome included Irma Francis, Zelda Hallet, and Winnie Christensen.

## $800 damage in car crash

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Peter Zadorozny, Joe Chamulke, Nick Shihinski, and Mr. W. J. Rurka had an unfortunate accident Saturday morning, Feb. 20th. While driving to attend the retreat at St. Albert they ran their car into the back of a snow plough near Lindbrook. Luckily they were driving slowly owing to blowing snow and none of them was injured, except for bruises and cuts. However, there was about $800 damage done to the car.

## Sympathy goes to bereaved

The sympathy of the district is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore and families in the death of their infant son. Also to the Murray family in the death of Roland Murray. Also to the Coombes families in the death of Mrs. C. Coombes, and to the Jim Harper family in the death of Mrs. Jim Hooper.

# Community League has regular monthly meeting

The regular meeting of the Tofield Community League was held in the meeting room of the Community Centre on Tuesday, March 2, with president John Baergen in the chair and twelve members present.

The minutes of the February meeting were approved on motion of C. Annis and E. Stinson.

The secretary, J. C. Lampitt read the correspondence: (1) a letter from the Federal government re. making the Community Centre available as a polling booth in the event of an election in 1965. The executive had already authorized a reply in the affirmative; (2) a letter of thanks from Joe Sadowski for assistance given him and his family when his house was destroyed by fire.

THEATRE FUND

The treasurer's report was given by Hans Carstensen who, in the absence of the convener of the theatre committee, also read the theatre report. This report reflected the severe winter weather and road conditions in that it showed a substantial loss. To overcome this loss, the treasurer was instructed to subsidize the theatre committee for one month from the general funds of the League.

N. Glover, reporting for the One Hundred Club, stated that 100 to 150 tickets had been sold by eight ticket sellers. The committee is hoping to sell more tickets. The first draw will be held on March 6th.

MEMORIALS

President Baergen reported that, due to the kindness of Horace Seller, arrangements have been made with the Bank of Montreal to administer all Memorial funds rather than have such funds dealt with at the town office.

Some discussion ensued regarding the wording and the arrangement of the sign to be erected on the Community Centre.

BINGO

An Easter ham bingo is to be held on Wednesday, April 14, on motion of A. Pike and W. Christensen.

It was decided to defer a discussion of ways to raise money until a later meeting.

DOMINION DAY

The annual Dominion Day

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## Honors student

FRIEDA WARKENTIN

Frieda Warkentin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Warkentin of Debolt, Alberta, is on the Tabor College Honor Roll for excellence in academic studies during the first semester. Wesley Prieb, Academic Dean, has just released a list of sixty-five persons whose scholarship merits honorable recognition. This includes students whose grade point average is 3.25 (better than "B") and above.

Miss Warkentin is a senior at Tabor, majoring in Elementary Education and German. Prior to enrolling at Tabor she graduated from Tofield High School and the University of Alberta, Edmonton.

Tabor College is situated at Hillsboro, Kansas

## Community . . .

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celebration was discussed. H. Seller reported that he had received assurance that the Jumping Horse Association will again be represented here, as well as the Cutting Horse Association. These groups of horsemen have been an important feature of Tofield's Dominion Day celebration for several years.

It was also decided to contact Captain Jeffrey, who teaches band music at school, with regard to securing the PPCLI Band for July 1st. The school principals were requested to approach Capt. Jeffrey as to the possibility of having the PPCLI Band present a concert in Tofield this spring.

A. Pike requested, on behalf of the Regional Drama Festival, that he be permitted to rent the Community Centre for April 2 and 3. This was readily agreed to, on the same terms as had been in force for previous drama festivals.

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# News items from Holden district

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Buhush and family of St. Paul were Sunday Feb. 21st visitors and supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kaluzny and family. Mr. Buhush reports much more snow in the St. Paul district than here.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visiting for a few days last week with their daughter Beth, and family, the Ernie Mertas of Viking.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Slywka of Edmonton were Sunday Feb. 21st visitors with their mother Mrs. William Slywka and also this past weekend.

Leonard Johnson of Camrose who recently returned from his trip to the United States was a visitor in Holden Wednesday afternoon of last week. Chris Hovland also coming along with him for the drive.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Albert Kondrat has been in hospital at Vegreville for the past three weeks for treatment for a very bad cold. He is still a hospital patient, having further x-rays and treatments, but we hope that his stay will not be too long.

Mrs. Joe Hendel, who was a patient in Tofield hospital for some time after having surgery, returned home Sunday Feb. 14th.

Theodore Nahirnezny is a patient in an Edmonton hospital where he has had recent surgery. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka visited with him a week ago and reported him in good spirits. We wish him a speedy recovery and hope that it is not too long before he is home and feeling improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden who have been spending a three-week vacation in California with their daughter Ardis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hafso, returned home Tuesday of last week. They also visited [illegible] other friends and former Holdenites, while on holidays.

Dr. Leslie Spinks and Mr. Najfiriuk of the Vegreville Health Unit were around on inspections Wednesday of last week and called at the village office.

Miss Betty Chupka, nurse-in-training, was a Wednesday overnight visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka, returning to Edmonton on Thursday when her father drove her back to the city.

Bill Babie of Vegreville, former Holdenite, was visiting around Holden Thursday of last week.

Sam Sroka of Edmonton and Mrs. S. Stepanice, also of Edmonton, were recent weekend visitors with Sam's mother, Mrs. Telka Sroka.

Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell, Mrs. Mary James and Mrs. Laura Christianson were dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Mrs. Mabel Sizer last Friday. Ray Hovland was also a dinner guest at Mrs. Sizer's home.

Mrs. Mike Manchur of Edmonton was a visitor with her son and family, the Don Manchurs, a week ago.

AT WEDDING

Miss Anne Appleby, University of Alberta student, was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby and family, and also attended the Dancsik - Laskosky wedding in Vegreville at which she was one of the bride's attendants.

Congratulations are extended to Don McFayden, agent of the Searle Grain Co. elevator in Holden, who has been awarded a ten-year elevator master-merit certificate. The award is given by the grain insurance and guarantee company in recognition of proficiency in the care of grain elevator premises and the recipient must have a perfect record for ten consecutive years. Don was the agent of Searle Grain Co. in Bruce for several years before being moved to Holden last fall.

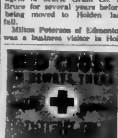
Milton Peterson of Edmonton was a business visitor in Holden last Saturday.

Harry Komarnisky of Poe was a business caller in Holden last Saturday afternoon, accompanied by Alex Barlow who was also visiting here.

Recent weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yarema were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Yarema of Edmonton.

Mrs. Mamie MacAfee of Edmonton, a former Holden resident some years ago, was visiting with Mrs. N. L. Campbell for a few days last weekend.

Mrs. Diane Komarnisky started working at the NADP pool creamery Monday, Mar. 1st, and is back at her desk in the office.



## Huddleston - Ferrel vows exchanged

(Iris Bilan)

ROSS CREEK — On Saturday afternoon, Feb. 27th, at Wesley United Church, Edmonton, Miss Joan Ferrel was united in marriage to Mr. Robert Huddleston.

Joan was a radiant bride in her white brocade floor-length gown and shoulder-length veil, held in place with a sparkling crown, and carrying a bouquet of deep pink roses.

The bridesmaids, Miss Lorna Ferrel of Edmonton, and Miss Barbara Wuetherick of Chipman, both cousins of the bride, wore pink pastel peau de soie street-length dresses with shoes to match and pink circular net veils held in place with pink flower head-bands. They carried bouquets of red carnations.

A friend of the bridegroom, Ken Fate of Ponoka, was the bestman, while Lester Ferrel, cousin of the bride, was groomsman.

The reception and dance were held in Chipman with a large number of guests present despite the very stormy weather that day.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### FUTURE DATES

OPEN HOUSE

Open House will be held on Sunday, March 21st, from 2.30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., at the Ministik Memorial Hall, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Leach on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary. All friends and neighbors are cordially invited to attend. No [illegible]. 28c-1957

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### CARDS OF THANKS

I would like to express my sincerest appreciation to the Doctors, Nurses and Staff of the Tofield Hospital for the wonderful care and kindness shown me during my recent stay there. Also, to the Lakeshore UCW, neighbors and friends for their visits, cards and acts of kindness. A special thanks to Allan Ferguson for help at home.
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## Lakeshore-DISTRICT MOURNS

Tofield and district residents were saddened over the weekend by the death of two well known old timers of the districts. One was Roland Murray, a former resident of Tofield and before that of the Lakeshore district, where he farmed for many years before retiring due to ill health. Mr. Murray was in a nursing home at Red Deer, where he had lived for the past [illegible] or more, and passed away [illegible] on Friday morning. The [illegible] service was held at the Tofield United Church on Monday afternoon, with interment in the Tofield Cemetery. Sympathy of the district goes to his children, Mrs. Marjorie Kenny and family of Rimbey, Douglas Murray and family of Tofield and Mrs. Malcolm Murray and family of Red Deer; also to all the other relatives of Mr. Murray.

The other death was Mrs. Ida Coombes of the Ketchamoot district, wife of Chester Coombes, who passed away suddenly in an Edmonton hospital on Saturday morning. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon from the Tofield United Church, with interment in the Tofield Cemetery. Sympathy goes to Chester Coombes and family; also to all relatives.

We also wish to extend sympathy to Jim Hooper of Lindbrook in the death of his wife, Dolly, in an Edmonton hospital over the weekend. Sympathy also goes to her family, the Meers boys, and all her relatives. Dolly was well known in the Lindbrook district, where she had lived for many years, first as [illegible] Meers and later as Mrs. Hooper. Funeral services [illegible] in Edmonton on Monday.

Mrs. Ethel Woud and son Donald were [illegible] afternoon visitors and [illegible] guests at the home of Ollie and Verlyn Moos.

Tuesday callers and coffee guests at the home of Ellen Eaton were: in the forenoon, Mrs. Isabel Riley and Mrs. Dorothy Campbell, and in the evening, Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg.

Mrs. Katie Baergen and Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen were Friday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Mickey Niemetz.

## Church notes

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m. - Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. - First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. - Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m. - Every Sunday, Sunday School.

TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH
W. H. McDonnald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, March 7th
10:00 a.m. Teen Church.
11:00 a.m. Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. Public Worship.
"The Lord's Supper" and reception of members.
Meditation: "Festival From The Cross"
"To be better off financially, set your wage".

TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, March 7th
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD
Sunday, March 7th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m. Evening Service.

LUTHERAN CHURCH
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
HOLDEN -
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
RYLEY -
10:00 a.m. Sunday School.
11:30 a.m. -Divine Service.

CATHOLIC CHURCHES
Winter Schedule, Nov. to April
TOFIELD—
Second and fourth Sundays of every month .......... 9:30 a.m.
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of the month .......... 11:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
Second and Fourth Sundays of the month .......... 11:00 a.m.
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of the month .......... 9:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
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Mrs. Rita Halverson
Secretary-Treasurer
Town of Tofield. (27-28)

# THE RYLEY TIMES



## Solve a Crime
BY A. C. GORDON

YOU ARE THE DETECTIVE

You are very much shocked when news is brought to you of the death of one of your very good friends, Dan Taylor. All the evidence points to suicide ... the ... on the floor of Taylor's apartment next to his body ... the weapon ... and the suicide note clutched in his left hand. And yet you still cannot reason in your own mind that Dan Taylor would take his life this way. He was too vital a man, too filled with the joy and zest of living, and much too courageous to run away from life in such a fashion. You and Dan up to about a year ago had worked together as a detective team, and with much success, but then Dan had abandoned this line of work to invest his life's savings and ... in a speculative real estate partnership with a man by the name of Phil Garrison.

You know something of Garrison ... a fellow of rather shady reputation, and a sharp dealer ... but so far as you know Dan Taylor had been making a success of most of his land speculations ... and this makes it all the more difficult for you to accept the suicide theory. You have the "suicide note" found in Dan's hand, and you now read it:

"My good friends: Partner Garrison is ready very soon to begin to take control of my estate for life. I am forced through friendship to try to write my planned suicide in this note. And sincerely I trust and hope that maybe you will surely understand my dilemma and this will bring about the justice and sense to you and partner. Dan Taylor".

Although somewhat disjointed and vague, the note seems to bring out the suicidal intentions of a distraught man . . . but still you are dubious. Then there comes to you certain memories of how you and Dan used to enjoy working with and dabbling in cipher gimmicks and systems, and you wonder if perhaps there might be some hidden message in this last note of Dan's.

You search carefully through the note, stressing certain words, omitting others . . . and finally you find it, a cryptic message from your friend, Dan, explaining what really happened.

Can you decode Dan Taylor's letter, which will help you to solve the case ?

SOLUTION

The secret message in Dan Taylor's letter is comprised of every third word, starting with the first word. It works out this way: "MY good friend: PARTNER Garrison is READY very soon TO begin to TAKE control of MY estate for LIFE. I am FORCED through friendship TO try to WRITE my planned SUICIDE in this NOTE. And sincerely I trust and HOPE that maybe YOU will surely UNDERSTAND my dilemma AND this will BRING about the JUSTICE and sense TO your and PARTNER".

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## Ryley 4-H Beef Club elects new officers

The Ryley 4-H Beef Club held their regular meeting on Thursday, Feb. 25th.

Officers for 1965 are: Richard Matthews, president; Roy Hodge, vice-president; Gary Wiens, secretary; Dwayne Kulda, treasurer; Lyle Hodge, club delegate; Garry Kropielnicki, club reporter; Peter Munkedahl club leader; R. Hammer and Wm. Maaren, assistant leaders.

The meeting began with a roll call each member stating a cattle disease. Feed samples sent to the Agricultural Soil and Feed Testing Laboratory were returned with analysis by District Agriculturist S. C. Powers. Fund raising was discussed. Ted Nenkowich arranged to show members the different cuts of beef. Public speaking will be held at the next meeting. The club leader, Peter Munkedahl had a knot and halter demonstration.

## Ryley Cooksters organize

On January 4th, a new club, The Ryley Cooksters, was organized.

This club is probably the first boys' food club in Canada. The first meeting was held at Maaren's residence. Nominations of officers were the first business of the meeting. They are: pres., Iver Maaren; vice-pres., Barry Semik; sec., James Panier; treas., Gary Patterson; club reporter Arthur Hanson, club delegate Rodney Kokalychuk; social leader, Mrs. Maaren, assistant leader, Mrs. Stumbo.

Other members are Richard Mathews, Wade Magneson, Glen Magneson, Barry Stumbo, John Jenson, Barry Kropielnicki, and Douglas Maaren.

Their are 13 members in the Ryley "Cooksters" who hope to have a very prosperous initial year.

## Trustees discuss current budget

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Feb. 27 Trustees of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 held their regular monthly meeting Friday, Feb. 20th, in the office of the secretary, Ray Hovland, with all trustees present.

The financial statement and auditor's report were read and discussed.

The budget for the ensuing year was then discussed and made up to be sent in for the Minister's approval. Ditching needed to be done during the year's work was also discussed.

Date for the annual meeting was set for Wednesday, March 17th, at 2:00 p.m., in the Gladstone curling rink. Nominations for one Trustee will also be opened.

## Ministik bingo a huge success

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

MINISTIK — The grocery bingo sponsored by the Ministik Ladies' Club, held on Friday, was a huge success. Bingo players came from as far away as Tofield and Fultonvale and all reported a good time. Mrs. Albert Harricks was convener, with Mrs. Keith Williams assisting. Other members of the club helped serve lunch.

## George Lyons funeral held February 23rd

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — Funeral services for the late George W. Lyons, who passed away on Saturday, Feb. 20th, were held on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 23rd at 2 p.m. from the Ryley United Church with Jim Ruxton officiating. Mr. Lyons was born in 1900 at Terra Cotta, near Brantford, Ont., and came west to the Ryley district in 1913. He was married to Ada Victoria Broad of the Bathgate district in a home ceremony conducted by the Rev. Leverage, who served the community for the Anglican Church at that time. She predeceased her husband in 1954.

Beautiful floral tributes were received from his family and relatives, and many were the memorials given in his memory to the Ryley United Church, and the Ryley Cemetery Fund.

Active pallbearers were L. Pepper, B. Jacobson, R. Westmancoat, W. Pope, G. Fisk, J. Davick. Honorary pallbearers were S. Booth, H. Hill, L. Hay, R. Greig, J. Manderson.

Interment was in the family plot in the Ryley cemetery. Andrews - McLaughlin were in charge of arrangements.

## 4-H Bonspiel Mar. 6

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — The annual 4-H club bonspiel will be played in Vegreville on Saturday, Mar. 6th starting at 9 a.m. There will be 24 clubs competing for the prizes and trophies. The clubs will come from Ryley, Tofield, Viking, Vegreville, Andrew, Lamont, Willingdon, Innisfree, Hairy Hill, Ranfurly. Both boys and girls' clubs are entered.

## Ryley news

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Don't forget the waffle lunch to be served by the Lutheran Church Women in the dining room from 12 noon onwards on Saturday, Mar. 6th.

The Ryley 4-H Beef Club sponsored the dance at Victory Hall on Friday evening, Feb. 26th.

Lester Pepper and Brian Westmancoat added twin calves to their Holstein herds this week.

David Harris is back home again after spending a week in the Tofield hospital.

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**ATMOSPHERE**

They're not real gold nuggets," Ken Patrige of The Camrose Canadian is telling Prime Minister Lester Pearson, as he shows the gold chains and Klondike style vests which will be worn next August when the national convention of all Canadian weekly newspapers is held in Edmonton. Mr. Pearson held an informal audience with several directors of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association when they met recently in Ottawa for their semi-annual meeting. Mr. Patrige, who is this year's president, chaired the meetings, following which part of the group left for Germany and France, where they will make a quick tour of army bases. Concluding the tour, Mr. Patrige will meet Mrs. Patrige in London, for a short holiday in the Old Country. Shown at centre is Len D'Albertanson of The Wainwright Star Chronicle.

## Ketchamoot

(Mrs. Mitchell)

MRS. COOMBES PASSES

This district was shocked on Friday morning to hear of the sudden passing of Mrs. Ida Coombes in an Edmonton hospital. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Tofield United Church and interment was in the local cemetery. Rev. W. H. McDonald officiated.

Mr. Jim Williams is a patient in Tofield Municipal Hospital.

Eileen and Verne Lawson were at home with their parents, Janet and Martin Lawson and brothers over the weekend.

## Anglican Auxiliary visits Boys' Ranch

The 51st annual meeting of the Edmonton Diocesan board of the Women's Auxiliary of the Anglican Church of Canada was held in All Saints Cathedral and Parish Hall from February 23rd to February 25th. Various conferences were held the previous afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Edith Bailey and Mrs. J. W. Robinson attended all the sessions and also enjoyed the tour of Oakhill Boys' Town, Bon Accord.

Four chartered buses left from All Saints Hall on Wednesday, Feb. 24th at 6:30 p.m. After touring the boys' ranch, including the chapel, they enjoyed a comedy in three acts with music in the Bon Accord Community Hall at 8 p.m. The comedy was entitled "Sunshine and Silver", and the silver collection proceeds went to the Oakhill Boys' Ranch.

Mrs. W. H. Freebury and Mrs. F. Dunham also attended some of the sessions. Mrs. Dunham reported on the 24th annual meeting of the Wainwright Deanery which was held at Lougheed on May 27th 1964.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ella Eaton)

Lionel Ferguson was taken to the Tofield Hospital late Thursday night, where he is still a patient. We all wish him a speedy recovery and hope to see him out around again soon.

Betty and Keith Paddeck and children and Harold Ferguson were weekend guests at the home of Betty and Harold's mother, Mrs. Emma Ferguson, and while here visited their father, Lionel Ferguson, in the hospital.

Mrs. Isabel Riley spent Friday with Ellen Eaton in Tofield.

Mrs. Tillie Yurkowsky was a Thursday afternoon visitor and coffee guest at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Mrs. Vivian Jones and Miss Janet Wickenberg, of Edmonton, were Saturday afternoon and overnight and Sunday visitors at the home of their parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg.

Bill and Mary Tiedemann, of Deville, were Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Bill's brother Emil and Martha Tiedemann. Little Jamie McLellan was also a Thursday overnight guest there.

Don and Deanna Niemetz and baby, of Provost, were Friday overnight and Saturday until afternoon visitors at the home of Don's parents, George and Ida Niemetz.

Kenny Ross and Rachel Mahowich were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Ellen Eaton.

Donna and Frank Edwards and Mrs. Loretta and daughter Wanda, all of Edmonton, were Saturday overnight and Sunday guests at the home of Donna and Loretta's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Martin Booth, of Ryley, was a Sunday afternoon visitor and luncheon guest at the home of Howard and Mae Ferguson. Later, Jim and Wally Fisher of Tofield were evening visitors and coffee guests there.

Mrs. Mae Ferguson was a Tuesday afternoon visitor and coffee guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Doris Brown.

HERE FOR FUNERAL

Lorene and Jim Francis, of Viking, and Johnny and Gloria Wood were Monday dinner guests at the home of Lorene and Johnny's parents, John and Mary Wood. Mary and Lorene and Jimmy later attended the funeral of Roland Murray, in the afternoon.

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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

HOSPITAL NEWS

Leona Roddick underwent a tonsillectomy last Wednesday in Tofield hospital. She will be away from school for several days.

Danny Jones is a patient in Tofield hospital, suffering with a kidney ailment. A speedy recovery is wished young Danny.

Harvey Kleinschroth consulted his doctor last Wednesday, and is reported to have a nervous stomach.

Mrs Verdon Sears visited the doctor on Thursday, and is suffering a foot affliction.

Friends are glad to hear that Mrs Grace Grummett is coming along nicely in University Hospital after undergoing leg surgery.

**Mrs. Irene Williams has had another article printed. This time it appeared in the Edmonton Sun and is entitled "Gem of the Rockies". This is a story of the beautiful Maligne Lake at Jasper.**

Members of the Community Club and friends enjoyed an evening of curling in the Tofield Curling rink on Saturday. Everyone who attended reported a wonderful evening.

Mrs. Michael Nasichuk spent the weekend at her home on the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Holmes visited Deirie's mother on their return from the coal mine at Dodds.

Miss Peggie Rowland spent the weekend at her home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland.

Alex Russ and son, Alex, visited Miss Bella Russ on Sunday and found her well and happy.

**Gary Ferguson had the misfortune to fall at work, fracturing a bone in his arm. He now carries his arm in a sling.**

Beverly and Lorne Stevens are staying at the home of their grandparents, Mr and Mrs. Alphonse Luch, for two weeks, while their mother is in Royal Alexandra Hospital. She had further surgery on her arm which was injured in a car-train accident last August.

# REA chops dues

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK — The annual rural electrification association meeting was held at the Ministik Hall on Tuesday evening with a good attendance. One item of business all will be pleased to hear was that association dues were reduced from $2.00 to $1.00 a year for the present.

Coffee and doughnuts were served after the business session, by Mrs. Pat Paterson, Mrs. George Kleinschroth and Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth.

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# New books at Library

Several non-fiction and science fiction books have been added to the Tofield Public Library, and should prove interesting reading.

NON-FICTION

Vanderbilt's complete book of etiquette. Rev. edition 1964.

Montgomery, Rutherford. The living wilderness. 1964 personal acquaintanceship with wild animals.

Pinney, Roy. Vanishing wild life. 1963. foreward by H.R.H. Prince Bernhard of the Netherlands. Destruction of wild animals — preventative measures that can be taken.

Johnson, Air-vice-marshal. Full circle. c1964. World War 1 and 2 fighting leaders of both wars.

Eisenberg, Helen. Skits, stunts and stories. 1956 all ages, all groups.

Roxborough, Henry. The Stanley cup story. 1964. Development of hockey in Canada.

Ford. Editor. Outdoor living on wheels. 1964. Information on station wagons, tents, tent trailers and camping equipment.

Lewis, C. S. Letters to Malcolm. Chiefly on prayer.

Blishen, E. Oxford book of poetry for children. 1963. Better known poems.

Huxley, Francis. Peoples of the world. 1964. Description of origin, effect of the climate and migration have on races, photos.

Brooks, Paul. Roadless area. 1942. Adventure in remote places.

Jeffers, Jo. Ranch wife. 1964. A roundup of dilemmas and discoveries by a tenderfoot.

Syrkin, Marie. Golda Meir. 1963. A woman with a cause — her homeland Israel.

Santee, Ross. Cowboy. 1964. Cherished memories of the cowboy's own world.

MacEwan, Grant. Hoofprints and hitching posts. 1964. History of the old west.

SCIENCE FICTION

Norton, Andre. Star rangers.

Moore, Pat. Caverns of the [illegible]

Del Ray, Lester. Mission to the moon.

Appleton, Victor. Tom Swift and his ultrasonic cyclopane. 1957. Tom Swift and his 3-D telejector. 1964.

Other books in youth and easyreaders will interest the young borrowers.

# District youth wins trip to Chicago

MINISTIK — Bruce George of Edmonton, youngest son of Mrs. S. George, won the distinction of being one of three in Canada chosen by his company, Socony Mobiloil, to be sent to Chicago, U.S.A., to take a managerial course. All expenses are paid which included the National Hockey League game between Toronto Maple Leafs and New York Rangers at the Gardens Saturday night.

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# Ross Creek district news briefs

The Chipman boys and girls' basketball teams played against the Lamont teams in Lamont Wednesday evening, the winning teams were the Lamont girls and Chipman boys. Friday evening, both the Chipman boys and girls were the winning teams in games played against the St. Michael teams at Chipman.

Mrs. Nell Malcolm, Mrs. Annie Bilan and Mrs. Iris Bilan attended a tea sponsored by the Chipman Roman Catholic ladies and held in Chipman on Wednesday evening. The evening started with 12 games of bingo being played, then everyone enjoyed a very delicious lunch, after which the winning tickets for the raffle were drawn. John Ferrel of Ross Creek was the lucky winner of the fourth prize, a lovely large heart-shaped box of chocolates.

**On Saturday, Feb. 27th, Mike Svitich of Ross Creek was married in Edmonton, and Jim Rennick of Chipman was also married that day, with festivities being held in Bruderheim.**

Orville Hoph and wife, Margaret of Edmonton, were visitors at the home of George and Winnie McLachlan from Saturday night to Sunday evening.

# Obituary

HOOPER—On February 25th, Mary Ann (Doll) beloved wife of Mr. James Hooper, Lindbrook. Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Robert Edward Meers and Ronald Samuel Meers, North Cooking Lake; eight grandchildren; two brothers, William Stephens, Edmonton, Harry Stephens, Stony Plain, and sister Mrs. Ronald Meers, Chilliwack, B.C., and halfsister, Mrs. Annie Gardiner in the United States. Funeral services were held on Monday at 3.30 p.m. in Hainstock's Chapel, Edmonton, with Rev. W. L. Hammett officiating. Interment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

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COOMBES — On February 26, Mrs. Ida Matilda Coombes, beloved wife of Chester Coombes of Tofield, passed away in an Edmonton hospital at 68 years. She also leaves three sons, Harold and Ronald of Tofield and Lyle of Edmonton; three daughters, (Ethel) Mrs. Hugh McCall of Edmonton, (Luther) Mrs. Harry Ketchum of Mulhurst and (Gladys) Mrs. Ewald Gabert of Edmonton; 14 grandchildren, and one great-grandson; a brother John Grovum of Edmonton and a sister Mrs. O. Daily of Ashmont. Funeral services were held on Tuesday, Mar. 2nd, from Tofield United Church with Rev. W. H. McDannold officiating. Interment at Tofield Cemetery.

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# Oldtimer passes February 23rd

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — John Ozubko, an old-time Holden district resident, passed away Tuesday, Feb. 23rd at the age of 88 years. Mr. Ozubko is survived by three sons and five daughters; John, William and Mike, all of Edmonton, Mrs. William Richards of Banff, Mrs. Peter Narbeske, Mrs. Sam Kostyk, Miss Jennie Ozubko, all of Edmonton, and Mrs. Polan Scott of Daysland. He also leaves 12 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. His wife predeceased him seven years ago.

Requiem mass was held on Saturday, Feb. 27th, at 10:00 a.m. at the Ukrainian Catholic Church at Vovudenia, Holden, with Rev. Lozynsky the celebrant. Interment took place in the church cemetery.

# Mrs. J. W. Robinson attends confirmation

Mrs. J. W. Robinson spent last weekend at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and on Sunday morning, Feb. 28th at 11 a.m., attended the confirmation service at the Church of St. John the Evangelist when 59 candidates were presented to Bishop Burch, BA, BD, by the Rector, the Rev. John R. Bethel, BA, Lth.

Edith Mary Smith, daughter of Mrs. J. A. L. Smith, was one of the candidates.

Five candidates and their families and the Rector from Winfield were also present. It was a very impressive ceremony and the church was packed to overflowing.

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ROAD RUNNERS

This foursome (the drummer is not shown) displayed an example of their talent last Wednesday evening, when the audience found their toes tapping automatically to the rythm of this newly formed local orchestra. These Tofield boys are gaining popularity in the surrounding area and have played for several dances since they were fortunately discovered. They could be future prospects for the Hit Parade if they keep up the good work. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Tofield girls winners, boys losers in tourney

The Tofield junior high girls and boys' basketball teams enjoyed a fun-filled day of basketball in Ryley at the Basketball tournament. The tourney was sponsored by the Ryley and Tofield Lions Clubs, and held on Saturday, Feb. 27th. The participating teams were Ryley, Tofield, Holden, Viking, Kinsella and Bruce. The referees were Mr Rurka, Mr. Hell, Mr. Lutz and Mr. Vorgtlien. The coaches were Mr. Rurka, Tofield, Mr. Lutz, Tofield, Mrs. Lutz, Viking, Miss Olsen, Ryley, Mr. Erickson, Bruce, and Mr. Dalby, Kinsella.

The Holden - Tofield game in which the Tofield boys were defeated by one point, 20-19, was a very exciting game with all trying very hard. The Tofield girls defeated Kinsella [illegible]2 and Ryley 26-11. Marjorie Moore, Tofield's captain was accurate on her shots, scoring 12 points in the final game. All the teams played good ball and displayed good sportsmanship.

At the close of the tournament a member of the Lions Club presented the Tofield girls with their trophy. Marjorie Moore gave Mr. Rurka a trophy as a gift from the girls in appreciation of his fine coaching. Mr. Eastlich also helped coach the girls during the final games. Mr. Dennison kept score, and also charted the Tofield plays.

The cheerleaders, who accompanied the team, were Brenda Eaton, Sandy Brown, Laura Tiedemann and Barbara Knutson. The tournament was a wonderful end to the basketball season.

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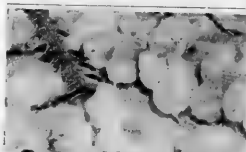
# MLA speaks to Socred ladies

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Monday evening, Feb. 15th, the Holden Social Credit Ladies' Auxiliary held a meeting in the Legion Hall at which Alex Gordey, MLA of Vegreville was the guest speaker. Owing to the stormy weather conditions over the weekend, the attendance was not large, but all present enjoyed the talk given by Mr. Gordey on "social and economic problems of today". A short period of questions and discussion was held following his talk. During the evening, Mr. Gordey remarked that Holden was the only auxiliary in his constituency. Lunch was served by the ladies at the conclusion of the meeting.

# Obituary

MURRAY — On February 25, Thomas Roland Murray late of Tofield, passed away at Red Deer at 77 years. He was predeceased by his wife in 1963. He is survived by one daughter (Margery) Mrs. William Kenney of Rimbey; two sons Douglas of Tofield and Malcolm of Red Deer; 11 grandchildren; two brothers, John of Edmonton and James of Lamont, Iowa; two sister, Elizabeth of Clarksville, Iowa and Ila of Salem, Oregon. Funeral services were held on Monday, Mar. 1st from Tofield united Church with Rev. W. H. McDannold officiating. Interment at Tofield Cemetery.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**CLOWNS** Clowning it up for the crowd last Wednesday during the Co-op Good Neighbor Night, was this foursome. Their antics added a touch of humor and variety to round out an entertaining evening. --Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Around the Town

Don't forget the Ketchamoot UC Whake sale on Saturday March 6th, at 2:30 p.m.

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Joyce Anderson and Betty Davidson from Calgary spent the weekend at their homes with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Anderson, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Foyd.

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Sunday visitors at the T. Gray home were Fred Johnson, Ruth and Dan MacDonald, and Ernie Gray from Fort Saskatchewan.

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Mildred Dunlop spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Clara Swanson, at Viking.

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Mrs. Taylor spent a few days last week with her mother, at Vegreville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Art Sutton of Camrose and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Nordin and family were visitors in Tofield and with Mrs. Knudslien at Lindbrook.

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Donna and Wendal Clark of Edmonton, were Sunday and Monday visitors with Ella and Don Hardy.

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Gwen and Larry Murray, Joan and Arno Binder and Duncan, all of Edmonton, were Sunday visitors with Helen and Stan Grover.

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George H. Peebles left last week to reside in the Senior Citizens' Home at Sherwood Park. He was a long-time resident of the Tofield district.

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Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Holt of Edmonton were weekend visitors with Stan and Liz Schacher. Saturday night they all attended the Lions Charter Night.

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Mr. and Mrs. George W. Ismond of Abernethy, Sask., were Tuesday overnight visitors at the Stinson home. Mr. Ismond is Mrs. Stinson's brother.

A note from Mrs. S. B. Strickland of Paris, Ontario, advises that her aunt, Mrs. Lottie Strickland of Brantford enjoys The Mercury very much. In her 98th year, Mrs. Stickland is confined to her bed most of the time. She wishes to tell her friends, especially those in the Holden area, that she thinks of them often and is sorry she can't visit them in person.

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**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

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— Jonathan Swift

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# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Mar. 2nd — Sunday School at Bardo Church at 1:30 p.m. and worship services at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Mar. 7th.

The WCTU will meet at the home of Mrs. Selma Cinnamon on Wednesday afternoon, Mar. 10th.

The Lester Severson and Don Litwin families were supper guests at the Olaf Anderson home on Friday evening.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Leif Foshaug returned home from the hospital on Friday. Albert Haukedal entered the hospital on Tuesday for surgery, where he is still a patient.

Glen and Iris Francis and children were Sunday dinner guests at the Olaf Anderson home.

Mr and Mrs Lester Severson motored to Edmonton on Sunday and were dinner guests at the Walter Scott home and afternoon guests at the H. Irving home.

Grandma Inga Ness and Don, Patricia and Gregory Litwin were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Ingolf and Esther Brekkan.

Raymond, Betty and Ricky Brooks of Wetaskiwin were Tuesday overnight visitors at the Clarence Rude home. Betty and Rickey remained at the Rude home while Raymond went on to Wainwright and other points on business. They returned home on Thursday afternoon.

Thursday supper guests at the Clarence Rude home were Grandma Inga Ness, Mrs. Ragne Heiberg and Evalen of Kingman, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cinnamon, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Undin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Severson and Mr. and Mrs. Don Litwin and Gregory.

Mrs. Elmer Sitler spent a few days in Edmonton at the home of her daughter, Gail, assisting there while Gail was suffering from pneumonia and the baby from a severe cold.

**LUTHER LEAGUE 'SPIEL**

The Parish Luther League curling bonspiel which was postponed from last weekend due to the severe storm, was held at the Tofield rink Saturday in spite of another storm and more drifting snow. Although the storm hindered some of the players from getting out, those present report having a very enjoyable day.

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# Ask county to take over firefighting

A request that the county take over firefighting within the district was the only item from the floor at Saturday's annual county meeting, held in the school auditorium at Ryley. Several farmers from the Viking district presented a request suggesting that initially fire trucks should be placed in Viking, Holden and Tofield, with addition of trucks in other areas at a later date.

At present, they pointed out, the fire truck in Viking will not leave town. (It was pointed out by another speaker that immediately the fire truck leaves the town, all fire insurance in Viking automatically lapses until it returns. By contracting this arrangement, Viking has secured more advantageous insurance rates).

The committee suggested that modifications of such a program have been instituted in several areas, including Vegreville,

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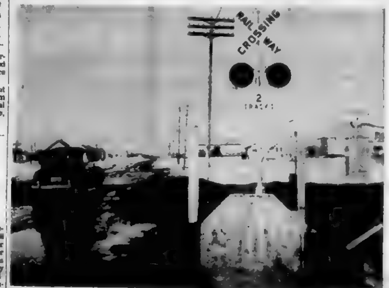

**PROGRESS** A long hard battle in the Tofield area has finally produced these signal lights at the Queen Street railway crossing. Work on the lights began a few weeks ago and the final stages were completed last week, but according to a few badly shaken up motorists, the signals are not yet working to perfection and have caused some near mishaps due to the short timing. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

# PPCLI Band coming to Tofield this month

An opportunity of a lifetime is coming to the people of the Tofield area. The 40-piece PPCLI (Princess Patricia Canadian Light Infantry) Band will present a concert of varied selections at the Tofield Community Centre at 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, Mar. 23rd.

This band, under the direction of Lt. Naylor and coming to Tofield through the co-operation of Cpt. Jeffreys Band Commander Western Command and Director of the Tofield School Band, is the most widely known military band in Canada and has travelled through the world with Canada's service contingents, winning wide acclaim for its excellence and versatility.

As the County of Beaver is endeavoring to encourage the appreciation and study of music in the schools of the district through the formation of school bands the appearance of this remarkable group of musicians in our town provides an excellent opportunity for the parents and students to partake in a wonderful evening of musical entertainment. The enthusiasm of the public to the appearance of the Tofield School Band at the Co-op Friendship Night program should insure a large group of interested persons on the evening of March 23rd.

This program is being sponsored by the Tofield Community League. Tickets are [illegible] sale from members of [illegible] field School Band, the Tofield High School and "Big Three" Students' Union and at the Tofield Drug.

Watch The Mercury next week for further details.

# Tofield Lions have meeting

Tofield Lions Club held their first supper meeting of the month in the meeting room of the Tofield Community League, with a fair attendance of members, and Lion Henry Paege had his brother, Frank, of Stettler as a guest.

A report of the Charter Night was satisfactory, but the report as to support of the carnival of March 6th and 7th very disappointing. Some visitation had been done to another club and nomination committee discussed for officers for next year. Mention was made of club property belonging to other clubs, a zone get-together and arrangements for a convention to be held in Edmonton in the near future.

# Tofield wins top honors in High School bonspiel

On Saturday, Mar. 6th, the annual H.S. curling bonspiel took place in Tofield, with teams from Tofield, Chipman, Ardrossan, Fort Saskatchewan and Leduc participating.

The first event was won by Brian McFadzean and his team of Frances Shultz, Alan Everitt and Shirley Swift. Second in the first event went to Greg Whyte and his team of Linda Kallal, Kevin Pike and Wendy Arnett.

The second event was won by the Barry McIntyre team of Fort Saskatchewan, others on the team being Bonnie McIntyre, Lonnie Wooden, Dale Sherman. Second went to Chipman and the Brock Snider team of Gail MacLaughlin, Ken Sloptyski and Vicki Ulan.

The high school curling season wound up Thursday, Mar. 11, with the prizes being presented to winners. The season was very successful and enjoyable to all concerned.

The drama class of Junior High School is progressing well with their play "Heat Lightning" which will be presented on the evening of April 2nd as part of the 11-play zone 3 drama festival.

# Annual high school drama festival to be held in Tofield April 2 and 3

The drama festival for Zone 3 high schools will be held this year on April 2 and 3 in the Tofield Community Centre. The area includes Lloydminster, Ver[illegible] County, County of Minburn, Lamont School Division, County of Strathcona, County of Wetaskiwin, County of Leduc, County of Beaver and the Wainwright School Division. High schools taking part are Lloydminster, Vermilion, Vegreville, Mannville, Dewberry, Wetaskiwin, Salisbury, Lamont, Ryley and Tofield.

The schedule is as follows: Friday afternoon, April 2 — Ryley, Salisbury and Lamont; Friday evening, April 2 Tofield, Wetaskiwin and Vegreville; Saturday afternoon, April 3 — Marwayne, Mannville and Dewberry; Saturday evening, April 3 — Vermilion and Lloydminster.

Public and private adjudications will be given at each performance, and after the final performance on Saturday night, awards will be made for the best actor, best actress, best supporting actor, best supporting actress and best play.

Public support is requested for this project since it is a non-profit venture. Money collected will pay for hall rental, trophies and assistance to each school to defray some of the costs of transportation. Time and effort spent by the committee in charge and by the drama groups are donated to help encourage drama in Alberta.

Information concerning any phase of the festival can be obtained from H. A. Pike, Box 208, Tofield, or phone 662-3478.

# Blizzard brings thunder, lightning

One of the strangest phenomena of the blizzard two weeks ago was reported by T. Chrystian recently. Out on Pigeon Lake [illegible] several other fishermen when the storm blew up, they were afflicted also by a severe thunder and lightning storm, so intense as to drive them for cover.

"The thunder sounded close enough to reach up and take hold of it", commented Mr. Chrystian, who added it was one of the strangest experiences of his life.

None of the party could ever recall experiencing lightning any time but in the summer, and felt the freak experience in winter must have indicated the presence at upper levels of remarkably warm currents of air, since this is when lightning develops.

## Laud snow crews

Snow plow operators in the County of Beaver were given a hearty vote of thanks for "the big job done under trying circumstances" in recent weeks of snow removal and road plowing. It was pointed out they had sometimes been operating for up to 20 hours without sleep in an effort to keep roads open. A motion was made at the county annual meeting in Ryley Saturday expressing deep appreciation, and accepted with a hearty round of applause.

It was moved and carried that

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## Mounties not happy, either

This paragraph should have been written a couple of months ago, but unfortunately we slipped up. Nevertheless, it shouldn't be bypassed completely.

Several weeks ago this column reported that members of the RCMP were being called on, in some jurisdictions beyond our provincial boundaries, to treat speeding motorists in a somewhat cavalier fashion, in that the unwary victims were required to drive to town and pay a pretty substantial "voluntary" penalty, or lose several hours while waiting for the appearance of the magistrate, who, it was obvious, would impose a penalty at least as high.

We didn't blame the "Mounties".

This should be pointed out. We observed that this excellent force was being demeaned in certain areas where they have contracts to do the local policing, but that, behaving as good soldiers, they were accepting the orders given them, even when they were unreasonable.

Nevertheless, we were unprepared for the sequence of developments that ensued. The force wanted to clear their name. Visits followed telephone calls, with long, interesting chats. Our informant was living in Calgary, so we checked through to him, checked his willingness, and arranged for a visit with one of the investigating policemen. This was passed on to a Calgary member of the force, the circumstances were all checked out, and the force agreed it was not a happy situation, but one which was perfectly legal, in our neighboring province, British Columbia.

Not a bit happy about what it's doing to their image in the public eye, the Mounties have made strong representations, and it is possible changes may result. But what impressed us the most was their interested and assiduous efforts to track down a circumstance giving the force a bad name, and to report back. As we said, after printing the complaint, we owe the force and our readers this explanation.

## Laughing stock

Remember how all the world was appalled that Jack Ruby should have been able to slip through Dallas police security precautions and shoot Oswald as he was being transferred to another jail?

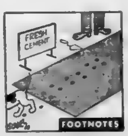
Consider the image Canadian security must have, then, after a prisoner "safely" in jail was allowed to escape as his case was being heard in the courts. Especially after Hal Banks was allowed to slip away from the country, the escape of Lucien Rivard, reputed to be a kingpin in the narcotics traffic, opens up serious doubts as to the efficiency, capability and integrity of enforcement bodies. We are being made to look ludicrous in the eyes of the world.

## Lower the bars

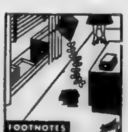
While the Canadian government is energetically persuading the American government to soften the rigid barriers against importation of more Canadian goods, so as to imporve our balance of payments position with that country, it should be turning at least equal attention to the impossible conditions we have established for trade with Britain.

There is ample room for Canada to be a better customer for Britain. Last year we bought from Britain only forty per cent as much as we sold her, leaving her with a deficit to make up of $797 million.

There is ample evidence that if we don't immediately make serious attempts to improve our position, Britain will stop being our best customer, for the simple reason she can no longer afford to keep up the heavy drain, especially while other markets offer. Partly, we'll agree, the fault is that British merchants haven't tried to find out what kind of goods they could sell here, and develop the market. But when our customs barriers are so high as to be punitive, the climate doesn't look healthy from the British side of the Atlantic. We can't afford to lose such an excellent trade connection.



"Can't you see the sign?"



"It's that little boy in the penthouse across the way."

## From the mail bag

Tofield Mercury,
Dear Editor

We frequently hear "I never did that when I was a boy". I often wonder what the proclaimer is trying to cover up they "really did". In my day we didn't drive a car at over 100 miles-per-hour. But we rode the "old gray mare" as fast as she could go, by spurring her, and laughed at the danger of her stumbling in a hole and breaking a leg or our necks.

"We made our own recreation". "We cleared our own ice rinks". [illegible] any [illegible] hockey team, that I knew, that endured for any length of time [illegible] the approbation and/or support of some older person. I remember a [illegible] over 70 years of age (who [illegible] never [illegible] a [illegible] of skates) who played goal for a hockey team. That team endured for years.

[illegible] youth today the same opportunity to "Do-it-yourself" recreation facilities? I remember a certain "ol' swimmin' hole", in which I taught many boys to swim, that is not available. The boys planned to develop another one but in short order a sign appeared "private, keep out". I played many, many games of baseball, basketball, and football on a natural smooth level field, the only one in the community that is now a field of grain.

We have made many changes and progress in other things but in so doing have destroyed natural opportunities for youth to do their own development of [illegible]. Should not youth also have the advantages of our progress? Perhaps it will cost money. But I'll venture that the cost nor the changes need not be as great as the change from "The old [illegible] mare" to dad's "Super-eight".

### Oppose liquor store

Editor, The Mercury:

As members of the Bardo Lutheran Church Women we wish to voice our opposition to the decision of having a liquor store opened in the town of Tofield.

Bardo LCW.

Editor, The Mercury

The congregation of the Bardo Lutheran Church, located in the Tofield trading area, goes on record as being opposed to the establishment of a liquor store in Tofield.

—Lester Severson, Pres.

### Quick Canadian Quiz

1. What Canadian invented the game of basketball?

2. In what year was income tax introduced in Canada?

3. Urban dwellers now make up 40 per cent, 60 per cent or 70 per cent of Canada's population?

4. By land area, rank Canada's first three provinces?

5. Since 1949 the index of consumer prices has risen from 100 to 137. By how much has the composite index of average wages and salaries risen in the same period?

ANSWERS 5. The index of average earnings has risen from 100 to 203. 3. More than 70 per cent. 1. Dr James Naismith, in 1891 when he was on the staff of the YMCA Training School at Springfield, Mass. 4. Quebec, British Columbia, [illegible]tario. 2. In 1917, as a war tax.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Ellenor Jones became a patient in the Tofield Hospital on Tuesday of last week and at time of writing is still there. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. John Warwa returned home Sunday from Tofield Hospital, where she had been a patient last week.

Jean and Russell Jones, from Czar, were Monday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Russell's parents, Joe and Ellenor Jones on March 15, en route home from Edmonton.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and daughter Mary were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil's brother, Bill and Mary Tiedemann at Deville. Also there for the evening were Emil and Martha's daughter Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot, and Jack and Helen Gray and family of North Cooking Lake.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Sunday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Stanley and Keitha Brown of Ketchamoot helping them celebrate their son Conrad Brown's birthday. Also there for the occasion was their son Peter and Yvonne Brown, Keitha's mother Mrs. Peter Lee, Graham Wiley, Elaine Sorrell and Donald and Daryl Bertch of Edmonton.

Grace and Floyd Hubbard of Lavoy were Sunday evening and supper guests at the home of Grace's aunt, Mrs. Ellen Eaton, in Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Weise of Pibroch, were visitors at the home of Vi and Elmer Geuglein from Friday to Sunday.

Leroy and Shirley Eaton of Holden were Thursday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Leroy's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Vi and Elmer Geuglein and little granddaughter Sydney were Monday afternoon visitors in Edmonton, where they visited at the home of Vi's sister, Mrs. Lil Ball.

George and Ida Niemetz were Monday afternoon visitors in Edmonton and supper guests of their daughter Gail Niemetz. In the evening George and Ida and Gail, and Bob Ozull [illegible] supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Ida's sister Ruth and Carman Fuller.

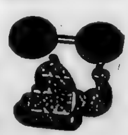
RETURNS TO INUVIK

Gary Niemetz left Saturday by plane for Inuvik, in the Arctic, after having spent a week at the home of his parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz. He is employed by the Peter Bawden Drilling Company.

Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg was a Friday evening visitor and coffee guest at the home of [illegible] Eaton. Later in the evening Ellen was a coffee guest at the home of Roe & Bertha Phillips.

Mrs. Mary Schroeder, Mrs. Isabel Rudzcki, Mrs. Mickey Niemetz and Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen "surprised" Mrs. Katie Boergen on Thursday afternoon when they called with a lovely cake to help Katie celebrate her [illegible]y.

John Jr. and Irene Warner and son Bruce were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Herb and Mary McAdoo.





## Beaver county council meeting

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of County of Beaver School Committee, held Tuesday, Feb. 9th.

**Business Arising From Minutes**

In regards to the County Crest, motion 12/65, the Superintendent informed the Committee that Messrs. Earl Hardy and Earl Kindley had been appointed to the Crest Committee from the Local ATA and that they, together with the appointed member from the School Committee Cr. J. H. Roddick, [illegible] the various entries.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the proposed plug-ins for cars at the schools for the benefit of the teachers, motion 28/65, Mr. Pike reported that the teachers appeared fully in favor of these plug-ins, and that the suggested charge of $12 for the season was acceptable to them. He stated that arrangements would be made for these plug-ins to be put in during the coming summer and that each plug in would have a lock so that it could not be used by unauthorized persons. Mr. Allen stated that this matter had been brought up at the last Principals' meeting and he confirmed Mr. Pike's report.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the fire at Tofield School, motion 21/65, the Secretary-Treasurer [illegible] that the damage had now been [illegible] and he presented to the [illegible] tee the account from Watson (Tofield) Limited in this matter, the account being in the amount of $6,120.32. Mr. Pike stated that the work had been very well done and was now complete.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and the account paid.

In regards to the proposed building program at Viking School, motion 33/65, Mr. Pike reported that the size of the commercial room would be limited to 900 square feet and that, as this would not give a large enough room, the County would have to pay for the additional area, which he estimated to be approximately 200 square feet.

In regards to the two lots, adjoining the present school grounds, the Committee was informed that the lot next to the [illegible] grounds could be obtained for $1,000, and that on the second lot there is located an old house. The owner of this property would be prepared to exchange lot if the County [illegible] the house, or would sell outright for $4,000. It would be very difficult to move this building and Mr. Pike was of the opinion that we could get along without the lots.

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Several weeks ago this column reported that members of the RCMP were being called on, in some jurisdictions beyond our provincial boundaries, to treat speeding motorists in a somewhat cavalier fashion, in that the unwary victims were required to drive to town and pay a pretty substantial "voluntary" penalty, or lose several hours while waiting for the appearance of the magistrate, who, it was obvious, would impose a penalty at least as high.

We didn't blame the "Mounties".

This should be pointed out. We observed that this excellent force was being demeaned in certain areas where they have contracts to do the local policing, but that, behaving as good soldiers, they were accepting the orders given them, even when they were unreasonable.

Nevertheless, we were unprepared for the sequence of developments that ensued. The force wanted to clear their name. Visits followed telephone calls, with long, interesting chats. Our informant was living in Calgary, so we checked through to him, checked his willingness, and arranged for a visit with one of the investigating policemen. This was passed on to a Calgary member of the force, the circumstances were all checked out, and the force agreed it was not a happy situation, but one which was perfectly legal, in our neighboring province, British Columbia.

Not a bit happy about what it's doing to their image in the public eye, the Mounties have made strong representations, and it is possible changes may result. But what impressed us the most was their interested and assiduous efforts to track down a circumstance giving the force a bad name, and to report back. As we said, after printing the complaint, we owe the force and our readers this explanation.

## Laughing stock

Remember how all the world was appalled that Jack Ruby should have been able to slip through Dallas police security precautions and shoot Oswald as he was being transferred to another jail?

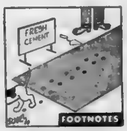
Consider the image Canadian security must have, then, after a prisoner "safely" in jail was allowed to escape as his case was being heard in the courts. Especially after Hal Banks was allowed to slip away from the country the escape of Lucien Rivard, reputed to be a kingpin in the narcotics traffic, opens up serious doubts as to the efficiency, capability and integrity of enforcement bodies. We are being made to look ludicrous in the eyes of the world.

## Lower the bars

While the Canadian government is energetically persuading the American government to soften the rigid barriers against importation of more Canadian goods, so as to imporve our balance of payments position with that country it should be turning at least equal attention to the impossible conditions we have established for trade with Britain

There is ample room for Canada to be a better customer for Britain. Last year we bought from Britain only forty per cent as much as we sold her, leaving her with a deficit to make up of $797 million.

There is ample evidence that if we don't immediately make serious attempts to improve our position, Britain will stop being our best customer, for the simple reason she can no longer afford to keep up the heavy drain, especially while other markets offer. Partly, we'll agree, the fault is that British merchants haven't tried to find out what kind of goods they could sell here, and develop the market. But when our customs barriers are so high as to be punitive, the climate doesn't look healthy from the British side of the Atlantic. We can't afford to lose such an excellent trade connection.




"Can't you see the sign?"

"It's that little boy in the penthouse across the way."

## From the mail bag

Tofield Mercury,
Dear Editor:

We frequently hear "I never did that when I was a boy". I often [illegible] the proclaimer is trying to cover up they "really did". In my day we didn't drive a car at over 100 miles-per-hour. But we rode the "old gray mare" as fast as she could go, by spurring her, and laughed at the danger of her stumbling in a hole and breaking a leg [illegible] our necks.

"We made our own recreation". "We [illegible] our own ice rinks" But any rural hockey team, that I knew, that endured for any length of time [illegible] the approbation and or support of [illegible] older person. I remember a man over 70 years of age who had never [illegible] a pair of skates who played goal for a hockey team. That team endured for years.

But have youth today the same opportunity to "Do-it-yourself" recreation facilities? I remember a certain "ol' swimmin' hole", in which I taught many boys to swim, that is not available. The boys planned to develop [illegible] one but [illegible] order a sign appeared "private, keep out". I played many, many games of baseball, basketball, and football on a natural smooth level [illegible], the [illegible] one in the community that is now a field of grass.

We have made many changes and progress in other things but in so doing have destroyed natural opportunities for youth to do their own development of recreation. Should not youth also have the advantages of our progress? Perhaps it will cost money. But I'll venture that the cost nor the changes need not be as great as the change from "The old grey mare" to dad's "Super-eight".

### Quick Canadian Quiz

1. What Canadian invented the game of basketball?

2. In what year was income tax introduced in Canada?

3. Urban dwellers now make up 40 per cent, 60 per cent or 70 per cent of Canada's population?

4. By land area, rank Canada's first three provinces?

5. Since 1949 the index of consumer prices has risen from 100 to 137. By how much has the composite index of average wages and salaries risen in the same period?

ANSWERS 5. The index of average earnings has risen from 100 to 205. 3. More than 70 per cent. 1 Dr James Naismith, in 1891 when he was on the staff of the YMCA Training School at Springfield, Mass. 4. Quebec, British Columbia, Ontario. 2. In 1917, as a war tax

### Oppose liquor store

Editor, The Mercury:

As members of the Bardo Lutheran Church Women we wish to voice our opposition to the decision of having a liquor store opened in the town of Tofield.

Bardo LCW.

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The congregation of the Bardo Lutheran Church, located in the Tofield trading area, goes on record as being opposed to the establishment of a liquor store in Tofield

—Lester Severson, Pres.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Ellenor Jones became a patient in the Tofield Hospital on Tuesday of last week and at time of writing is still there. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. John Warwa returned home Sunday from Tofield Hospital, where she had been a patient last week.

Jean and Russell Jones from Czar, were Monday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Russell's parents, Joe and Ellenor Jones on March 18, en route home from Edmonton.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and daughter Mary were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil's brother, Bill and Mary Tiedemann, at Deville Also there for the evening were Emil and Martha's daughter Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot, and Jack and Helen Gray and family of North Cooking Lake.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Sunday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Stanley and Keitha Brown of Ketchamoot, helping them celebrate their son Conrad Brown's birthday. Also there for the occasion was their son Peter and Yvonne Brown, Keitha's mother Mrs. Peter Lee, Graham Wiley, Elaine Sorrell and Donald and Daryl Berich of Edmonton.

Grace and Floyd Hubbard of Lavoy were Sunday evening and supper guests at the home of Grace's aunt, Mrs Ellen Eaton, [illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Weise of Pibroch, were visitors at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein from Friday to Sunday.

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Vi and Elmer Geoglein and little granddaughter Sydney were Monday afternoon visitors in Edmonton, where they visited at the home of Vi's sister, Mrs Lil Ball

George and Ida Niemetz were Monday afternoon visitors in Edmonton and supper guests of their daughter, Gail Niemetz. In the evening, George and Ida and Gail, and Bob Ozulko were supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Ida's sister Ruth and Carman Fuller.

**RETURNS TO INUVIK**

Gary Niemetz left Saturday by plane for Inuvik, in the Arctic, after having spent a week at the home of his parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz. He is employed by the Peter Bawden Drilling Company.

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Mrs Mary Schroeder, Mrs. Isabel Rudzcki, Mrs. Mickey Niemetz and Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen "surprised" Mrs. Katie Baergen on Thursday afternoon when they called with a lovely cake to help Katie celebrate her [illegible]y.

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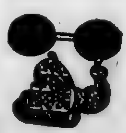



# Beaver county council meeting

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of County of Beaver School Committee, held Tuesday, Feb. [illegible]

**Business Arising From Minutes**

In regards to the County Crest, motion 12/65, the Superintendent informed the Committee that Messrs Earl Hardy and Earl Kindley had been appointed to the Crest Committee from the Local ATA and that they, together with the appointed member from the School Committee Cr. J. H. Roddick, would judge the various entries

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(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Friday, Mar. 5th, members of the Holden United Church Holden Lutheran Church, members from Salem Church and Bruce United Church met in the Holden United Church to observe the World Day of Prayer. About 20 ladies participated in the occasion.

Leaders in the program were Mrs. Mary James, Mrs. Hilmer Olson and Mrs. Blanche Olson. Prayers were offered by Mrs. James Laura Christianson, Mrs. Kathleen Hurum, Mrs. Lawrence Hurum and Mrs. Vernice Grasland. Mrs. Ruston officiated at the organ and during the services a lovely solo was rendered by Mrs. Lawrence Hurum. The address was given by Mrs. N. L. Campbell, the theme being, "What doth the Lord require of Us."

At the conclusion of the service a delicious lunch was served by the ladies of the United Church in the church parlors. Next year this World Day of Prayer service will be held in the Holden Lutheran Church.

## Farm home levelled in morning blaze

(Mr. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — On Sunday morning, Mar. 7th, fire completely destroyed the farm home of Rheinwald, south of town. No one was injured and the origin of the blaze is undetermined at this time.

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## Watson's to build for Calgary Power

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Watson's Ltd., contractors, of Tofield, have started cleaning off the lot next to Mrs. Mabel Slater's home previously owned by Ralph Manson, who has sold the property to Watson's. The contractors are building a modern office building and two-truck garage for Calgary Power Ltd. The building will be modern in design and the grounds at the front of it be lot landscaped, making a big improvement to that part of the village.

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## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Mr and Mrs. John Palmquist of North Battleford were visitors over the weekend with Bob Greig, then continuing on to the West Coast.

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## News items from Holden district

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Mr and Mrs G. H. Taylor have had word from their son, Brian, in Holland, who, with his family, is presently residing at Kaleigh Aan Zee, a holiday resort on the coast. Brian mentions that they have so far not had the extremely stormy and cold weather other parts have had, especially on the southern coast of England However, they have experienced gale winds with badly drifting and, some drifts two or three feet high and a couple of inches of sand over everything.

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**AT WORLD DAY OF PRAYER**

Friday, March 5th was World Women's World Day of Prayer. Neil Malcolm, Winnie McLachlan, Gertie Ferrel and Iris Bilan attended a service held at the Tofield Holy Trinity Church in the afternoon. The most interesting service was written by Mrs Jesse Jas McNeil, American negress, wife of Rev. Dr. Jal McNeil of Pasadena, Calif., and conducted by Mrs J. W. Robinson, with a number of other church women taking part throughout the service. Attendance was very gratifying and the church was filled to capacity. After the service, the African Church ladies served a delicious lunch to all.

NEW CARDINAL. Pope Paul has created 27 new cardinals, including Maurice Cardinal Roy of Quebec, Primate of Canada, above. College of Cardinals is now at an historic high of 103.

## Quick Canadian Quiz

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4. Of Canada's 4.7 million occupied dwellings, what proportion are owner-occupied?
5. In 1950 there were 68,000 students in Canada. What is the present total?

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# THE RYLEY TIMES

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Sunday Services
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Topic: "Sympathetic Identity". No. 2. The second word from the Cross.
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Mr. Boyles covered several [illegible] sections, such as clean-up of ditches, tree planting, publicity, civil defence, and so on, including the cost of the agricultural service board. He mentioned there is hope that the Weed Act this year will be revised, making the supervisor and members of the Agricultural Service Board members of the council.

## Church notes

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m. Every Sunday, Sunday School.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnold, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, March 14th
10:00 a.m. Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. Public Worship
Topic: "Sympathetic Identity". No. 2. The second word from the Cross.
"People who look down on others are probably living on a bluff".

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The [illegible] the
Sunday, March 14th
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m. Evening Service.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, March 14th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m. Evening Service.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
HOLDEN
10:00 a.m. Divine Service.
11:00 a.m. Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:30 a.m. Sunday School.
11:30 a.m. Divine Service.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Winter [illegible], Nov. to April
TOFIELD—
Second and fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of the month ........ 11:00 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday ........ 12:30 p.m.

# Strilchuk takes honors in annual farm 'spiel

The Farmers' Bonspiel that started on February 8th with 25 rinks, and ended on February 24th saw the Ted Strilchuk rink of Round Hill emerge as the winner by defeating Eysten Heiberg, also of Round Hill, in the finals. Supporting Ted Strilchuk were B. Holowatuik, J. Boychuk and Joe Strilchuk while Heiberg had F. Getheridge, H. Schmidt and V. Campbell with him.

The big winner was the controversial weather man who three times came out the winner by forcing postponement of the final day of curling. However, on Wednesday afternoon of the 24th, the finals were run off in all events.

The winners [illegible]

First Event: 1. T. Strilchuk, Round Hill; 2. E. Heiberg, Round Hill; 3. A. Foshaug, [illegible] 4. L. Foshaug, Tofield.

Second Event: 1. A. Francis, Tofield; 2. G. Snider, Ross Creek; 3. G. Googlein, Tofield; 4. A. Heiberg, Tofield.

Third Event: 1. L. Coykendall, Kingman; 2. O. Haugen, Tofield; 3. F. Davison, Tofield; 4. L. Stauffer, Tofield.

Fourth Event: 1. I. McLachlan, Tofield; 2. G. McLachlan, Tofield; 3. Ken Selph, Vegreville; 4. L. Shewchuk, Tofield.

[illegible] the curling was finished president Bob Wyllie thanked all participants who had taken part in the 'spiel and who had co-operated in so many ways when games had to be postponed.

He called on Horace Seller, manager of the local branch of the Bank of Montreal who presented the new Bank of Montreal trophy and replicas to the [illegible] Strilchuk rink. This trophy is to be awarded annually to the grand challenge winner of the farmer's 'spiel.

Other trophy winners were the Art Francis rink who won Dr. Freebury's trophies and the Les Coykendall rink who won the Farmers' Union trophies.

The draw for the curling sweater which was raffled by the farmers' curling club, was won by Denis Lawson, a local member of the club.

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# March meeting of council sparks lively interest

A very interesting meeting of the Tofield Town Council was held on March 1st at 8.30 p.m., with Mayor W. H. Freebury and Councillors Boese, Everitt, Jefferson, Patterson and Swift present.

**NEW LIGHTS**

W. M. Christensen, representing the Calgary Power Ltd., proposed a street lighting program which would replace the existing incandescent street lights by 175-watt mercury vapour street lights. Council accepted the proposed program and the additional $21 billing charge per month.

A letter was read from Mrs. Aurore Landerville requesting Council to allow living quarters to the rear of a building owned by Geo. McFadzean, being Lot 10, Block 11, Plan 5811 S, the front portion of the building to be used for a Beauty Parlor. Council granted permission for this.

**INSPECTOR APPOINTED**

Only one application was received for Building and Plumbing Inspector for the Town of Tofield, that of Ole Sware, who was appointed to this position at the rate of $1 per inspection.

Correspondence from the Gas Protection Branch was read stating the Branch would be prepared to assume the duties of Gas inspections for the Town providing the existing Bylaw respecting gas installations be rescinded.

It was moved and carried that Bylaw No. 404 be rescinded, and that the Gas Protection Branch be responsible for any future gas inspections.

**OPPOSE LIQUOR STORE**

Opposition was received from the Lutheran Christian Women of Bardo, Board of Directors of Tofield Co-op Association, Bardo WCTU, Salem Mennonite Church, Tofield Mennonite Church, Mennonite Brethren Church of Tofield and Tofield Baptist Church. These letters were read and filed.

Council was informed that the water and sewer agreement with Ed Hegehr and Mrs. Edna Bowick had been fulfilled. It was Council's decision that the concerned parties should now be billed each month for the use of the water and sewer conveniences.

**TAX DISCOUNT**

Tax discounts, as brought to the attention of Council at the Annual Meeting, was thoroughly discussed. It was moved and carried that Bylaw No. 464 be repealed, and that an 8% discount be allowed on property and business taxes paid before April 30, 1965, and a 4% discount be allowed on taxes paid on May 1st, 1965, to 30 days following the mailing of the 1965 tax notices. Prepayment of taxes to be accepted on the basis of 1964 amounts. Bylaw No. 570, being a tax discount bylaw, received first, second and third readings, and finally passed on a motion by Clr. Jefferson.

The Secretary-Treasurer was instructed to advertise the Bylaw in the local paper and to mail notices to each taxpayer.

Council approved the purchase of the new Canadian flag.

After discussion, the Secretary-Treasurer was instructed to advertise for a dog-catcher for the Town, asking applicants to quote fee per dog.

Clr. Patterson reported to Council that he had attended the hearing of Agrey versus the Town of Tofield earlier in the day. A settlement of $120 was offered, which Council agreed to accept.

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## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING, Mar. 9th —Mrs. Emily Mercer came up from Calgary to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Chester Coombes of Tofield, March 2nd, at Tofield. Other relatives attending were Mrs. Mabel Brown, Archie Brown and Wm. Tenant.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Reum of Kaleden, B.C., motored here for business and pleasure, visiting relatives here and at Edberg.

Mrs. Lewis Forre and Chester, Lars Olsen and the Akers were Sunday evening birthday visitors at the Olsen home, marking Sam's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson, Mrs. Jim Trimble of B.C., Larry Johnson and Noreen Campbell were Saturday evening guests with the George Mosbys.

Mrs. Jack Vassberg and daughters motored to Smith and spent the weekend with her parents, the Earl Draders.

**MARK BIRTHDAYS**

Birthday greetings go out to three of our pioneers this week, namely Mrs. Inga Afseth, Hans Huseby and Peter Sorenson.

Mrs. Gyda Rindahl observed her 78th birthday on March 1st when her family came in to spend the day.

## Farmers 'phone co. has annual meeting

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING, Mar. 9th —The Ryley Mutual Telephone Co. No. 1 held its annual meeting last week at the Salt Lake Centre. Officers are: pres., Melvin Lehman; vice-pres., Clarence Johnson; sec.-treas., Mrs. Melvin Lehman; directors, Harold Reum, Joe Lehman and Joe Knudsen; trouble shooter is Ed Knudsen.

# Holden district news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Don Stambaugh of Edmonton, former Bruce resident, and Rev. William Beckstead, also of Edmonton, were Wednesday evening, Mar. 3rd, visitors, attending the meeting of the Holden Masonic Lodge.

Mrs. Laura Christiansen, Mrs. Mabel Starr, Mrs. Carrie Olson and Mrs. Beth Campbell were guests at the home of Mrs. Mary James for a pancake dinner Shrove Tuesday, Mar. 2nd.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

We are pleased to see that Mr. Nakonecny, who was an Edmonton hospital patient for a couple of weeks following surgery, is back home again.

Larry Strilchuk, who was a hospital patient in Tofield for several weeks receiving treatments for an infected leg and hip, is pleased at being able to return to school and his studies this past week.

Albert Kondrat, who was a hospital patient in Vegreville for a couple of weeks, is now back home and feeling much better in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visiting with their sister, Mrs. N. L. Campbell Wednesday afternoon of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Barlow had been confined to their residence for several days, being drifted in after the storm Saturday, Feb. 27th.

Ray Hovland and Roy Nichols drove Mrs. Annie Kolodychuk over to Vegreville Tuesday afternoon of last week for medical attention.

Mrs. Dave MacAfee, who visited with Mrs. Beth Campbell over [illegible] past [illegible], returned to her home in Edmonton on Monday morning, driving back to the city with Mr. Ruxton. Mrs. MacAfee, with her late husband, Dave, were Holden residents for many years, when he was manager of the lumber yard.

**MR. YAREMA PASSES**

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ogonoski and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ogonoski attended the funeral Wednesday, Mar. 3rd, of Mr. Yarema who passed away suddenly at the weekend in Camrose hospital. Several other Holden residents attended the funeral.

**Mrs. Clint Armstrong spent Wednesday of last week at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Babitz, looking after the children while their parents were in Edmonton attending the funeral of Irvin's brother who passed away very suddenly of a heart attack.**

Mr. Nicholson of Associated Engineers Ltd., Edmonton, was a business caller around Holden Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Anderson and family of Calgary were weekend visitors with Muriel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow. They also visited with their aunt, Mrs. N. L. Campbell and with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta and family in the Viking district.

Mrs. William Laskosky has been visiting this past week at Leduc with her son, Ray, and his wife, who are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

The Holden Lutheran Church is holding Lenten services in the church each Thursday evening in the week at 8:00 p.m. Pastor S. Rude will be in charge and his theme is "The Seven Statements of Jesus from the Cross". A cordial invitation is extended to all those interested.

Miss Jane Kachman of Edmonton was visiting for the weekend of February 27th with her parents and also attended the Danesik-Laskosky wedding.

**AT BROTHER'S FUNERAL**

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus was an Edmonton visitor Friday, Mar. 5th, when she and Mr. Giebelhaus attended the funeral of her brother. Mr. and Mrs. Giebelhaus planned to drive to Rimbey later to spend the weekend with their son, Earl, and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ogrodnick were recent Sunday visitors in Edmonton and called on John Ogrodnick, a patient in the General Hospital there.

Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus and daughter, Debbie, motored to Edmonton Friday of last week and will be there for several days, while Debbie is having tests for an allergy which has been giving her trouble for the past two or three months.

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I would like to express my sincere appreciation to the Doctors, Nurses and Staff of the Tofield Hospital for their care and kindness shown to me during my stay there. Also, a thank you to my many friends for their visits and cards. May God bless each one of you.
—D. E. Maurer. 28p-2303

We wish to thank our friends, neighbors and relatives for making our 25th Wedding Anniversary a memorable occasion. A special thanks for the cards, gifts, and purse of money.
—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hostetler. 28p-2305

I would like to thank my numerous friends and new acquaintances for their faithful patronage during the last four years I spent in the beauty shop, as I have now sold it to Mrs. Landreville, whom I trust will meet your many needs. Also, thank you for the good wishes, cards and gifts I received during my recent stay in hospital.
- Darlene Williams. 28c-2306

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness, visits, gifts and cards that we received from you during our recent bereavement. A special thanks to Rev. W. L. Hammett.
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Mr. and Mrs. Sewel N. Booth will hold "Open House" on Sunday afternoon, March 21, in the Ryley Legion Hall, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m., in honour of their Golden Wedding Anniversary. A cordial invitation is extended to all friends and neighbours. 28-29p-1650

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# County meet dwells largely on schools

Discussion of school programs and problems took up the largest single part of the time at the annual meeting of the County of Beaver held last Saturday in the Ryley school auditorium. School superintendent H. A. Pike and Councillor J. H. Roddick were called on to answer questions ranging over several topics, ranging from clerical assistance to teacherages, as the interested audience followed intently.

Nicholas Laskosky, elected chairman of the meeting, kept the meeting flowing smoothly and efficiently, but tried to ensure that each question was answered before letting the matter drop.

Asked if he were happy without an assistant Mr. Pike pointed out the move might save money, but it meant he was unable to do as good a job, since too much time was spent on detail work. Wondering if the cost saving balanced the difference in service, the superintendent said no, he was not really happy this way.

Following a question over the request for clerical assistance for principals, Mr. Pike reported the matter had been tabled, and for all practical purposes is now dead. Assistance of this nature is used at Killam, Wainwright, Strathcona and other centres. Mr. Pike expressed his own opinion the assistance should be provided by a teacher selected for this purpose, since many of the records involved are of a confidential nature. The cost, he said, would be partially offset by a grant if a teacher were used.

Several questions were asked regarding dismissal of a bus driver in the southwest area of the county more than a year ago, and answered by both Councillor Roddick and Superintendent Pike. Personal feelings were not involved in the decision, stated Mr. Roddick, several factors were taken into consideration before acting. Mr. Pike pointed out that all information had been presented at the trial required, that he had been called on to testify, and had hoped some of the ratepayers would be present at that time to hear the material. Unfortunately, he said, none were present.

Mr. Roddick presented the school committee report, showing increased accommodation in teacherages, classrooms and bus storage. The County owns 17 teacherages, occupied by 24 families, he reported. Answering an inquiry regarding the county's investment and the return on the investment from teacherages, secretary J. Olof Monsson declared that Beaver is one of the few areas trying to stay with a true rental value for its accommodation. Nevertheless, experience has shown the need for such accommodation in recruitment of new teachers, Mr. Monsson stated.

One ratepayer asked if the county had taken a stand for or against private ownership of buses as compared with the county owning them. Mr. Roddick pointed out that costwise there has not been much difference. If anything, he said, buses owned by the county had operated one or two cents a mile cheaper than privately owned buses. Additionally, it is easier to maintain standards with county owned buses he pointed out.

Mr. Roddick continued with the statement that it is policy to replace private contracts with county owned buses when the situation develops, but pointed out this implies no dissatisfaction with presently-operated private units.

Questioned regarding size of units, he said there is very little difference in cost between a 60-passenger unit and a 42 passenger unit. It has been policy to purchase larger units so that where concentrations of pupils develop it is convenient to handle them all. It has not been policy, he maintained, to extend bus runs in order to fill up the buses. "It is my opinion," said Mr. Roddick that children should not be on the buses before 7:30 a.m. This has not been done with our knowledge he concluded.

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# Beaver county council meeting

(Continued from Page 1)

each school. It was also mentioned that a non-teacher would not be satisfactory in this position as such a person would not be allowed to handle certain records and documents. The question arose, as had been done at previous meetings, how much good would a travelling assistant be, and it was mentioned by Mr Pike that the principals no doubt would have to re-arrange their schedules and learn to do a good many things in a different manner.

After some considerable discussion, it was moved and carried that this matter be again tabled to a later meeting.

**RECONVENED MEETING**

The School C[illegible] convened in regular meeting on Wednesday, Feb 10, at 10.00 a.m.

It was moved and carried that the report of the School Bus Inspection conducted by H. G. Murdoch, Inspector Safety Division, Highway Traffic Board, during the month of January, 1965, be received and filed.

The Committee was informed that the furnace at teacherage No 1 at Tofield had been condemned by the gas company, and that a new furnace complete with pipes and labor could be installed for approximately $295. It was also reported that a new furnace was required in teacherage No 1 at Holden and had in fact been installed, the cost of the furnace being $50.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and that the two furnaces be purchased.

**A.S.T.A. Zone 3**

Notice from A.S.T.A. Zone 3 of the regular meeting of Zone 3 at 10:00 a.m. Monday, Feb. 22, and the annual meeting of Zone 3 and a joint meeting between Zones 2 and 3 on March 11, 1965, was referred to the Committee. Also minutes of the proceedings of the meeting after the conclusion of the Salary Seminary held on Jan. 22, 1965.

The matter of teacher recruitment was mentioned in these minutes. This program had been carried out by Zone 2 in 1964 with some considerable success. The suggestion had been that possibly Zone 3 and Zone 2 could combine in this program thereby cutting the over-all cost. The cost in 1964 in Zone 2 had been $175 per teacher hired. The Recruitment had been carried out by Superintendent M. G. Gault. Mr. Pike was of the opinion that the Recruitment Program should be carried out by each Zone, as, if the two Zones combine the opportunity to obtain teachers might be that much harder.

Moved and carried that we recommend that the two Zones work independently and that the report be accepted.

It was m[illegible]ed and carried that Mr Stinson be appointed to represent the School Committee at the Principals' meeting on Feb. 24th.

**Building Program**

In the matter of the building program now in process, the Superintendent reported that at

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# Ketchamoot news briefs

(Maryl Mitchell)

Weekend visitors with Chester and Harold Coombes were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketchum and family of Mulhurst.

Raymond McGinitie of Red Deer spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGinitie. Willie Nashman of Edmonton was a guest of Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ray and family of Alix and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Melton Ray and Leila.

Mr and Mrs Gordon Lyle and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Dunham near Hastings Lake.

Sunday visitors with Dorothy and Roy Whillans were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Foss and family, Mr. and Mrs Don Redford and Heather, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Whillans and Tracy of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rasmussen and Mr and Mrs. Wilbur Throndson of the Armena district.

On Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell motored to Calmar to spend the day visiting with Mrs. Mitchell's brothers, Henry and Edward Buchak, and their families.

Gregory and Susan McLeod of Lindbrook are staying with their grandparents, Ivan and Marie Mitchell, for a few days.

Eileen and Vernon Lawson of Edmonton spent the weekend at home with their parents, Janet and Martin Lawson, and brothers.

## BIRTHS

Births at the Tofield Municipal Hospital for the months of January and February, 1965, were:

**JANUARY**

To Mr and Mrs. Wm. Mantle, Tofield, a daughter, on Jan. 12th.

To Mr. and Mrs. Abe Wittenberg, Tofield, a daughter, on Jan. 13th.

To Mr. and Mrs. Noah Wideman, Ryley, a son, Jan. 17th.

To Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Williams, Tofield, a daughter, on Jan. 21st.

To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kozak, Ryley, a daughter, Jan. 22nd.

To Mr and Mrs Paul Rurka, Bruce, a son, on Jan. 28th.

**FEBRUARY**

To Mr and Mrs. Antonius Van Boxtel of Tofield, a son, on Feb. 4th.

To Mr and Mrs. Hans Jensen, Tofield, a daughter, on Feb. 8th.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Widynowski, Tofield, a daughter, on Feb. 12th.

# Tofield ladies win in Ryley bonspiel

In the Ladies' Bonspiel at Viking on Saturday and Sunday, a Tofield rink skipped by Irma Francis won second in the Grand Challenge event. Teammates were Marie Worton third [illegible] McKay second, and Winnie Christensen lead.

The Mildred Dunlop rink of Tofield, supported by Betty Pilger third, Janett Mitchell second and Susan Komarnisky lead, placed third in the second event.

# Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

Don't forget the cash bingo sponsored by the hall board for Friday, Mar. 12th, at the hall. Everyone is welcome.

Owing to the storm Saturday, Feb. 13th, the Social Credit whist drive was cancelled. The next one will be Saturday Mar 13th.

The Ladies Club members are busy sending out parcel post letters, regarding their sale which will take place Friday, Mar. 26th. A military whist drive will take place at the same time, and there will also be a home baking table.

**Sympathy of the community is extended to Jim Hoshea of Lindbrook on the death of his wife, Dolly.**

R. Donald and Eddy of Edmonton were guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. M Gladue.

Mr. and Mrs Morrison of Edmonton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland on Sunday.

Ron Berrecloth, who is employed in Edmonton, was home for the weekend.

Mrs. Ward is visiting in Yellowknife with her daughter, Mrs. D. Todd and granddaughter, Holly.

Mrs. Fontaine is home from Tofield hospital where she was a patient for several days.


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# Beaver county council meeting

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the Holden School, hand rails had been requested in the breeze way, there being three steps in this area, and at Tofield directions for the nailing of the subfloor had been made by the Inspector from the School Building Branch.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Moved and carried that the appointment of Mrs. LaVerne [illegible] to the County's teaching staff, as at September 1, 1965, be approved.

Moved and carried that Mrs. M. Hill's request for permission to live outside the School District, as provided in the School Act, be approved.

Moved and carried that the resignations of Gail Lauber and Sharon Ingram be accepted.

The Superintendent referred to the Internship Program which had been in effect in the County for some years, and mentioned that the County had pioneered in this program and that the interships had proved very satisfactory and beneficial. The last couple of years it had been used, to some extent, also with first-year students, and it was the intention of the Superintendent to continue this program, with possibly four first-year students taking part.

Moved and carr[illegible] that the report be accepted and the Superintendent's proposed action concurred in.

**Girls' Leadership Workshop**

The matter of the Girls' Leadership Workshop at the University of Alberta, May 6th to 9th, was referred to the Committee. This workshop had in former years been supported by the County by sending one Grade 11 student plus one teacher interested in Physical Education; the cost would [illegible] $12 per day for the two persons for room and board, plus transportation.

Moved and carried that the program be continued during 1965.

The Superintendent was of the opinion that he should be appointed to the various building committees for the schools, and it was moved and carried that the Superintendent, H. A. Pike, be added to the building committees for the Town of Tofield, the Village of Holden and the Town of Viking, as referred to in motions 3, 4, 5, 65.

Moved and carried that Richard Pall's request for leave of absence to attend University during the 1965-66 second year be approved.

Moved and carried that 30 large pupils' desks be purchased at a special price of $10 per desk from Wescab Industries Limited.

**High School Drama Festival**

the High School [illegible] which this year again would be held in Tofield April 2nd and 3rd, there being eleven plays in the festival, and he requested that the Committee consider the usual grant of $25.

Moved and carried that a grant of $25 be given towards the Drama Festival.

Mr. Pike referred to the practice of commercial photographers coming into the schools, presumably taking pictures for the year books, but at the same time taking individual pictures of the pupils. In his opinion this had developed into a racket and that a good many parents, who possibly could not afford the cost of [illegible] pictures, were being [illegible] to take [illegible] in order to [illegible] their children. He [illegible] the County might have a regulation to the effect that [illegible] cial photographers may take pictures in the schools for the year book only.

Move and carried that commercial photographers be only allowed to take pictures in the schools in the County for the purpose of having them placed in the year [illegible]. Such pictures to be group pictures of various groups and that no individual pictures may be taken.

The Superintendent referred to the regulation laid down in 1962 to the effect that leave of ab[illegible] could only be granted by the Supt. and or the Supervisor of Instruction, and inquired what the Committee wished to do in this case, whether they w[illegible] to continue this policy or not.

It was the opinion of the members of the School Committee that the regulation should remain in force, and it was moved and carried that the regulation stipulating that leave of absence can only be [illegible]ized by the Supt. [illegible] the Superv[illegible] of Instruction remain as County policy.

The Secretary - Treasurer referred to the annual meeting, to be held Saturday March 6 starting at 1:00 o'clock, and he inquired if the members of the Council and Committee would, as had been the practice in former years, hold a meeting at 10.00 in the forenoon to discuss the Financial Statement. It was decided by the Committee to follow the established procedure.

The Secretary-Treasurer stated that he had received the Financial Statement for 1964, and that the [illegible] Committee section showed a surplus of $3,354.68. He stated that he had not had the time to digest the statement, but would have some information on March 6th.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

The Secretary - Treasurer referred to the Committee a request from the Village of Ryley for leave of absence for Neil [illegible] to attend a Fire School at Vermilion [illegible] April 26 to 30, Mr Reid being the Fire Chief for the Village. The Village would pay his salary for the time he was absent from his duties as bus supervisor and mechanic. Some discussion took place as to what would happen if Mr Reid [illegible] be needed in the bus gar[illegible] during this period due to [illegible] conditions or other circumstances that [illegible] not be foreseen at this time. The Secretary-Treasurer stated that in his [illegible] Mr. Reid would then have to forego attending the Fire School.

Moved and carried that the request for leave of absence be granted with the Village of Ryley to pay Mr Reid's salary during the time he is absent from work. Further, that should his services be required by the County during this period the leave of absence be cancelled.

# Around the town . . .

**AT LENTEN SERVICE**

Mr. and Mrs. J W. Robinson were in Edmonton on business last Monday and also attended the Monday Lenten service at All Saints Cathedral. The speaker was the Rt. Rev G. R. Calvert, Anglican Bishop of Calgary. Throughout the Lenten season these Monday services will be held daily from 12:10 a.m. to 12:40 with a different speaker each week.

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Weekend visitors with Mrs. Bill Fraser were her two daughters, Mrs. Lloyd Schacher and family from Sherwood Park, and Mr. and Mrs. Lutz from Viking.

Marlene Ozubko and Marian Dennis of Edmonton spent last weekend with Marlene's parents, Josie and Pete Ozubko. Sunday dinner guests there were Gail Niemetz and Jim McKay.

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Joan and Allen Warner and family spent the weekend visiting in Edmonton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Innes and family from Edson were weekend visitors at the A. Houkedal and A. Innes homes.

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Weekend visitors with Mildred Dunlop were Aylmer and Jessie Swanson and family, Bill and Ester Stalker and family, all from Edmonton.

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Donna and Garth Franklin and family of Bruderheim were Tuesday visitors with Donna's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stockton.

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Floyd and Nettie Kendall and Kenny from Edmonton were weekend visitors with Floyd's mother, Mrs. Edna Kendall.

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Mary and Gerald Hosler and and Wayne of Edmonton were Saturday visitors with "Granny" Hosler and "Granny" Hardy.

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**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mrs. S. E. Woodward from Richmond, B.C., recently visited her mother, Mrs. A. Patterson, sister and brothers. While here she attended the 20th anniversary of her nursing class, graduates of Misericordia Hospital.


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## Ladies visit new hospital at Lamont

(Iris [illegible])

ROSS CREEK — Mrs. [illegible] Bailey invited Mrs. Winnie McLachlan, Mrs. Nellie Malcolm and Mrs. Iris [illegible] with her to Lamont on Wednesday afternoon when she went to visit her mother who is a patient in the Archer Memorial Hospital, and recovering [illegible] satisfactorily after undergoing surgery. Mrs. Mary Ferrel, who is also a patient there, was up and walking a little for the first time [illegible] having surgery on both legs. While there, Neil, Winnie and Iris had a complete tour through the lovely new auxiliary hospital now opened and in full service, visited with [illegible] of the elderly patients [illegible] and were [illegible] coffee in the cheery staff room.

From 1956 to 1963 expenditures on education in Canada increased from $1.2 billion to $2.4 billion.

# Community loses valued citizen with passing of T. R. Murray

The recent passing of T. R. Murray has brought a keen [illegible] of loss to the entire Tofield district. His was a [illegible] faceted personality which enriched community life in many areas. In the United Church, in the Masonic Lodge, in musical circles, in community organizations and by his innumerable friends he will be [illegible]ly remembered and sorely missed.

T. Roland Murray was born on August 24th, 1887, in Reinbeck, Iowa. His early education was obtained in Blackhawk County country schools and at Amity Academy. In 1905 he moved to Tarkio, Missouri, and attended Tarkio College until 1908. Here he developed his great musical talent by taking courses in vocal music and by participating in concert work. Here, too, he became proficient in his two favorite sports. Both football and baseball claimed his interest and even in his later years he thoroughly enjoyed radio and television presentations of these sports.

**MOVES HERE IN '14**

In 1908 he [illegible] Colorado. Here he was a member of the militia at Maryville.

In 1914 he moved to the Tofield area. For [illegible] he lived in the Ross Creek area. In 1916 he moved to the Lakeshore district where he farmed until he [illegible].

In 1921 he married Miss Ethel Irene Hawley who was a primary teacher in Tofield and who had come from Iowa. To this marriage were born three children: Margery (now Mrs. Bill Kenny of Rimbey), Douglas, now of Tofield, and Malcolm, now of Red Deer.

Mr. Murray maintained his early interest in sports. He was the very competent catcher for the Tofield baseball team from 1915 to 1920. He was an enthusiastic curler and played some football in the early days of Tofield.

Mr. Murray devoted much time to community service, and over the years held an impressive number of offices in community organization. He took an informed interest in the conduct of public affairs whether on the local, provincial or federal level. He was a director in the Tofield Co-operation Store, the Co-op Credit Association, the Alberta Livestock Association, and for many years was the secretary-treasurer of the Lakeshore School District.

**JUBILEE SPEAKER**

Reflecting the community's confidence in his ability, Mr. Murray was chosen as the guest speaker on the occasion of the outdoor church service on the occasion of Alberta's Golden Jubilee in 1955. He was always in great demand as chairman for public meetings where his tact and efficiency in handling complicated agenda were much appreciated.

During the nearly forty years Mr. and Mrs. Murray spent in the Lakeshore district, they took a most active part in community affairs. Out of their busy lives they took time to pass on their musical knowledge to the young people of the district. Their interest in choir work and school festivals was of great benefit to the people concerned. Sports, too, received a helping hand from Mr. Murray; he frequently conveyed the school ball teams to neighboring districts, and also did some valuable coaching.

Mr. Murray was an active member and Past Master of Palestine Lodge No. 46 A.F. and H.M. in which he had been the recipient of a life membership.

Mr. Murray's deep Christian faith and his resulting commitment to the United Church of Canada involved him in church affairs throughout the years. He was an elder in the Tofield United Church and for a period of several years was choir leader. During the years when church services were held in the Lakeshore School, Mr. Murray was a faithful attendant, a Sunday School teacher and a frequent soloist at the services. Mrs. Murray participated with her husband in all church activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray retired from farming and moved to Edmonton in 1956 but after three years, returned to make their home in Tofield among their old friends. Much of Mr. Murray's time since then was spent in hospital and wheelchair but in spite of being so confined his interest in community affairs and in his friends' visits never flagged. His hearty laugh made his visitors enjoy their time with him.

Great as were Mr. Murray's contributions to the organized activities of the Tofield district, he will be remembered even more for the courage and endurance he displayed through the long years of his crippling [illegible]. His indomitable spirit has been an inspiration to all who knew him; it was of such as he that John Milton wrote, "They also serve who only stand and wait."

Mr. Murray died in a Red Deer [illegible] on February 25th and was buried on March 1st from the Tofield United [illegible]. Rev. W. McDannold conducted the service; Mrs. J. E. [illegible] was organist and accompanied the choir who sang "The Lord is My Shepherd", which they had also sung at Mrs. Murray's funeral and which Mr. Murray had requested to be sung at his.

The honorary pallbearers were John Warner, Jim Francis, Lorimer Hunter, T. D. Ferguson, Metro Shupenia, Elmer Goeglein, all friends and neighbors of long standing. The active pallbearers were Dan Dodds, Thomas Jacobs, Neil Phillips, Verlyn Moos, John Moore, all Masonic brethren.

The burial service of the Masonic Order was conducted by Rt. Worshipful Bro. Arnold Swift, P.M. of Palestine Lodge, and interment took place in the family plot in the Tofield cemetery.

Mr. Murray was predeceased by his wife in 1963. Survivors are their daughter, Mrs. Margery Kenney of Rimbey, their sons, Douglas of Tofield, and Malcolm of Red Deer. There are grandchildren: Jean, Delbert, Ralph, Ross, Elva, Harold and Beth Kenney of Rimbey; Dennis and Janice Murray of Tofield; David and Carol Murray of Red Deer.

A brother, Mr. John Murray, also survives.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray were an integral part of Tofield for nearly 50 years and though they are gone, their influence and example will continue to enrich this community.

## Pioneer group meets at Ruskenveld home

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Pioneer Group held their meeting Thursday, Mar. 4th at the home of Mrs. [illegible] with 13 ladies present. [illegible] taken by Mrs. R. Raeder [illegible] the sixth chapter of their study book, "God and His Purpose" was taken, with Mrs. Campbell in charge.

At the conclusion of the meeting a delicious lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Ruskenveld.

Their next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Raeder on April 7th, with Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus in charge of devotions.

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# Ted Caney passes at early age of 27 years

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — Edward George (Ted) Caney passed away in an Edmonton hospital on March 10 at the age of 27 years. He was the agent for the Ryley Wheat Pool elevator, and a Scoutmaster for the Boy Scout troop. He is survived by his loving wife, Margaret and two daughters, Wanda and Brenda; his father, J. L. Caney of Lisburn, Alta.; his mother, Mrs. Ed Veriede of Melita, Man.; four sister, Doris, Mrs. Irvin Ginter, Saskatoon; Muriel Caney, Edmonton; Myrna, Mrs. Richard Cristman; and Colleen Caney, as well as three brothers, Russel, Jack and Brian all of Lisburn.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, Mar. 13th, at 2 p.m. from the Calvin United Church with Jim Ruxton officiating. Interment was in the Ryley Cemetery. Lloyd Wickstrom sang a beautiful solo, "Beyond the Sunset".

Pallbearers were Stan Kozdrowski, Harold Hokos, Glen Reil, Glen Knudslien, Ron Kropielnicki, and George Kolodychuk.

Beautiful floral tributes were received from his loving wife and family, friends and relatives, and there were a great number of memorials made to the various churches, funds, and organizations. The Burgar Funeral Home of Camrose was in charge of arrangements.

## Heifer survives winter in wilds

Hereford heifer about two years old was found about the middle of February by Government trappers in the wilds of the game preserve east of Ministik Lake. The animal had been all alone in a small pothole in which she had been rustling, until the trappers brought her a little feed on a snow crawler.

The trappers came in from the west side of the preserve with the snow crawler, but couldn't see any brand on the heifer. The game warden also went in on snowshoes with a little feed but couldn't see a brand either. Then Ivan Broen skiied in from the east side of the preserve but couldn't catch the heifer, so Gus Schmidt and Don Mackies went in with horses, changing lead horses every hundred yards or so as a horse soon became exhausted breaking trail in the three feet of crusted snow in the bush.

When the heifer was caught she was found to be wearing the Horricks brand, having escaped from their pasture at roundup time last fall. She had since survived on what feed she could find around one small slough, tramping down the snow to find the grass, until the trappers found her. She was in as good a shape as lots of cattle that have been sheltered and fed all winter, and there was no sign of her having any frostbite.

## Edmonton rink wins Grand Challenge

The Tofield Ladies' Curling Club held their bonspiel Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Mar. 12th, 13th and 14th, with 18 rinks participating.

Following is the list of winners:

Grand Challenge: 1, Christensen, Edmonton; 2, McKay, Tofield; 3, Komarnisky, Holden; 4, Swift, Tofield.

Second Event: 1, Dressler, Edmonton; 2, Davison, Tofield; 3, Patterson, Tofield; 4, Worton, Tofield.

Third Event: 1, Scott, Edmonton; 2, Steere, Camrose; 3, Good, Holden; 4, Francis, Tofield.

**TROPHY WINNERS**

The above winners came in strong during the high school bonspiel held recently and reclaimed the "Killearn" trophy for Tofield, the school that has held the handsome trophy since its donation three years ago. The contributer is the Gallinger Farms. Left to right are Shirley Swift, Allen Everitt, Frances Schultz and Brian McFadzean. Presenting the trophy is Claude Gallinger. - Photo by Peter Nickel.

Sgt. Major J. E. Anderson of Wetaskiwin, now stationed in Germany, explained the features of Canadian small arms to a group of 19 weekly newspapermen touring Germany recently. Shown with him is Ken Patrige of The Tofield Mercury.

# Booth wins Father and Son bonspiel

Roland Booth, and his farm [illegible] proved too powerful for local town rinks and won top laurels in the second annual Father and Son bonspiel. Curling with Booth were his nine-year-old son, Bruce, old timer Chris Bugge and 11-year-old Kevin Bugge.

Nine-year-olds may be considered too young to indulge in the game of curling but young Bruce proved otherwise. With both feet in the hack and both hands on the rock he rarely failed to get his rocks in play. And to further prove that curling is a young man's game, Kevin Bugge, playing only the third and fourth games of his career threw third rock while his uncle, Chris played at second.

The Booth foursome scored a total of 40 points out of a possible 44 points when they upset two Treasury Branch rinks skipped by R. G. Fisk and Norm Hogland. Bryce Albrecht, a member of the winning rink last year presented the championship trophy and replicas to the Booth rink.

Placing second in this 'spiel was the Walter Kondrowski rink who had his five-year-old son, Lyle, at lead. Johnny Wong, a newcomer to town, who saw his first curling rock only a month ago, at second, and John Kozdrowski threw third rock for this foursome. Lyle, although only five years old, is an old hand at the game as he spends a good deal of his time at the rink while his grandfather prepares the ice. After 30 years of curling, John won his first trophy and shared the limelight with his grandson who took home his first trophy at the age of five. However, it took Johnny Wong who captured the hearts of the crowd on hand when the trophies were presented by David Powers. He stated he could not take time to express his views on curling because he was in a hurry to get home because his mother was going to bake a cake to celebrate his win.

Immediately prior to the playing of the final game on Tuesday night a banquet was served to the boys and their fathers by members of the Oddfellows Lodge. The interest and enthusiasm shown in this 'spiel is such as to make it the most talked of event of the curling year. Badge bedecked youngsters are now discussing the shots they made or missed rather than indulging in the usual conversation, and the mothers also have a new topic of conversation for their afternoon teas.

## Glenda Patterson has graduation recital

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Patterson, Miss Lillian Patterson, Mrs. Steve Woodward, Mrs. John Wall and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stinson attended the University of Alberta graduation recital of Miss Glenda Patterson, pianist, at Convocation Hall, Edmonton, on Thursday evening, Mar. 11th of last week. A social hour at Miss Patterson's home was enjoyed later, along with other guests at the recital.

## Sorry, wrong photo

The photographer apologizes to the Brian McFadzean rink regarding the wrong photo published in last week's Mercury.

The photo shown was of the Whyte rink, who lost out in the grand challenge to the McFadzean rink, shown in this issue.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

In addition to free speech, a person has a right to keep his opinion to himself.

—JWR.

## Infant passes Mar. 4

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Sympathy of the district is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stefanisyn (nee Alvina Kalynchuk) of Camrose in the death of their infant daughter on March 4th. Funeral services were held on March 5th at the Hoveland Funeral Chapel with burial in the Camrose cemetery. Among relatives attending the funeral of their wee niece were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lupino and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Kawalilak of Holden, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Stefanisyn, and Mrs. Albert Stefanisyn of Viking.

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## To all the 'little people'

"Ireland is a country in which the probable never happens and the impossible always does."

This statement, attributed to an Irishman, has a certain ring of truth to it on the "17th of Ould Ireland" when Irishmen and leprechauns alike, from the Emerald Isle to the Equator, will be toasting each other with the "top o' the marnin'" and the "luck of the Irish" in honour of their patron saint, St. Patrick, and the bright green of the shamrock will be sported in every buttonhole, or blouse.

It's true that as the Scots with Burns Nicht, so the transplanted Irish are far stronger in their observance of the day than those Irish who never left the "ould sod", that memories of that green land far away make it ever greener than it really seems at home. But it brightens the world for many a soul . . . we'd be far poorer without the observance.

So . . . the luck of the Irish to ye.

## Does the weather man know?

When St. Patrick's Day comes, it's obvious that Spring can't be far behind at least officially, anyway. This weekend marks the spring solstice, but regardless of what the calendar shows, we're afraid the thermometer won't reflect the same story.

For several weeks the long range forecast has predicted the worst blizzard of the winter should hit on Friday. After all the weather we've seen the past few months, nobody will be looking forward to it . . . even if we should be pretty well practised up for it.

## By George!

"Top o' the marnin' (or the evenin', as the case may be) to all the good people who can call the "Emerald Ould" home, or whose parents and grandparents may lay claim to the honor.

This is one of my favorite days of the year, not only because my maternal grandfather was a native son of Ireland, but because most of the music heard over radio and television on the seventeenth of Ireland includes my favorites—good old Irish melodies. Sure, and it warms the cockles of your heart!

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Can you remember another winter in which so many weekends have been spoiled by blizzards? Around our house we're afraid to plan any kind of weekend activity other than a quiet one at home. Any other plans will wind up in disappointments and cancellations.

Well, Spring is not far behind. It will be ushered in with this Sunday's blizzard!

o-o-o o-o-o

This actually happened in a Camrose home recently. Tom overheard his Mother and Dad bemoaning the fact they could not find the porcelain cement that had been around the house for some time and then disappeared when it was needed. "I could sure use it right now to repair this broken dish," said his Mother.

"I know where the 'plate cement' is," exclaimed Tom helpfully.

"Good. Go get it," he was told.

He disappeared for a minute or two, returned beaming, and handed his Mother a squeeze-type tube. Looking at the instructions, she read "Clean plates thoroughly, then cover liberally with Poli-Grip plate cement . . ."

## J. W. Carter passes at 96

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Word was received last week that J. W. Carter of Edmonton, a former Holden and Tofield resident for many years, passed away Tuesday, Mar. 9th at the age of 96 years. Mr. Carter was a well known figure in curling circles and participated for many years in the Northern Alberta Pioneers and Oldtimers Association, and for the past five years had always started off the season by throwing the first rock.

Mr. Carter is survived by two daughters, Mrs. O. P. Thomas of Edmonton, who resided in Holden for several years when her husband taught at the Holden school; and Mrs. W. H. Hayne of Medicine Hat, one son Frank of Edmonton, four grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. His wife predeceased him in 1942. The funeral service was held from Andrews-McLaughlin Chapel Saturday afternoon with burial at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. A number of former Holden residents and friends of the family attended the funeral to pay their last respects.

### Holden OORP meets

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — [illegible]day evening, Mar. 9th, the [illegible]olden Lodge OORP held their regular meeting when DDSHRL Edworthy of Hardisty made her official visit and inspection of the lodge. Also making the visit with L. Edworthy was PHRL Pauline Cavanaugh also of Hardisty Lodge. Members were informed that the district meeting of District No. 4 to which they belong, will be held Saturday April 24th, at Killam. DDSRHL Edworthy was presented with a lodge emblem spoon from the members, and at the conclusion of the meeting the lunch hostesses, PHRL Sanderson and Lady Strilchuk served a delicious lunch.

MacDuff Ottawa report

## Early budget — early election

OTTAWA — Prime Minister L. B. Pearson has forecast that his Minister of Finance Hon. Walter Gordon will be in a position to bring down the new budget around the end of March or early in April.

While Mr. Pearson made this observation to newspapermen, shortly after he had told the Commons that he hoped it would quickly wind up the business before the old second session and get started on the new third session, he did not make any comments regarding an election. But his prediction that the budget would be soon brought down in the House, aroused election speculation.

The 1965-66 budget is believed to contain some healthy tax cuts. It will be a "sunshine" springtime budget that might well be the forerunner of a June election.

**FEELING IS STRONGER**

There is a growing conviction in the Commons that this present Parliament has outlived its usefulness. After the Christmas and New Year's recess some members, particularly on the government side, had hoped the House would get on with the business of the country with more co-operation and less acrimony or animosity.

However, several angry sittings have led many MP's to believe that the sooner this parliament is dissolved and an election called the better for the country. It may be that the government has the decision to dissolve taken out of its hands. This would come about if the government is defeated on a vote of confidence in the House.

As soon as the second session of the present 26th Parliament is completed — in mid-March — the third session will be convened. There will be a throne speech and throne speech debate. There will be also the customary motions of non-confidence. If the government survives those motions it will be in a position to bring down its budget. Mr. Pearson pointed out to newsmen that March 31 is the end of the fiscal year for the government. He added he would like to have the budget before the House a day or so ahead of that date but it is highly unlikely that he will achieve that goal.

**SUPPORT SHIFTING**

Social Credit Leader Robert Thompson said recently that Prime Minister Pearson has a responsibility to the Canadian people to "clean house" in his administration or the Prime Minister would lose the support of the Socreds in the confidence votes. He said that his group would have to vote against the Liberal Minority government if the official opposition in the new session introduced motions of confidence on the political morality question.

Mr. Thompson said he personally did not want to see a Spring election. He believed it would [illegible]

**NOT SURE OF OTHERS**

[illegible]

**NARROW SQUEAK NOT ENOUGH**

[illegible]

**BRIGHT PICTURE**

[illegible]

**OUTLOOK CLOUDY**

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## Tributes to G. Lyons

The Family, The Grandchildren; Fred, Ann and Mary, Amy, Molly, Frank, Barbara and Jack, Pat, Bob, Joan and Clare; Jim, Margaret, Frank and Georgina; Wilfred, Jean, Leslie and Nora; Mrs. C. Mercer and Mrs. J. Barkwell, Clarence, Aileen, John and Jewel Lyons; Katherine and Eric Edwards; Alice and Eric Munkedal, Harriett and Bill Ruddy, Vic, Kay, Fred, Eileen and Mrs. Romaniuk; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fish; Mrs. W. G. Pepper, Percy and Donald; Clifford, Grace, Jerry and Ethel Pepper; Ryley Treasury Branch Staff, Fern, Bill and Bonnie Bracken, Ing and Ernest O'Brien, Staff of Fort Elementary School, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fisher and Family, Marlene and Earl Franke, Gladys Murray and Hennie Annebo, Kathy Walden, Harry Butler, Helen and Bruce Statson, Darlene, Silver and Gordie Workum.

Memorials

To Calvin United Church, Ryley —Fred and Agnes Manderson; Ruth and Fred Graftaas, James Manderson, Roland and Margie Booth and Vera, Anton and Lucille Knudsten, Mr. and Mrs. L. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lehman, Mrs. C. Young and Elroy; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Romaniuk, [illegible]

Mrs. George Kline, Mr. and Mrs. C. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Crum; Mrs. Violet Jacobsen and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Roth, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lauber; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Voegtlin; Mr. and Mrs. Art Hatton, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Davick; Mrs. Annie Vorgette, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kondrowski, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wilkie, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilkie, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lehman; Mr. and Mrs. Reg Dyers, Mr. and Mrs. John Konway; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Budinski, Mr. S. Budinski, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Wideman, Mrs. Lena Lucas, Mr. Nick Kolodychuck, Mr. and Mrs. W. Klass, Mr. and Mrs. John Stauffer; Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Bernstad; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brown; Miss Jean M. Hill.

To Cancer Clinic Society—Kathy Walden, Harry Butler; Jewel and Art O'Hanlon.

To Obaton Organ Fund — Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Pepper and Girls.

To Tofield Lions Memorial Fund — Charles and Nan Kallal; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Kallal, Ken Kallal, Larry and Terry Kallal; Mr. and Mrs. Paul V. Kallal.

To Ryley Bethel Lutheran Church Memorial Fund — Mrs. Minnie Hutchinson and Family; [illegible]

To Ryley Cemetery Fund—[illegible]

To Heart Fund—[illegible]

**Card of Thanks**

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our many friends and relatives for messages of sympathy, floral tributes, memorial gifts, donations to the different funds, and the many acts of kindness extended to us in the loss of our beloved father and grandfather, George and Wilfred Lyons. A special "thank you" to Mr. J. Ruxton and Ryley U.C.W.A.

—The Lions Families.
28L-1640

### Ted Caney passes at early age of 27

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING Mar. 12th — Ryley and district were shocked Wednesday morning to hear of the sudden passing of Ted Caney, 27 years, at the University Hospital, Edmonton. Mr. Caney was the Pool elevator agent at Ryley the past year. He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife and two children and his parents.


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# THE RYLEY TIMES

## Much better, thank you!

Garnet Bursted, local town secretary and a well known curling enthusiast, has completely recovered from a near serious mishap at a recent bonspiel. Immediately following his painful ordeal it was feared that he would require medical treatment and hospitalization. However after home treatment and a short rest Garnet was back at work in the town office and curling his usual game at district bonspiels. Garnet would like to thank his many friends for their concern over his mishap and assures them that he has completely recovered.

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## Ryley and district news briefs

(M. K. Westmacott)

Mr and Mrs Emil Bodnaski and family of Edmonton were visiting relatives in the district over the weekend and spent Sunday with Madeleine's parents, Mr and Mrs Willie Pope.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Cretney and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Mildred's parents, Mr and Mrs S. N. Booth.

**Andrew Finseth passed away in the Tofield hospital on Mar. 10th. He was Ryley's oldest citizen, and would have been 90 years of age in July of this year.**

Mr and Mrs S Halberg have returned after spending two weeks in Edmonton looking after their daughter Norma's home and family while she and her husband Mr and Mrs Graham Mann accompanied by Mr and Mrs. Monty Becker of Dawson Creek, were vacationing at Las Vegas, U.S.A.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Bett Weiss is once again a patient in the Tofield hospital.

Henry Bekker is a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton, where he underwent surgery this week.

The ladies of the auxiliary to the Canadian Legion are planning to repeat their dinner hamper draw that was so well received at Christmas time. This hamper will be made up for Easter.

CARIBBEAN HOLIDAY

Johnny and Marguerite Fish were at the new International Airport at Nisku on Friday night to bid bon voyage to their daughter, Joyce and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs Elmer Patrick of Hinton, when they started off on their Caribbean vacation.

**Mrs. Sewel Booth had two of her sisters arrive for a visit this week, namely Mrs. Edna Irwin of Waterloo, Ont., and Mrs. Ina Marshall of Oshawa, Ont. They will be staying for Mr. and Mrs. Booth's golden wedding anniversary celebration on Sunday, March 21st.**

Lenten services are being conducted by Pastor Stanley Rude in the Lutheran Church every Wednesday evening at 8 p.m., during Lent. Everyone is welcome.

## Dodds - Ryley news briefs

(Mrs. O. Lehman)

The district was saddened by the passing of Ted Caney in the University Hospital, Edmonton. Sympathy of the community is extended to the family.

Sunday guests at the Bert Kirkelund home were Mr and Mrs Ed Deagle and family, and Billy Kirkelund all of Edmonton, Gordon Kirkelund and Mr and Mrs Joseph Helgeland.

SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Friends and relatives gathered at the Grand Forks Community Centre on Sunday to help Mr and Mrs. Fred Hostler celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary. The couple was seated at the table with their attendants, Mr and Mrs Clarence Lauber, Kate Lauber and Maynard Stauffer. A fine program was rendered and David Stutzman presented Fred and Ada with gifts and a purse of money from the community. Fred and Ada thanked everyone for coming and making the day one that they will always remember. Lunch was then served by the ladies.

SCHOOL OBSERVES EDUCATION WEEK

On Wednesday evening, parents were invited to attend a meeting held in the Ryley school gym to observe Education Week, March 7th to 14th. Lunch was served after the meeting to the very good attendance present.

Mr and Mrs. Kenneth Zook, Mr and Mrs Oliver Lehman were Thursday dinner guests at the Frank Drasak home in Edmonton. Little Steven Zook is a patient in the Tofield hospital.

Douglas Lehman is being employed at Killam in the bank there.

Mr and Mrs. Oliver Lehman, Lorna and Calvin visited at the Ole Hjelter home on Saturday afternoon.

## Mrs. Whitford hosts Ministik Ladies' Club

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

MINISTIK, March 13th — The March meeting of the Ladies' Club was held at the home of Mrs Les Whitford with 14 members present. Roll call was answered by "a bad habit I should break", and all members had at least one.

It was decided that the ladies should treat themselves to dinner at a well known eating place in Edmonton, followed by attending "My Fair Lady" at the Paramount Theatre. This was to be on Wednesday, March 17th.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs A. Ferguson, Mrs Joe Davenport and Mrs S. George. Entertainment in the form of a contest was supplied by Mrs. Helen Hennessy. It proved very interesting and informative. Winners were Mrs. Dennis Jones, Mrs Albert Herracks and Mrs. Jim Reddick.

Roll call for April will be the exchange of an Easter card, the April meeting to be held at the United Church.


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FUTURE DATES

OPEN HOUSE

The family of Mr and Mrs. Sewel N. Booth will hold "Open House" on Sunday afternoon, March 21, in the Ryely Legion Hall, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m., in honour of their Golden Wedding Anniversary. A cordial invitation is extended to all friends and neighbours. 28-29p-1650

IN MEMORIAM

HJELTER.—In loving memory of Harold James Hjelter, who passed away March 22, 1962:

The golden gates stood open
three years ago today,
With farewells left unspoken,
you softly passed away;
You tried so hard to stay with
us—your fight was all in vain;
God took you to his home above,
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# Modern Etiquette

Q. Should a person apologize for the crunching noise he makes while eating hard toast, celery, or something of that nature?

A. This is not necessary, since such a noise is usually unavoidable and any apologies would serve merely to call more attention to it. Try, however, to muffle the noise as much as you can.

Q. Is it proper to mail birth announcements to all one's friends, even to those whom one has already phoned the good news?

A. I think it's rather foolish to mail announcements to those who already know the news -except perhaps when you have an especially "cute" or novel sort of printed announcement.

Q. What are the most popular forms of introducing a man and a woman?

A. Either, "Miss Lake, may I present Mr Ford?" Or, "Miss Lake, Mr. Ford". Observe that in both forms the woman's name is mentioned first.

Q. Just what is expected of the parents of a newly engaged couple?

A. The man's parents should call immediately, within three days if possible, on the girl and her parents. Should they live in another city, a letter, usually from the mother of the son, should be written to the girl to welcome her into their family.

Q. I've been criticized for eating the lettuce, parsley, or watercress that is placed around certain items of food as a garnish. Am I really "a pig" when I do this?

A. Indeed you're NOT! Since the garnish is an intrinsic part of a dish, it is your privilege to eat it.

Q. If you are offered cigarettes in the home of a friend, is it all right to decline in favor of your own brand?

A. This would be rude. Even if it is a brand of cigarette you don't particularly care for, accept the hospitality offered.

## Church notes

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH
W. H. McDannold, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, March 21st
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.

TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, March 21st
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11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD
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8:00 p.m. Evening Service.

LUTHERAN CHURCH
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m. Divine Service.
11.00 a.m. Sunday School.
RYLEY
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Winter Schedule, Nov. to April
TOFIELD—
Second and fourth Sundays of every month ... 9:30 a.m.
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of the month ... 11:00 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday ... 12:30 p.m.

## Ross Creek news

Saturday afternoon Nell Malcolm, Wilma Odiorne, Elma Saider, Ann Klatchuk and Iris Bilan attended a tea held in the Mundare Recreation Centre.

Stuart Saider accompanied his uncle, Milton Hennig of Ardrossan, to Calgary to attend the livestock show.

CURLING WINNERS

Doreen McLachlan, her mother, Mrs. Dressler, and Isabel and Winnie McLachlan took the 1st and 2nd event in the Women's Open Bonspiel, held in Tofield Saturday and Sunday, thus winning the Northern Utility Trophy and a very nice Bon-Bon Dish each.

Stanley Procko of Edmonton was a Saturday overnight and Sunday guest at the home of Joseph and Iris Bilan.


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BOLOGNA Maple Leaf 27c lb.
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Prunes Co-op Med. 2 lbs. 57c
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Cheez Whiz Kraft 16 oz. Jar 65c
SANDWICH SPREAD Kraft, 16 oz. jars Each 45c
TEA BAGS— Blue Ribbon, 100s pkg. 85c
PEAS & CARROTS Frozen. 2 lbs. 39c
Sweet Mix Pickles Peter Pan. 16 oz. jars 2/49c
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Mrs. Sam Cinnamon and her daughter, Mrs. John Sirois, and little Craig, left by train from Edmonton on Sunday travelling to Washington, U.S.A. where they will visit friends and relatives.

Keith Fiseth celebrated his sixth birthday on Thursday and visitors to wish him a happy birthday were Olaf and Nora Anderson, Charles and Pauline Rude and children and Glen and Iris Francis and children.

Grandma Foshaug returned home from the hospital on Sunday improved in health. Harry Mosby entered the hospital the first part of the week undergoing tests and receiving treatments for a back ailment.

Linda Erickson, Richard and Ronny Foshaug, Walter Johnson and Kenny Stauffer were among the many Luther Leaguers who were entertained by the Luther League at Bawlf at a banquet on Friday evening. The young people stayed over and took part in a curling bonspiel on Saturday.

The Lawrence Anderson family of Edmonton spent the weekend with Lawrence's parents, the [illegible].

## Mrs. L. Berrecloth hosts ladies' meeting

(Mrs. G. Fairbrother)

SPILSTEAD – The regular meeting of the Spilstead Ladies' Society was held at the home of Mrs. Lillian Berrecloth on March 3rd. Ten members were present, including a new member. Sewing was discussed and given out, and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be held in April at Mrs. Grace Lirondell's home.

## Fire destroys two farm homes

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Mar 12th – The Stienwandts, three miles south of Ryley lost their two-storey house, on the former Jim Shaw farm, by fire Sunday. The house was the home of the late Alfred Sundlie. Some insurance was carried on the building.

Phillip Sorgen's house in the Palmer district also burned to the ground Saturday. There was no insurance. At present Phillip is staying with his brother and family, the Ken Sorgens.

# Locals

Berean College Choir will present their annual program on Saturday, Mar. 27th, at 8 p.m., at the Tofield United Church. Everyone welcome.

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Dr. John Morrison, Mrs. Morrison and little son, Grahame, were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Stinson home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jefferson were hosts to a number of friends on Monday last on the occasion of his birthday.

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F. J. Kidd of the Bank of Montreal staff has been transferred to Dawson Creek, B.C. Mr. Jerry Teresen of Bleseker has arrived in Tofield to replace him.

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At about 10 o'clock last Friday night, Mrs. Paul Sirdar was pleasantly surprised when she received a long distance phone call from her sister, Mary and daughter, Stella from Seattle.

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George and Alma Undin brought Emma Reger home on Wednesday after a three-day stay there and were coffee guests at the Reger home.

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Saturday afternoon coffee guests at the Ole Hjelter home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pearse of Edmonton, Mrs. G. Hosland, Mrs. W. Steere, Mrs. Lester Farness and Mrs. Gary Hoose of Camrose, and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lehman, Lorna and Calvin of Ryley.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Wednesday supper guests at the Reger home were Agnes Hoflin of B.C., Louise Winder and Fred Williams. Agnes is an aunt of Louise's and is visiting here for a few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burkholder had a number of their relatives in for dinner on Sunday.

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Saturday evening guests at the Walter Wiklun home were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Paradee and Guy of Edmonton and Mr. Le Rock. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Melford Wiklun of Sherwood Park.

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There were three pretty birthday cakes made by her niece, Mrs. Carl Sorenson, neighbor Mrs. N. Feduk, and Mrs. Oscar [illegible].

A tasty buffet lunch was served. Present were Hans Huseby, Henry Husebys, Kenneth Sorgens, Nick Feduks, Carl Sorensons, Ben Kabushs, Bawlf, Dennis Petersons, Camrose, and Joe Knudsons.


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BARDO, Mar. 18th — Sunday School at Bardo Lutheran Church at 1:30 and services at 2:30 next Sunday, Mar. 21st.

Lars and Gladys Rude and family visited at the Arnold Johnson home on Friday evening. On Sunday, Stan and Bertha Ramstad and Darren of Camrose were visitors at the Johnson home.

Mrs. Sam Cinnamon and her daughter, Mrs. John Birois, and little Craig, left by train from Edmonton on Sunday travelling to Washington, U.S.A., where they will visit friends and relatives.

Keith Fiaseth celebrated his sixth birthday on Thursday and visitors to wish him a happy birthday were Olaf and Nora Anderson, Charles and Pauline Rude and children and Glen and Iris Francis and children.

Grandma Foshaug returned home from the hospital on Sunday improved in health. Harry Mosby entered the hospital the first part of the week undergoing tests and receiving treatments for a back ailment.

Linda Erickson, Richard and Ronny Foshaug, Walter Johnson and Kenny Stauffer were among the many Luther Leaguers who were entertained by the Luther League at Bawlf at a banquet on Friday evening. The young people stayed over and took part in a curling bonspiel on Saturday.

The Lawrence Anderson family of Edmonton spent the weekend with Lawrence's parents, the Olaf Andersons.

## Mrs. L. Berrecloth hosts ladies' meeting

(Mrs. G. Fairbrother)

SPILSTEAD - The regular meeting of the Spilstead Ladies' Society was held at the home of Mrs. Lillian Berrecloth on March 3rd. Ten members were present, including a new member. Sewing was discussed and given out, and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be held in April at Mrs. Grace Lirondell's home.

## Fire destroys two farm homes

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Mar. 15th — The Hienwandts, three miles south of Ryley, lost their two-storey house, on the former Jim Shaw farm, by fire Sunday. The house was the home of the late Alfred Sundlie. Some insurance was carried on the building.

Phillip Sorgen's house in the Palmer district also burned to the ground Saturday. There was no insurance. At present, Phillip is staying with his brother and family, the Ken Sorgens.

# Locals

Berean College Choir will present their annual program on Saturday, Mar. 27th, at 8 p.m., in the Tofield United Church. Everyone welcome.

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Dr. John Morrison, Mrs. Morrison and little son, Grahame, were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Stinson home.

Mr and Mrs. D. L. Jefferson were hosts to a number of friends on Monday last on the occasion of his birthday.

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F. J. Kidd of the Bank of Montreal staff has been transferred to Dawson Creek, B.C. Mr. Jerry Teresen of Bieseker has arrived in Tofield to replace him.

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At about 10 o'clock last Friday night, Mrs. Paul Sirdar was pleasanttly surprised when she received a long distance phone call from her sister, Mary and daughter, Stella from Seattle.

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George and Alma Undin brought Emma Reger home on Wednesday after a three-day stay there and were coffee guests at the Reger home.

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Saturday afternoon coffee guests at the Ole Hjelter home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pearse of Edmonton, Mrs. G Rosland, Mrs. W. Steere, Mrs. Lester Farness and Mrs. Gary Roose of Camrose, and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lehman, Lorna and Calvin of Ryley.

HERE FROM B.C.

Wednesday supper guests at the Reger home were Agnes Hoflin of B.C., Louise Winder and Fred Williams. Agnes is an aunt of Louise's and is visiting here for a few days.

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A number of friends called on Mrs. Geo. Thompson on Monday afternoon to wish her a happy birthday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burkholder had a number of their relatives in for dinner on Sunday.

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Saturday dinner guests at the Jake King home were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkholder, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schmautz, Mrs Millie Yoder and Gladys and Edith Wideman.

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Saturday evening guests at the Walter Wiklun home were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Paradee and Guy of Edmonton and Mr. Le Rock. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Melford Wiklun of Sherwood Park.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ron Brown were Saturday evening visitors at the Ronald Otto home.

## Mrs. Inga Afseth marks 80th birthday

PALMER - EARLING, Mar. 12th Mrs. Inga Afseth observed her 80th birthday Sunday at the Oscar Afseth home. She was born at Hegre, Norway, and at the age of 20 came with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meadahl, to homestead north of Bawlf in the Gladstone district where she has since resided, near her three sons, Oscar, Carl and Robert.

There were three pretty birthday cakes made by her niece, Mrs Carl Sorenson, neighbor Mrs N Feduk, and Mrs. Oscar Afseth.

A tasty buffet lunch was served. Present were Hans Huseby, Henry Husebys, Kenneth Sorgens, Nick Feduks, Carl Sorensons, Ben Kabushs, Bawlf, Dennis Petersons, Camrose, and Joe Knudsons.


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# Mrs. Ida Coombes buried March 2

Mrs. Ida Matilda Coombes was born in [illegible], Minnesota, in [illegible], and passed away in hospital on February [illegible], 1965, at the age of [illegible].

Funeral services were held March 2nd at 2:00 p.m., at the Tofield United Church. The choir led in singing of hymns "Lead [illegible]" Third Psalm. Rev W H McDonald officiated. Interment was in the Tofield cemetery. Pallbearers were Jim Ingram, Pat Sears, Donelly McGinitie, Eugene Carlisle, Roy Williams and Toby Nomeland.

She leaves to mourn her husband, Chester, three sons, Harold and Ronald, of Tofield, and Lyle of Edmonton, three daughters, Ethel and Gladys, of Edmonton, and Esther of Mulhurst; one brother, John Grevum, of Edmonton, one sister, Mrs Oleanna Daily, of Ashmont, 14 grandchildren, and one great-grandson.

**Floral Tributes**

The Family, the Grandchildren, the Olson Family, Mabel and Archie Brown, Tom and Geraldine Brown and Family, Bill and Sophie Tennant and Family, Emily Merrer, Les and Corrine Coombes; Ralph and Bessie Barnes, Ken and Shirley Barnes, Marvin and Jeanette Barnes, Doug and Marge Barnes, Mr and Mrs. H. Bauer, Sam and Thora Sorade, Fred and Roberta Davison, Art and Blanche Edge, Mr. and Mrs. O Daily and Family, Eva, Emma and Family; John, Flossie, Richard and Lyn Grevum; Margaret and Family, Mr and Mrs D. L. Jefferson; Lorene and Joan Wilson, Evelyn and Walter Silabe, Lloyd and Thelma Campbell.

**Memorials**

To United Church Memorial Fund — Mrs. Julie Nomeland, Julius and Selma Lerbrackmo, Louis and Dorothy Shewchuk; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kallal Sr.; Ethel and Don Carlisle and Family, Eugene and Dorothy Carlisle and Family; Donna and Kelly Wiltsee; Mrs Nellie Carlisle; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wickenberg, Geo. and Isabel Lee; Edith Turner; Annie McGinitie, Mrs. Brown and Ethel; Stanley and Keitha Brown, Joe and Audrey Brown; Mabel Lawson; Roy and Mildred Lee Martin and Janet Lawson, Ketchamoot UCW, Mrs. Williams and Arthur, Mr and Mrs Roy Whillans and Family, Mrs Clara Whillans, Mrs. Bessie Cressey; Conrad and Hazel Patterson, Mr. and Mrs A. Haukedal, Frank and Marg Shupe, Mr and Mrs H T Nomeland Art and Irma Francis: Mr. and Mrs G. M. Garford, Mr. and Mrs A. O Innes, Mr Horace Sellers; Lorimer and Bessie Hunter; Mr and Mrs J E. Stinson; Neil and Grace Phillips; Mudge and Ida Jacobs, Jim and Florence Ingram: Angus and Glen Mitchel; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cookson; Clifford and Barbara Appleby; Jack and Vonah Appleby; Mrs. Ila Walker and Family; Mrs. Minnie McConnell; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz; Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Foyd; Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Pearson; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McFadzen; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wyllie; Mr and Mrs. John Thomson; The McAllisters; Mr. T. D. Ferguson; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. R. Francis; Mr. and Mrs. John Nickerson; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simonson; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ingram; Mrs. Olive Sutton; Bert and Marge Everitt; Mrs. Emily Carlisle; Mrs. Clara Rogers; Mrs. Mary Davison and Edith; Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jefferson; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nolan; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sears; Mr. and Mrs. Don Pointer; Charles and Ruby Sears; George Abernethy.

To United Church Organ Fund —Will and Amanda Mitchell, Herman and Grace Lawson

To United Church Building Fund — Henry and Hazel Dyer, Ron and Rickey.

To Tofield Hospital Fund—[illegible] and Olive Forbang; Leonard and Evelyn Stauffer and Family; Al and Myrtle Sutton; George and Rita Williams; Jim and Mildred Williams and Barbara, Mrs. Olson and Clarence, Katie and Bill Backschell; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ferguson.

To Tofield Hospital Ambulance Fund—Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fisher; Mr and Mrs. H Weatherill.

To Ministik United Church—Bob and Lillian Berrecloth.

To Tofield Historical Society—Henry and Agnes McGinitie; Eric and Alice Mushchold; Donnelly and Opal McGinitie; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McLeod; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell and Judy; Mrs. Ella Shaw; Mrs. Edna Bowick and Family.

To Tofield Lions Memorial Fund—Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Kallal; Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Garford.

To Spilstead Ladies' Society—Mr. and Mrs. E. Paulson Sr.; Ernest and Bertha Belcourt and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Geo L'-[illegible]

To Cancer Fund—Margaret and Hugh Bruce; Frank and Margaret Thomas and Family; Bennie and Myrtle Flouth; Jim and Beulah McFadzen, Florence and Vernon, Mrs. Virginia Sutton and Family; Gordon Williams; Mr and Mrs. W. A. McHeffey

To Canadian Heart Fund — Alf and Hildur Simonson and Donna, Mr and Mrs. Clare Paulson; Mr. and Mrs. Art Haugen; Frank and Joan Dunham; Mrs. Marie Worton, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Glover.

To Tofield Baptist Church—Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter.

To Holy Trinity Anglican Church Memorial Fund — Mr. Miles Barrow; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sutton and Brian; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kyle and Family.

To Gideon Bible Society—Mrs. Esther [illegible], [illegible] and Marvin.

To Crippled Children's Fund—Mrs. Lelia Sutton.

To Tofield Municipal Hospital Building Fund—Mrs. A. A. Lee.

**Card of Thanks**

We wish to express our sincere appreciation and thanks to our relatives, friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness and sympathy to us during our recent bereavement in the loss of our beloved one. Also many thanks for the lovely flowers, memorials and cards. Special thanks to Rev. McDonald, The Ketchamoot U.C.W., the Pallbearers, Mr. and Mrs. Stinson, and Max Baron of Andrews McLaughlin Funeral Chapel.

—The Coombes Family.

## THE WEATHER . . .

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| 10 | [illegible] | 15 | 27.62 | .07" rain |
| 11 | [illegible] | 31 | 27.85 | .25" rain |
| 12 | [illegible] | [illegible] | 27.[illegible] | — |
| 13 | 41 | 25 | 27.[illegible] | .30" rain |
| 14 | 27 | 22 | 27.[illegible] | — |
| 15 | 25 | 4 | 27.[illegible] | .10" snow |
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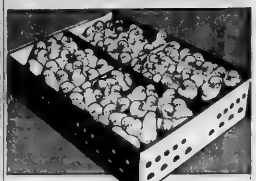

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**SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, Mar. 20:**

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# Tofield Hi notes

(Elaine Walker)

On Saturday, Mar. 13th, Betty-Ann Shultz's team of [illegible] Lampitt, Clarice Jacobsen and Ruth-Ellen Sears represented Tofield in Ryley at the County H.S. girls and boys' bonspiel. The students of Tofield school wish to congratulate them on the winning of the county championship.

In the afternoon high school curling, Kevin Pike won the first event and was presented the Arnett trophy on Tuesday.

**MOCK COUNCIL**

On March 8th, the Grade 10 Social Studies class carried on a mock town council meeting in the school. Dennis Heubert took the position of mayor and Donna Jacobsen was the secretary-treasurer. The councillors were Frances Shultz, Shirley Swift, Val Fleck, Doug Grover, Bernie Wilkie and Jim Kallal. After the meeting, which was carried out extremely well, Mr. Swift commented on different parts of the discussion. The [illegible] would like to thank all those who came to the meeting and it is hoped that the "mock town council" will become an annual event in our school.

**UN ASSEMBLY**

Representing Tofield at the mock U.N. Assembly held in Edmonton will be Shauna Astley and Florence Stutzman. The assembly will be held during the week of April 24th, 25th and 26th and will include high schools from Northern Alberta. Shauna and Florence will be representing the country of Kenya and we wish them success in their venture.

The Tofield Drama Class is progressing well with their play "Heat Lightning", which will be presented at the Drama Festival on April 2nd. The industrious cast consists of Dennis Hubert, Donna Jacobsen and Walter Johnson.

# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann and Mrs. Cliff Furan were business visitors in Edmonton Monday of last week.

Mr and Mrs. Percy Barlow, with their daughter, Muriel, her husband and family, the Ted Andersons of Calgary, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta and family at Viking Saturday, Mar. 6th. The Andersons who had been visiting with their parents, returned home Sunday.

Tuesday of last week, Mrs. Carrie Olson, Mrs. Mabel Sizer, Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell, Mrs. Mary James and Ray Hovland were guests at the home of Mrs. Laura [illegible] for a [illegible] dinner.

Geo. H. Taylor [illegible] a business caller at Bruce [illegible] on Monday of last week.

Mrs. Beth Campbell was a dinner guest Sunday of last week with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka spent the weekend in the city on business and visiting with their daughters.

**LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS**

The Legion Auxiliary met on Monday, Mar. 8th, in the Legion Hall for their monthly meeting. Regular business was attended to and reports given. Two new members were initiated into the branch. Plans were discussed and made to hold a food and baking bingo in the Legion Hall Thursday evening, Mar. 25th, commencing at 8 p.m. Everybody welcome. At the conclusion of the meeting, lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Hazel Armstrong.

Mrs. Beth Campbell spent Wednesday afternoon of last week visiting with Mrs. Lars Ritland.

Ray Hovland, village secretary, was an Edmonton visitor Wednesday afternoon of last week on village business, meeting with officials of the department of municipal affairs.

**Ron Metkaski from Fort McMurray and his father, John Metkaski of Holden, flew by Air Canada to Toronto to pick up three new trucks which they will be driving back. Mrs. Loidl and family of Ryley are staying with her mother, until Mr. Metkaski and Ron return with the trucks from the east.**

Mrs Arthur Story and her son [illegible] were recent Edmonton [illegible]. Miss June Clark and Lloyd accompanied [illegible] to visit a relative who was a patient in the University Hospital.

Hugh Clendenning was a weekend visitor in Edmonton with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Zowtuk were visitors in Edmonton Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Komarnisky and Albert Johnson attended the Ballet Folklorico De Mexico at the Jubilee Auditorium Friday evening, Mar. [illegible].

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mike Tkaczyk was a patient in Tofield hospital last week for a check-up. We hope his stay is not too long.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. John Thierne of Edmonton, a former [illegible] resident of [illegible] and Holden, was a patient in the General Hospital, and hope her illness is not serious and wish her a speedy recovery.

Hans Huseby was a business caller in Camrose last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Smerlie, Mrs. Elna Parsons and Chris Christenson were dinner guests with Mrs. Laura Christianson a week ago Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs Marshall Slywka of Edmonton were weekend visitors with Marshall's mother, Mrs. William Slywka.

Paul Malowany, his wife and family, were visiting over the weekend with the former's mother, Mrs. Kate Malowany.

Bruce Budd, John Semotuk and Ray Hovland were visitors in Edmonton last Friday afternoon and met with the chairman of the Local Authorities Board, Mr. McGregor, department of municipal affairs solicitor, Mr. Morris, Mr. Stewart, the deputy provincial treasurer, and Mr. Samuels of Associated Engineers, pertaining to village business.

# New books at library

French, Warren — A "Companion" to the Grapes of Wrath. Each year more and more students are reading John Steinbeck's famous work "The Grapes of Wrath". They are reading it not only as literature but as a historical landmark. This companion is designed to supply the context which the original readers of the novel took for granted.

Hailey, Arthur — Hotel. Author of "Final Diagnosis". Through five eventful days we share the fortunes, conflicts and intimacies affecting the hotel, its guests, its echelon of management. Good reading.

Hayes, Joseph — "The Third Day". Author of "The Desperate Hours". An original and powerful novel that combines spine-tingling suspense with a profound exploration of character and a statement of responsibility and human values.

Japrisot, Sebastien — "Trap for Cinderella". A fire, two young girls and the French Riviera makes this mystery novel.

Keyes, Frances — "The Explorer". Story of a Virginia archeologist exploring the mountains of Peru for a "lost city". A well-written and emotional novel.

Knowler, John — "The Trap". Originality of plot gives this book its distinct and subtle flavor.

Montgomery, R. — "The Living Wilderness". Material in this book is painstakingly accurate and most complete. Mr. Montgomery has given shape and identity to our country's wildlife in a manner that is entertaining, witty and thoroughly engrossing.

Sutton, David — "Complete book of model railroading". Both beginner and seasoned veteran will find this big book a richly rewarding guide in know-how and practical ideas of model railroading. The different types of equipment available, secrets of painting and aging techniques, dozens of charts, wiring diagrams and suggested layouts of pikes, illustrate the text.

Young, Leontine — "Wednesday's Children." A study of child neglect and abuse. L. Young examines both rural and urban areas, touches upon all economic and social classes, describing the range of mistreatment.

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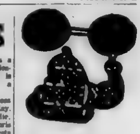

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## Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Donnelly and Opal McGinitie and daughter Darlene were Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Donnelly's aunt, Emma and Lionel Ferguson.

Sunday visitors at the home of Joe and Tillie Yurkowsky were Tom and Dorothy Campbell and sons, George and Robin, and Ellen Eaton, who were all dinner guests and afternoon visitors. Later Mr and Mrs. Peter Paruk and sons, Brian and Dale of Lamont, and Mrs Paruk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stefura of Chipman arrived and all were afternoon coffee guests there.

Rae and Bertha Phillips and Ellen Eaton were Wednesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Roy and Ruth Wackenberg after Rae, Bertha, Ellen and Ruth had visited patients in the Tofield hospital.

THIRD BIRTHDAY

Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen and children, Gwendolyn, Lyle and Dixie, motored to Edmonton Saturday evening and were guests at a birthday supper at the home of Mary's friend, Miss Dixie Wright. The birthday supper was in honor of Dixie Jacobsen who was three years old Saturday.

Jean and Arne Binder and son, Duncan, of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of son's sister, Joan and Alan Warner. Later in the day, Bob and Peggy Nahrebeski and family were evening visitors and coffee guests of Joan and Alan.

Jean and Arne Binder and son, Duncan, and Glen Winder all of Edmonton were Saturday overnight and Sunday visitors at the home of Jean's parents, Joe and Helen Murray.

**Gail Niemetz of Edmonton was a weekend visitor at the home of her parents, George and Ida Niemetz. Bob Osubko, also of Edmonton, was a Sunday visitor and dinner guests there.**

George and Ida Niemetz were Monday afternoon visitors in Edmonton and were evening visitors and supper guests at the home of George's sister, Erma, and Fred Onyschuk and family, where they helped Erma celebrate her birthday.

Julius Jacobson of Edmonton was a Sunday overnight and Monday visitor at the home of his daughter, Mavis, and Carl Jacobsen and girls.

Verlyn and Ollie Moss motored to Vermilion on Saturday to attend the open house at the Vermilion Agricultural and Vocational College, where their son Bob is a student.

Donna and Frank Edwards and Mrs. Loretta Weir and daughter, Wanda, spent the weekend at the home of Donna and Loretta's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson. Also there for Saturday supper was their eldest daughter, Mrs. Doris Brown and Mae's mother, Mrs. Roberts of Tofield. Doris was also a Sunday dinner guest and afternoon visitor with her parents. Doris's husband, Howard Brown is attending the spring show and bull sale in Calgary this week where he had taken some bulls for sale.

## Ministik news

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick and Mrs. S. George were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Usher and Mrs. Lillian Dimond in Edmonton.

FRANK COWLES PASSES

Ministik friends were shocked to hear of the passing of Frank Cowles, owner of Cowles drug store in Edmonton. The Cowles family lived for several summers on the farm owned by Mr. and Mrs. Alex McSporran.

GOLDEN WEDDING FOR DISTRICT PAIR

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach as they celebrate their golden wedding anniversary this weekend. An open house reception in their honor is being held at Ministik Hall on Sunday, March 21, from 2.30 to 5:00 p.m.


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(Mary Mitchell)

TRIP TO AUSTRALIA

Miss Katie Thiessen left last week by air on a six-week vacation trip to Brisbane, Australia where she will visit her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. G Regehr. Word was received that she enjoyed her short top-over in Honolulu.

Olga Thiessen, RN, left by Air Canada for Toronto where she will attend a medical convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ray of Edmonton were visiting relatives in the district last week.

Mrs. Mildred Lee spent several days in Edmonton visiting with her sister, Mabel Lawson, and her daughter, Shirley Nichols, son-in-law, Dave, and the grandchildren.

Sunday supper guests with Dorothy and Roy Whillans and family were Martha and Kenny Ovalson and family, and Grace, Jerald and Marlin Whillans, all of Edmonton.

Miss Patsy Sears of Calgary was a weekend visitor at home.

Annie McGinitie was a recent visitor with the Landcasters in Tofield.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Ida Williams returned home from hospital last week and is much improved in health.

Pete Romanishyn has been a patient in St. Mary's Hospital in Camrose for the past two weeks where he underwent surgery recently.

Jim Williams motored to Stony Plain to spend the weekend with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lutz.

Donna Ingram and a friend, Marjorie Much, both of Edmonton spent Tuesday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ingram and Wesley.

**SELLING ALBERTA ABROAD**

**About 80 per cent of the nearly 10,000 buyers attending the California Gift Show held in Los Angeles recently, stopped by the Canadian Exhibit to see what Canada had to offer in the giftware line. Twenty companies from across Canada took part under the sponsorship of the Department of Trade and Commerce. Among those taking part from the Province of Alberta was Interprovincial Supplies of Edmonton. Seen here left to right are: J. C. Britton, Canadian Consul General in Los Angeles, Miss Rose Wong, Messrs. Terry Sullivan and H. O. Faase of Interprovincial Supplies.**

## Ross Creek district news briefs

(Iris Bilan)

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Mary Ferrel returned home from hospital last Tuesday, where she had been a patient for several weeks; also Mrs. Florence Malcolm, who spent two days in hospital.

Joseph McLachlan Sr. is at present a patient in the Tofield Hospital. His son-in-law, Ossie McDonald of Prince Albert, Sask., visited with him on Friday.

Ralph and Alice Cossey were supper guests Saturday, March 6th, at the home of Mike and Eileen Eleniak of Vegreville, formerly of Chipman.

Alvin and Mabel Hauer were Saturday supper guests at the home of Kenneth and Betty Pederson.

Wyman Odorne was a Sunday afternoon coffee guest at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Lester and Wilma.

Neil Malcolm's father, M. A. Kuysten of Edmonton, was a weekend visitor with Howard and Nell. Nell and her father were Sunday afternoon coffee guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford.

BIRTHDAY OBSERVED

Sherry Woytowich celebrated her 7th birthday on March 12th with a party held in the evening.

Larry Shacker was 9 years old on Saturday, March 13, which he celebrated with birthday party. His Grandpa and Grandma Shacker of Edmonton were two of his guests that day.

Arthur and Mary Ferrel visited with their son and daughter-in-law, Harvey and Helen, at Sherwood Park on Saturday.

Mrs Violet Blaley held a whist drive at her home last Wednesday, with six tables in play. A most enjoyable time was had by all and a lovely lunch was served later. Proceeds will be donated to the Ross Creek United Church building fund.

Wally and Nettie Yez attended a Lions banquet at Redwater last Wednesday evening.

A Red Cross bingo was held at Chipman on Friday evening when a film on "road safety" was shown as an added feature. After the bingo, Nettie Yez, Lillian Stadnik, Lynne Shacker and Iris Bilan enjoyed three games of bowling.

## District students win in Lamont HS 'spiel

(Iris Bilan)

ROSS CREEK, March 15.—The Lamont High School students held their Curling Bonspiel on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, at Lamont. Gayele McLachlan curled on the rink that won 2nd prize in the first event, and Ronald Bilan was a member of the rink that took 3rd prize in the second event. The Jim Svitch rink took first prize in the third event, and the Scott Malcolm rink took third prize in the third event.


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## News briefs from Kingman district

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Mar. 18th - Salem Thursday evening at 8:00 p.m. with Mrs. Wick and Mrs. Anderson hostesses.

Home and School will be held on Friday, Mar. 19th, at 8:00 p.m., and will be open house for all parents.

The Kingman Sewing Club meets at Mrs. Herb Asp's on Wednesday, Mar. 31st, at 2 p.m.

Service at Salem Lutheran Church on Sunday, Mar. 21st, at 11:30 a.m., with Sunday School [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hansen of Edmonton were weekend guests at the Palmer Bonnes home. Saturday evening visitors for Mrs. Bonnes' birthday were Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schmidt and Denise, and Mr. and Mrs. Albin Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchinson of Drayton Valley, Gary Hutchinson, Charlie and Norris Hutchinson and Mrs. Hutchinson Sr.,

Anne Bjorgum and Linda were weekend visitors at the Roy Hutchinson home. Roy's mother stayed to visit a few days. Flemming spent the weekend in Camrose attending Fellowship Week at CLBI.

Louie Kozak and Teddy, Ed Seljehaug and Gary Johnson attended open house at the Vermilion School of Agriculture.

Mr and Mrs. Lloyd Bjorgum and family were Sunday visitors with the Finn Ness family of Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Russ Torris of Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rindahl and Mrs. Gyda Rindahl were Sunday visitors at the Oscar Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Ness of Edmonton were weekend guests at the I. Ness home, on March 6th and 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Smith and family have moved into the Gute Hansen house in Kingman. Mrs. Smith is the former Beulah Hansen.

DOUBLE BIRTHDAY PARTY

At the John Johnson home on Friday evening to celebrate Gary and Ken's birthday were Jeanette and Annette Caouette, Bob and Vernon Pederson, Marvin Adamson, Dale Sturvik, Larry Asp, Diane and Lorene Lindstrand and Randy and Audrey Anderson.

Mrs. Brith Johnson was a Tuesday overnight guest with Miss Eleanor Johnson of Edmonton.

Sunday visitors at the Ingvald Ness home to wish Mrs. Ness a happy birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Ness and girls, Mrs. L. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Simonson and Dale, Mrs. M. Harte and Ronald, all of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hashodahl and Mrs. Petra Stauffer of Tofield, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simonson and Lois, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schmidt and Denise, Miss Mabel Simonson and Mrs. J. Helte.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ergs were Sunday dinner guests at the Arvin Magneson home in Camrose. In the afternoon the Ergs and Magnesons motored to Meeting Creek to visit the Lyle Ergs.


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## Bardo WCTU elects Mrs. Finseth pres.

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Mar. 18th - Mrs Selma Cinnamon opened her home for the March meeting of the WCTU Wednesday afternoon, Mar. 10th.

The medal contest tentative date March 26th, was changed to April 9th and will be held at the Baptist Church in Tofield.

As this was the annual meeting, reports were given by the executive and department secretaries. The election of officers resulted as follows: pres., Mary Finseth; sec., Nora Anderson; vice-pres., Laura Francis; treas., Marie Francis; press supt., Borghild Rude; little white ribboners, Pauline Rude, national temperance study course, Borghild Rude; evangilistic, Nita Kindley; audior, Olaf Anderson; laws and legislation, Norma Anderson; flower, mission and relief, Mabel Johnson; scientific temperance instructions, Anna Tackerna.

Twelve members and one visitor were present to answer the roll call and enjoy the bountiful lunch served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Pauline Rude on April 14th.

## Legion elects 1965 officers

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN - The Holden branch of the Royal Canadian Legion recently held their annual meeting which had been postponed from an earlier date due to bad weather. Financial and other reports for the year were given by the secretary-treasurer, Geo. H. Taylor.

Officers elected for the ensuing year were: pres., John Slogryn of Bruce; vice-pres., Peter Jakabow; sec.-treas., Geo. H. Taylor (this is the 11th consecutive year that he has served in this capacity). Donations were made to the Legion polio fund and the home for ex-service men's children in Edmonton.

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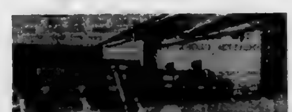

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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

At a meeting held at the home of Mrs. A. Ferguson, Sunday school teachers made plans for the term which is soon to start. A date will be announced soon.

**TELEPHONE MEETING**

There was a good representation at the annual Telephone Meeting for Ministik ratepayers held at the hall March 10th. Pat Paetrson was chosen a driector on the retirement of Arthur Rowland.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Ministik friends are sorry to hear of Mr. H. Dunham being a patient in Tofield Hospital, and hope his stay won't be too long.

After working for Albert Horricks for many years Donald Grummett has decided to go south soon to work on a wheat or grain farm. Bill Roddick is now employed at the Horricks' farm.

Several persons attended the cash bingo at Hastings Lake Hall on Friday evening and report a very good time. Winners of cash included Keith Williams, Mrs. Keith Williams, Mrs. Bruno Jeske, Ralph and Brian Leach and Andrew Ferguson.

Cement for the basement of their new home was poured at the Morris Paterson farm recently purchased from Matthew Ferguson.

**Matthew Ferguson had a painful fall on Saturday, hurting his hand and arm and sustaining many bruises. His nephew, Glenn, took him to Tofield Hospital where he was to remain for a few days.**

Miss Theresa Rogler had as her guest for four days last week a long-time friend, Mrs. L. Tolfan from Radium Hot Springs, B.C. Mr. and Mrs. Swab from Calgary also spent the weekend there.

From a list of successful candidates in examinations held recently by the Royal Conservatory of Music of Toronto, in Edmonton, Barbara Kleinschroth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kleinschroth, was honors in Grade 5 piano. Barbara is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth.

After several weeks' stay at the Tom Jones home, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stepanou and family are now residing at South Cooking Lake.

**ENJOY HAY-RIDE**

It was fun and frolic for about sixty young people from Edmonton when they gathered at the Andrew Ferguson farm Saturday evening as guests of their son, Gary, for an old-fashioned hayride, followed by a wiener roast on Hastings Lake. The Ferguson yard resembled a parking lot while the fun-fest went on.

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# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

We are glad to report that Mrs Ellenor Jones wha able to return home from the Tofield hospital on Friday and all hope she will soon be all well again and able to be out and around.

On Sunday, Mar. 7th, Doug and Fran Baines and family of Edmonton were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Doug's sister, Mrs Ethel Wood and son, Donald.

Earl and Agnes Rose and family were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and Donald.

Charlie and Mickey Niemetz were Edmonton visitors on Monday and were afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mickey's sister, Emily, and Ernie Roberge and family before returning home.

Erma and Fred Onyschuk and daughter, Debbie, of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Erma's brother, Charlie, and Mickey Niemetz and boys.

Donna and Frank Edwards of Edmonton were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Donna's cousin, Mrs. Patsy Loxton in Tofield.

Mrs. (Gloria) Johnny Wood left on Friday for a weekend visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Onoway. She returned home Monday evening bringing her mother, Mrs. Miller, for a few days' visit.

**BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED**

Several birthdays occurring on March 15th were celebrated during the week. Congratulations and best wishes to all.

On Saturday evening, Emil and Martha Tiedemann, their son, Bob, and daughter, Mary, were guests at the home of Russell and Mabel Ferguson where they celebrated both Martha and Russell's birthdays. Among the other guests present were Emil and Martha's daughter, Yvonne, and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot, Russell and Mabel's two sons and their wives, Leonard and Dorothy Ferguson of Edmonton, Willard and Ruth Ferguson at home, and Daryl Bertch of Edmonton. The evening was spent with games and visiting, followed by a delicious lunch.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and family entertain on Sunday afternoon and for supper at a birthday party in honor of Martha and Eric Sorrell's birthdays, which both are on March 15th. Guests were Sandy and Irene Scott and family of Lindbrook, Martha's nephew, Kenneth Gossell and Daryl Bertch, both of Edmonton, Emil's brother, Bill, and Mary Tiedemann and daughter, Sharron, of Deville, and Emil and Bill's niece and family, Bertha and Eric Sorrell and family, Elaine and Freddy. A very enjoyable time was had by all.

Mrs. Mary Wood was a Monday afternoon visitor and coffee guest at the home of Mrs. Martha Tiedemann helping her celebrate her birthday. Later, Martha's daughter, Yvonne, and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot were evening visitors and coffee guests, also hepling celebrate Martha's birthday, playing games and visiting.

**'SURPRISE' PARTY**

On Saturday evening, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg were given a real surprise birthday party in honor of Roy's birthday which was on March 15. Among those arriving were their son, Lyall and Thelma Wickenberg and their two sons and their wives, also their daughter and husband, namely Larry and Liz Wickenberg, Kenny and Gerry Wickenberg and Audrey and Dale Jacobs; also Roy and Ruth's two daughters, Mrs. Vivian Jones and Janet Wickenberg and a nephew, Ernie and Ellen Westling, all of Edmonton. The visitors brought along a delicious lunch and birthday cake which was enjoyed by all, after an evening of singing, dancing and games. Vivian and Janet and Ernie and Ellen Westling were all Saturday overnight and Sunday guests there. On Sunday afternoon, Ruth's sister, Alice and Lou Primus of Edmonton arrived with another birthday cake to help Roy celebrate the occasion. All were supper guests there before returning to the city. A very enjoyable weekend was spent by all present.

Kenny Ross and Rachel Mahovich were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

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# Annual Town report reflects steady growth in 1964

The annual meeting of ratepayers of the Town of Tofield was held Monday, Feb. 22nd, at 8 p.m. in the meeting room of the Tofield Community Centre.

On a motion by L. E. Hunter, Mr. J. E. Stinson was appointed chairman, and on a motion by Dr. W. H. Freebury, Mrs. Rita Halverson was appointed recording secretary. The meeting was attended by 25 ratepayers and two visitors. The minutes of the 1963 annual meeting were read and accepted on a motion by Councillor Swift.

**STEADY GROWTH**

Mrs. Rita Halverson gave the secretary-treasurer's report showing a steady growth of the town had taken placing during 1964. Building permits to the value of $223,810.00 were sold, made up of 13 new dwellings, nine permits for additions and improvements and ten permits for garages including the school bus garage. In turn, the building program had increased the total taxable assessment by $66,680.00. A census completed January 21st, 1965, showed the population figure at 1,009. The sec.-treas. took this opportunity to thank the ratepayers for their co-operation during the "breaking-in" year and hoped she would be able to do a better job of the administration of town affairs in 1965.

The municipal inspector's report was read by Mrs. Halverson. L. L. Gurel recommended many changes including the payment of petty cash accounts, the initiling of extra pages of minutes by the mayor, the proper procedure in swamping of lots and the ommittance of passing a by-law to appoint the present sec.-treas. Mayor Dr. Freebury assured the ratepayers that the report had been dealt with and the necessary steps taken to bring the report up-to-date.

H. G. Seller, manager of the Bank of Montreal, commented on the auditors statement, stating that although an operating surplus of over $5,000.00 was shown in 1964, the cash position of the town was not good. He felt that the metering of water would place the water untility on a self supporting basis barring extra expense such as the town experienced through a shortage of water in 1964.

**HOSPITAL REPORT**

George McFadzean, town representative on the hospital board, reported that the 1964 deficit of $1,054.00 was due mainly to medical benefits to the hospital staff. The Tofield hospital had operated at an 86.71% capacity in 1964. Comparing the hospital with that of Rocky Mountain House, almost three times the laboratory services were processed here.

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## Hans Huseby marks 87th birthday

Hans Huseby, prominent Palmer farmer, observed his 87th birthday on Sunday at the Henry Huseby home when all the family were present to enjoy a turkey dinner. Present were: the Lefsruds, Norma Huseby and the Ken Yarhams, all of Edmonton; the Paddy Francoeurs of Camrose; the Wallace Gabelhaus family of Holden; the Conrad, Duane and Dennis Huseby families, Mrs. Inga Afseth, Oscar Afseth and the Ken Sorgens.

## UCW seeks old records

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE, — The Lakeshore UCW met at the home of Mrs. Vi Geoglein on Wednesday, Mar. 17th (St. Patrick's Day) with a good attendance of members and visitors despite the bad conditions of the roads. After all business was taken care of, a very delicious luncheon was served by the hostesses, Vi Geoglein and Ellenor Jones. It was requested that your reporter enquire if any one knew of anyone who had any records or books of minutes, clippings or pictures taken of the Lakeshore Ladies' Aid from their beginning. Also any records between 1935 to 1941. If any one knows of any of these, will they please get in touch with Mrs. Ellenor (Joe) Jones, president of the Lakeshore UCW. The next meeting of the group will be held at the home of Mrs. McDannold in Tofield on Wednesday, April 21st, weather and roads permitting.

## Williams heads Community Club

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

MINISTIK, March 22 — At the annual meeting of the Ministik Community Club, the following officers were elected for one year: president, Keith Williams; vice-president, Joe Davenport; secretary, Mrs. Ronald Swabey. The April meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horricks on the 12th.

## 'Hat seeking trail riders

Horsemen are being sought to enter a second eight-day trail ride from Medicine Hat to Calgary, The Mercury learned this week from L. Eric Hansen of Medicine Hat. Horsemen from the Tofield area are particularly sought.

Last year 54 riders completed the ride, some entries travelling 2,000 miles to enter. Plans are to start June 26th, winding up in Calgary July 3rd, and ride in the Stampede Parade July 5th, followed by the presentation of trophies. Time is allowed for visiting points of interest along the trail, and sightseeing, and the caravan will be accompanied by a stage coach, chuckwagon and other covered wagons.

Complete information is available from Mr. Hansen at Box 943, Medicine Hat. Early entries are sought, closing definitely on May 15th.

NEW "CANADIANA" PANELS installed in the lobby of British American's head office in Toronto are the latest designs executed by company artist Thor Hansen. The 10-foot-high panels, of carved wood and painted linoleum, depict Canada's west coast, central and east coast regions.

## Municipal Library succeeds Tofield PL

The annual meeting of the Tofield Library was held January 26th in the Council chambers of the Town Hall. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and accepted. The financial report and librarian report were read by Mrs. D. Freebury.

A motion was made by Dr. W. H. Freebury to turn over the assets and books to the newly formed Municipal Library.

Ed Watson was nominated as chairman of the Municipal Library Board, and Mrs. Rita Halverson appointed secretary. Mrs. Dorothy Freebury was appointed as librarian and Mrs. Georgina Christensen as assistant librarian.

Terms of office for the board members as appointed by the town council are as follows:

Mr. E. Watson for a three-year term; Mr. Don Hardy for a two-year term; Mrs. C. Patterson for a one-year term; Mr. J. L. Jefferson for a one-year term.

After much discussion it was moved by D. Hardy that the chairman and the librarian be required to sign at the bank, with the librarian acting as the treasurer.

The budget for 1965 was presented by Mrs. Dorothy Freebury, and accepted on a motion by Dr. Freebury.

It was moved by Ed Watson that the board adopt the provincial government per capita grant. The secretary was instructed to write the council of the Town of Tofield regarding their share of the grant.

D. Hardy moved the annual meeting of the new board be set for the last Tuesday of January in each year.

The rate of fees and fines were discussed and it was moved by E. Watson they remain the same as for the Tofield Public Library.

Mr. Watson moved that the secretary invite Mr Wiltshire of the provincial government to attend a meeting in April, a date to be set at his convenience, to answer any questions the board wished to ask.

Dr. Freebury expressed thanks to the previous executive and librarians and expressed the hope that they would continue to serve as friends and patrons of the library under its new form of government.

## Baergen at conference

John Baergen of Tofield was among those registered for the annual conference of retail co-operative managers held in Calgary Monday through Wednesday.

The conference, sponsored by Federated Co-operatives Limited, is benig attended by managers from all parts of the prairies. Among outstanding speakers on the program are Mrs. A. F. W. Plumptre, Ottawa, president of the Consumers Association of Canada, and Dr. John Deutsch, chairman of the Canada Economic Council.

## TB x-ray at Ministik

The Mobile Chest X-ray Tuberculosis Testing Clinic will be in operation at the Ministik School, Ministik, on Friday, April 2nd, from 1:30 to 5:00 p.m., and from 6:30 to 8:45 p.m.

Mrs. J. D. Patterson is the general chairman. This service is provided by the Alberta Tuberculosis Association and the Alberta department of public health.

## Tofield woman passes —funeral tomorrow

Mrs. Matrona Margaret Misiurak, widow of the late Mr. Elias Misiurak of Tofield, passed away Monday, March 22, at the age of 58 years. She leaves one daughter, (Mary) Mrs. Jim Pyper of Hay Lakes; three grandchildren; a brother in Argentina, and a brother and two sisters in the Ukraine.

Funeral services will be held Friday, March 26, at 3:30 p.m., from Tofield United Church, with Rev. W. H. McDannold officiating. Interment at the Tofield Cemetery. Friends wishing to pay their respects may do so at Tofield United Church between 1:00 and 2:15 p.m. on Friday, or prior to that at Andrews-McLaughlin Chapel in Edmonton.

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## *Farmer's worst pest*

At the County of Beaver annual meeting recently during a discussion on pest control one farmer intrigued the meeting when he asked Agricultural Service Board representative Rex Boyles "What are you doing about the worst pest the farmer faces? I mean beer bottles thrown in the fields and ditches".

The novel question drew a lot of interest but it also drew a lot of support, coupled with reports of not only bottles, but stones and even garbage being dumped.

Suggested remedies were beer in cans, and stronger pressure on the brewers including one that the deposit on bottles be raised to the point where they would be too expensive to throw away.

One farmer recalled that a recent visitor from Ontario reported there penalties are so high that no-one dares be caught throwing away waste, and suggested the practice be adopted in Alberta.

It was pointed out that one of the problems in Alberta is the tremendous amount of road to patrol, and the comparative safety at present from being caught. However there seems little doubt that brewers, and soft drink bottlers must in the near future, find some satisfactory answer to the problem. Frequently mentioned in the Legislature the opposition to the damage inflicted by broken glass is growing year by year and public indignation will increase to the point where it cannot be denied.

At least tin will rust and erode away over a period of years glass remains sharp and dangerous practically forever.

## *Same difference*

Alberta's Highways Minister Gordon Taylor does an excellent job of building highways, and we have long lauded his capacity for resisting appeals to share in the construction programs.

If he can resist one appeal, we suppose it's logical he would be able to resist appeals of other natures.

Still we can't fathom his resolute [illegible] denial that any compulsory check of vehicles is necessary throughout the province. Faced with the evidence of several other areas, where accidents due to mechanical failure have been reduced Mr. Taylor this week continued his stand with the comment that under Alberta's system the onus is not taken off the driver [illegible] that he is responsible every day his vehicle goes out for the safeness of its operating condition.

But how does Mr. Taylor reconcile this position with the treatment accorded truckers? They have a responsibility to see they meet requirements every day they go out on the road too.

Why then is it necessary to continually operate the government weigh scales on the highways? Surely, if car owners can be expected to keep cars in safe condition, truckers can be expected not to overload, or let their vehicles get run down.

If the latter is a ridiculous proposition, we submit the former is also. And it passes understanding why Mr. Taylor won't at least advance some reasonable arguments for his opposition.

Certainly, administration would be difficult as it was in previous years. And certainly, a one-dollar premium as has been suggested in some quarters wouldn't begin to pay costs of a proper check. At the same time, a number of mobile clinics, operated by the government impartially, and touring the province should be able to eliminate many of the bugs previously found in the system where the integrity of the serviceman inspecting was the key factor.

Superior highways need superior vehicles, and humans being what they are, a sergeant major of one sort or another is usually needed to bring about the superior conditions needed.

## *Mount Elvis Presley next?*

What's happened to our Canadian geographers that they have to run to the United States to name mountains after? Have we run out of Canadians after whom we can name mountains?

Because an unnamed peak in the Canadian wilds was named after late president John F. Kennedy and brother Robert is now busy trying to scale it.

While we shared with the world the highest admiration for Mr. Kennedy and his achievements as president, we [illegible] his name [illegible] been etched on the minds of men through actions in his own country.

But what of the preservation of our Canadian history? We doubt that any [illegible] in the United States will be named after Lester Pearson or John Diefenbaker [illegible] for that matter do we feel they should be. It's indeed questionable if any in this country should be named after them.

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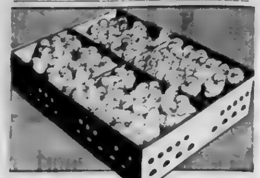

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# Holden and district news items

Mr. and Mrs. John Godbout were business visitors in Edmonton Monday of last week.

Chris Christensen and Mrs. Elna Parsons were visiting with friends in Bruce on Friday of last week.

Jim Taylor, mechanic at Beaver Motors, was confined to home and bed for several days last week with a severe attack of the 'flu. Three of the children were also ill with the 'flu.

Ray Hovland was a business visitor in Edmonton on Monday of last week. Also going along to do a little business and shopping were Mrs. Mary James, Mrs. Beth Campbell and Mrs. G. H. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, Mrs. Elna Parsons and Chris Christensen were dinner guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell on Sunday following church service.

Mrs. Doris Story was a visitor for the afternoon with Mrs. Lars Ritland on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann was a business visitor in Edmonton a week ago Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Alfred Sorensen, Mrs. Earl Hardy, Mrs. Mary Semotuik and Mrs. Stanley Komarnisky, who spent the time shopping.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

A recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carlson was Mrs. Tommy Armstrong of Calgary, a sister of Mrs. Carlson. Also visiting at the Carlson home was a brother, Eric Lamb, of Vancouver. The Lamb family were residents of the Holden district before leaving a number of years ago to reside in British Columbia.

Geo. H. Taylor, with Rex Boyles, visited in Viking Thursday of last week on EMO business.

Mrs. Charney, who was visiting with her daughter in Vancouver and her son and family at New Westminster, has returned home, spending a short visit en route with her daughter and family in Edmonton.

Cornelius Lien, of the Ryley district, was a caller in Holden on Friday of last week.

Mrs. Ruxton motored to Edmonton with Mr. Ruxton Thursday of last week to attend a banquet. Mrs. Olaf Smortie had charge of the children while their parents were away.

Glen Conner, of Alix, was a business caller in Holden Thursday of last week.

Joe Sroka, of Edmonton, was a weekend visitor with his mother, Mrs. Tekla Sroka.

**MALOWANY FUNERAL**

The funeral of John Malowany of Edmonton, a former Holden district resident who passed away Monday, March 15th, was held Thursday, March 18th. The service was held at St. Mary's Parish Church, south Holden, with interment in the church cemetery, Rev. Lozynski being the celebrant. Surviving Mr. Malowany is a brother, Peter, of Holden, and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Cwiknia and Mrs. Nancy Laskosky, both of Holden, and Mrs. John Bodnarz of Strome.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell left for Edmonton Monday morning, driving in with Mr. Ruxton, to spend a few days visiting with friends. She was an overnight visitor with Mrs. Mamie McAfee, and spent an afternoon with Mrs. Raymond Stewart, then going on to Leduc to spend a couple of days with her daughter Marjorie and family, the Ken Campbells.

**O.O.R.P. MEETS**

The Holden Lodge of Order of Royal Purple held their regular meeting on Tuesday, March 9th, when DDSHRL Edworthy of Hardisty was present, making her official inspection of the lodge. Also visiting was PHRL Pauline Cavanaugh of Hardisty. The gift of a Lodge emblem spoon was presented to L. Edworthy by HRL Armstrong on behalf of the members. At the conclusion of the meeting, Ladies Bertha Sanderson and Irene Strilchuk served a delicious lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Taylor received a clipping in a recent letter from their son Brian, in Holland, to the effect that the first strawberries of the season were auctioned in the Rotterdam market, fetching a price of f2.50 apiece, this being equivalent to 75¢ Canadian money.

# Town council . . .

(Continued from Page One)

School representative, Mr. J. E. Stinson, reported that although he had only been elected in October, he had attended four very interesting meetings and that the school committee is trying to get the dollar value for the ratepayers. The teachers are again asking for salary increases which would raise the school costs but bargaining meetings are slated for the near future.

**CRIME INCREASES**

Constable J. Wall presented a detailed account of the duties performed by the police department in 1964. The collection of fines was $1,767.00, almost tripled that of 1963. Also, the cases processed were tripled that of the previous year.

William Friesen reported for the fire department. Eleven fire calls were handled by the department in 1964. Mr. Friesen wished to extend a vote of thanks to John Widynowski for painting the fire truck.

Ed Watson, chairman for the newly formed municipal library, reported that the Tofield Library had had a very successful 1964. Besides the growing continuous book lending service, the library had held a very successful "Education Week" program. Mr. Watson, on behalf of the community, wished to thank the volunteer librarians and all who helped with the library work during the past year.

Father Scriven, newly appointed EMO representative for the Town of Tofield, commended Mrs. M. Boyles on the many services she performed as representative for the town in past years. The rescue demonstration sponsored by the EMO on July 1st, 1964, was an example of just one of the organized services and EMO representative must deal with.

The water utility report was given by Clr. Swift, who explained that the deficit in the water and sewer department was due to the necessity to pump water into the reservoir. There are now 252 consumers in the town and Clr. Swift felt sure, barring any great unexpected expense, the metering of the water will have a chance to prove its worth this coming year.

**VARIED AGENDA**

Mayor Dr. Freebury welcomed the boys from the senior high school, Bernie Wilkie and Doug Grover, representing the Grade 10 Social Studies class. Dr. Freebury had received the suggestion that a park area be looking into as a centennial project and asked that the ratepayers give thought to this.

The paving of two blocks on Main Street was another improvement he hoped would receive serious consideration in 1965, and also, plans for a permanent water reserve must be considered soon. Dr. Freebury felt that the Auxiliary Hospital in Killam was of no use to Tofield because of its distance from Tofield but to date no encouragement had been received from the government to locate a nursing home in Tofield. However, the possibility was still being pushed by local interested parties.

Ed Watson asked that a revision of the tax discount be studied by council so as to lessen the interest charges. Mr. Watson, representing the ratepayers, wished to thank the volunteer firemen for a job well done in 1964. L. E. Hunter asked council if something could be done about the number of dogs running at large in the town.

George McFadzean asked that council implement the paving of two blocks on Main Street.

Mayor Dr. Freebury assured the ratepayers that their suggestions would be dealt with at the regular council meeting.

At 10:30 Clr. Swift adjourned the meeting.

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# THE RYLEY TIMES

## Ryley 4-H Club has speaking competition

On Monday evening, Mar. 8th, the Ryley 4-H Clothing Club held its annual public speaking competition in the Ryley Catholic Hall with 12 members competing. The emcee for the evening was Cinda Helgeland, and judges were Mrs. H. Roddy and Pam Vaughn.

The winners were first, Elda Helgeland; second, Peggy Fish; third, Myna Hutchinson.

The judges gave very helpful comments and hints about the speakers, after which lunch was served.

## Hastings Lake

The [illegible] would like to thank everyone that made the cash [illegible] held at the hall on Mar. [illegible] such a success.

The hall board met at the home of Mrs. [illegible] Gladue March 15th.

Ladies Club met at the home of Mrs. [illegible] March 18th. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Harvey [illegible].

Sympathy is extended to the Perrisma family on the death of Mrs. Perisinie's mother who passed away last week.

[illegible]

Mrs. Fontaine is home from an Edmonton hospital.

Mr. M. Dunham has been in Tofield hospital for several days.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. [illegible] Eaton)

Erne Collins and Billy Mahew and young son called on Roy Weckenberg one day last week and enjoyed some of Roy's birthday cake and coffee with him.

**AT STOCK SHOW**

Barbara Baines of Edmonton spent from Thursday evening to Monday morning with her aunt Mrs. Ethel Wood. On Monday morning Barb and Ethel accompanied Ethel's daughter Marg and Lorne Berrecloth to Edmonton where they all attended the spring stock show and bull sale at the Edmonton Exhibition grounds. Ethel, Marg and Lorne returned home in the afternoon and Barb returned to her home in the city.

Howard and Mae Ferguson and son Nelson, attended the spring stock show and the rodeo at the Edmonton Gardens on Monday evening.

Mrs. Alice Cowley of Rosevern and Mrs. Irene Warner were among several other ladies who called at the home of their mother Mrs. Mabel Bailey on Thursday afternoon Mar. 18th, to help her celebrate her birthday.

Robert and Dede Goubault and daughter Judy of Drayton Valley were Sunday forenoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Robert's sister Martha and Emil Tiedemann.

[illegible] afternoon Mrs. Mary Wood, Mrs. Gloria Wood and Gloria's mother Mrs. John Miller motored to Edmonton where they met Mr. Miller and daughter Linda of Conway. Mrs. Miller returned home with her husband after having spent a week here with her daughter Gloria. Later in the day Mary and Gloria were afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mary's daughter, Mrs. Evie Halwa of Edmonton before returning home.

Ernie and Eleanor Bunner were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of George and Ida Niemetz.

Gail Niemetz spent from Saturday afternoon to Sunday after dinner at the home of her parents George and Ida Niemetz. Bob Ounkto was a Sunday dinner guest there also.

Elmer and Vi Geogleln were Edmonton visitors on Monday where Elmer attended the spring stock show and bull sale while Vi spent the day visiting her sister Mrs. Lil Ball.

Julius Jacobson spent Sunday overnight and Monday with his daughter Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen.

Lerry and Shirley Eaton and two children of Holden were Thursday visitors and dinner and [illegible] guests at the home of Lerry's mother Mrs. Ellen Eaton. Also other guests there were Walter Eaton and [illegible] children Brian and Karen, and Tommy Campbell and little son, Robin.

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

Robert and Dede Goubault and daughter Judy of Drayton Valley, Lerene and Jim Francis and children of Viking, Evie and Vic Halwa of Edmonton and Johnny and Gloria Wood gathered at the home of their parents John and Mary Wood where they all helped Lerene celebrate her birthday which was the day before on March 20th.

More cold weather with some snow and blowing has again hit the district causing more blocked roads and worry for the farmers who are getting short of feed.


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## Ketchamoot news briefs

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whillans and sons, Loroy and Barry, spent Sunday in Edmonton, dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Whillans.

Delbert Lee of Edmonton spent the weekend at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Henry McGinitie is home after spending a few days in the Tofield hospital for a check-up.

Sunday evening visitors at the Harold Schultz home were Mr. and Mrs. O. Stockton and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Fosheug.

On Sunday, Henry and Agnes McGinitie motored to Viking where they were dinner guests with their son, Harvey and wife Pauline and grandchildren.

Ray Ovelson of Kingman was a Sunday evening coffee guest at the home of his sister, Dorothy Whillans.

**LEAVE FOR NORTH**

On Sunday afternoon, some relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ray gathered at Hastings Lake Community Hall for a family dinner in honor of Dorothy and Roger before they leave by air for Fort Smith where they are employed for the summer months.

Orville and Lorna Mitchell of Edmonton and little Verne McDowell from the school for the deaf, spent the weekend with Ivan and Mary Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Appleby motored to Edmonton on Wednesday evening where they attended the play "The King and I" at the Jubilee Auditorium.

Beth Ingram, Ruth Ellen Sears and Betsy-Ann Schultz were the girls of this district who attended the 40th anniversary gathering of the CGIT at the Jubilee Auditorium on Sunday.

Mrs. Stan Jack and her daughter, Dawn and grandchildren of Edmonton were Wednesday afternoon callers at the Harold Schultz home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Duguid and children of Tofield were Monday afternoon callers at the Gordon Kyle home. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell and Harold Sutton called on Tuesday afternoon.

**AT RODEO**

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I wish to express my thanks and appreciation to my friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness, visits, gifts, and cards that I received from you all during my stay in the Tofield Hospital. Special thanks are extended to the doctors and nurses.
—Mrs. A. Basaraba. 30p-2315

We wish to express sincere thanks to our many friends, neighbors and relatives for their many acts of kindness, floral tributes, purse of [illegible] and cards of sympathy in the loss of our loving husband and daddy. Special thanks to Dr. Price and nurses at the Tofield Hospital and doctors and nurses at the University Hospital.
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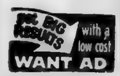


# From the mail bag

## Youth activity

Editor, The Mercury:

Play and games from babyhood until maturity are natural means of developing our abilities both physical and social. In the days of the "little red school-house" everyone of the scholars had to take part in the games to make a team. But with the centralization of our schools and the increase in the number of the pupils in each district only a part of the scholars the better athletes, are able to get positions on the teams, and the remainder are restricted in their physical outlets.

Some elder people remark, "but look at the number of the youth who are taking part in the activities of our generation". I am very pleased that some of the youth can and do adjust themselves to such inactive forms of recreation as even bridge, curling, or checkers. But there are many of the most virile of youth who require and need more active forms of pastime such as hockey or basketball to enable them to expend and control their exuberance; and if they are compelled to seek an outlet for such energy by trial and error" [illegible] at times are non-social in so doing, can we say that we would not have made the same mistakes under similar condition? Can we point our fingers at them and be free from feeling guilt?

I contend that we older ones have a duty and responsibility to assist youth in seeking self-direction and to assist them finding and developing facilities for same. And that if we do not, then, to us is the [illegible] . . . "As ye did it not—ye did it not to me".

—Geo. G. Abernethy.

P.S. I'm not ashamed of my name.

## Railroad 'vet' dies at 50 years

Requiem mass was said Thursday in Foster & McGarvey's Chapel in Edmonton for veteran railroader [illegible] Okurily, 50, who died Sunday in Ryley.

Mr. Okurily was a resident of Ryley for 21 years, where he was section foreman for the CNR. He had been ill for the past two years.

He was born in the Ukraine and came to Canada when he was 22 years old. He joined the railroad 29 years ago as section laborer.

Surviving him are his widow, Mary, two sons, Peter of Edmonton and Donald of Edson, and a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Chubey of Edmonton.

**ADDITIONAL MEMORIALS TO MRS. COOMBES OBITUARY**

To Tofield Lions Club—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kallal.

To United Church Memorial Fund—Mrs. Ellen Sears, Harold and Marion, and Mrs. Olive Ross; Earl and Agnes Ross.

## Church notes

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D. Minister
Sunday, March 28th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. Public Worship.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, March 28th
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, March 28th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
HOLDEN —
10:00 a.m. Divine Service.
11:00 a.m. Sunday School.
RYLEY
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Winter Schedule, Nov. to April
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Second and fourth Sundays of every month ... 9:30 a.m.
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# Beaver county council meets Feb. 10

Following are the minutes, in part, of the meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver held Wednesday, Feb 10th. Present were Councillors A.L. Gibson W. D. Johnston, W. Kropielnicki, E. M. Magneson, J.H. Reddick and H. Weatherill.

**Road Complaint**

In regards to [illegible] complaint lodged by Mrs Gordon Lancaster Cr. Johnston stated that he had investigated the complaint and had found that there were beavers in the grade in question and that he would look after the situation in the spring. Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

**County Handling Grass and Clover Seed**

In regards to the County handling grass and [illegible] seed, motion 49 65, the recommendation from the Agricultural Service Board that the County does not handle this type of seed was noted by the [illegible] and it was moved and carried that no arrangements be made for the handling of grass and clover seeds by the County

**Recreational Facilities Grant Program**

In the matter of the Recreational Facilities Grant Program the Secretary-Treasurer reported that he had received applications from Kinsella Elks Lodge No 364 Spilsted Ladies Society and Bardo Recreational Association for this grant

Moved and carried that the applications be approved by the Council and that the Reeve and Secretary Treasure be authorized to deal with these applications.

**TOFIELD HOSPITAL**

In regards to the Tofield Hospital motion 80 65 the Secretary-Treasurer stated that he had as instructed at the January 18th meeting, written to the Director of Hospitals Division, Department of Public Health and the reply to the letter was referred to the Council at this time

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed

In the matter of the suggested sale of the BG Scrapers the Councillors at this time submitted the necessary information as to where the various scrapers were located and their condition

Moved and carried that the 7 BG Scrapers be advertized for sale by tender.

**Complaint Re Snow Plowing**

A letter from Norman R. Ebeltoft Secretary-Treasurer of the Alice Hill Local 834, complaining of the snowplow operators leaving a bank of snow in the farmers' drive ways referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that Cr. Reddick investigate this complaint and take the necessary action.

It was moved and carried that Crop Insurance Corporation, advising that parts of Townships 49, 50 51 and 52 in Ranges 10, and 11 and 12 within the County were included in the Minburn Test Area be received and filed

**FEBRUARY 11th RECONVENED MEETING**

**The proposal of sub-division of S.E. 3-46-12-W. 4th into two 80 acre parcels submitted by the Provincial Planning Director was referred to the Council**

Moved and carried that we have no objections to sub-division, providing the Council will not be called upon for any road or other improvements in or to the sub-division.

Notice of Hearing from the Board of Transport Commissioners for Canada in respect to Canadian National Railways application to close certain stations due to the proposal of putting the master agency plan into operation was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the notice and attached correspondence be received and filed

Correspondence from Canadian National Railways, requesting approval of the Railway Company's proposal to exempt the company from maintaining the right of way fence between the highway and the railway [illegible] the eastern County boundary west to mileage 172 at Kinsella, was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the request be granted.

Information from Alberta Government Telephones re Rural Buried Cable System-Sedgewick Estimate 972003-Project 2277 was referred to the Council. The plan of this system submitted indicated that the cable would be buried along the road from the S.W. of 4-46-12- east 7 miles, this being the road that is being surveyed at the present time for road-widening and straightening.

Moved and carried that the Alberta Government Telephones be [illegible] that the [illegible] has easements for 100 ft. road allowance along this stretch of road and that if the cable is buried before the road is fully constructed, which may take two or three years, [illegible] of the opinion it should not be required to pay the charge for rerouting the cable.

The Secretary-Treasurer reported that Mr R C Bailey of Kinsella had inquired if township 46 11 would be inspected under the P F A A As this too had been deleted at the Council meeting on November 12th from inspecting the Secretary Treasurer had contacted Mr K M Geddes P F A A, Supervisor at Alliance, requesting that he look into this situation and a memo from Mr Geddes indicated that he was having an inspector check this too and if the yield warranted he would complete the inspection of the full township

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and the Secretary-Treasurer's action be concurred in

The Secretary - Treasurer reported that only two tenders for the truck for the Public Works Foreman had been received. One from Tofield Service Garage in the net amount of $2200.00 and the second from Golka Garage Ltd in Viking in the net amount of $1 556.00 The tenders were identical the difference in price being on the trade-in allowed

Moved and carried that the tender submitted by Golka Service Garage Ltd be accepted

**Road Ban**

The Secretary-Treasure inquired if the Council felt that provisions should be made for road ban this year due to the great amount of snow however, it was felt that this was not necessary and no action was taken

In view of the fact that the Local A.S.T.A. had scheduled for March 11, it was necessary to change the date for the March Council meeting which would also be held on that date

Moved and carried that the March Council meeting be held on Wednesday, March 10th

**Court of Revision**

Moved and carried that the Court of Revision to hear appeals against the annual assessment be held on March 4th commencing at 2.00 p.m

Mr Mike Semuk, Secretary of the Beaver Livestock Co-Op Ltd and Mr. Charles Hays of the Alberta Livestock Co-Op attended the meeting at this time in connection with the request of the Beaver Livestock Co-Op Ltd for remission of certain taxes in Pt S.E. 14-49-16-W. 4th. M M Vergin Stockyards. Mr Semuk inquired why the request for cancellation of part of the taxes had not been accepted and Mr Hays stated that the Alberta Livestock Co-Op. was not all interested in the station at Holden only having agreed to assist financially the local organization to purchase [illegible] yard. He stated [illegible] the yard was entirely too elaborate for what it would be used for. If taxes could not be compromised the purchase should not be considered in Mr. Hays' opinion The Beaver Livestock Co-Op Ltd. had apparently made an offer to the Public Trustee for the bankrupt firm with a payment for an option on the plant. It was also stated that Assoc was paying approximately $100.00 per [illegible] to the Public Trustee, payment being based on a fee per head, mostly hogs, being shipped After Mr Semuk and Mr Hays had retired, the situation was fully discussed and it was felt that even if the County had to take possession through tax recovery proceedings they should be able to realize the taxes in full and it was finally, moved and carried that no compromise settlement on the taxes on Pt. S.E. -14-49-16-W. 4th be considered.

**Centennial 1967**

In regards to the Centennial 1967 the Secretary Treasurer stated that he had been advised by the Centennial Officer that the County's proposal to use the grant for further improvements of the County's proposal to use the grant for further improvements of the existing parks at Nugget Lake and Camp Lake did not appear to be acceptable for the Centennial grant. The Secretary-Treasurer further reported that he had at the request of Cr Reddick inquired from the Centennial Program Director if, should the County make available to the Town of Viking a portion of the Counties grant, the Town of Viking then could add the $1.00 per capita instead of the County. The reply indicated that, providing the County of Beaver waived its right to a certain portion in favour of the Town of Viking, the Town of

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## THE WEATHER . . .

| Mar. | Max | Min | Barom. | Precip. |
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| 17 | 10 | -9 | 28.12 | —— |
| 18 | 12 | -10 | 28.08 | —— |
| 19 | 10 | -9 | 28.00 | —— |
| 19 | 10 | -9 | 28.00 | 2.6" snow |
| 20 | 21 | -13 | 27.98 | 1.3" snow |
| 21 | 15 | 11 | 27.65 | .09" snow |
| 22 | 9 | -3 | 27.85 | —— |
| 23 | 8 | -11 | 27.98 | —— |
| 24 | — | -16 | 27.78 | —— |

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CALVES sold from $30.00 to $80.00 each.
WEANER PIGS brought $8.00 to $12.00, and Light Feeders sold at $26.00 each.
PIGGY SOWS, $70.00 Gilts sold up to $65.00.
BOARS sold from $30.00 to $50.00 each.

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## Tofield Hi notes

The afternoon curling trophies were presented last Tuesday with first going to Kevin Pike's team of Sam Everitt, Jim Kallal, Laurie Weatherill, Pat MacAdoo and Colleen Wyllie.

Second went to Greg Whyte's team of Clarice Jacobsen, Graham Wyllie, Linda Erickson and Donna Jacobsen. While the "skunk" awards went to Robert Wall's team of Ruth-Ellen Sears, June Christensen, Leslie Appleby and Frances Shultz.

A wonderful evening was enjoyed by everyone who attended the concert given by the PPCLI Band Tuesday. We hope we shall be able to have them back again [illegible]

**[illegible] CLASS TO PRESENT PLAY**

The high school drama class will be presenting their thrilling play "Heat Lightning". The exciting play tells of a hysterical young girl who has just seen a murder committed. She tells her frightening story to a stranger. Later, her suspicions grow and she has to decide whom to trust Her decision is the outcome of the play. The students wish to commend the class on their fine job they are doing in preparing this play.

## Around town . . .

Mr and Mrs J W. Robinson attended the Allendale Junior High operetta in two acts which was presented on Thursday and Friday evenings last week. The operetta was entitled "Mississippi Melody" and was based on the adventures of Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn. Four girls and eight boys formed the cast of the operetta which consisted of dialogue and singing either separately or in unison Then in addition there was a chorus consisting of 19 girls and six boys who at various times throughout the evening sang with the operetta members The scenery, costumes and singing were excellent. Incidentally, Edith Mary Smith as Mrs. Sereny Harper had one of the leading parts

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Mrs. J. W. Robinson visited with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. L. Smith for a few days, returning to Tofield on Sunday evening, Mar 21st.

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A large crowd attended the PPCLI band concert held Tuesday night, Mar 23rd in the Community Hall The band, directed by Lt Naylor, and sponsored by the Tofield Community League, was greatly enjoyed by all who attended.

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Mrs. Ole Hjelter is a patient in the Tofield hospital.

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**TO CURL IN B.C.**

Irma and Art Francis left on Wednesday for a holiday at Penticton, B.C., where they will visit with Muriel and Bill Finn. They also plan to curl in the mixed bonspiel while there.

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Frances and Jean Campbell and girls from Edmonton spent the weekend at the Campbell and Oslund homes.

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Findley Dunlop, who is employed at Cadomin, spent the weekend with his wife and family Also at the Dunlop home were Jean and Ray Majeo and girls from Edmonton.

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Mary Hosler from Edmonton and her daughter, Mrs. Bob Perry from Dauphin, Man., were Saturday visitors in town.

ALBERTA JUNIOR CITIZEN OF THE YEAR BULLETIN:

**Who to nominate for the special Junior Citizen GROUP AWARD (and why)**

There are two ways to nominate enterprising youngsters you know for Alberta Junior Citizen of the Year Awards. You can nominate either an individual or a whole group.

Last year, your weekly newspaper editors received an increased number of individual nominations. However, the number of group nominations received was disappointing.

We know that there are scores of enterprising groups of young people around our province who deserve recognition, and adults who wish to see them get it. So please don't hesitate to nominate!

Who to nominate? That's easy! It may be a cub, scout or guide troop, or similar organized group. Or simply two or more youngsters who have performed an act of heroism or initiative on their own. Good citizenship takes endless forms. If you feel that a group of young people between the ages of 6 and 16 years deserves special recognition for any act of merit since August 1964, please give the details to the editor of this newspaper. Remember - all groups nominated will receive a certificate of recognition.

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# School committee meets March 9th

Following are the minutes in part of the regular meeting of the County of Beaver No 9 School Committee, held Tuesday, March 9th.

**Water Lines at Holden School**

In regards to the water lines at Holden School motion 31/65 two tenders for the proposed work was referred to the Committee—one submitted by A. O. Innes, Tofield and the other by McLaren Construction Co Ltd of Viking.

Inasmuch as the tender submitted by McLaren Construction Co Ltd. was somewhat ambiguous, it was moved and carried that the tenders be tabled and that Cr Roddick interview McLaren Construction Co Ltd to have their tender clarified.

Concerning the purchase financing of school buses the secretary treasurer reported that the request for a five-year loan had been approved by the Department of Education.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In the matter of advertising for an apprentice mechanic, motion 66 65 the secretary treasurer reported that he had not done this in time for the March meeting but that the advertising would be done so that applications could be dealt with at the April meeting.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

A letter from Mrs Ethel Arbon of Tofield complaining of thefts from her son's locker at school. She mentioned that three mathematical instrument sets as well as a pad of typewriter paper had been stolen. She suggested that locks should be put on all the lockers. Cr Weatherill stated that he had had other complaints as well. The Superintendent stated that he had discussed the matter with Mrs Arbon and with Mr C. Annis, the principal of Tofield School. In his opinion locks were not a satisfactory solution, as students were continually losing the keys. It was suggested that the lockers were intended for storage of clothing and shoes only.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed, and a letter outlining the Committee's opinion be forwarded to Mrs. Arbon.

A letter from Milburn H. Jeffrey of Bruce, applying for the position of spare school bus driver, was referred to the School Committee.

After some discussion, it was moved and carried that Mr Jeffrey be advised that there is no opening for a spare bus driver at Bruce at the present time.

An application from Larry Degen of Tofield for the position of a spare bus driver at Tofield was referred to the Committee, and it was decided to defer this application until the bus supervisor was in attendance.

Moved and carried that the Bus Supervisor's report be accepted and his account in the amount of $16.92 for mileage be paid.

Inspection reports from the Fire Commissioner's office concerning the Kinsella School and part of Ryley School was referred to the Committee. The secretary-treasurer informed the Committee that the reports had been referred to the Maintenance Foreman for attention.

Moved and carried that the reports be received and filed.

Moved and carried that J. C. Nord be appointed to attend the Principals' meeting on March 31.

The minutes of the Salary Negotiations meetings held to date were referred to the School Committee at this time, and the teachers' requests and the County's offer were discussed quite extensively.

It was finally moved and carried that the County's Salary Negotiation Committee be instructed to stay with the offer made at the Negotiation meeting on February 19th, and that the Teachers' Negotiating Committee be invited for further discussions on March 22nd, at 7 30 p.m.

The Superintendent advised that the Department of Agriculture was making available to the County 250 white spruce and 150 Manitoba maples, which he intended to use for the teacherages and the spruce especially for replacement at the schools. He suggested that the Committee members should ascertain what they would require at each point.

The Bus Supervisor, Neil Reid, attended the meeting at this time and the application from Larry Degen of Tofield for position as spare bus driver was discussed.

It was then moved and carried that Larry Regen be appointed spare bus driver, providing he obtains his Class A License, and that the appointment be without retainer.

Some discussion took place as to whether or not the County's tow truck should be used for anything but the County-owned vehicles and what might happen if the tow truck should be involved in further difficulties.

Moved and carried that the County's tow truck be used for County purposes only.

Lars Olson attended the meeting at this time and mentioned the difficulty in keeping track of the bus drivers during storms, etc. He felt that the drivers should contact the principals at the various schools reporting whether or not they had been able to complete their route. The Principals at the present time had much difficulty in finding out whether or not the pupils had arrived home safely. The Bus Supervisor was instructed to inform the drivers that they should contact the school principals if they were held up for any reason on the road, and also report when they arrive back from their runs during stormy conditions.

Mr. Olson also brought up the matter of office assistance and requested that some action be taken in this matter. He also inquired if work had been started on the Policy Handbook for the County, and was informed that this work was under way.

It was suggested that a member from the School Committee should be on the Committee dealing with the Policy Handbook, and it was moved and carried that Cr Roddick be appointed a member on this Committee.

After Mr Olson retired, further discussion took place in regards to office assistance for School Principals, last dealt with by motion 89 66, and after some considerable discussion it was moved and carried that no consideration be given to the request for the assistance to the school principals.

It was also moved and carried that Mrs. Margaret Wideman be appointed to the teaching staff in Ryley as from March 1st, 1965, and that Dale Lauber be appointed to the Holden teaching staff as from May 1st, 1965.

In the matter of the building programs at Tofield and Holden, Mr. Pike reported that the work at Holden was almost completed and that only some minor problems had to be rectified, the program at Tofield was coming along very well and was also in the finishing stages. Both additions should be completely occupied early in April. Mr. Pike stated that the Western Construction Consultants Ltd., had proved very unsatisfactory in the matter of supervising the work, that he had had to do most of the supervising and he suggested that the architect, Mr Bruce Colvig, should be appointed for the Viking school addition rather than using the Western Construction Consultants Ltd.

It was moved and carried that the reported be accepted.

It was also moved and carried that Wester Construction Consultants Ltd be advised that we no longer require their services and that Mr Bruce Colvig be appointed architect for the County for the Viking school addition.

The question arose as to whether or not the buses, transporting the high school students from Kinsella and Bruce to Viking and Holden, should operate during snow storms, when the other buses had been cancelled due to weather and road conditions. It was considered that where some high school pupils had been able to, by their own means of transportation, get into Bruce and Kinsella it would be quite in order for the bus at Kinsella to go to Viking and to Holden from Bruce and that the principals at the Kinsella and Bruce schools could decide whether or not it was safe to let the buses go. However, after some considerable discussion

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## Telephone companies seek amalgamation

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, March 20. A meeting of the directors of the three telephone Mutual companies was held Friday, March 19 in the Masonic Hall, to meet with Mr Dick of the Alberta Gov't Telephones Co. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the procedures for amalgamation of the three Mutuals and also to give further information on the new system to be used on the underground cables.

Application dates for new telephone subscribers has been extended to April 2, 1965. Anyone wishing telephone service should contact the secretary-treasurer at the Village of Holden office, phone 162.

## Mrs. Olson hosts Friendship Group

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, March 20. — The Friendship Group met at the home of Mrs Blanche Olson on Thursday, March 18, with thirteen ladies present. The devotions were taken by Mrs J. A. Giebelhaus, and a further chapter in their study book was presented by Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

Letters of thanks were read by the secretary from the Council of Women, Toronto, for the money sent to them from the World Day of Prayer collection; also from the missionaries in Hong Kong, thanking the ladies for quilts and other clothing sent to them.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Oscar Ruskenvold, with Mrs. Mary James taking the devotions.

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make the $1.00 contribution. Under the circumstances it appeared to the Council that the original proposal to allow the Towns and Villages within the County would be the only feasible solution to what has turned into a considerable problem.

Difficulty in allocating the grant to the four Towns and Villages would be in connection with the Hamlets of Bruce and Kinsella where the residents in Hamlets and surrounding area might want to make use of the grant themselves and it was suggested that the Councillors concerned should make some further inquiries in this regard.

Moved and carried that we approve in principle the allocation of the County's Centennial Grants to the urban areas within the County.

Cr. Roddick mentioned the forthcoming Convention of the Fire Protection Association which was supposed to be held during the month of March. As Cr. Roddick was very interested in getting a Rural Fire Protection Assoc. started in the Viking area, he stated that he would be interested in attending this convention and it was moved and carried that Cr Roddick be appointed representative from the Council to the 1965 Convention of the Alberta Fire Protection Assoc.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

I sometimes think conversation between Adam and Eve must have been difficult at times because they had nobody to talk about.—Anon. JWR

## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

MR. AND MRS. CLAUDE . . .

MINISTIK, March 22 — The family of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach entertained friends and neighbors at an "open house" on Sunday, March 21st in Ministik Hall to honor them on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary. Stanley Williams was master of ceremonies for the occasion and Roger Parker, a councillor, presented the couple with a picture from the County of Beaver. Floyd Baker, M.L.A., presented scrolls from Hon. J. Percy Page, Lieutenant-Governor of Alberta, and from Premier Ernest Manning.

Mr Williams gave the couple's history and Mrs. S. George read a poem about the couple, composed by Mrs. Norman Willmore. Many messages of congratulations were received as were also flowers and gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Leach, with sons Chester and Ralph came from Edmonton to Ministik in 1925 to settle on the farm once owned by Billie Young. They have taken an active interest and part in their community, Mr. Leach being at present secretary of the Ministik Mutual Telephone Co. and a member of the United Church. Their two sons still reside in the district and were present for the occasion. They also have two grandchildren, Donna and Brian Leach, and several nieces and nephews.

The family's gifts to the bride and groom of 50 years ago were two tickets to the west coast, to be used at their leisure. Brian Leach was in charge of the guest book.

## Kingman news briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Mar. 22nd — Mrs. E. Wruck, Mrs. A. M. Wick and Mrs. A. Anderson and Audrey were Saturday afternoon visitors at the Ray Hutchinson home to wish Mrs. Hutchinson a happy birthday.

John Marcinyn and Carol of Edmonton were Sunday evening visitors with the N. Hovelsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Ness spent the weekend with the Mervyn Ness family in Edmonton, also visiting with other relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bjorgum and family were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Paulson and Mrs. Kjellberg in the Dinant district.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Neilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Skogness of Camrose, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Lysong and family were guests at the Lloyd Bjorgum home Tuesday to wish Mr. Bjorgum a happy birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Severson and family, Mr and Mrs. Edward Severson and family and Mrs. Betsy Severson, all of Edmonton, were Sunday visitors with Miss Idle Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Ness were Thursday visitors at the I. Brekkan home, Tofield, the occasion being Mrs. Brekkan's birthday.

**SALEM LCW MEETS**

The Salem LCW met at the church on Thursday, Mar. 18th, with devotion by Mrs. J. Holte, and Bible study by Mrs. Lloyd Bjorgum. Mrs. Ovel Bjorgum read a letter from Lutheran World Relief, acknowledging boxes of clothing sent from here. Mrs. R. Urqhart read the meditation and prayer. Hostesses were Mrs. A. Wick and Mrs. A. Anderson. Offering amounted to [illegible]

**[illegible] BIRTHDAY**

At the Norman Hovelson home on Wednesday for Melvin's sixth birthday were Mrs. Ray Johnson and family and Neal Hutchinson. In the evening, guests were Mrs. Cliff Christenson, Colin and Colleen, Mr. and Mrs. C. Simmons and the Harvey Hovelson and Albin Anderson families.

**HOME FROM B.C.**

Hugo Hovelson and Oscar Ergo returned Sunday, Mar. 7th, from a trip by train to Vancouver, B.C. The weather there was beautiful during their stay. They visited with "Happy" Anderson at Marpole, where he has been hospitalized for many years. Others they visited were Mr. and Mrs. Einer Lindberg at Vancouver, Mrs. Mildred Halgren at Fanny Bay, and Ludvig Steines of Vancouver Island.

The Home and School meeting will be held Friday, Mar. 26th, at the school in the form of open house for the parents to visit the different rooms and see the pupils' work.

A variety program is being planned for April 9th at 8 p.m. and will be held in the Kingman Hall.

Roy Hutchinson took his mother back to Easyford on Sunday and will spend a few days there visiting with relatives.

Gail Johnson and Brenda Simonson spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson of Camrose.

Several persons from this district attended the Home and School supper and program at Hay Lakes on Saturday evening. Principal Ken Dahl showed slides of his trip last summer to Denmark, Norway, Germany and Italy, which were very interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cunningham of Kelsey were recent visitors at the Lester Christenson home.

## Chest x-ray to visit Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Mar. 22. — Sponsored in this district by the Kingman Athletic Club the Mobile TB Chest X-ray Unit will visit Kingman in the near future.

C. B. Pugh, director of X-ray Surveys, Alberta Tuberculosis Association, is in the district making arrangements for the Tuberculin Testing and Chest X-ray Survey. A house-to-house canvass will be conducted to register every family in Kingman and community, and all persons not attending school will be included in this registration.

School children are being screened by means of a Tuberculin Test at school through services provided by your local Health Unit, and will not be required to attend this clinic.

In charge of the program are: Mrs. A. Wruck, general chairman and advance registration chairman; Mrs. Esther Ovelson, clinic appointments chairman; Mrs Hazel Anderson, publicity chairman, Mrs. Ingrid Johnson, volunteer help chairman.

Time and location of the Tuberculin Testing and Chest X-ray clinic in your district will be announced as soon as the pre-registration of each family is completed.

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# Gotta green thumb?

**EVEN WHERE YOU'RE GOING** It's possible, of course, to do without a garden or build a house without some sort of a plan, but there will be more satisfaction and pleasure if we do have one and those garden plans can be as simple or as elaborate as we desire. Some people even go so far as to draw the whole thing to scale, fit plants into that layout according to their mature height and width, match up colors, keep a precise record of planning, blooming and in a variety dates from year to year, and they can string off variety names just like a good political speaker can reel off statistics. That is fine for those who like it. But the new gardener doesn't have to bother with such voluminous data. All that he needs to know is whether a flower is hardy or tender, and whether it grows a few inches or a few feet. The rest he can learn pleasantly as he goes along.

**To Brighten Shady Places**

One of the most satisfactory flowers for brightening up dark corners is the laborious rooted begonia and for a lot of really magnificent bloom the bulbs should be bought and started now. These bulbs are fairly expensive, but with a little care they can be used over and over again.

For the average householder the best way to start is in a flat box about three inches deep or shallow four inch pots. Fill these with damp peat moss and keep damp and place bulbs root side down covering almost but not quite completely. If one is not sure which is right side up for those bulbs he had better ask when buying. Keep the flat in a moderately lighted window, one facing the east is best, and when new sprouts are well started transplant to individual five or six inch pots filled with good soil, and keep in those until transplanted outside after all danger of frost is over, which means June 1st in most of Canada. Care must be exercised in handling as the stems are very brittle. The flowers are of brilliant coloring and they face the same direction as the first permanent leaves point.

Begonias will brown or burn if given too much direct sunshine. They do best in a sheltered place that gets direct sun no more than four or five hours a day. Along an east wall or hedge is ideal, but they will do well with a western or even northern exposures and under trees.

After the first frost, the bulbs should be dug up, brought indoors and spread out somewhere to dry. After cleaning of stems and roots they should be packed in vermiculite or dry peat moss moistened very slightly and stored in a cool part of the basement.

**TIMELY HINTS**

An interesting and very useful way of spending a late winter's evening is to get a pencil, paper, and a Canadian seed catalogue and plan the garden we are going to have just as soon as spring really arrives. Such plans will be a big help, and anyway in gardening planning is almost as good fun as planting.

While waiting for the snow to go and the ground to dry, one can clean up and oil the garden tools that were neglected last fall, can make sure the power mower is working and that the garden duster and sprayer are ready for action.

One of the earliest jobs is pruning. Most trees, shrubbery and vines can be trimmed anytime from February to June, though early blooming shrubs like Forsythia are best left until after flowering.

Nursery stock, that is trees, shrubs, trees and vines are best planted as early in the spring as the ground can be dug, if this is impossible when they arrive, store in some cool, moist place and if possible cover the roots.

**ARE YOU EVER BAITS**

Have you ever wondered how mosquitoes can zero in on you so quickly when you step outside on a summer evening? The simple truth is that they smell you. Researchers have found that mosquitoes in search of a blood meal are attracted to chemicals in sweat, such as lysine and other amino acids. Other factors which guide the mosquito to you are body temperature, moisture, lactic acid and carbon dioxide. Some people attract mosquitoes more than others. This can be explained, the researchers say, by differences in temperature, color of the skin, age, sex and physiological condition.


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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Reddish)

Four teams from Minstik and four from Hastings Lake enjoyed an evening of curling in the Tofield curling rink.

Miss Peggie Rowland was a weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Eddie Wayne Kleinschrodt is a patient in Tofield hospital, having undergone an appendectomy. This is most unusual as young Wayne is less than two years old. A speedy recovery is wished him by all who know him.

Matthew Ferguson, who has a broken wrist, visited his doctor on Monday to have his cast changed.

Dick Nelson is a patient in Tofield hospital having had a tonsilectomy.

Miss Bella Boss returned to her home on Friday afternoon after having spent three months in an Edmonton hospital. Her friends all welcome her home.

**LADIES VISIT VEGREVILLE**

Thirteen members of the Minstik Ladies Club enjoyed dinner at the Viking smorgasbord on Wednesday, followed by attending the movie "My Fair Lady" at the Paramount Theatre. All who attended remarked it was a most enjoyable day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hoddle joined several friends at a gathering in Tofield at the home of Mr and Mrs Norman Anderson to honor Mrs Norman Willmore on her birthday.

**SIGNS OF SPRING!**

There are more signs of spring, although the season itself is very reluctant to appear. Little lambs are being welcomed daily at the Andrew Ferguson farm.

Russell Rowland attended the rodeo in Edmonton on Monday evening.

A family dinner was held in honor of Mr and Mrs Claude Leach at the home of Mr and Mrs. Stanley Williams in Edmonton on Saturday.

# 'Alarm' salesmen alarm merchants

Small town merchants, particularly jewelers, may be the target of two salesmen working their way west on the pretext of representing a burglar alarm company, reports the Better Business Bureau. Usually, the report states, offers are made to install the equipment at a ridiculously low price, with only a small down payment.

This may be BAIT to "case" the premises, suggests the BBB, which points out they may even offer to install an alarm panel in the local police office, presumably as an avenue to ascertain the strength of local police force.

Don't let strangers check your security measures, warns the BBB. People will seldom allow themselves to be swindled by people they know, and do not trust just any day after day, they allow themselves to be swindled by strangers. The Bureau suggests dealing only with firms and people whose reputation is well known, and who have been thoroughly checked by the chief of police of their own town.

# Holden news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Earl Hardy has returned home after spending several days visiting with her daughter Sharon and family, the Ralph Mason Jr., at Wetaskiwin, and making the acquaintance of the new grandson.

Nick Shihinski was a business visitor in Vegreville a week ago Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka spent the weekend of March 13th on a trip to southern Alberta and Montana, where they visited with relatives and friends.

Miss Betty Chupka was visiting with her parents part of the weekend of March 13th, and was looking after the store while they were away on a trip.

Mrs. Alex Shyba and Mrs. Lester Nordstrom were shopping in Edmonton of last week.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

We were pleased to hear last week that Mrs. John Thieme of Edmonton, who is a hospital patient after recent serious surgery, is making very satisfactory progress. Mrs. T. A. Liden when in Edmonton recently visited with Mrs. Thieme in hospital.

Mrs. Mary Andrews returned home the early part of last week, after being a patient in the Tofield Hospital for several weeks receiving treatments.

Mike Theczyk, who was a patient in Tofield Hospital for a few days having tonsils removed home on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Marian Micelich, R.N., of Edmonton, who is now employed at the Royal Alexander Hospital, was visiting over the weekend with her father, Harry Micelich, and with other relatives in the district.

Happy Olson, son of Mrs. Carrie Olson, returned home Thursday of last week from a two month vacation in Big Land.

# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

**AT WEDDING AND GRADUATION**

Mr and Mrs Lester Severns attended the wedding of Lester's niece, Mary Anne Tjoe and Wilson Lewis at Bethania Lutheran Church on Saturday. In the evening they attended the U.L.T. graduation banquet at Messiah Lutheran Church in Camrose. Their son, David, was one of the graduates. On Sunday afternoon, the Severns, Dan, Pat and Gregory Lewis and Ingrid, Esther and Danny Brekhus attended the graduation exercises that were held at the C.L.C. Convocation Centre.

The Charles Rude family visited Dale, Arlene and Kevin Rude at Lake Isle on Sunday evening.

**63rd BIRTHDAY**

Leroy and Mary Finseth and children were dinner guests at the home of Mary's brother and sister-in-law, Pastor and Mrs. Carl Johnson in Camrose on Sunday. Other members of the family were present too, when they celebrated the 63rd birthday of Mr. Johnson Sr., who is a resident in the Bethany Home.

Harry Mosby returned home from the hospital on Tuesday. Leif and Evelyne Foshaug and boys were visitors at the Mosby home Sunday evening.

Visitors at the Charles Rude home on Thursday, who came to wish Pauline a happy birthday were Enid and Hilker Rude, Nora Anderson, Leroy and Mary Finseth and children Glen, Iris Francis and children and Lawrence and Diane Rude.

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# School committee meets March 9th

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It was moved and carried that if an order is issued by the superintendent of school that buses are not to travel, this includes the buses from Kinsella to Viking and from Bruce to Holden.

The superintendent stated that in connection with the proposed addition to the Viking school certain alterations would be required in the older sections and it was moved and carried that the maintenance foreman, Nick Shibinski be authorized to plan the required alterations.

Mr Pike informed the committee that the flashing lights were now in operation at the Tofield railway crossing and he suggested that a letter of appreciation should be forwarded to the Canadian National Railways and the Board of Transport Commissioners. It was moved and carried that a letter of appreciation be forwarded to the CNR and to the Board of Transport Commissioners of Canada.

Mr. Pike stated that it will be necessary to purchase some 120 library chairs this year.

Mr Pike suggested that the gymnasium windows on the north side of the Holden auditorium should be closed in at an approximate cost of $450.00 to $500.00.

It was moved and carried that the maintenance foreman submit an estimate of the cost for this work.

Cr. Weatherill reported that John Maurer, bus driver at Tofield, had left his bus at home the previous night rather than bringing it back to the bus garage at Tofield and he was of the opinion that, except in the winter time, it would not seriously affect the buses if the drivers were to leave them at home. However, it was felt that as garage space had been provided for all buses in Tofield they should be brought back and kept in the garage over night. It was moved and carried that no bus driver be allowed to keep the buses at home where garage space is available.

Cr. Magneson mentioned the vote of thanks that had been extended to the snowplow operators at the annual meeting of the County and he suggested that the school committee might also show its appreciation for the splendid work that these operators had done during very trying conditions and it was moved and carried that a letter of appreciation for the good work done during the past winter be forwarded to the snowplow operators in the County.

## Drainage District has annual meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, March 20th. — The Holden Drainage District held their annual meeting on Wednesday, March 17th, in the Gladstone Curling Rink, with all trustees and the sec.-treas. Ray Hovland present. The attendance was small, with only 15 ratepayers present. J. Krajcie was chairman for the meeting.

The financial statement and auditor's report were read and approved.

One nomination was received for trustee, this being Hans Huseby who has served previously in this capacity for many years.

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

Last call for parcel post military whist and home bake sale on Friday, Mar. 26th, sponsored by the Ladies' Club at the hall.

Despite the stormy evening, six tables were played at the Social Credit whist drive Saturday, Mar. 13th. Winners were: ladies' high, Barbara Locktie, low Barbara Gladue; gents' high, Henry Heilman and Ron Ferguson, low.

Due to the fact the Ministik ladies' club is sponsoring a whist drive on Saturday, Mar. 27th, the Social Credit party scheduled for March 27th has been postponed to April 3rd.


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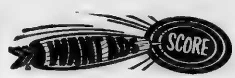



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## Chemical schools to be held throughout county

Rex Boyles, field supervisor with the County of Beaver, has announced that a series of chemical and fertilizer schools will be held at various points throughout the county.

The first of the series will be held in Kinsella on the afternoon of April 5th, with a similar meeting in Viking on the evening of the same day. The Bruce Community Hall will be the site for the third school on Tuesday, April 6th, at 1:30 p.m. This will be followed by a school in Ryley on the afternoon of Wednesday, April 7th. The last meeting during this week will be held at Prague Hall on Thursday, April 8th, at 8:00 p.m.

The schools will deal with all the newer chemicals which have come on the farm scene in the past few years. Mr. Boyles stated that there are a large number of new chemicals which are presently on the market but are not being used due to lack of information on their proper use. He stressed the fact that many of these chemicals are considerably more selective and must be used with much more caution than is the case with the old standby 2-4-D. The purpose of these schools is to bring the latest information on these chemicals to the attention of the farmers.

Dr. R. R. Cairns of the Vegreville Soils Research Station will speak at the Bruce and Ryley schools and will deal with fertilizer use as it applies to the hard pan soils which are so common to those areas. Attending all schools will be Stan Powers, district agriculturist, and Rex Boyles, field supervisor, as well as representatives of chemical and fertilizer companies.

Similar schools will be held in Tofield and Holden and Borschiw Hall during the following week, however complete arrangements were not completed at press time.

All farmers are invited to attend the school at the point most convenient to them.

"JUST TRY THIS"

Going all out to show what Central Alberta hospitality can be is Bill Glover of Tofield, left, a student at Camrose Lutheran Junior College. His guest at supper, at the college Monday evening was Joyce Ward of Seattle, Wash., a member of the Central Singers Choir who presented a concert in Camrose Monday evening. —Mercury Photo.

## To play Carmen

"Joyce Blackham had the merit of looking like Lollobrigida and was as earthy a Carmen as one could hope for . . ." praised The Edinburgh Scotsman, of the singer who plays the title role in an Edmonton opera production shortly.

The presentation will be in the Jubilee Auditorium, April 21, 23 and 24, and will be conducted by Brian Priestman of the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra. Only one other singer, Raymond Chiarella who plays the demanding role of Don Jose, is being imported for the performance, all other roles being filled by members of the Edmonton Professional Opera Association. Well known in Camrose, Ernest Chrustawka will play the role of Morales.

The performance is the group's fifth major endeavor. Previous presentations include Madam Butterfly, Cavallerio Rusticana, Pagliacci and Rigoletto. Tentatively planned for next year are La Traviata and La Boheme.

## Not a hat

Presumably an 80-year-old telegraph line insulator, the item shown above is made of dark green glass and was found by Robert Mickelson on his farm near Kingman. It is the opinion of several Kingman and Hay Lakes citizens this was used on the telegraph line that ran from Winnipeg to Hay Lakes in 1876. It's similar to others found along the route of the old telegraph line that was strung from trees and poles. Hay Lakes was on the western end of the line for a few years before it was extended to Leduc and in 1879 to Edmonton.

### CANNED SMOKE SHARK NEXT

Shark-fishing on an experimental basis is under way between Prince Edward Island and the Magdalen Islands, and early indications point to success. Provincial Fisheries Minister Leo Rossiter says the experiment is being conducted in co-operation with the Island's Canadian-Norwegian fish processing venture, Gulf Garden Foods Ltd., Georgetown.

## ATA meeting held Mar. 10th

The A.T.A. Sub-local held its meeting on Wednesday, March 10. Following the business meeting, Dr. Harper from the psychology department of the University gave a very informative and timely talk on "mental health". After the interesting and stimulating discussion a lunch was enjoyed by all.

The teachers' bonspiel, held on March 20th in Viking, was a huge success. There was a large turnout of curlers, and all had a most enjoyable time.

## Cars collide in snowstorm

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Mar. 26 —The M. Chrystians, coming home from Camrose, and the Carl Sorensons, who were going to Camrose, were involved in a car accident just west of Mike Chrystian's home during Sunday morning's blustery storm. The high banks of snow on either side made it a one-way road, impossible for cars to pass. The occupants of the two vehicles, Mike, Kost and Darlene Chrystian, and Carl Sorenson, David, Eldon and Denise, were not injured other than shock. Both cars were damaged somewhat.

### FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

I sometimes think this would be a better world if people would remember the ninth commandment, and live up to it.

—JWR

## Second parent-teacher interviews April 9th

The second parent-teacher conference of the Tofield school will be held Friday, April 9th, from 8 to 9 p.m. This conference will follow the format of the first interview day and will be as follows: Within the next few days parents will receive a slip on which the time of appointments are listed (these will be the same time as were allotted for the first conference). If it is absolutely impossible for any parent to meet his appointment time please advise the principal or vice-principal and a special time on another day will be arranged.

All parents are urged to take this opportunity to come to the school and meet with the staff regarding the progress of your children.

The annual H.S. drama festival will be held this Friday and Saturday, April 2nd and 3rd in the Tofield Community Hall. Everyone is welcome to come to see the fine performances which will be put on by the young actors and actresses of local schools.

## Cancer campaign begins Sunday

Sunday, April 4th, is Cancer Sunday, and in the week following the local campaign canvassers will be out in full force to call on homes and business places for your donations. Mrs Hazel Patterson is the campaign manager, and she and her crew are looking for the generous support of the public that they have had in past campaigns. Tofield has always come through nobly and it is hoped the fine record will continue, and that the quota for this area will be met.

## Shower honors recent bride

On Friday evening, a number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mrs. Mary Moore for a bridal shower for Mrs. Ken Kozushka, the former Joan Hoover, who was married recently in Edmonton. Games were led by Louise Moore, after which Joan was assisted by her sister, Diane, in opening her gifts. She expressed her appreciation for the gifts and good wishes. A delicious lunch was served.

## The weather

| Mar. | Max | Min | Barom. | Precip. |
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| 24 | 12 | -16 | 27.76 | —— |
| 25 | 6 | -21 | 27.76 | —— |
| 26 | 8 | -11 | 27.74 | .1" prec. |
| 27 | 9 | -10 | —— | —— |
| 28 | 10 | -16 | 27.90 | .1" prec. |
| 29 | 19 | 0 | 27.84 | —— |
| 30 | 26 | 10 | 27.80 | —— |
| 31 | — | 0 | 27.70 | —— |

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## Sins of the fathers

The Bible reports the sins of the fathers are visited unto the sons for a number of generations . . . and that is probably precisely how our sons and grandsons will view the Canada Pension Plan foisted on the country this week by the Pearson government.

It seemed the pension faction in the party was intent on rushing headlong into legislation before heading into an election. It seems they were not quite, but almost, heedless of the warnings the plan should be amended because in its present form it is building up massive problems for the future. And unfortunately for democracy, the opposition members who strongly objected during debate to the detailed provisions of the pension plan couldn't bring themselves to vote against Santa Claus when the actual voting took place.

To his credit personally, our district's own member, Cliff Smallwood, had the gumption to vote against the proposal as it was presented. By contrast, his leader, John Diefenbaker, and Socred leader Robert Thompson, found it convenient not to be present when the vote was taken, the only time, it might be said, when their widely heralded opposition could count. On the other hand, we [illegible] a sense of political realities, maybe they were wiser to accept resignedly the inevitable: they had effected all the changes and modifications they were capable of during [illegible], and their role was thus played out. It could be.

Regardless of all this, the plan will work hardships on two major [illegible] in the country's workers, as has been [illegible]ted many times during the debate, those over 60 years now, and those in the younger age groups. While workers of 55 are at the level for optimum returns right now, gaining back far more than they will ever pay into the fund, those of the other two groups will get back only a small portion of their payments.

And the younger worker, too, faces a dismal prospect of having his contributions increased over the years, as the cost of living increases, and requires great payments from the fund. The Unemployment Insurance Fund will look like a piker compared to the politics that can be played with this new one.

## Pope Paul urging change?

Latest announcement from Pope Paul would almost certainly indicate his backing of progressive thinking in the Roman Catholic approach to birth control, as he urged members of a committee considering the matter to iron out their differences, in order to relieve apprehensions faced by many members of the church.

There seems to be little reason why the committee may not come up with principles acceptable both to the church and to millions of its faithful, who, up to now have been forced to rely only on the so-called rhythm method of control or abstinence, neither of which have been found to be fully acceptable. If prevention of conception by any means whatever can be justified, surely an extension of the means is just as defensible.

The committee can almost be counted on to come up with the finding that snuffing out a life is one thing; preventing development of a life is quite another.

## Hard to read

Results in Monday's bye-election at Edson were so close it's almost impossible to read anything conclusive out of them, having regard to all the circumstances. Naturally each party, except the Conservatives, will try to command as much comfort as they can from the situation, but this may not be too satisfying either.

It's almost certain that Social Crediter Art Leonard lost the majority because of great dissatisfaction in the east end of the constituency particularly over treatment of the Niton school matter by the school board, and Leonard has been a school trustee for years. It's almost equally as certain that NDP leader Neil Reimer could be charged with losing because he wasn't a resident of the constituency.

Actually, only a swing of 46 votes from the Liberal winner to the NDP candidate could have spelled victory for Reimer. Leonard obviously needed more swing than that, but not such a big swing as to be out of the question.

And if you could discount the natural and expected lead piled up by the other two candidates in their home towns, we think Reimer can be shown to have outpolled them elsewhere in the constituency.

Under the circumstances, loss of any seat in a bye-election, (which is usually pretty safe) cannot be anything but a blow to Premier Manning, who may, nonetheless use it to advantage in pointing the hazards of the hustings to some others of his supporters. While he is always looking for strong candidates to reinforce the ranks, the loss of one seat can hardly be counted a serious loss. On the other hand, it will be hailed as a tremendous boon by the three opposition members, who thus gain additional support in their role of inquisitors. It will also be hailed by the Liberal party, who may be able to see in it the springboard from which they can again start building up their forces . . . to an eventual government.

## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

With the coming of a little nicer weather, the attendance at the United Church is coming back to normal. Les Smith of Edmonton has only four more Sundays, when the summer student takes over parish duties.

Don't forget the T.B. Chest X-ray Unit will be at Ministik School on Friday, April [illegible], from 1:30 - 5:00 p.m. and [illegible] 6:30 - 8:45 p.m. A good attendance is urged.

The [illegible] CWL are sponsoring their annual ham bingo on Friday, April 9th, at 8:30 p.m. in the hall. Lunch will be served and a good time is assured all.

The whist drive sponsored by the Ministik Ladies' Club was very successful, and a good job was done by conveners Mrs. [illegible] and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson. Winners were: Ladies' first, Mrs. Albert Horricks; ladies' consolation, A. Bens (playing as a lady); men's first, Ralph Dunham; men's consolation, Carl Schwuchow.

Donald Grummett entertained a few of his friends on Saturday evening, before his departure for the south country.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McSporran were Edmonton shoppers on Monday.

Marilyn Partas of Fultonvale was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Grummett.

Margaret and Edna Roddick of Edmonton were weekend guests with their parents, Dolly and Jim Roddick.

Several ratepayers from this end of the County of Strathcona attended court of revision on Monday, held at the County office.

VICTOR WRIGHT ON TV

Friends of Victor Wright would be thrilled [illegible] him on T.V. Wednesday afternoon, as a guest of [illegible] Lindsay. Victor is apprenticing as a chef at the Mayfair Golf and Country Club and will graduate in September. He is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Wright of Mayerthorpe, former residents of this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Grummett, Pat Paterson, Ronald Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick and Mrs. S. George attended the military whist drive at Hastings Lake on Friday evening.

Glenn Ferguson enjoyed the Rodeo in Edmonton on Saturday evening. Russell Rowland and Jean were rodeo visitors Friday evening.

Don't forget the Easter ham bingo on Friday, April 9th, at Ministik Hall.


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## Locals . . .

Arthur Hohs of Round Hill was a Saturday afternoon visitor at the P. Ericksen home. Sunday afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. George Undin, Rudolph and Darrell of Kingman and evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sirdar.

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The FUA meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Pearson on April 8th. More members and visitors welcome.

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Mrs. Paul Sirdar went to Edmonton on Tuesday to spend a few days with her daughter, Emily, whose husband passed away recently.


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WAITS FOR LUCIEN. Marie Rivard, wife of Lucien Rivard, Canada's most-wanted fugitive since his escape from Montreal's Bordeaux jail, sits with her pet Doberman, waiting word on her husband. She hoped Lucien might telephone her, but now he can't, since she took an unlisted number to end obscene and threatening calls on the phone. "I will be with him again. I am not sure when, or how," she said.

## Curling wind-up Saturday, April 3rd

Farmers' curling in Tofield will climax the end of another year of curling on Saturday evening, April 3rd, when the finals in all events of the closed bonspiel will be run off in the Grand Challenge.

Battling it out for the Woodland Dairy trophy in the First Event will be George McLaughlin and Phillip Anderson rinks. In the Second Event Coykendahl will be pitted against Richard Foshaug. Carl Johnson goes against Heiberg in the Third Event, while the Fourth Event features Wiley and Rose, two veteran curlers, in battle.

Curling begins at 7 o'clock, and on completion of the games, curlers and their wives, husbands and friends will retire to the Legion Hall for lunch and a social hour, marking the end of another successful year for the club.

## Ross Creek news

Dick and Ruth Moore of Bruderheim were visitors at the home of Ivan and Florence Malcolm on Sunday, while Florence's brother Morley Haggerty and girl friend visited with Ivan and Florence Saturday, staying overnight.

Raymond and Frances McLachlan and Howard and Nell Malcolm took part in the Tofield Legion one-day curling bonspiel held on Sunday, also partaking of a lovely pot luck [illegible] after the 'spiel.

**Howard and Nell Malcolm attended the golden wedding of Nell's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Spreakman of Edmonton on Tuesday.**

Visitors with Kenneth and Betty Pederson from Sunday to Tuesday were Betty's sister, Joyce, and her husband, Jim Third of Goodfair.

George McLachlan, Niel Bailey, Howard Malcolm and Lester Ferrel were entered in the Vegreville farmers' bonspiel, taking third in the fourth event. Their prizes were a stock whip and an n paint.

Winnie McLachlan visited on Tuesday with Russ and Doris Kushniruk of Vegreville, when they stayed overnight, returning home Wednesday. Russ and Doris were Thursday supper guests at the home and Kenneth and Betty Pederson.

Russell and Dorothy Shultz and Lann were Thursday evening visitors at the home of Ralph and Alice Cossey.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Ralph and Alice Cossey and family were guests at the home of Irene and John Warner on Sunday and enjoyed a turkey dinner in honor of Bruce Warner's birthday.

Joe and Sonia Dominiuk were Saturday supper guests at the home of Alvin and Mabel Hauer.

Mrs. Leafie Leaney of Calgary is visiting with Mrs. Ella Rogers of Edmonton. She celebrated her 74th birthday on Wednesday, Mar. 24th, when visitors were Mrs. Bessie Pederson and Joseph and Isabel McLachlan, while the following day the George and Raymond McLachlan families were her visitors.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Georgie, the son of Neil and Violet Bailey, is home again after spending four days of last week in Tofield hospital after an attack of pneumonia.

Visitors with Neil and Violet on Saturday evening were Stanley and Anne Klatchuk and girls, while Sunday evening visitors were Vernon and Kay Walker.

Gordon and Sandra Reay were Sunday coffee guests at the home of Ivan and Florence Malcolm.

The Monte Malcolm rink won fourth in the third event in the high school bonspiel held in Mundare over the weekend.

WISE MEN. Alex Quaison-Sackey, above, president of the U-N General Assembly, has suggested formation of a group of "Five Wise Men" — including Canada's Prime Minister Pearson — to search for a solution to problem of past debts owed by the Soviet bloc, France and others toward U-N peace-keeping forces.


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## District news items from Ryley

M. K. Westmancoat

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fish were in Hinton for the weekend visiting with their grandchildren Donna and Darcy, while their parents are away on vacation.

Home for the weekend from the Union College at Lacombe, for their grandparents' golden wedding celebration, were the three sons of Roland and Margaret Booth, Lorne, Douglas and Johnny, and their cousin Dwayne.

Lester Pepper, Pete Dueck, and Anton Knudslien all made purchases last week at the Edmonton Bull Sale.

**Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Lindstrom celebrated their Silver Wedding anniversary with relatives, friends and neighbors in the Legion Hall on Saturday evening, March 27th.**

The United Church Women will sponsor the annual Amateur Hour in the Community Hall on Saturday evening, April 10th.

Mr and Mrs. Fred Loades attended the Silver Wedding celebrations for his brother Albert and his wife at Kinsella on Sunday, March 21st. Mrs. Annie Loades of North Battleford, who was visiting with her father, Bob Greig, accompanied them.

**A SON IS BORN**

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Munkedahl on the birth of a son.

Mrs. Heppner (nee Erna Penner) of Chilliwack, B.C., has been visiting with relatives and friends in the district.

Mr and Mrs. O Hagen were guests Tuesday evening, March 16th, at the Scandinavian Centre in Edmonton.

**David Harris is a patient in the Tofield Hospital.**

Visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs. Hans Hillerud last week were Ingward Haugseth and his son Morley of La Glace.

Mrs. Tillie Branes spent a week in Edmonton with Berniece and Odin Eikeland and family.

Mrs. Willie Pope was in Calgary for the weekend, visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Hostland, and her two sisters and their families.

## Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Booth mark golden anniversary

M. K. Westmancoat

RYLEY, Apr. 1.—The Legion Hall was filled to capacity Sunday afternoon, March 21st with relatives, friends and neighbors when the family of Mr. and Mrs. Sewell N. Booth held an "open house" to honor their parents' 50th wedding anniversary. All seven children were home for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs Booth were married at West Bolton, Quebec on March 17, 1915, coming west to Ryley the same year, where they have resided ever since.

Three sisters of Mrs. Booth were present, and two sisters of Mr. Booth. Together the five sisters sang a parody on "The Old Grey Mare" which must have recalled many happy memories. Some of the grandchildren played a number on their band instruments, "When Your Hair Has Turned to Silver"; Mrs. Margaret Harris read a verse, "Our Golden Wedding", and Arnold Bugge and Willie Maaren sang a duet, "In the Garden".

Ed Magneson, the reeve for the County, brought greetings and congratulations from the M.D. of Beaver. J. L. Hay made the presentation, on behalf of the community, of a beautiful "Heirloom" walnut coffee table. Roland Booth introduced the visiting relatives, some of whom came from as far away as California, and Bob Westmancoat acted as master of ceremonies.

A buffet lunch was enjoyed by all present, and the tables were centered with a beautifully decorated gold and white 3-tiered wedding cake. Pouring tea and coffee at intervals were Mrs M Fergusen, Mrs E Pepper, Mrs. A Manderson, Mrs. M Bugge, Mrs. C Bendiksen and Mrs. M. Westmancoat.

Many old friendships were renewed during the pleasant afternoon.

MAY RUN. Dalton K. Camp, above, national president of the Progressive Conservative Association, has indicated he is considering requests from party officials to run as a candidate in the next Federal election.


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BOARS brought from $30.00 to $50.00 each.
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WORLD'S BEST. After 18 years, the Ladies' World Figure Skating Championship has once again come to Canada, thanks to the skating talents of pretty Petra Burka, 18, of Toronto, above. Last Canadian to win the honor was Barbara Ann Scott, in 1947.


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—Jim and Mary Pyper. 31p-2322

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### NOTICE

The Ryley Artificial Breeding Association will go on their summer schedule commencing April 1st. Phone 122 from 8.00 till 10:00 a.m. daily. 31-32-33p-1974

## Holden news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Harry Shebinski and Mrs. William Umrysh spent two days in Edmonton this past week visiting and shopping.

Gordon Ash of Whitecourt a former Holden resident, and a friend, Bill James, were visiting in Holden Saturday and Sunday of last week.

Lefty Clark of the Ryley district, who is presently working at Edson, was home over the weekend and visited around Holden. Lefty said that he had met with several former Holden residents who now reside around Edson district, Bill Adams, Lefty Phlishka and Dick Shlakter.

Eddie Chapell of Ryley was a business visitor Monday of last week in Holden.

Ernie Good, Tony Basaraba and Joe Alexander were business visitors in Camrose a week ago Saturday. They were accompanied by Ernie's daughter, Terry and Lana Black.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Con Giebelhaus of Fort St. John, a former Holden resident, spent several days visiting with relatives and friends around Holden and district this past week. Leo Giebelhaus, who is also employed at Fort St. John, came along with him and is visiting with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Nordstrom. Con was saying that most of the snow around that area has just about disappeared.

Bobbie Carlson of Red Deer was visiting with his family, Mr. and Mrs Melvin Carlson for three days a week ago. A friend of Bob, Gene Hansen, who also works at the Alberta School Hospital at Red Deer, came with him.

Mr. Samuels and Mr. Nicholson of Associated Engineers, Edmonton, were business callers in Holden Tuesday evening of last week.

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Tenders must be received not later than Wednesday, April 7th, 1965.

Secretary-Treasurer,
Vegreville Health Unit #15
Vegreville, Alberta.
29-30-31

# Ketchamoot news briefs

(Mary [illegible])

Mr [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] and family were Sunday evening callers at the Adrian Anderson home in Camrose.

Bill Anderson, Arthur Cornell, Dwight Hollen and Brian Cunningham of Calgary were weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGinitie.

Mrs [illegible] Sears, daughter, Hazel, and her sons Charlie, Albert and Stanley and their families, gathered at her home [illegible] afternoon to help celebrate her birthday.

Dwight Sears of Peace River spent the weekend at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sears.

Pat and Jennie Sears spent Monday afternoon with Bill and Mae Ingram.

AT CHURCH RALLY

Mr and Mrs. Gordon Kyle and family [illegible] Mr. [illegible] Mrs Ross Fleming and girls attended the Diocese of Edmonton church school rally at All Saints Cathedral on Sunday afternoon.

**Little Gordie Klevgaard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Klevgaard of Edberg (nee Bessie Fleming) is progressing satisfactorily after surgery in the Edmonton University Hospital.**

Mr and Mrs. Lars Olsen of Holden were visitors with their daughter, Kay, son-in-law Rennie and family on Sunday

Elivera Carlisle spent the weekend at home with her parents, Ethel and Don Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cooper and little son, Robert, of Edmonton, had their Sunday dinner with Chester and Harold [illegible]. They all were visitors later at the Ronnie [illegible] home. [illegible] McCall and his pal of [illegible] also stopped for a [illegible] en route to Wainwright.

**[illegible] February, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parent of Mannville. The new arrival is another grandson for Mr. and Mrs. Albert [illegible].**

THREE BIRTHDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sutton motored to Edmonton Saturday evening to attend a triple birthday party held at the home of Mrs. Vergina Sutton in honor of her sister, Bessie Barnes of Red Deer, her father, Miles Barrow of Tofield and Gordon Williams of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Heiberg and family of Bardo were Sunday afternoon callers at the [illegible] of Donnelly McGinitie. Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Dave Boese and family were visitors.

# Lions meet March 23rd

Tofield Lions Club held their last meeting in the Tofield Community League meeting room on Tuesday, Mar. 23rd, with nearly perfect attendance

Matters for attention were closing of skating rink, which had not been too well supported, and for which a vote of appreciation was given Lion Dave Duguid for his untiring work.

Club services still include gathering old glasses for India. It was decided the club was not in favor of taking on yearly soliciting and canvassing for the Red Cross, as they feel that the CNIB is sufficient effort. Arrangements were made for reservations for the district convention to be held in Edmonton in June, and for a ladies' night in April when new members and wives will be welcome to the club. Arranging nomination of officers was also taken care of.

# Lakeshore -

Alice and Ralph Cossey and family of Ross Creek were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Alice's sister, Irene and John Warner Jr.

Mrs. Ethel Wood and daughter, Mrs. Marg Berrecloth motored to Edmonton on Thursday to watch the Hereford show at the spring stock show and sale

4-H WINNERS

Two members of the Tofield Beef Club were top winners in the junior judging class, namely Laurie Weatherill of Lakeshore district, who won first in judging in his class, and Colleen Wyllie of Lindbrook district who was first in her class. Congratulations Laurie and Colleen.

Mrs Ethel Wood and son, Dan, were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Earl and Agnes Rose.

Gail Niemetz of Edmonton was a weekend visitor at the home of her parents George and Ida Niemetz

# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Mar. 29th — [illegible] School at 1:30 and worship services at 2:30 next [illegible], April 4th., at the [illegible] Lutheran Church.

Bardo LCW will meet in the church parlors on Wednesday afternoon, [illegible] 7th, with Mrs. Mary Finseth hostess.

Mr. [illegible] and boys visited with Marie's mother, Mrs. Ragna Heiberg, on Saturday afternoon. The Dawsons were on their way home to Peace River after spending a week skiing at Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bangen and Lorraine from Grande Prairie were weekend visitors at the Leif Foshaug home. Visitors on Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Hans Krogen and Darrel, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Krogen and [illegible] Foshaug, all from Edmonton.

Arnold Johnson was in the Tofield hospital for a check-up, re[illegible] home on Thursday. On [illegible] the Jim Johnson family were [illegible] with Jim's parents.

Miss Beatrice [illegible], Mervin and Diane Krogen [illegible] Caroline Foshaug from Edmonton were dinner guests at the Ivan Foshaug home. Visitors in the afternoon [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bangen and Lorraine from [illegible] Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Krogen and Darrel from Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Moen and boys from Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stauffer and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mosby and Mr. and Mrs. Leif Foshaug and boys.

Glen and Iris Francis and family were dinner guests at the home of Dennis and Carol Bjornson in Edmonton on Sunday when the Bjornsons entertained in honor of their son Curtis' fifth birthday.

**Byston Holberg, together with Homer Schmidt, went by plane to Eastern Canada where they are visiting friends and relatives. Byston will be driving a new truck back the first part of April.**

Mrs. Inga [illegible], Mr. and Mrs. Lester Severson and David, Mr. and Mrs. Don Lewin and Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. Ingolf Brekken and Donnie were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Ness on Sunday evening when they entertained at the York Cafe in Camrose. Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Ness were also among the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sitler and Harold, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clemenson were dinner guests at the Selmer Olsonburg home in Edmonton on Sunday when the Olsonburgs entertained all the brothers and sister of the Simenson families and Mrs. Simenson. Selma stayed over to be with her mother who went in for a check-up at the hospital, and Sam motored up to the city to bring them home Monday.

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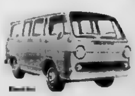

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# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. [illegible])

AT GOLDEN WEDDING

On Sunday, Mar 21st. relatives from the Tofield and Lakeshore-McKenzie districts attending the golden anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Booth at Ryley were Lionel and Emma Ferguson, Mrs. Mabel Bailey and Mark Ferguson, all of Tofield, T. D. Ferguson and sons, Lloyd and Stuart, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz, Howard and [illegible] all of Lakeshore-McKenzie, also Mae Ferguson and [illegible] Nelson, Howard and Mae's daughter, Mrs. Loretta Weir and little daughter, Wanda, of Edmonton. Many more former Lakeshore residents and relatives also attended and all wish Mr. and Mrs. Booth many more happy years together.

**Congratulations go to Mr. and Mrs. John Nickle on the birth of a daughter on Tuesday, Mar. 23rd, at the Tofield hospital.**

Betty and Keith Paddick and children, Sandra and Linda, of Edmonton were Saturday visitors at the home of Betty's parents, Lionel and Emma Ferguson.

Mrs. Sybil Nelson and sister, Mrs. Nettie Thomas of Lacombe were weekend guests at the home of their sister, Ruth, and Roy Wickenberg from Friday to Tuesday.

On Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Bertha Phillips entertained approximately 20 ladies at a Stanley tea at her home in Tofield. Contests were played by all and after the demonstration a delicious luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by her daughters. Several of her guests were from Edmonton, Kingman and Holden. On Saturday evening, Bertha's brother, Bill, and Marjorie Wolfe of Edmonton arrived and were supper, overnight and Sunday guests there. On Sunday afternoon, Bertha and Roe accompanied Bill and Marjorie to Holden where they were all supper guests at the home of Roe and Bertha's daughter, Tootsie, and Pete Laskoski.

Sympathy of the district goes to Ron and Barb Geeglein on their recent sad bereavement.

Donna and Frank Edwards of Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Donna's aunt, Mickey and Charlie Niemetz.

**Leonard Loxton spent Monday, overnight, and part of Tuesday at home with his wife, Patsy, before moving to a new drilling site at Valleyview where he is employed with the Peter Bawden Drilling Co.**

Mrs. Patsy Loxton is staying with her parents, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz at the present time.

Mrs. Ellen Enlen was a Sunday supper guest and evening visitor and coffee guest at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and also enjoyed a visit with Ruth's sisters, Sybil Nelson and Nettie Thomas of Lacombe, who were visiting there.

Patsy and Leonard Loxton were Monday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Patsy's cousin, Doris, and Howard Brown.

George and Ida Niemetz were Saturday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Tillie and Joe Yurkowsky.

Theresa McAdoo and Fred Dowhand of Edmonton were Sunday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Theresa's parents, Herb and Mary McAdoo.

IT'S A BOY!

Herb and Mary McAdoo were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Krystal and family, where they also made the acquaintance of Walter and Mina Krystal's new baby son. Congratulations Walter and Mina.

Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of George and Ida Niemetz were [illegible] uncle, Bob Stock, her aunt, Mrs. Emma Schacher, her sister, Vi, and Ted Kremmeter, and their daughter Janet, and her friend, Joan, all of Edmonton, and Robert Schacher, son of Lizzie and Stanley Schacher. Afternoon visitors and also supper guests with the others were Lizzie and Stan Schacher and daughter, Janet, and [illegible] Ombko.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moen and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Moen, all of Shelbrooke, Sask., were Friday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Jim and Pat's sister, Mary and Herb McAdoo.

AT LIVESTOCK SHOW

On Tuesday evening last week Russel and Jean Jones and family of Czar arrived at the home of Russell's sister, Marjorie, and Morley Jacobsen where they were guests until Thursday morning when they went to Edmonton Gardens. Russell also attended the stock show Wednesday while Jean and children spent the afternoon with his parents, Joe and Ellenor Jones and Russell and family were all supper guests there. Thursday night they were overnight guests at the home of Jean's sister, Shirley, and family in Edmonton before returning home to Czar Friday.

Mary and Lucille Tiedemann accompanied their sister, Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot to Edmonton on Tuesday of last week to attend the stock show and rodeo at the Edmonton Gardens.

Joe and Eva McLennan and son, Jamie, were Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann.

## Church notes

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Sunday Services
9:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, April 4th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.

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The Friendly Church on the [illegible]
Sunday, April 4th
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m.—Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
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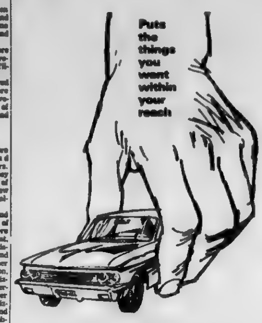


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# Holden and district news items

Mrs N. L. Campbell, who spent last week visiting with her daughter and family Mr and Mrs Ken Campbell at Leduc and with friends in Edmonton, returned home last Saturday evening

Mr Cuthbert of Edmonton, a representative of the Canadian Red Cross northern Alberta division, was a caller in Holden on Thursday afternoon of last week.

Geo H Taylor, co-ordinator of the County of Beaver No. 9 EMO unit was a business caller in the county office on EMO business Wednesday afternoon of last week

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion held a successful food bingo in the Legion Hall Thursday evening of last week and wish to thank all those who helped to make it so.

When visiting in Holden a week ago, Lefty Clark was mentioning that Orville Hjelter of the Ryley district, who is also working between Edson and Whitecourt had had the misfortune of breaking the frame on his truck and was laid up for several days waiting for repairs.

David Hladilo of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his parents, Mr and Mrs Mike Hladilo and family David is taking a cook's course at the Northern Alberta "Tech" School

**Ludwig Sandbeck, who is back home on the farm after spending the winter at Flagstaff Lodge, Sedgewick, was seen around Holden Friday of last week.**

Mr and Mrs. Tommy Chupka and young son of Edmonton were visiting relatives and friends for the weekend a week ago.

**AT RCAF, QUEBEC**

Dale Christianson left for Quebec by Air Canada the middle of March where he will be stationed with the RCAF A number of his friends met Saturday, Mar 13th at the home of Barry Christianson to bid him farewell and wish him good luck.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Douglas Lapino, son of Mr. and Mrs Frank Lapino, returned home the early part of this past week, after being a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton, where he underwent eye surgery the previous week.

Mrs Annie Komarnisky is a patient in the General Hospital, Edmonton Visiting with her a week ago were Mrs. Joe Komarnisky, Mrs. P Komarnisky, Mrs. Jim Howrish and Mrs. Joe Dychowski

Visiting with Mrs. William Slywka last weekend were her son, Marshall, and his wife of Edmonton.

Mr and Mrs. Don Manchur and family were recent Sunday visitors in Viking with Mrs Manchur's family, Mr. and Mrs. D Garos.

Brian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo H Taylor, who is presently residing in Holland, was a business visitor to London, England, the latter part of last week and also visited with Mr. Taylor's sister, Miss Kay Taylor of Sutton, Surrey, over the weekend Miss Taylor visited her brother and family for the summer four years ago

Recent weekend visitors with Mr and Mrs John Laskosky were their daughter, Myrtle, and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Danisik of Vegreville.

Mr and Mrs Earl Hooper of Edmonton were visiting for the weekend of March 20th with Earl's parents, Mr and Mrs. Joe Hooper Mr. Hooper has not been very well during the winter.

M. and Mrs. Igor Losynski and son, Mark, of Red Deer were recent weekend visitors with Igor's family, Rev. and Mrs. Losynski and sons.

Bruce Appleby was visiting this past weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby and family.

Mrs. Alice Jones of Edmonton visited over the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Carrie Olson, and her brothers.

Betty Chupka, nurse-in-training at the General Hospital, Edmonton, is now at the Aberhart Sanatorium where she will be nursing for a month.

Hugh Clendenning spent the weekend in Edmonton visiting with his family

Sam Sroka of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his mother, Mrs Tekla Sroka and with other relatives.

Alex Gordey, MLA of Vegreville, was visiting around Holden and was a business caller at the village office Saturday afternoon.

The recently held organization, administration and climate clinic at St. Joseph's Vocation School was attended by Lars Olson and William Ogrodnick.

**DRAINAGE TRUSTEES MEET**

The regular monthly meeting of the trustees of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 was held Friday evening in the office of the secretary, Ray Hovland, with all trustees present, namely Messrs. Oscar Afseth, Nick Laskoski and Hans Huseby. The secretary advised the trustees that only one nomination for trustee had been received in the required period, this being Hans Huseby The secretary was to forward this nomination paper of Hans Huseby for the minister's approval and letter of acceptance.

Ray Hovland was a supper guest with Mrs. E. Campbell on Saturday evening.

Alan Tiedemann of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, and brothers, David and Robert.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Cavanaugh and family of Calgary, former Ryley residents, were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and family Saturday afternoon.

David Good and children of Edmonton were visitors over the weekend with David's mother, Mrs. Lars Ritland, and Mr. Ritland.

Mrs. Ruth Pederson of Camrose was a Holden visitor Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus, also calling on friends, among them Mrs. Laura Christianson.

Whiel Mrs. Campbell was visiting the week of March 22nd, Mrs. Raymond Stewart of Edmonton, a former Holdenite, entertained at dinner on the Wednesday evening

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow attended the party held in Camrose at the weekend in honor of the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson.

Mr and Mrs Mike Chupka were business visitors in the city over the weekend.

A CANADIAN. Princess Marina, Dowager Duchess of Kent, has been made an Honorary Citizen of Canada by Robert M. Shaw of the Canadian High Commissioner's office in London. The ceremony took place on Canadian territory during her tour of an exhibition at Olympia, London.

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## Ross Creek district news briefs

(Iris Billan)
(Intended for last week)

A whist drive was held Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Frances McLachlan when a most enjoyable time was spent. Four tables were in play, very nice prizes were awarded, and a lovely lunch was served. Proceeds are to be donated to the Ross Creek United Church building fund. Saturday evening, Mrs Eileen Rienhardt also held a whist drive at her home, proceeds for the above named purpose

**TUPPERWARE PARTY**

Mrs Lynne Schacher held a Tupperware party at her home Sunday evening with 11 ladies present Apart from the sale of Tupperware, the ladies participated in the entertainment provided and a lovely lunch was served

Archie and Bertha Malcolm, and Elfreda Cockroft were Sunday supper guests at the home of Graham and Elma Snider.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Roy and Vera Odiorne of B.C. were visitors with relatives and friends. On Sunday, they motored to Mr. Wyman Odiorne's home with Ralph and Colleen Coleman. On Monday, they were visitors at the home of Arthur and Mary Ferrell, staying overnight. In the evening, other visitors with Arthur and Mary were Bob and Jean Ferrell of Sherwood Park, and Grant and Jewell Becker of Ross Creek. On Wednesday, Roy, Vera and Wyman were dinner guests at the home of Lester and Wilma Odiorne, and before returning home, Arthur and Mary took Roy and Vera to visit Harvey and Helen Ferrel of Sherwood Park, and Ernie and Margaret Vickery of Edmonton.

**AT LIVESTOCK SHOW**

Ralph and Alice Comey and boys attended the Edmonton livestock show Monday. Monte Malcolm and Robert Solowychuk spent from Saturday to Monday at the show, while Brock Snider went on Sunday and stayed for the remainder of the week with his brother, Stuart, attending on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford and Wilfred and Shirley Ford and children, and Lester and Wilma Odiorne and children enjoyed a dinner of Chinese food when they were the guests of John and Thelma Jackson of Edmonton on Sunday

Scott Malcolm attended the Hi-C. rally held at Devon over the weekend.

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M. V. Ruskenveld
PHONE 22 HOLDEN



# County council meets March 10th

Following are the minutes (in part) of the regular meeting of Council of the County of Beaver, No. 9, held Wednesday, March 10th. Present were Crs. W. A. Doris, A. L. Gibson, W. D. Johnston, W. Krapielnicki, E. M. Magnuson, J. H. Roddick and H. Weatherill.

In connection with the Natural Resources Road Grant, motion 105/65, the Secretary-Treasurer referred to the Council a letter from the District Engineer stating that, if the County wished to have District Highway 345M from the S.W. corner 2-49-18-4, north 8 3/4 miles to Highway 14 declared a Natural Resources Road it would be necessary for the County to show by traffic count the number of vehicles which were using it for hauling coal. The Council was of the opinion that at the present time a traffic count would be of little value, and it was moved and carried that application be made for the completion of the present Natural Resources Road for this year.

In regards to the Union Tractor Technical School for Municipal Shop Foreman to be held March 18 and 19 with motion 117/65, the Council was advised that the Road Foreman had agreed that Ron Hisey could attend this school.

Moved and carried that Ron Hisey be appointed to attend the Union Tractor Ltd. Technical School for shop foremen.

In regards to the AGT Cable System, dealt with by motion 133/65, the Secretary-Treasurer stated that he had, as directed by Council, informed the AGT of proposed road building program on the road from S.W. 4-49-12-W4 east 7 miles with the request that, if possible, the burying of the cable be deferred. The reply from AGT indicated that this could not be done unless the County was prepared to purchase and clear the extra right-of-way needed on the south side of the road for this cable. The Council was of the opinion that as the country is quite hilly in this area one rod would not be sufficient in all instances and that the cable would have to be moved under all circumstances. Cr. Johnston was of the opinion that the cost of acquiring the extra right-of-way and clearing the land would not be much less than the charge of $250 per mile for the moving of the cable when the need arose.

Moved and carried that the correspondence be received and filed.

In regards to the taxes on Pt. S.E. 14-49-16-W4, M. M. Veregin Stockyards Ltd. (Bankrupt), the secretary-treasurer reported that on February 12 he had been informed the Official Trustee, H G Thomson that, as provided in Sec. 309 of the MD Act, the County intended to issue a Notice to Pay Rent to Beaver Livestock Co-Op Ltd., such rent to be applied on taxes owing on the property, and that on February 26 Notice had been issued to the secretary of the Beaver Livestock Co-Op Ltd. No payment had been received nor had any replies been received from Mr. Thompson or Mr. Seniuk.

Moved and carried that the secretary-treasurer's actions be confirmed and that he continues to endeavor to collect rent for this property.

In regards to the Fire Protection Association Convention in Red Deer, March 3, 4 and 5, dealt with by motion 140/65, Clr. Roddick heported that he had attended this convention on Mar. 5th and had found it very informative and interesting.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

**Centennial**

In regards to the Centennial 1967, motion 140/65, Clr. Doris stated that the rest-rooms could be an appropriate Centennial project in the Hamlet of Bruce, and Clr. Johnston stated that the same would apply in Kinsella. After some further discussion, it was moved and carried that, as the Council does not intend to make use of the centennial grant in the rural area, the grant be offered to the Towns, Villages and Hamlets within the County. The grant to be allocated on the basis of the combined population of the Towns, Villages and Hamlets in relation to each point's population and the grant available. Town or Village that wishes to make use of this grant to add the amount required to earn the grant.

Messrs. H. Place and D Haydon from Viking attended the meeting at this time in regards to fire protection for the Viking rural area. Some considerable discussion took place. A special area would have to be set up, and it might be necessary to hold a plebiscite within the proposed area and nothing could be done prior to 1966. The delegates reported that they had tried to start a Rural Fire Protection Assoc. and had had some $1,000 pledged out of a required $8,100; however, this was as far as the canvassing had proceeded. They were informed that if an Association was formed in the Viking area the County would give a grant of $2,000 towards the equipment. They were also advised that the Council would prefer to see Rural Protection Associations established on a voluntary basis throughout the County.

Moved and carried that it be recommended a Rural Fire Protection Organization be set up in the Viking area, if at all possible, as in all liklihood the area would receive fire protection much sooner, and that a grant of $2,000 would be given by the County to such an organization.

**Correspondence**

Notice of the Annual Meeting of the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation to be held on Monday, March 29, 1965, was referred to the Council. Also referred to the Council were copies of the Auditor's Balance Sheet, Statement of Revenue Expenditures of the Corporation for the year ending December 31, 1964, and Statement showing the classification of debentures purchased in 1964.

Moved and carried that Clr. J. H Roddick be appointed as representative from the County of Beaver No. 9 to attend the annual meeting of the A M F C on Monday, March 29, with authority to cast votes for a Director in Class "B" category.

Letter from Calgary Power Ltd advising of reduction in the rates for 250 watt mercury vapor street lights, was referred to the council. In this connection the sec-treas. reported that Herb Hunter, Calgary Power Ltd. in Camrose, had informed him that the Calgary Power Ltd would be prepared to exchange the present incadescent lights in the hamlets within the county without cost to mercury vapor street lights and that the additional costs for operation of these light would be $1 00 per light per month The council felt that the mercury vapor lights would be a great improvement and it was moved and carried that we change all the street lights within the county to mercury vapor lights.

A letter from AAMD advising that a general meeting would be held on Tuesday, Mar 30th, at 10:00 a.m. at the Macdonald Hotel was referred to the council It was moved and carried that the council as a whole attends this meeting and that the letter be received and filed

Letters from Beaver Motors Ltd of Holden complaining of the fact that when the county asked for tenders for the truck for the foreman it had been specified GM or Chev chasis. Beaver Motors felt that this was unfair in that it excluded other dealers that might be in a position to tend and save the council money.

It was moved and carried that the letter be received and filed and that from now on tenders be called without specification as to chasis preferred except in regard to school buses.

A letter from Gerald R. Thibert of Edmonton applying for a job as grader operator was referred to the council The sec-treas informed the council that he had advised Mr. Thibert that at the present time the county did not require any grader operators but that his letter would be kept on file for possible later attention. It was moved and carried that the letter be received and filed.

A letter from the constable of the town of Tofield, John Wall,

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Q. Is it proper to leave the givers' cards on wedding gifts when displaying them?

A. Never! Always remove the cards, making sure of course that you have recorded the gift and its giver for your thank you note.

Q. Is the napkin always used at the dinner table before drinking from the water glass?

A. Yes. This is one of the napkin's main functions, the idea being that you can avoid any chance of smearing the edge of your [illegible].

Q. Would it be proper to send out announcements of the adoption of our baby?

A. Quite proper. A small card on which is engraved the following would be in good taste: "Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Fulton have the happiness to announce the adoption of Mary Sue, aged six months."

Q. When a hostess passes cigarettes after a meal in her home, is it permissible for a guest to refuse them and smoke his own if he prefers to do so?

A. No; he should accept the cigarette offered by his hostess.

Q. Whose duty is it to see that the bride and bridegroom's car is ready and waiting for them at the reception?

A. This is one of the duties of the best man.

Q. Should each guest seat himself at the dinner table in a home as soon as he arrives there?

A. No; until the hostess seats herself, everyone should stand quietly at his place.

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# County council meets March 10th

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applying to the council to be sworn in and granted authority as county police was referred to the council. The letter outlined the benefits that might be derived from such an appointment. After some considerable discussion it was moved and carried that [illegible] John Will be advised that the council does not consider such an appointment at the present time.

It was moved and carried that report from the PFA, concerning inspection of Township 48-14-W. 4th, indicating that, except for Sections 5, 7, 20, and 29, payment will be made in this township in the category 5 to 8 bushels per acre, be received and filed.

It was moved and carried that advice from Alberta Assessment Equalization Board that the equalization assessment in the county had been determined in the amount of $12,565,133.00 be received and filed.

It was also moved and carried that applications for recreational facilities grant from Lindbrook Hall Assoc. and from the Beaver Hills Community Hall be approved and that the reeve and sec.-treas. be authorized to complete the applications.

Cr. Heddick stated that he wished to regrade the road from the NW corner of NW 19-49-12 east three miles on 100 ft. road allowance. It was moved and carried that a survey of this road be arranged for under the winter works program and that authorizartion for purchase of land and payment for fence moving as well as telephone and power poles be given at this time.

**MACHINE SHEDS**

The council discussed the necessity of a new machine shed at Tofield and the remodelling of the machine shed at Viking. Cr. Weatherill thought that the town of Tofield might purchase the old machine shed and provide lots in other location for a new shed for the county. It was moved and carried that provisions be made in the current year's budget for a machine shed large enough for two graders in Tofield, and that provisions be made for the remodelling of the Viking machine shed.

It was also moved and carried that Cr. Weatherill interview the council of the town of Tofield concerning exchange of lots for the proposed machine shed.

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# Anders Finseth passes in 90th year

ANDERS FINSETH

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He was married to Marie Kristianson on January 3, 1907. To this union three children were born, Martin, Cora and Juliette. Both Martin and Cora predeceased him, and also his wife, Marie. He died Monday, March 15, 1965, in the Tofield Hospital, at the age of 89 years, 8 months and 4 days. He leaves to mourn: one daughter, Juliette, at Deer Home in Red Deer, Alta.; two brothers, Bennie and Monrad, of Edmonton, and one sister, Mrs. Alma Foshaug, of Tofield, three grandchildren, Barry, Kevin and Karen, as well as other relatives and a host of friends. May God bless his memory.

Funeral services were held on March 19 from Bethel Lutheran Church, Ryley, Rev. Stanley [illegible] officiating. Sermon text was from John 14:1-6, "Jesus Christ the Way". Hymns sung were "Nearer My God To Thee", "Asleep in Jesus, Blessed Sleep" and "Abide With Me". Interment followed in the Ryley Cemetery. Pallbearers were O. Hagen, A. Bugge, J. Knudslien, W. Maaren, M. Oslund and Glen Hillerud. Hovaland Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Floral Tribute

The Finseth Families; Joan, Barry, Kevin and Karen.

Memorials

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—The Finseth Families.
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## Holden Grade 9-ers have 'Science Night'

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Tuesday evening, Mar. 9th, the grade nine class at Holden school held a "Science Night" under the direction of their teacher, Earl Hardy. Experiments were shown in the field of chemistry, in which they made and tested for various gases such as hydrogen, oxygen and carbon dioxide. A foamite fire extinguisher was also made. In physics the heat of expansion was demonstrated by the use of a bimetal strip and ball and ring.

The parents and guests were also taken on a tour of grade nine rooms where the students' art work was displayed. At the conclusion of the evening, they were served coffee, ending a very interesting event.

## Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. When having a very large house party, must the host or hostess greet each guest at the door, or is it all right to leave the door ajar so the guests can walk in?

A. At an exceptionally large party, it might be all right to leave the door open for guests, but this is not normally done. A host or hostess should really admit and greet each guest personally.

Q. My sister and I were criticized sharply for wearing lipstick at the funeral of our father. Was this really in bad taste?

A. Only if you wore too much lipstick. Otherwise, the addition of a little color to the lips was not wrong at all.

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# Gotta green thumb?

## A big help

In planning a garden, a seed catalogue, and a good government bulletin or two, will be indispensable. Newspaper columnists who are usually hard up for something to write about at this season, like to poke fun at the seed catalogues. They like to pretend that the pictures are exaggerated, but they know as any gardener with a year's experience will confirm, that the pictures never do justice to the real colour of the flowers and, no photo, or even painting, can depict the freshness of peas or corn as they come right from the garden at the door.

In the catalogue, there are two or three points which one should note and remember. These are heights of plants when full grown, colors, and time of blooming. If it is a flower garden we are planning, or with vegetables, maturity, which is just another way of saying "when ready to eat".

We should have a good idea of —how big a zinnia or tomato plant will be when fully grown before we plan the bed or row in which to put it. If we don't we may find tiny things like alyssum, portulaca and verbenas, completely hidden by giant marigolds or dahlias or lettuce crowded out by corn. And we may have a jungle on our hands instead of tidy and beautiful gardens.

Time of blooming and maturity are important points because when we know these, then we can plan to have something always in bloom and a succession of the freshest vegetables coming along for the table. It is also a good thing to know whether a certain flower or vegetable we would like to try is hardy enough for our particular corner of Canada, or whether it will like our kind of soil, or slope. It is well, too, to take into consideration the color of the flowers we plan to grow. Nature does not permit much clashing of color but we can get more interesting and more beautiful blending if we help by planning.

### SUPPORT

Nothing is quite so forlorn and untidy as an otherwise beautiful garden, marred by unpainted stakes of various heights and broken and twisted foliage tied to them. But tall, tender stemmed flowers like delphinium, peonies and many of the bigger annuals are bound to be injured in high winds and rains, unless they are supported. The experienced gardeners, however, supplies this support before it is needed, sometimes using uniform painted stakes and sometimes more natural brush from tree prunings around which the flowers grow naturally and create their own support. With perennials like peonies and delphiniums this support is put in place while the plants are still less than a foot high. With the peony the surrounding stakes can be joined with some plastic coated clothes line wire, which comes in various colors. This is taken right around the outside of the plant or bed at a height of about 12-18 inches with one or two strands criss-crossing through the centre of the plant. With delphiniums the best procedure, where the flowers are allowed to grow naturally is to insert some brush firmly in the ground right up close and allow the plant to grow through. In a week or so this support and also that around the peonies will be completely hidden by foliage.

If stakes are stained green or brown and are more or less uniform in height they, too, will become inconspicuous, and if all support is placed before it is really needed and the plants tied loosely, they will come through even a heavy wind or rain storm without serious and disfiguring damage.

### GIVE THEM A CHANCE

It's really too bad that so many of us seem to lose some of our enthusiasm for plants, shrubs and trees after we have purchased them but before we get them planted. We pay out good money for roses, shrubbery, trees and vines, then plant them in holes that are too small, in soil that is too hard and poor, and we forget to give them support or the water that they should have almost daily until they get established. Is it any wonder that some of these things fail to produce either the foliage, bloom or fruit that so attracted us the first time we saw them illustrated in catalogues or magazines? There is no secret of planting or transplanting either trees or petunias. They need moisture, good soil firmly pressed around the roots and, if big, support to keep the wind from whipping them about and letting air in around their roots.

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## Quick Canadian Quiz

1. Post war immigration to Canada totals 2,250,000. What has been the total of emigration from Canada since 1946?
2. Who was the first Canadian born Prime Minister?
3. What was the average income of the 4.7 million Canadians who paid personal income tax in 1962?
4. Who won the only Victoria Cross evere awarded for service in Canada?
5. Which represents the greater annual cost: family allowance, or interes on the federal public debt?

ANSWERS: 5. For the government's current fiscal year interest charges on the federal public debt will cost $1,037 million, the old age security pension $900 million, family allowances $546 million. 3. Average income was $4,436, average tax was 432. 1. To the end of 1963 emigration totalled about 1,000,000. 4. Army private Timothy O'Hea, for single-handedly extinguishing a fire in a freight car of ammunition being moved from Montreal to Fort Erie during the Fenian raids of 1866. 2 Sir John Abbott who succeeded to the office on Sir John A. Macdonald's death in 1891.

### ADDITIONAL MEMORIALS TO MRS. COOMBES OBITUARY

To Tofield United Church—Mr. and Mrs. Art Torrie; Conrad and Hazel Patterson.

To Tofield Municipal Hospital —Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ozubko and Family.

The Canadian Red Cross supplies hospitals in Canada with whole blood and vital blood products such as gamma globulin, fibrinogen, serum albumin, antihemophilic globulin and fresh frozen plasma.

## Palmer - Earling news items

PALMER-EARLING, Mar. 26 —Mrs. Elmer Bruce and their first baby, Charlene Louise, have returned home from St Mary's Hospital.

The Henry Rienhart family of Bawlf were Sunday dinner guests at the Frank Urlacher home.

Sunday supper guests with the Chris Hovelands were the Lewis Forres and Hans Husebys.

Mrs. Carl Sorenson spent a few days in Camrose with her mother, Mrs. Martin Meadahl.

Visitors during the week at the Joe Knudson home were the George Mosbys, Harry Johnsons, John Bruces, Roger Thiberts and Lewis Forres.

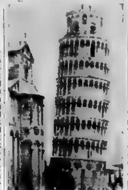
Alice and Edna Aker motored to Edmonton Wednesday to visit Evelyn Dalen.

Rev. and Mrs. Lars Knudson motored here from Elbow, Sask., and attended the graduation exercises of their son, David, and large class at the Camrose Lutheran Junior College over the weekend.

Lewis Forre recently saw a gopher having a sun bath on top of the snow drifts.

### OBSERVES 80th BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Mabel Brown, pioneer mother of the Ukness district, north Bawlf, observed her 80th birthday March 23rd. Friends who came to spend the evening with her were the Helmut Roths, Carl Sorensons, Tom Browns, Jack Urlachers and Lewis Forres. Mrs. Brown is still quite active doing her own housework. A tasty lunch was served.



LEANING FURTHER. High winds have moved the famous leaning tower of Pisa a fraction of an inch further off centre. Engineers now fear the belltower is millimetres away from the point where it will come crashing down. It was built in 1173.

"How come Mom leaped like that, is she mad because my white mice are sharing her electric blanket?"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ALBERTA BAKE-OFF CHAMPION

Wanda Jacques, 17-year-old student from Ardrossan, Alberta, has been judged Alberta Baking Champion of 1965 at the Five Roses Young Canada Bake-Off. Here she is presented with her trophy by Laura Lindsey of CFRN-TV. Miss Jacques, a student at Ardrossan High School, was declared winner over nine other girls. She will now go on to Toronto and represent Alberta in the national championships on May 8th where she will compete against winners from the nine other provinces.

## Walker wins Grand Aggregate

A successful curling season from start to finish has ended for the afternoon curlers. From when the first rock was thrown in November until the women put on the sumptuous lunch after the closed 'spiel which ended Saturday evening, the curlers had the best season ever.

The Afternoon Curling Club, a club consisting of 16 teams, primarily farmers, but also with a sprinkling of business men, housewives and ministers, have been curling each Tuesday and Thursday afternoon throughout the winter, with each team getting at least one game a week.

During the year's curling, both Vern Walker and Louis Shewchuk compiled identical records of 13 wins and two losses each. So on Friday evening they clashed head on in a special play-off to decide the Grand Aggregate winner, with Walker emerging victorious. Supporting Walker were Martin Lawson third, Bill Simonson second, and holding down the anchor position, Vern's good wife, Kay.

### McLACHLAN WINS GRAND CHALLENGE

The local closed 'spiel, which always commands a lot of interest in local curling activities, wound up on Saturday evening with the George McLachlan rink winning the Grand Challenge and the Woodlawn Dairy Trophy by defeating Phillip Anderson in the finals. With George were Russell Schultz third, Ross Flemming second and Dave Heidebrecht lead. Third and fourth places in the Grand Challenge event were won by R. Gonglein and P. McGinitie, respectively.

The Second Event was taken by the four bachelors, all from Kingman, Les Coykendall skip, Ken Simonson third, and the Gold Dust Twins, Eddie and Tony Kozack, juggling between second and lead. The foursome defeated the Richard Foshaug rink. In this event L. Rude took third and L. Shewchuk fourth.

The Third Event was taken by A. Helberg, who defeated Carl Jacobson in the finals. Giving Helberg valuable support were C. McLeod third, G. Francis second and John Koop lead. Walker took third and Joe McLachlan fourth in this event.

In the last event, President Bob Wyllie emerged victorious by defeating his arch rival, Vice-President Earl Rose. Bob and his fellow curlers of Les Glover, Russel Ferguson and Emil Goubault had to call on all their resources to pull this game out. They were tied coming home with last rock against Wyllie. However, Rose was just a shade heavy with his last rock, leaving Wyllie counting one to win the game. This was the only real close game of the

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## Vaccination program is discussed at ASB meet

The Brucellosis vaccination program was discussed at the recent meeting of the County of Beaver Agricultural Service Board. Rex Boyles noted that Dr Stiles had left Tofield and it would be necessary to get someone to complete the winter vaccination program. It was moved by Cr. Magneson that the Board approach the Miller Clinic in Vegreville and ask them to establish an office in Ryley or Holden on the same basis as the one in Viking.

Rex Boyles brought up the question of weed inspection. He thought he would be able to get Charles Sears to assist again this year, and that it was possible he would require an additional assistant for a short period.

Backsloping of roads was discussed. The meeting was in favor of backsloping generally but the cost was a factor. Cr. Magneson said there were some areas of the County where it was not practical, particularly through hilly country.

Rex Boyles said he would like to combine the weed and brush spraying on road allowances this year. He thought by combining the two the cost would be about $5 per mile. He thought this would be more practical as so many of the roads have now been sprayed for brush. He requested direction from the council as to whether he should organize the roadside spraying as this is generally a public works program, and it was agreed that he organize the roadside spraying.

The Secretary said he would like to see the brush spraying be removed from a divisional basis as it is very difficult to account for. The practice now is to take one road through the County and it is almost impossible to account for the time and chemical for each division, and the board agreed to this.

The Field Supervisor's Report revealed that several programs have been carried out.

Bangs vaccination was completed in the Western area. A total of 75 calves were done by Dr. Bildfell of Viking. It was necessary to get an outside veterinarian as Dr. Stiles has left Tofield and is associated with the Camrose Veterinary Clinic.

A total of 110 coyote pellets have been released to four farmers. Fourteen complaints of magpie damage have been reported and 32 poison baits have been released. There have been 15 requests for magpie traps. "We could use another six or eight of these traps", said Mr. Boyles.

Twenty-two samples of seed grain have been picked up at the County Seed Cleaning Plant. All samples have graded No. 1, and indicated that the Plant is doing a very good job.

The chemical dealers meeting was attended at Vegreville. Attendance was very good at this meeting, and it was noted that several farmers from this area attended.

Farmers have been warned regarding purchasing feed and straw from areas where persistant perennial weeds are present. Mayweed and White Cockle infestations are involved in several instances.

## Drama festival is big success

(Elaine Walker)

Last Friday afternoon the annual high school drama festival began with enthusiasm that continued throughout the program. Ryley started the succession of excellent plays followed by Salisbury and Lamont. That evening a large crowd thrilled to the plays of Tofield, Wetaskiwin and Vegreville.

Saturday afternoon, the audience enjoyed the fine jobs done by Marwayne and Mannville high school, followed by equally well-done productions by Vermilion, Lloydminster and Fort Saskatchewan.

The grand climax came with the presentation of the awards. Mr. J. Macreath, adjudicator for the plays, presented the awards which had been on display in the Crown Lumber. The hard-earned trophies for best supporting actor and actress went to Robert Fedyna of Vegreville and Adele Hurka of Vegreville. Then the best actor award went to Bryan Rosnau of Lamont and the best actress awards went to Donna Jacobsen of Tofield and a girl from Fort Saskatchewan, while Fort Saskatchewan also won the coveted best-player award.

Congratulations to all the actors an actresses on a job well done. Also, thanks to the Tofield community for making the festival such a wonderful success.

## 'Fashions in Food' to be staged in Tofield

Ladies, the time is coming for you to have a night out on the town. An evening of fun and facts combined in such a way that you can't help but enjoy yourselves. If the man of the house wants to join you, he is more than welcome.

The Ionic Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, takes pleasure in presenting "Fashions in Food", a cooking school using small electrical appliances. The time set for starting at the Community Centre is 8:00 p.m., April 22nd.

Three members of the Home Service Department of Calgary Power Ltd will be there to meet you. Miss Diane Brown, Home Economist, and Mrs. Mary Ellen Ironside, Food Technician, will prepare a variety of recipes with a foreign flavor and talk to you about the small electrical appliances they are using.

You have a chance to join the activity when Mr. Ray Davidson, master of ceremonies, leads in a lively sing-a-long. He will also delight you with his renditions of songs, old and new.

Prizes and fun for all who attend this performance in Tofield.

### FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

Today is my birthday. I notice time is catching up with me. Time has silvered my hair, dulled my eyes and slowed up my footsteps. Looking back I have had a full and wonderful life with a glorious sunrise, a lovely childhood and a busy day, a golden sunset and as the evening shadows fall, the twilight deepens into the darkness of another night, and as I look into the great beyond, I see the dawn of a brighter day.

JWR

Last Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Wiklun and Mr. and Mrs. Sidar motored to Vegreville to attend the funeral of Mr. Sirdar's cousin.

## Society wants antiques for July 1st celebration

The executive of the Tofield Historical Society met in the museum on Monday, April 5th, with the president, Harold Schultz in the chair.

It was decided to feature some pieces of antique furniture in the First of July display this year. Anyone who has a piece of furniture which they would like displayed because of its age or its history is advised to contact Jim Francis or Stan Dunham.

The old fire engine from Ryley has been secured by the Historical Society and will be renovated and stored by the Tofield Fire Brigade.

One again the Tofield Historical Society will be hosts to the oldtimers of the Tofield area at the Dominion Day celebration.

Prices have been secured re the society's proposed cairn and the accompanying plaque.

President Schultz is still anxious to secure a phone of 1909 vintage. Any offers?

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## Abolish the legislature

Let's abolish Alberta's Legislature. Really, it wouldn't make much difference to the government we're getting, and just think of all the money that would be saved from sessional indemnities, not to count the other costs of running the show.

Government . . . that is, the really important items of government, . . . are not being handled by the Legislature anyway. Take Monday's announcement from the Hon. Mr. Reierson, for instance. Minister of Labor, he has proudly announced to the members that Alberta's minimum wage rates, hours of labor and paid statutory holidays were being upgraded

Not after considerable argument by the elected representatives of the people . . . who will, of course, be paying the shot

Not after serious discussion by the cabinet, who have more weighty problems than the wages of every worker in the province to consider.

The decision was reached after a survey was conducted by the Board of Industrial Relations . . . and the changes have already been made by their order.

Similarly when a long-standing order forbidding liquor advertising was to be revoked, the question was not turned over to the members for debate . . . the decision was announced by the premier in a speaking engagement outside the house

Yet such tremendously important items as audits of charitable organizations and pheasant farms are turned over to the house to tear apart tooth and nail

Assumption of such authority, or delegation of it, when the house has been adjourned for months may be inescapable, yet the contempt for the Legislative Assembly is intolerable when these decisions are reached without reference to the members, even during the actual sitting of the members. The snub indicates the strong feeling the membership generally contributes little if anything, and constitutes only a drag.

If this is the case, why not let's be realistic? Abolish the sittings of the Assembly, and let's get down to business, unhampered.

## Back to reality

The St. John Cadets deserve highest points for realism in their recently proposed Centennial project. A brief has been sent to the Canadian Centennial Commission, they report, asking approval of financial assistance of approximately $10,000 to permit more than 100 cadets to exchange visits with cadets in other parts of the country. For example, two cadets from Alberta might travel to Ontario, spend a week as guests in the homes of two Ontario cadets, then return to Alberta with the Ontario cadets as guests in Alberta for a week.

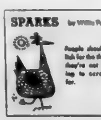
The St. John group deserves credit for bringing some semblance of perspective back into this business of sending young people off to other parts of the world.

Camrose people are justly proud of their young people selected in recent years for trips to international or to Canadian youth gatherings, yet in many instances they have breathed deeply over the somewhat staggering costs of these jaunts. The situation is thrown into sharp focus with a recent prediction from the Boy Scouts that during the next three-year period 1,000 boys from Alberta will take part in jamborees across the dominion, as well as world jamborees.

Surely it is reasonable to expect some form of economy or "roughing it" from Boy Scouts and similar youth groups, rather than the somewhat luxury standards indicated so often by these groups. It seems not at all unreasonable to suggest that costs may be lowered, for at least three reasons: to make it easier for sponsoring groups, to make more trips possible, and to develop a more reasonable perspective in our young people, who don't establish the standards, but only accept the program developed for them.

A week ago when Overture brought the Central College singers to Camrose, we talked with a youth who last summer spent three months touring Europe with less than a total outlay of $1,000. And very nearly exactly half of this amount was for air fare overseas. Many people will remember the group of students from this district who three years ago spent seven weeks abroad on an expenditure of $880, which encompassed everything, including exchange on the devalued Canadian dollar, a group identifying "uniform" and even spending money.

Being able to pay for things is one thing . . . getting value for the expenditure is another.




## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

**TB X-RAY**

The TB x-ray clinic held at Ministik school on Friday, Apr 2nd, proved very successful and worthwhile. Over 125 adults from Ministik, South Cooking Lake and Hastings Lake came to be x-rayed

Little Wayne Kleinschroth was moved to University Hospital on Saturday for further treatment after having an appendectomy. Friends all hope for a speedy recovery for little Wayne.

Jim Whitford of Edmonton, son of Mr and Mrs Syd [illegible]ford of Calgary and who now resides in Edmonton, was a visitor at the Bill Roddick home Tuesday evening

Alex Kleinschroth still commutes daily to Edmonton where, along with his son John, he is working on a house near Malmo Plains

Ladies of the Ministik CWL are busy making last minute plans for their annual Easter ham bingo to be held in [illegible]tik Hall on Friday April 9th at 8 30 p.m. Everyone is assured an enjoyable [illegible] and lunch will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Nesichuk and Mrs. Effie Nesichuk attended the funeral Monday morning of Albert Kruk of South Cooking Lake in Edmonton.

Matthew Ferguson was on a business trip to Edmonton on Thursday and a shopper in Tofield on Friday, making last minute plans before he takes up residence in Tofield.

**AT FUNERAL**

Mr and Mrs. Bill Roddick attended the funeral on Saturday afternoon in Edmonton of Geo. Monson.

V[illegible] at the Russell Rowland home over the weekend were their sons, Gary and Murray, daughter, Peggi, and the Tom Collingwood family

Mrs. Jim Moore of Whitecourt spent five days with her sister, Mrs. Helen Hennessy On Thursday they shopped in Edmonton before Mrs Moore left for Calgary to visit for awhile with one of her daughters.

Among the ladies attending the tea and bake sale at South Cooking Lake Saturday afternoon were Mrs Claude Leach, Mrs Andrew Ferguson, Mrs Albert Horricks, Mrs. Keith Williams and Mrs. Pat Paterson.

**HOLIDAY IN B.C.**

Mrs. S. George left Tuesday afternoon by Supercontinental for a vacation at the West Coast Word was received she was enjoying a stay with Mr. Rube Hammersley and Mrs. G. Smith at North Surrey

Mr and Mrs. Irving Likness and family were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs Helen Hennessy

Mr and Mrs Albert Horricks were godparents at the baptism on Sunday of the young son of Mr and Mrs. Ronald Horricks of Namao.

## Locals . . .

Out-of-town weekend visitors at the T Gray home were Mary Noland and Don Bradley from Edmonton Ruth and Don McDonald and Evie Gray from Fort Saskatchewan.

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**TRIP TO N.S.**

Mr and Mrs. Lorimer Hunter left on Tuesday by train for Oxford, Nova Scotia. They will visit Lorimer's birthplace, an aunt who will celebrate her 79th birthday in May, and other relatives They plan to be away three weeks. Mrs. I. Jackson of Calgary will keep house for the girls while their parents are away

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**WINNERS**

Mrs Evelyn [illegible] won the $50 bill raffled by the Tofield Ladies' Curling Club

Edith Wideman was the lucky winner of the $100 raffle by the Community League

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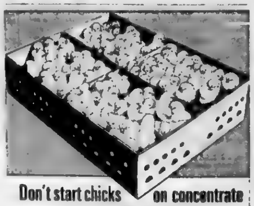
**30th ANNIVERSARY**

Sunday dinner guests at the Reger home to celebrate the 30th wedding anniversary of Helge and Emma were their son, Allen and Dorothy and little Gerald, daughter Carol and son-in-law Wilfred and grandsons, Darrell and Donald, Alma [illegible] Geo. Unlin, Florence and Alan Barnhard, and Lloyd and Lena Rell. Sunday afternoon coffee guests were all the above mentioned guests and Ruby and Kenneth Stainthorpe, Barbara, Donna and Dianne and two boy friends from Killam, and Billie Yorkoski.

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## Gotta green thumb?

(By Gordon Lindsay Smith)

### Curb that urge

Despite the [illegible] urge to get out with a spade or rake the first time the sun is warm, when it comes to real gardening, there is no need to rush. Most plants prefer warm air and warm soil and will only lie dormant until these conditions are met. Very often things planted several days or even a week or so later will catch up and do better than those rushed into the ground while the soil is still cold and damp. There are a few exceptions of course, such as grass seed, sweet peas and nursery stock, but generally speaking, in actual planting, it is best to err on the late than the early side

And we can't do much in any case until the soil is really ready and safe to work. How can we tell that? Simply by walking over it. If it muddies our shoes then it is still much too wet. Soil ready for seeding should crumble when squeezed and when released should be moist not wet, and for most garden seeds it should be warm with the new sun, too.

**Revolution In Lawns**

Multiple-lane super-highways, airfields that cover three or four square miles, golf courses and bowling greens have revolutionized the turf-grass industry in Canada as elsewhere in North America and Europe. Back in the old days lawn grass was pretty standard and the average man bought only a few pounds in his entire lifetime The bulk of the seed came from a relatively small area and only a few varieties of grass were considered necessary for most mixtures. That's not the case today, with millions of pounds of turf grass seed grown and used in Canada each year and thousands of pounds of special grasses imported for well balanced mixtures and uses There are special mixtures for putting greens, paths, drought resistance, and holding soil along steep cuttings, and for making extra luxuriant lawns along side patios that are as soft, green and uniform as the finest broadloom.

By getting high class seed and a mixture specially blended for his part of Canada and his particular location even the amateur gardener today can build a lawn that his grandfather only dreamed about. But he doesn't just sow any old type of grass seed and he doesn't sow the grass seed first and attempt to build up the soil and levels afterwards. And still more important, he doesn't sow the grass seed and forget all about it, letting it [illegible] as best it can. The gardener who wants a lawn that both he and his neighbours will admire, gets his soil [illegible] cultivated and levelled before any seed is sown. And after that he expects to keep the lawn mowed regularly, watered when necessary, [illegible] annually with a [illegible] killer, and with a [illegible] of fertilizer either chemical or natural at least once a season. And, of course, he sows while the weather is still cool and moist, and if he wants a quick and even catch he keeps the soil moist, by sprinkling every day if necessary, until the seed has germinated.

**You Can't Buy [illegible] Kind**

"Why should I bother to grow vegetables when I can buy them cheaply?" How often do you hear that from the man who has never grown any vegetables and certainly who has never eaten any just out of the garden. The vegetables one buys are not at all the same as the vegetables one grows. There is nothing quite so perishable as garden freshness, and especially when it comes to things like garden corn, peas, lettuce, baby carrots and so on. For the best quality they should be picked just when they are at their tender best, cooked lightly, if they have to be cooked, and eaten immediately That's impossible, of course, when they have to be transported hundreds of miles. Experienced gardeners, even in the suburbs of the big cities, grow a few rows of vegetables for really fresh eating.

**Timely Hints**

Good garden seeds cost but a few cents per packet, out of all the factors that go to produce a successful garden it is the most essential. Soil, fertilizer, weather and care may be perfect, but without good seed, true to variety and specially selected for Canada, failure is certain.

Don't wait [illegible] ordering seed, [illegible] of the new All-America [illegible]. The stock of these is limited the first year or so until enough seed can be harvested to meet [illegible]. As soon as your decisions have been made as to colour and quantity, [illegible] the orders.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING April 2nd —Mr and Mrs. Elbert Dyrland of White Bear, Sask., motored here to spend the weekend in the home of their daughter, the Bob Beattie's.

Hans Hunsby spent the week in Edmonton.

Thursday supper guests at the A. Bratrud home, marking Alvin's birthday were [illegible] Percy and Adrien Bergquists, Bawlf, Allan Helleksons, George Mosbys. Cliff Bratruds. In the evening, Lawrence Hovelands were also guests.

**LCW MEETS**

The Skudesnes LCW met on Wednesday with Mrs. John Bruce. The Bible study for March was given by Mrs Ed Knudson, and offering for lunch was $8.40. It was decided that Skudesnes and Zion LCW serve lunch at the LCW convention at Bawlf Lutheran Church Saturday, May 1st. Pastor and Mrs. Olson were present, plus a few visitors. Next meeting will be on Wednesday, April 28th at the church kitchen. Servers are Edna Aker and Clara Forre. Bible study by Eunice Vassberg

Mrs. Ernest Mosby, Beverly and Brian have returned home after a two-week stay in Saskatchewan with her parents.

EYES OTTAWA. Reports are growing that B.C. Conservative leader, E. Davie Fulton, may seek the leadership of the national Conservative Party when John Diefenbaker steps down. He was former Justice Minister in the Diefenbaker Government.

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# THE RYLEY TIMES



## Ryley news

(M. E. Wastmanmel)

The Ryley badminton club played host on Tuesday, Mar 31st, to 24 visitors from the Viking club. After a good evening of play, the home club served lunch.

**Cyril Freeman, who for many years operated a hardware store in Ryley, has passed away at Chilliwack, B.C.**

Marguerite and Johnny Fish and Mrs. Amy Pope were in Edmonton on Sunday, for a family dinner at the home of Jim and Susan Fish. Elmer and Joyce Patrick were there, too, just back from their Caribbean holiday.

## Memorial service for Mrs. McLachlan

Members of the family of the late Mrs. Susan McLachlan, who passed away in April of last year, are planning to hold a memorial service at the Paramount Theatre in Edmonton on Easter Sunday (April 18th).

The service will start at 2.00 o'clock in the afternoon.

OUR CHILDREN'S LEGACY? Canada is a beautiful country, but with poor management of land, ignoring the laws of soil and water conservation, we will reduce our scenic countryside to the desolation of this old deserted farm above. Which will our children inherit? Dusty fields where grass cannot grow, and dried gullies where streams will never flow? Or a land we can be proud of? The choice is ours.

## Ryley 4-H Beef Club has March meeting

By Garry Krepielnicki

The Ryley 4-H Beef Club held its meeting on Thursday, Mar 25th. The meeting began with the 4-H pledge led by Barry Senuik. Following the pledge was a roll call with each member stating if calf leads. An Easter tour is to be held on April 22nd. On this tour the members will get [illegible] to see each others calves. A public speaking contest was held with judges Mrs. B. Ruby and Mrs. J. Pepper.

Speakers were Richard Mathews, Gary Wiens, Barry Senuik, Garry Krepielnicki, Dwayne Kubin, Eldon Hammer, Lyle Hodge and Darryl Lyons.

Winners were Lyle Hodge and Barry Senuik, first and second, respectively.

Lyle Hodge will be going to Holden on April 9th to compete against other winners.


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## Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Elmer and Vi Geoglein spent Sunday in Edmonton as guests at the home of Mrs. Bertha Seale.

Doug and Vivian Murray of Tofield and Carl and Mavis Jacobsen were Thursday evening callers at the home of Ronnie and Barbara Geoglein. Later they were evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Stanley and Lizzie Schacher.

DRAMA WINNER

Congratulations go to Donna Jacobsen, daughter of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen, who won top honors for the best Actress in the Drama Festival which was held in Tofield on Friday and Saturday, April 2nd and 3rd.

**Howard Ferguson accompanied his daughter, Donna and Frank Edwards of Edmonton, to Elk Point on Saturday, where Frank has purchased a garage and filling station. Donna and Frank will be moving there soon.**

Mrs. Loretta Weir and daughter Wanda, of Edmonton, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Yvonne and Peter Brown, of Ketchamont, accompanied Yvonne's parents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann, and family, to Edmonton on Sunday, where they were all dinners guests and afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Martha's sister, Adele and Cliff Gossel and son Kenneth.

Herb and Carol Warner and two children, of Edmonton, John Jr. and Irene Warner and son, Bruce, and Alan and Joan Warner and three children were all Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of their parents, John and Alice Warner, in Tofield, helping them celebrate their wedding anniversary.

Larry and Gwen Murray and Glen Winder, all of Edmonton, were Saturday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Larry's parents, Joe and Helen Murray. Irlene and Art Trent and son, Tommy, were also Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests with Helen and Joe.

Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Joe and Elenor Jones were their daughter, Marjorie and Morley Jacobsen and three children, also Elenor's sister, Bessie and Tom Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Nimchuk and daughter, Shari, all of Edmonton.

Monday evening visitors and overnight guests at the home of Joe and Elenor Jones were Elenor's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. McLachlan, of Lacombe. They left for their home again shortly after dinner on Tuesday.

Ellen Eaton was a Sunday supper guest at the home of Roe and Bertha Phillips. Later in the evening Bertha and Ellen visited patients in the Tofield Hospital.

**There are several patients in the Tofield Hospital from Tofield and the districts around, and we wish all a speedy recovery and hope they will soon be able to be out and enjoy the spring weather.**

Jack Johnston came back to his farm on Sunday, after having spent the winter in Edmonton with his daughters. Welcome back Jack.

Wayne Rodway and friend from Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald.

## Landmark disappears

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Kennie James garage, one of the old landmarks in Holden, is rapidly being torn down. Mr James operated this for many years before passing away several years ago, and for the past two years it has been unoccupied. A couple of district farmers have been busy razing the building these past two weeks and it should soon be completed.


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We would like to extend our sincere thanks to our kind friends, neighbors and relatives for the beautiful floral tributes, messages of sympathy and all the help extended to us since the loss of our beloved son and brother, the late Mr Edward (Ted) Caney. Words alone cannot express our appreciation for your thoughtfulness. —The Caney Family 32c-1977

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### FUTURE DATES

TEA AND SALE OF HOUSE

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ANNUAL EASTER TEA

The Evening Unit of the U.C.W. will hold their Annual Easter Tea in the United Church Basement on Saturday, April 17th from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. There will also be a Sale of Potted Plants, Cut Flowers and Home Baking. 32-33c-2235

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God hath not promised—we shall not know
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# THE RYLEY TIMES



## Ryley news

(M. K. Westmacott)

The Ryley badminton club played host on Tuesday, Mar 31st, to 34 visitors from the Viking club. After a good evening of play the home club served lunch.

Cyril Freeman, who for many years operated a hardware store in Ryley, has passed away at Chilliwack, B.C.

Marguerite and Johnny Fish and Mrs Amy Pope were in Edmonton on Sunday, for a family dinner at the home of Jim and Susan Fish. Elmer and Joyce Patrick were there, [illegible] back from [illegible] holiday.

## Memorial service for Mrs. McLachlan

Members of the family of the late Mrs. Susan McLachlan, who passed away in April of last year, are planning to hold a memorial service at the Paramount Theatre in Edmonton on Easter Sunday (April 18th).

The service will start at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

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## Ryley 4-H Beef Club has March meeting

By Garry Krepelnicki

The Ryley 4-H Beef Club held its meeting on Thursday, Mar 25th. The meeting began with the 4-H pledge led by Barry Semuik. Following the pledge was a roll call with each member stating if calf leads. An Easter tour is to be held on April 22nd. On this tour the members will get together to see each others calves. A public speaking contest was held with judges Mrs. B Ruby and Mrs J Pepper.

Speakers were Richard Mathews, Gary Wiens, Barry Semuik, Garry Krepelnicki, Dwayne Kubin, Eldon Hammer, Lyle Hodge and Darryl Lyons.

Winners were Lyle Hodge and Barry Semuik, first and second, respectively.

Lyle Hodge will be going to Holden on April 9th to compete against other winners.


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## Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Elmer and Vi Geoglein spent Sunday in Edmonton as guests at the home of Mrs. Bertha Seale.

Doug and Vivian Murray of Tofield and Carl and Mavis Jacobsen were Thursday evening callers at the home of Ronnie and Barbara Geoglein. Later they were evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Stanley and Lizzie Schacher.

**DRAMA WINNER**

Congratulations go to Donna Jacobsen, daughter of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen, who won top honors for the best Actress in the Drama Festival which was held in Tofield on Friday and Saturday, April 2nd and 3rd.

Howard Ferguson accompanied his daughter, Donna and Frank Edwards of Edmonton, to Elk Point on Saturday, where Frank has purchased a garage and filling station. Donna and Frank will be moving there soon.

Mrs. Loretta Weir and daughter Wanda, of Edmonton, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Yvonne and Peter Brown, of Ketchamoot, accompanied Yvonne's parents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann, and family, to Edmonton on Sunday, where they were all dinners guests and afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Martha's sister, Adele and Cliff Gossel and son Kenneth.

Herb and Carol Warner and two children, of Edmonton, John Jr. and Irene Warner and son, Bruce, and Alan and Joan Warner and three children were all Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of their parents, John and Alice Warner, in Tofield, helping them celebrate their wedding anniversary.

Larry and Gwen Murray and Glen Winder, all of Edmonton, were Saturday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Larry's parents, Joe and Helen Murray. Irlene and Art Trent and son, Tommy, were also Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests with Helen and Joe.

Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Joe and Ellenor Jones were their daughter, Marjorie and Mosey Jacobsen and three children, also Ellenor's sister, Bessie and Tom Jones, and Mr and Mrs B Nimchuk and daughter, Shari, all of Edmonton.

Monday evening visitors and overnight guests at the home of Joe and Ellenor Jones were Ellenor's brother and wife, Mr and Mrs L. McLachlan, of Lacombe. They left for their home again shortly after dinner on Tuesday.

Ellen Eaton was a Sunday supper guest at the home of Roe and Bertha Phillips. Later in the evening Bertha and Ellen visited patients in the Tofield Hospital.

**There are several patients in the Tofield Hospital from Tofield and the districts around, and we wish all a speedy recovery and hope they will soon be able to be out and enjoy the spring weather.**

Jack Johnston came back to his farm on Sunday, after having spent the winter in Edmonton with his daughters. Welcome back Jack.

Wayne Rodway and friend from Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald.

## Landmark disappears

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Kennie James garage, one of the old landmarks in Holden, is rapidly being torn down. Mr James operated this for many years before passing away several years ago, and for the past two years it has been unoccupied. A couple of district farmers have been busy razing the building these past two weeks and it should soon be completed.


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### CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors, friends far and near, our immediate families and relatives, also Reverend McDannold and Mr Stinson, the expressions of sympathy, thoughtfulness and kindness sent us at this time of the loss of our wee daughter, Ronalda Leigh, so greatly appreciated. Special thanks to Toodie and Ernie. Bless you all. Sincerely, Ron, Barb, Sydney Geoglein. 32p-2337

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to our kind friends, neighbors and relatives for the beautiful floral tributes, messages of sympathy and all the help extended to us since the loss of our beloved son and brother, the late Mr Edward (Ted) Caney. Words alone cannot express our appreciation for your thoughtfulness. —The Caney Family. 32c-1977

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### FUTURE DATES

**TEA AND SALE OF HOUSE**

The annual Mother's Day Tea and Sale of House Plants sponsored by the Holy Trinity Afternoon W.A. will be held in the library room on Saturday, May 8th, starting at 2:30 p.m. 32-33-34c-2336

**ANNUAL EASTER TEA**

The Evening Unit of the U.C.W. will hold their Annual Easter Tea in the United Church Basement on Saturday, April 17th, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. There will also be a Sale of Potted Plants, Cut Flowers and Home Baking. 32-33c 2335

### IN MEMORIAM

McLACHLAN — In loving memory of mother, Mrs. Susan McLachlan who passed away in April 1964.

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He hath not told us—we shall bear no
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Rest for the laborer, light for the way,
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## Church notes

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# News items from Holden district

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs Kennie McLen and son Jim, of the Pow district Mrs Mabel Starr Mrs Elsa Parsons and Chris Christensen were guests for a turkey dinner Sunday, Mar 28th at the home of Mr and Mrs Herman Voigt

Hans Huseby was a business visitor in Edmonton the early part of last week

Mrs T A Laden has been visiting for several days with her sister and family in Calgary. On her way to Calgary she spent a day visiting with Mr and Mrs Raymond Stewart in Edmonton

A recent visitor for several days with Mr and Mrs Lars Olson was Christian Olson of Prince Rupert, B.C.

**TO VISIT HERE**

Mrs Voigt heard recently from Mrs Bill Adams, former health nurse in the Holden office of the Vegreville Health Unit, and now of Edson, that she is planning to visit in Holden during the Easter holiday. She had been a recent patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton, being there for 13 days after a bad fall on ice outside the hospital. Her husband Bill, also had been a patient there having had recent eye surgery to remove cataracts from both eyes which had been successful He is now home and feeling fine

Mr and Mrs. D Maethe and family left Holden Tuesday of last week to make their home in Calgary

The Maurice Ruskenvelds were visiting in Edmonton Clyde and Westlock Monday of last week

Mrs J A. Giebelhaus was an Edmonton visitor a week ago Monday

Mr. and Mrs Peter Zadorozny were business visitors at Smoky Lake Thursday of last week

Mr and Mrs. Paul Laustsen and children were recent weekend visitors with Mrs Laustsen's family in Calgary.

Mr and Mrs Lars Olson were Sunday visitors a week ago Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr and Mrs. Coombes, of the Tofield district

Mr. and Mrs Peter Jakobow and children were visiting with friends at Evansburg on Sunday

Milton Peterson of Edmonton was a business visitor in Holden Saturday afternoon

Dave Hladilo of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hladilo and family.

**[illegible]**

Mrs. Lester Nordstrom, who was a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton this past week having a check up and minor surgery, returned home Sunday Her daughter Emma Giebelhaus of Camrose was visiting with her while in hospital

Mrs. Otto Hurum has been a patient in Tofield hospital for several days We hope that she will soon be feeling much better Her daughter, Mrs Shandro and family were down visiting this weekend from Mundare.

We are pleased to hear that Mrs John Thieme of Edmonton, who was a hospital patient for several weeks after major surgery is now convalescing at home Her brother Alex Barlow who visited with her a week ago reports that she is making good progress, and feeling much better.

Mr and Mrs Marshall Slywka were Sunday visitors with their mother, Mrs William Slywka

Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow were visitors and coffee guests with Mr and Mrs Lars Rolland one evening last week

Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow were Friday supper guests with their sister, Mrs Elizabeth Campbell

# Ross Creek teens curl at Mundare

(Iris Bilan)

A number of Ross Creek teenagers participated in the high school curling bonspiel held at Mundare last weekend.

Stuart Snider was a member of the rink taking third prize in the first event Larry and Gayele McLachlan, cousins, helped to take first in the second event. while Brock Snider and Vickey Ulan brought home second in the second event The Monte Malcolm rink, with Norman McLachlan, Dwayne Shultz and Gloria Bilan took fourth in the third event

Wayne Malkewich, along with Maureen McLachlan, and Harold Antoniuk took the hard luck prize

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# Ross Creek district news briefs

(Iris Bilan)

Teenage church was held at the home of Ralph and Alice Cossey on Sunday. After the service, Alice served a lovely lunch.

Graham and Elma Snider and family were Sunday supper guests at the home of Raymond and Frances McLachlan.

Joe and Verna Sadoskie and family were Sunday supper guests at the home of Lester and Wilma Odiorne.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford and [illegible] motored to Lavoy on Sunday to visit with Harvey Ford and family.

Howard and Nell Malcolm and family were Saturday supper guests at the home of Dr and Mrs. Dobson in Lamont.

Wilma Odiorne was a visitor at the home of Winnie McLachlan on Thursday.

**Sunday, April 4th, was the 20th wedding anniversary of Joseph and [illegible] Bilan, and to mark the occasion, Joe, Iris and son Desmond were dinner guests at the home of Wally and Nettie Yez.**

On Monday, Joseph and Isabel [illegible] motored to Wetaskiwin to visit with Isabel's father, Mr. Duncan

**INFANT PASSES**

Sympathy of the district goes to Ron and Barbara Goeglein on the loss of their infant daughter.

**CURLING WIND-UP**

Saturday was the wind up of the Tofield farmers' closed bonspiel. The George McLachlan rink, with Russell Shultz, Ross Fleming, and Dave Heidebrecht, took the Grand Challenge, thus winning trophies donated and presented by Henry Page of Tofield Creamery Joseph and Isabel McLachlan, along with Jerry Weins and Lorne Lee took fourth in the third event. A pot luck supper was served in the evening at which Winnie McLachlan and Dorothy Shultz were present

**Congratulations to Lenard and Patsy Loxton on the birth of a daughter, born Sunday at the Archer Memorial Hospital in Lamont.**

Mrs. Mabel Have, held a Tupperware party at her home on Wednesday evening with a good number of ladies present, one of them being Mrs Bessie Pederson of Fort Saskatchewan.

Career Day was held Wednesday afternoon at Lamont High School when numerous vocations were the point of discussion. Many able and informative speakers were present, and students gleaned knowledge about the vocation of their choice. Nell Malcolm and Iris Bilan were among the parents who attended the event.

**WINS "OSCAR"**

Donna Jacobsen, daughter of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen, was the winner of the "Oscar" for best actress performance in the play "Heat Lightning". The play was presented by the Tofield school students in the high school drama festival held Friday and Saturday at Tofield, when schools of the district competed.

Best actor award went to Brian Hennes of Bruderheim and a student of Lamont High School.

# News items from Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Raymond McGinitie of Red Deer spent the weekend at home with his parents, Agnes and Henry McGinitie.

The Ketchamoot UCW met last Wednesday in Tofield at the manse home of Mrs McDonnold

Dorothy Whitlaw spent a few days last week in Edmonton with relatives.

On Sunday, Roy and Dorothy Whitlaw motored to Armena to visit with Mr and Mrs Robert Rasmussen.

Mr and Mrs. Stan Jack of Edmonton and Mrs. Mamie McConnell of Tofield were Sunday afternoon visitors with the Harold Schultz family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketchum and family of Mulhurst spent the weekend with Chester and Harold Coombes.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs Harold Schultz and Russell attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Elva Grossman at Holden.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sutton were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sutton and daughter of Rabbit Hill, Mrs. Virginia Sutton and Bernie and Gordon Williams of Edmonton and Mr. Miles Barrow of Tofield. Evening callers were Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell.

# Hastings Coulee notes

(Mrs. S. Gladue)

The Ladies' Club would like to thank everyone who sent parcels and who came to help make the military whist and parcel post sale such a success. Winners of the whist high table were Mrs. Rowland and Mrs. Scott, R. Berrecloth and P. Patterson, at low table were Theresa Rowland, Marlene Pertas, L. Grammont and A. Rowland.

The Social Credit whist party was well attended, with winners being: ladies' high Mrs. R. Peterson, and low Mrs. Schrouchow; gents' high Michael Peterson, and low A. Rowland. The next whist drive will be Saturday, April 24th.

Several members of the Berrecloth family were visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Berrecloth, to help their father celebrate his birthday

Mr. Fontaine and Mr. Dunham are home after a stay in Tofield hospital.

# Reading is 'key' to continuing education

April 10th to 17th is Canadian Library Week. In the fall of the year we think of Young Canada Book Week for stress on youth Canadian Library Week stresses the importance of reading and the corresponding importance of libraries in Canadian life, especially in an age which demands so much knowledge and so many skills Today Canada's vitality and indeed the very existence of the world depends on the degree to which its people form the habit of reading to discover, to intelligently interpret and weigh ideas, and to reflect on the history, civilization and history of past ages.

Visit your local library (any Friday in Tofield—except when a holiday falls on that day, then it is open the previous Thursday—eg. Thursday before Good Friday) Its a friendly place—especially during Canadian Library Week.

Q What do you think about women's smoking on the street?

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# Spilstead news briefs

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

Arnold and Birdie Brunner of Edmonton spent Saturday night at the home of Ernest and Bertha Beleuart and took part in the mixed bonspiel in Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beleuart were dinner guests at the home of their son and daughter-in-law in Edmonton on Sunday.

Conrad and Gale Winder and son of Edson were Wednesday visitors at the home of Conrad's mother, Mrs. Louise Winder.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schmidt and Johnny visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mackal last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mackal and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schmidt went to the Leduc horse sale.

Ed and Howard Knott were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Gus and [illegible] Schmidt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertch of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. T. Roycroft and boys of Hinton were Friday evening visitors at the T. W. Fairbrother home.

Debbie Sware spent Saturday with Marilyn Fairbrother.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Paulson were Harvey and Evelyn Paulson of Edson, and [illegible] and Kay Paulson of Ryley. Jimmie Paulson was a visitor on Sunday.

HERE FROM B.C.

Agnes Hoflin from New Westminster, B.C., has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoflin. Arthur and Agnes were in Camrose last weekend visiting their sister, Esther Hanson, who is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoflin and Agnes Hoflin spent Sunday evening with Louise Winder.

Mary Schmidt, Joanne and Dianne Kuipers visited Gae Hoflin for tea just recently.

Recent visitors at the Ernest Fairbrother home were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Fairbrother and family, Dirk and Elaine de Frenne from Edmonton. Sunday evening visitors were Derward Valentine, Cliff, Don and Randy Fairbrother, all of Edmonton.


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## Pioneer group meets at R. Raeder home

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN—The Pioneer Group met Thursday, April 1st at the home of Mrs. R. Raeder with 13 ladies present. Devotions were taken by Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus, and plans were discussed and made to hold a spring tea and apron sale early in May. Their next meeting will be held May 6th at the home of Mrs. Oscar Ruskenveld, with Mrs. Blanche Olson taking devotions and Mrs. Ruxton taking the lesson from their current lesson book. All interested are welcome.

Q. Is it proper to name the second son "junior" for his father, or is this title supposed to be conferred only on the oldest son?

A. The "junior" in a family need not be the first son.


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# Holden news briefs

Mike Naleonik of Edmonton was a business visitor around Holden this past week and getting things lined up for the sale of his farm equipment, livestock and miscellaneous goods which was held Tuesday, April 6th.

Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor were shopping and business visitors in Edmonton Monday.

Robert Taylor of the Viking district was a Wednesday afternoon visitor last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visitors with their daughter, Beth, and family, the Ernie Mertas of the Viking district during last week.

Mrs. Clara Armstrong is home after spending several weeks visiting in Edmonton.

Mrs. Elsie Clark, son, Barry and children were visitors around Holden Saturday and called on her mother, Mrs. Elna Parsons and uncle, Chris Christenson.

Mrs. Mary Semotuik is helping clerk at the Holden Drug Store during the current Rexall [illegible] sale.

Alan Tiedemann, Bruce Appleby and Bernie Chamulke, all of Edmonton, spent the weekend visiting with their respective families.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Komarnisky and Alex Barlow were [illegible] around Holden Saturday afternoon, Alex calling on his brother and wife, the Percy Barlows.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don McFadven a week ago Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Art Ham and daughter of [illegible].

MOVE TO RYLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Erickson are leaving Holden in the near future to make their home in Ryley. We understand they have bought the Variety Store there. Mr. Erickson has been the mechanic at Black's Motors.


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## Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. Just what are the functions of the spoon when served with coffee or tea?

A. The spoon is for the purpose of stirring the beverage, and NOT for conveying the liquid to you mouth. It should never be used to sip the beverage spoonful by spoonful. After stirring, the spoon should be placed on one side of the saucer—never, of course, left in the cup.

Q. How many attendants does the bride usually have at a home wedding?

A. The most fashionable home weddings include but two bridesmaids and a maid-of-honor—and many of them have no bridesmaids at all.

Q. Should birth announcements be mailed to near relatives, as well as to friends who might not otherwise know of the baby's arrival?

A. Usually announcements to one's own family and to close friends are phoned soon after the baby's arrival. However, if one has some especially attractive or unusual cards, the recipients might like to have them as keepsakes.

Q. Is it considered more proper, when setting the dinner table, to put the butter on one plate and pass it around—or to put it on individual bread-and-butter plates?

A. Either way is correct. This is more a matter of convenience than of propriety.

AN EASY CATCH. Pretty Sandy Leigh had no trouble at all landing this big beauty of a salmon. But then, who can blame the fish for getting caught? Look at the eye-appealing bait Sandy is using.

## Lakeshore -

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe of Tofield and George Abernethy were Sunday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of John and Mary Wood. Afternoon callers there also were Earl and Ann Jones and two children.

Sunday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of John and Mary Wood were their son and daughter-in-law, Johnny and Gloria Wood, and Delsie and Jim Holmes and baby son of Ministik.

**Congratulations go to Leonard and Patsy Loxton on the birth of their daughter, Cheryl Lee (weight 7 lbs. 11 oz.), born on April 4th at the Lamont Hospital. Congratulations also go to the proud grandparents (Patsy's parents) Mickey and Charlie Niemetz.**

Leonard Loxton spent the weekend from Saturday to Monday at home with his wife, Patsy, and new baby daughter, before returning to work with the Peter Bawden Drilling Co.

Gail Niemetz of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz. George and Ida were Monday afternoon visitors in Edmon[illegible].

# Bardo district news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, April 6th — Sunday School at Bardo Lutheran Church at 10:30 a.m. and morning worship services at 11:30 next Sunday, April 11th.

The Bardo WCTU will hold their April meeting at the home of Mrs. Pauline Rude on Wednesday afternoon, April 14th. The WCTU is sponsoring a speech medal contest on Friday evening, April 9th, at the Baptist Church in Tofield, with lunch to be served after the program. The public is cordially invited.

FIRST BIRTHDAY

Grandma Foshaug and Arnold and Mabel Johnson and Walter motored to Camrose on Sunday where they were birthday dinner guests at the home of Stan and Bertha Ramstad who entertained in honor of little Darren who was one year old.

The Peter and Dennis Bjornson families of Edmonton were visitors at the Glen Francis home on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rude visited at the Lars Rude home in Ryley Saturday afternoon when Dane celebrated his fifth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Monrad Fimeth of Edmonton are spending a few days at the home of LeRoy and Mary Fimeth.

The Misses Gail and Joanne Lauber from Edmonton and Merlin Rude were dinner guests at the Leif Foshaug home on Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Wesner and baby, Lori, came out from Edmonton on Tuesday evening and are spending some time with Maureen's parents, Ivan and Olive Foshaug. Leif and Evelyn Foshaug were Sunday afternoon visitors there.

Leonard and Evelyne Stauffer and boys were supper guests of Marvin and Nina Moen in Camrose Saturday evening. After [illegible] Leonard and boys attended a hockey game and Evelyne the Barbershoppers' pro[illegible].

Ed and Gail Look and girls from Edmonton spent the weekend with Gail's parents, the Elmer Sitlers.

Olaf Haugen was a dinner guest with Olof and Alice Stokkan on Sunday, and Arlene and Dale Rude and Kevin from Inland were afternoon callers.

Lloyd Graham, who was one of the contestants on "Windfall" Saturday evening is a nephew of Mrs. Leroy Fimeth of this district.

Mrs. Walter Scott from Edmonton spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Inga Ness.

Allan Hart is a patient in the Tofield hospital, having entered last Monday.

Pastor Ostrem of Edmonton visited at the Ingolf Brekkan home after church services on Sunday.


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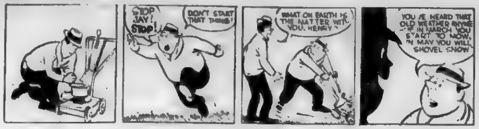


## SMALL WORLD

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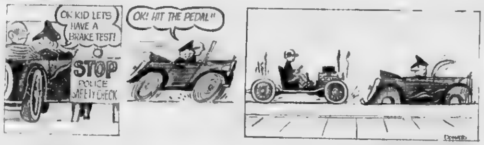


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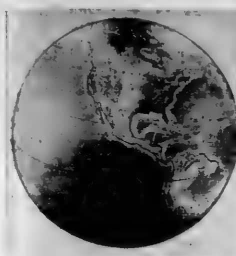

GROWING LIKE A BALLOON? Canadian and Danish geologists this summer will begin two years of experiments to find out if the world is expanding "like a balloon". This theory was first suggested by late German geologist, Prof. Alfred Wegener, who at the turn of the century declared the continents are moving away from each other. To test this, scientists will measure narrow strip of water separating northern Greenland from northern Canada.

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# Elmer and Alice Lindstrom mark silver anniversary

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — A memorable 25th wedding anniversary celebration for Alice and Elmer Lindstrom was held in the Ryley Legion Hall on Saturday, Mar 27th.

The bride and groom of 25 years entered the hall to the wedding march, played by their son-in-law, Victor Lillo and Ken Lindstrom. They were followed by their attendants, Ina and Jim Easton of Ponoka. Mrs Lindstrom wore a pale blue color dress, decked with pink sweetheart roses. Mrs. Easton (Mr Lindstrom's sister) wore a darker shade of blue dress also matched with pink sweetheart roses.

Vic Lillo introduced Mr Easton, the emcee of the evening. The opening number was a song by five-year-old Corinne Lillo, "I Love Them Truly". Corinne is Mr and Mrs Lindstrom's granddaughter.

Mrs Mildred Haugen of Camrose read a monologue on Mr and Mrs. Lindstrom; Randy and Audry Anderson and Gary Johnson sang "Love Me Tender"; Donna and Linda Nordstrom played Anniversary Waltz on the piano and Grace Veale gave a reading strictly about the groom. Ken Lindstrom, Victor Lillo and Larry Crayton played a couple numbers. Corinne Lillo sang the "Peppermint Twist". Ronald Veale played a rhumba on the piano, and Albin Anderson of Kingman gave a talk about the happy couple.

**PRESENTATIONS**

A presentation of 25 silver dollars was received from the Kingman community, and a purse of $87 was received from the Ryley community. Mrs. Victor Lillo presented her parents with a coffee table from the family; Ken Lindstrom presented a $25 money tree from the Lindstrom family. Norman Nordstrom presented a mantel clock from the Nordstrom family, and other gifts were received from friends.

Friends and relatives from Calgary, Evansburg, Edmonton, Ponoka, Kingman and Camrose were present. A telegram from Salmo, B.C., was received from their son, Garry, and Trudy Lindstrom.

A delicious lunch was served, and Mr. and Mrs. Lindstrom passed the wedding cake, which was made by Mrs. Grace Veale of Camrose. The sister of the bride, Mrs. Veale, also made the cake 25 years ago.

A dance followed with the music supplied by Ken Lindstrom, Victor Lillo, Milton Lillo, Martha Lillo, Larry Crayton and Sig Sorenson. It may well be noted that the old orchestra of 26 years ago, consisting only of Elmer and Ken Lindstrom and Sig Sorenson, played a few numbers. There were bingo dances, spot dances, etc., and prizes were given out to the lucky winners.

A large crowd of about 175 people were at the program.

## Walker wins . . .

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evening Larry Fosnaug and Jim Ingram won third and fourth in this event.

At the conclusion of curling, the ladies served lunch in the Legion Hall to over 125 curlers and their friends. After everyone had eaten their fill of turkey, buns and ice cream, distribution of prizes took place.

President B. Wyllie called on Henry Paege, manager of the Woodlawn Dairy, who presented their trophy to the G. McLachlan rink. Ed. Regher of Premier Motors presented the Grand Aggregate Trophy to the Vern Walker rink. The President then called on the rest of the teams to come forward and receive their prizes.

Bob Wyllie thanked all the curlers for their tremendous co-operation during the season, and invited them all to be sure to come back next year. He also reminded them to take more interest in the business meeting in the fall, as it is at this meeting when plans are drawn up for the coming year.

Icemaker Bob Haycock was given a good hand for his work during the year.

The ladies who had planned and prepared for the get-together at the Legion Hall were singled out for special praise and a warm thank-you.

Everyone went home satisfied and happy, and with a determination that next year they would not miss the broom by quite as much.

## Grade Eight Class has Edmonton tour

(By Leona Thiessen)

On Tuesday, April 6th, the grade eight classes of Tofield enjoyed a trip to Edmonton. First, we visited the Queen Elizabeth Planetarium where we saw many interesting proceedings in space. Since we are presently studying about the solar system in science, this was very appropriate. From the Planetarium we went to Lister Hall where we received delicious food. The last place we visited was the Jubilee Auditorium. A guide took us on a tour of this spacious and beautiful building. We as grade eights, would like to thank our teachers, Mrs. Phillips and Mr Dennison for making this trip possible for us. We would also like to thank the bus drivers, Mr. Charlie Sears and Johnny Buergen for taking us. We all enjoyed it very much.

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The vaccine that thwarts death and disfigurement has been around for a long time. Yet despite its development in 1796, smallpox killed 25,000 and afflicted 100,000 around the world during 1964 alone — some 170 years later.

Not only in countries burdened with disease, but as well, in countries cleaned of it does smallpox endanger health still. A few hard facts show why:

● Often a country beset by smallpox lacks enough vaccines to immunize all of its citizens.

● Too, more-primitive groups frequently refuse vaccinations offered, either through fear of it, or because long held beliefs forbid it. About 12,000 Ecuadorian Quechuas, a mountain-dwelling Indian, so resisted vaccinators recently.

● So long as smallpox exists anywhere, a country even though free is not safe. Wiped-out in the United States and Canada, it still penetrated New York and Toronto — in each instance re-introduced by a traveller.

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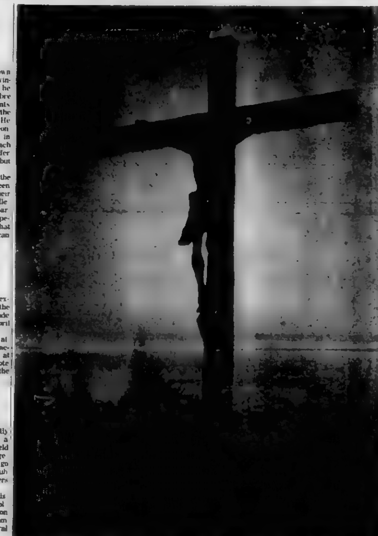

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What struck our mind was that we wouldn't now be marking Easter . . . even after Jesus . . . were it not for the work of twelve men. Or thirteen, maybe.

Many of us do not know that after the elimination of Judas, another apostle was named to round out the twelve. Then, of course, the dramatic conversion of Saul . . . Paul . . . enlarged the number, even though many of us could name Paul, Matthew, Mark, Luke and John, and then start to falter somewhat.

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## Speculation interesting

Suggestions that the Hon. A. J. Hooke may step down as a cabinet minister in Alberta have been coming with increasing frequency, partly because of his somewhat bothersome health, partly because of his long tenure, his age, and probably, partly, because there's nothing better to occupy the time.

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Whatever history may show, Albertans will hope that Mr. Hooke will be able to continue in office. There are other posts which younger and able men might fill with more benefit to the province, though unfortunately, these posts do not seem to come open. Even with as many members as Mr. Manning racks up in general elections, it is hard to find sufficient members of cabinet stature: with a house more evenly divided, it would be a great deal more difficult.

This, possibly, is one of the strongest arguments against often-heard suggestions that the number of ridings and members be cut, say, in half. Were there only 30 constituencies, say, a party might be elected with a slim majority, and find nearly every one of its members had to accept a cabinet post. Obviously, we don't nominate that many good men.

Similarly, the finding of representatives of cabinet stature is one of the most difficult problems facing the "other parties", for unless they can do so, they have little chance of ever becoming really effective. It has been wisely said 'the voters never set out to elect an Opposition. They vote to form a government!'.

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## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

We would like to take this opportunity of wishing The Mercury staff, correspondents and all our friends far and wide a very Happy Easter.

With the lovely spring weather, attendance at the United Church is climbing each Sunday. Les [illegible] conducts the services.

**ONTARIO GIRL TO SERVE PARISH**

The church boards of Ministik, Hastings Lake and South Cooking Lake met at the South Cooking Lake United Church on Monday evening to make plans for the summer student. This year the student will be a girl who comes from near Toronto, Ontario, and church members are looking forward to her arrival here the end of April.

At their meeting held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horricks on Tuesday evening, the Ministik Community Club [illegible] plans for an Easter dance to be held Monday evening, April 19th. Everyone welcome. A cash bingo, to be held Friday, May 7th, was planned by the Community Club. Their next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Jeske, in May.

The Easter ham bingo, sponsored by the CWL and held at the hall on April 9th was a huge success. Many patrons went home with luscious hams for their Easter dinner. A delicious lunch was served by the ladies, following the bingo. A capacity crowd was in attendance.

**SPRING IS HERE!**

Andrew and Ronald Ferguson attended an auction sale at Uncas on Wednesday. Another sign of spring when auction sales are held.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy was an Edmonton shopper on Monday. She also had an appointment with a chiropractor.

**NEW RESIDENTS HERE**

The Morris Patersons of Lonma moved to their new home on the Matthew Ferguson farm on Sunday and Monday. We welcome them to our community. Morris is a younger brother of Pat Paterson.

Alex Kleinachruth who has been working in Edmonton, has now finished the house he was helping to build.

Donald Grummett left Monday for Southern Alberta, in search of employment.

Friends regret to hear that Walter Barnes is a patient in the Tofield Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Williams and family of Edmonton, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach and Chester.

## Driver backs into brother

(Heather McLeod)

HAY LAKES, April 12 — Hay Lakes was the scene of an unfortunate accident about 1:30 a.m. Saturday, April 10 in which 20-year-old Donald Bradley of Edmonton was seriously injured when struck by a car driven by his brother, Bill Bradley. Donald was standing behind the vehicle when the accident occurred.

An ambulance from Camrose took the injured youth to St. Mary's Hospital, where he is reported to be suffering from a severe concussion and several broken ribs plus multiple bruises.

Don was a resident of the king man district before moving to Edmonton last summer.


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**90TH BIRTHDAY**

On April 4th, Annie Hunley and her three boys drove to Rocky Mountain House to be with other members of the family to celebrate Grandma Hunley's 90th birthday, which was on April 3rd. Those present numbered 41. There were, however, two daughters and their families who were unable to attend, and a granddaughter who is teaching in Australia.

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Tuesday morning, Annie Hunley was pleasantly surprised to learn friends from Hudson Hope, B.C., were in town for a short while and she visited with them at Jim Fisher's residence. Noel and Alice Verville were in the Arctic with Annie and her sister, in 1937-38-39.


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N—31, 33, 41, 45, 36, 34, 38, 39, 37, 40
G—50, 58, 49, 55, 60, 50, 54, 57, 51, 52, 56, 46, 53
O—67, 74, 72, 62, 73, 64, 66, 70, [illegible]
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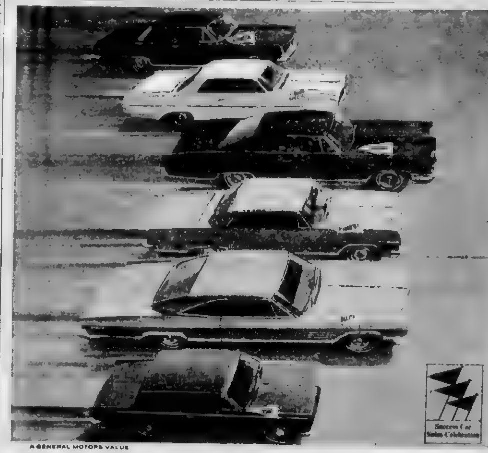


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## Palmer - Earling news items

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, April 9— Crows were reported seen April 2nd, and a robin was seen April 3th. There is much snow but the spring thaw is on

Mr and Mrs. Allan Owens, Edmonton, were recent visitors at the Conrad Huseby [illegible]

Mrs Inga Afseth, Mrs. Martin Mondahl and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sorenson, David, Denise and Eldon were Sunday dinner guests at the Dennis Pedersen home, Camrose South.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Carlson, March 23rd, their first baby, a daughter, Rhonda Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Knudson, Tim, Allan and JoAnn were Sunday guests with the Chester Throndsons in the Dinant West district.

Bob Goldnick of Westlock was a Wednesday visitor with the Jack Vassbergs.

Ernest Ferre, Camrose, called locally on Wednesday.

Gustave Bruce and his friend, Edmonton, and the Leroy Ferres of Camrose were Sunday visitors with the Bruce Bros. and E. Aspenson.

Peter Sorenson left by plane Thursday to visit his native land, Denmark. This is his first trip back.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Hans Huseby is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose.

Mrs Mary Dragon and Clayton and Mrs. Alma Steffen were Wednesday supper guests with the Edef Wikhus.

**HOME FROM INDIA**

Mr and Mrs. Orval Bray of Ryley spent last week in Edmonton with the Allan Brays, the home of their son. While there, Mrs Orval Bray's sister, Mrs. Farley returned to her home in the city by plane from India, having gone there in November. Mrs Farley had also visited Dr and Mrs Billy Bray and three sons at Beruit, Lebanon, and friends in London, England.

**BEST POSTMASTER**

Mrs. Orval Bray just received news that her brother, Jack Watson has won the nation-wide written competition as postmaster of the new post office in Calgary. Mr Watson has been employed with the post office for the past 30 years.

The Bob Beatties were Tofield callers Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs. Gunnar Holte, Lethbridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hilland, Calgary, are motoring up to attend the 40th wedding anniversary Sunday at the Skudesnes Church.

## To broadcast midnight mass

This Saturday, at midnight, Mass will be broadcast over radio station CFCW from St Francis Xavier Church. Recently many changes have become effective in the Catholic Church liturgy. Several of these changes will be used in this Easter Mass. All parts sung by the choir will be in English.

Dr Frank MacInnis is in charge of the commentary, Dr Joseph Clearee, lector, and the pastor, Rev. Finlay MacDonald, celebrant. Once again the chief organist, Mrs. Fred Duggan, will be in charge of the choir.

At 10 minutes before midnight Dr. MacInnis will review the liturgical ceremonies of the past week and introduce the culminating action of the entire week, "the Mass of the Resurrection".

Those unable to attend may follow on radio, to celebrate the Resurrection, the most important in the Christian Faith.

## Church notes

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
**Sunday Services**

8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
**W. H. McDannold, B.A., B.D. Minister**
**Easter Sunday — April 18**

10:00 a.m. - Teen Church.
11:00 a.m. - Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. - Public Worship. "And the Life Everlasting".
Communion—April 25th.
Mr. Don Geddes preaching on Sunday, May 2nd.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
**The Friendly Church on the Corner**
**Easter Sunday — April 18**

10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m. Worship Service.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**Ryley, Alberta**
**Pastor Stanley Rude**
**Easter Sunday — April 18**

HOLDEN –
10:00 a.m. -Divine Service.
11:00 a.m. -Sunday School.
RYLEY
10:00 a.m. -Sunday School.
11:30 a.m. Divine Service.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
**Winter Schedule, Nov. to April**

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## Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach mark golden anniversary

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

MINISTIK, April 10.—The family of Mr and Mrs. Claude Leach entertained friends and neighbors at an "open house" reception on Sunday, March 21st, in Ministik Hall, to honor them on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary.

A three-tiered wedding cake topped with a golden bell centred the head table, flanked by golden tapers and golden-tinted spring flowers.

[illegible] Williams was master of ceremonies for the occasion and gave the couple's history, and Mrs. S. George read a [illegible] about the couple, composed by Mrs. Norman Willmore.

[illegible] Parker, councillor, presented the couple with a picture from the County of Strathcona. Floyd Baker, M.L.A., presented scrolls from Hon. J. Percy Page, Lieutenant-Governor of Alberta, and from Premier E. C. Manning. Many messages of congratulations were received, and also many gifts and flowers.

Mr and Mrs Leach with sons Chester and Ralph came from Edmonton to Ministik in 1925 to settle on the farm once owned by Billie Young. They have taken an active interest and part in their community throughout the years. Mr Leach at present is secretary of the Ministik Mutual Telephone Company, and Mrs Leach is an active member of the Ministik Ladies' Club. Both are members of the United Church. Their two sons still reside in the district and were present for the occasion. They also have two grandchildren, Donna and Brian Leach, and several nieces and nephews.

The family's gift to the bride and groom of fifty years was two tickets to the West Coast, to be used at their leisure.

Their son Ralph and two nephews, Frank and Ronald Swabey, received the guests. Several nieces served, and Brian Leach was in charge of the guest book.

## Ryley news

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Sympathy of the district is extended to Mary Oslund and Lorraine Davick on the loss of their mother, Mrs. Ellen Gossman, who passed away this week at Rosehaven in Camrose.

Bill Wood has his brother, Louis, his wife and two children visiting with him from Delisle, Sask.

Brian and Marie Westmancoat and boys were Sunday visitors with Roy and Myrtle Hutchinson and family in Kingman.

Ryley Dairy Club members were among the invited guests in Vegreville on Saturday, April 10th, to a social evening sponsored by the Vegreville 4-H Dairy Club.

## Baseball clinic is planned

The snow is melting, the sky is clearing and the flowers are blooming, well almost, anyway. The Holden Recreation Board is getting an early start in this year's baseball season by co-sponsoring a regional one-day baseball clinic.

The Alberta Baseball Umpires Association along with the recreation and cultural development branch of the provincial government are the co-sponsors of this clinic and through the efforts of Don Coutu, the Holden Recreation Board will host the clinic.

Sunday, May 9th, is the day set for the clinic. It will commence at 10 a.m. and continue through 5 p.m. with a break for meals. The meeting hall is the Canadian Legion, next door to the Curling Club building in Holden.

The school is open to anyone 16 years and over, interested in improving their knowledge of baseball and baseball rules. The course will cover such things as philosophy of umpiring, leadership, rules and rule changes, deportment and positional techniques. The instruction will be provided by competent officials of the Alberta Baseball Umpires Association.

Applicants will be responsible for their own room and board and transportation expenses. The [illegible] line [illegible] applications and registration fees of $1.00 will be Saturday, May 1st, and they are to be left with or sent to Don Coutu of Holden. Don may be [illegible] at 122 or 75.

## THE WEATHER . . .

| Apr. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Precip. |
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| 8 | 30 | 18 | 27.42 | — |
| 9 | 35 | 30 | 27.38 | .56" prec. |
| 10 | 36 | 32 | 27.40 | — |
| 11 | 47 | 33 | 27.36 | — |
| 12 | 60 | 22 | 27.50 | — |
| 13 | 46 | 25 | 27.35 | — |
| 14 | — | 20 | 27.37 | rain & snow |


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**ENGAGEMENTS**

Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Kaufman wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Inez Mae, to Mr Walter Lutz, son of Mr and Mrs. Reinhold Lutz of Holden. The marriage will take place June 25th, 1965. 33p-2295

Mr and Mrs W. A. McHeffey wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Joyce Warner, to Mr Bernard G. Worsfold, son of Mr and Mrs. Geo. Worsfold of Jasper, Alberta. The marriage will take place at Robertson United Church in Edmonton on May 29th, 1965, at 4:00 o'clock. 33p-2291

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**FUTURE DATES**

**TEA AND SALE OF HOUSE**
The annual Mother's Day Tea and Sale of House Plants, sponsored by the Holy Trinity Afternoon W.A. will be held in the library room on Saturday, May 8th, starting at 2:30 p.m. 33-36-36c-2336

**ANNUAL EASTER TEA**
The Evening Unit of the U.C.W. will hold their Annual Easter Tea in the United Church Basement on Saturday, April 17th, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. There will also be a Sale of Potted Plants, Cut Flowers and Home Baking. 33-33c-2336

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## Palmer - Earling news items

(Mrs. J. Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING, April 9— Crows were reported seen April 2nd, and a robin was seen April 7th. There is much snow but the spring thaw is on.

Mr and Mrs Allan Owens, Edmonton, were recent visitors at the Conrad Huseby home.

Mrs. Inga Afseth, Mrs. Martin Mendahl and Mr and Mrs. Carl Sorensen, David, Denise and Eldon were Sunday dinner guests at the Dennis Pedersen home, Camrose South.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Carlson, March 23rd, their first baby, a daughter, Rhonda Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Knudsen, Tim, Allan and JoAnn were Sunday guests with the Chester Throndsons in the Dinant West district.

Bob Goldnick of Woolbeck was a Wednesday visitor with the Jack Vansbergs.

Ernest Forre, Camrose, called locally on Wednesday.

Gennave Bruce and his friend, Edmonton, and the Leroy Forres of Camrose were Sunday visitors with the Bruce Bros. and E. Aspenson.

Peter Sorensen left by plane Thursday to visit his native land, Denmark. This is his first trip back.

IN HOSPITAL

Hans Huseby is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose.

Mrs. Mary Dragon and Clayton and Mrs. Allan Stefan were Wednesday supper guests with the Edof Wikkens.

HOME FROM INDIA

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Bray of Ryley spent last week in Edmonton with the Allan Brays, the home of their son. While there, Mrs. Orval Bray's sister, Mrs. Farley returned to her home in the city by plane from India, having gone there in November. Mrs. Farley had also visited Dr and Mrs. Billy Bray and three sons at Beruit, Lebanon, and friends in London, England.

BEST POSTMASTER

Mrs. Orval Bray just received news that her brother, Jack Watson has won the nation-wide written competition as postmaster of the new post office in Calgary. Mr. Watson has been employed with the post office for the past 30 years.

The Bob Beatties were Tofield callers Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Holte, Lethbridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hilland, Calgary, are motoring up to attend the 40th wedding anniversary Sunday at the Skudesnes Church.

## To broadcast midnight mass

This Saturday, at midnight, Mass will be broadcast over radio station CFCW from St. Francis Xavier Church. Recently many changes have become effective in the Catholic Church liturgy. Several of these changes will be used in this Easter Mass. All parts sung by the choir will be in English.

Dr Frank MacInnis is in charge of the commentary, Dr Joseph Cloarec, lector, and the pastor Rev Finlay MacDonald, celebrant. Once again the chief organist Mrs Fred Duggan, will be in charge of the choir.

At 10 minutes before midnight Dr. MacInnis will review the liturgical ceremonies of the past week and introduce the culminating action of the entire week, "the Mass of the Resurrection".

Those unable to attend may follow on radio, to celebrate the Resurrection, the most important in the Christian Faith.

## Church notes

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services

8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnold, B.A., B.D.
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Easter Sunday — April 18

10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship. "And the Life Everlasting".
Communion—April 25th.
Mr Don Geddes preaching on Sunday, May 2nd.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Easter Sunday — April 18

10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m. Worship Service
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

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## Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach mark golden anniversary

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

MINISTIK, April 10.—The family of Mr and Mrs. Claude Leach entertained friends and neighbors at an "open house" reception on Sunday, March 21st, in Ministik Hall, to honor them on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary.

A three-tiered wedding cake topped with a golden bell centred the head table, flanked by golden tapers and golden-tinted spring flowers.

Stanley Williams was master of ceremonies for the occasion and gave the couple's history, and Mrs. S. George read a poem about the couple, composed by Mrs. Norman Willmore.

Roger Parker, councillor, presented the couple with a picture from the County of Strathcona. Floyd Baker, M.L.A., presented scrolls from Hon. J. Percy Page, Lieutenant-Governor of Alberta, and from Premier E. C. Manning. Many messages of congratulations were received, and also many gifts and flowers.

Mr and Mrs Leach with sons Chester and Ralph came from Edmonton to Ministik in 1925 to settle on the farm once owned by Billie Young. They have taken an active interest and part in their community throughout the years. Mr Leach at present is secretary of the Ministik Mutual Telephone Company, and Mrs Leach is an active member of the Ministik Ladies' Club. Both are members of the United Church. Their two sons still reside in the district and were present for the occasion. They also have two grandchildren, Donna and Brian Leach, and several nieces and nephews.

The family's gift to the bride and groom of fifty years was two tickets to the West Coast, to be used at their leisure.

Their son Ralph and two nephews, Frank and Ronald Swabey, received the guests. Several nieces served, and Brian Leach was in charge of the guest book.

## Ryley news

(M. K. Westmoreland)

Sympathy of the district is extended to Mary Oslund and Lorraine Davich on the loss of their mother, Mrs. Ellen Gessman, who passed away this week at Rosehaven in Camrose.

Bill Wood has his brother, Louis, his wife and two children visiting with him from Dalhide, Sask.

Brian and Marie Westmoreland and boys were Sunday visitors with Ray and Myrtle Hutchinson and family in Kingman.

Ryley Dairy Club members were among the invited guests in Vegreville on Saturday, April 10th, to a social evening sponsored by the Vegreville 4-H Dairy Club.

## Baseball clinic is planned

The snow is melting, the sky is clearing and the flowers are blooming, well almost, anyway. The Holden Recreation Board is getting an early start in this year's baseball season by co-sponsoring a regional one-day baseball clinic.

The Alberta Baseball Umpires Association along with the recreation and cultural development branch of the provincial government are the co-sponsors of this clinic and through the efforts of Don Coutu, the Holden Recreation Board will host the clinic.

Sunday, May 9th, is the day set for the clinic. It will commence at 10 a.m. and continue through 5 p.m. with a break for meals. The meeting hall is the Canadian Legion, next door to the Curling Club building in Holden.

The school is open to anyone 16 years and over, interested in improving their knowledge of baseball and baseball rules. The course will cover such things as philosophy of umpiring, leadership, rules and rule changes, deportment and positional techniques. The instruction will be provided by competent officials of the Alberta Baseball Umpires Association.

Applicants will be responsible for their own room and board and transportation expenses. The deadline for applications and registration fees of $1.00 will be Saturday, May 1st, and they are to be left with or sent to Don Coutu of Holden. Don may be phoned at 122 or 75.

### THE WEATHER ...

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Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Kaufman wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Inez Mae, to Mr. Walter Lutz, son of Mr and Mrs. Reinhold Lutz of Holden. The marriage will take place June 25th, 1965. 33p-2206

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McHeffey wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Mary Joyce Warner to Mr Bernard G Worsfold son of Mr and Mrs. Geo. Worsfold of Jasper, Alberta. The marriage will take place at Robertson United Church in Edmonton on May 29th, 1965, at 4:00 o'clock. 33p-2201

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### FUTURE DATES

**TEA AND SALE OF HOUSE**

The annual Mother's Day Tea and Sale of House Plants, sponsored by the Holy Trinity Afternoon W.A. will be held in the library [illegible] Saturday May 8th, starting at 2:30 p.m. 32-33-36c-2336

**ANNUAL EASTER TEA**

The Evening Unit of the U.C.W. will hold their Annual Easter Tea in the United Church Basement on Saturday, April 17th, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. There will also be a Sale of Potted Plants, Cut Flowers and Home Baking. 33-33c-2335

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EASTERN HOLIDAY

Mrs. Bertha Sanderson left on the transcontinental Thursday April 8th for [illegible] where she will visit for a few days with her son Jim and family. They will all be leaving the early part of the week by car for Cincinnati where they will spend the Easter holiday with Mrs. Sanderson's daughter, Margaret and family. Mrs. Sanderson will spend another week with her daughter and family before returning home the end of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chamulke were shopping visitors in Edmonton Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Manovski and family moved into the Harry Bilyk residence last week. They have been residing in the Mrs. Olaf Chetney residence for the past year and a half. Mr. and Mrs. Chetney are planning on remodelling their home this spring.

Mrs. T. A. Liden returned home last week after spending several days visiting with relatives in Calgary and calling on friends in Edmonton.

Mrs. Jim McLeod was a visitor in Edmonton with her daughter, Mrs. Brian Williams at the Royal Alex Hospital and making the acquaintance of the new granddaughter.

Mrs. Lud Mielimaka and Mrs. Olga Bilyk were shopping visitors in Edmonton Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shumley returned home Thursday evening of last week, after spending a week and a half visiting with their families at Drayton Valley.

Bennie Chamulke, who is employed in Edmonton, was a weekend visitor with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chamulke.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Foran returned home from Calgary on Monday evening of last week where they had spent the weekend visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black were celebrating and receiving the best wishes of their many friends and relatives Wednesday, March 31st, the occasion being their 25th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Clara Armstrong, who is home after being a patient for eight days in the Royal Alex Hospital after recent surgery, motored to Edmonton Monday of last week with Mrs. Helen Tiedemann, for a check-up from her doctor. Mrs. Armstrong, who is employed at the Norwood Auxiliary Hospital in Edmonton, is on sick leave and will be returning to her position there near the end of the month.

Alan Tiedemann, who had been visiting over the weekend with his family, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, motored back to the city Monday of last week, returning home later in the week.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann was a business shopper in Edmonton a week ago Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Earl Hardy and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor.

Geo. H. Taylor was a visitor in Viking Thursday of last week on business regarding EMO.

AUXILIARY MEETS

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion held their monthly meeting in the Legion Hall Monday, April 5th. Regular business was attended to and reports given. One new member was initiated, and the lunch hostess was Mrs. Clara Sizer.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann and young son Robert, attended the amateur program in Ryley on Saturday evening when Robert was one of the contestants.

John Mlayk was a business visitor in [illegible] the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kalmmy and family were business and shopping visitors in Camrose last Saturday afternoon.

Pat Komarnisky, who has been working up in the northern part of the province for the past few months, is back in Holden for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Chupka and family of Edmonton were visiting over the weekend with relatives around the district.

## Mr. & Mrs. Hooper mark anniversary

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus entertained at a family dinner party at her home Sunday April 11th, in honor of her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hooper, who celebrated their 58th wedding anniversary. During the afternoon, a number of friends called for coffee and to pay their respects and congratulate the guests of honor on this happy occasion. We, with their many friends and neighbors, extend congratulations to this worthy couple and hope that they will be with us for many more years.


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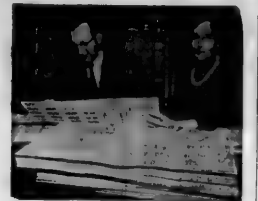

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# J. U. Ericksons honored at district 'farewell'

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, April 13th — A capacity crowd of friends and neighbors filled the Wilhelmina Church on Sunday when open house and a farewell party was held for Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Erickson and Karen. Well-known farmers in the East Hay Lakes district, Mr. and Mrs. Erickson will be leaving shortly for Lethbridge to reside. The Ericksons have lived in the district for 30 years and will be greatly missed by all.

Pastor P. Swedberg was in charge of the program which featured a solo by Mrs. Swedberg, and two songs by the Sunday School children. Pastor O. Eklund, a former pastor of the church, expressed his best wishes for their future success and happiness but regrets that the church and community would be losing such a staunch family. The Ericksons have been ardent and faithful church workers throughout the years.

Audrey and Barbara Grue sang a duet and Verner Johnson a solo.

John Holmberg, on behalf of the FUA, presented the Ericksons with a silver engraved tray. Pastor Swedberg made the presentation of a mantel clock (also engraved) from the Wilhelmina [illegible] and Ingvald Ness presented a purse of money from friends. Mr. Erickson, on behalf of Mrs. Erickson and Karen and himself, expressed his heartfelt thanks. The Ladies' Aid served a very delicious lunch to all who called.

# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Congratulations go to Ellen and Rodger Heflin on the birth of their [illegible] on April 13th at Olds. Congratulations also go to the proud grandparents (Ellen's parents), Russel and Mabel Ferguson, of the Lakeshore district.

Gloria and Johnny Wood were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald.

Don and Donnas Niemetz and baby son, of Provost, arrived Friday evening and were [illegible] guests at the home of Don's parents, George and Ida Niemetz. Gail Niemetz of Edmonton was also home over the weekend.

LCW TO MEET

The Lakeshore UCW will hold their April meeting at the manse home of Mrs. McDonnold on Wednesday, April 21st, at 2.00 p.m. Roll call will be answered with a Bible verse. Anyone wishing to donate to the cancer fund, please bring your donation to the meeting and save your canvassers a call.

On Wednesday of last week, afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg were Mrs. Annie Kur, Mrs. Ellenor Jones and Mrs. Ellen Eaton. Ellenor and Ellen were also supper guests there. Later in the evening, Joe Jones was also a coffee guest there when he called to take Ellenor home.

Herb and Mary McAdoo were Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Joe and Ellenor Jones.

**Mrs. Patsy Laxton and baby Cheryl returned home from the Lamont Hospital on Sunday and are now at their home in Tofield.**

Art and Ada Keaton, their son Kendall and their daughter Christine, of Alix, were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Ada's sister, Ruth, an Roy Wickenberg.

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Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Emil's brother, Bill and Mary Tiedemann, and Mary's mother, Mrs. Dunn, all of Deville.

LIQUID EMBROIDERY DEMONSTRATION

Mrs. Martha Tiedemann accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Yvonne Brown of Ketchamoot to Lindbrook, where they attended a demonstration party of Tri-Chem Liquid Embroidery Painting at the home of Mrs. Tom Beverton. After the demonstration, a very delicious luncheon was served by the hostess.

Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg, Mrs. Mabel Bailey, Mrs. Helen Wiklun and Mrs. Ellen Eaton surprised Mrs. Bertha Phillips on Monday afternoon with a belated birthday party and luncheon at her home.

# Bardo news briefs

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, April 13th — Services on Easter Sunday at Bardo Lutheran Church April 18th at 10 a.m. and Sunday School at 11 a.m.

Axel and Nita Kindley were Sunday dinner guests at the Harold Kindley home in Edmonton on Sunday. In the afternoon they visited at the Angus Mitchell home.

The Charles Rude family visited at the Edwin Klein home in the Viking district on Sunday.

Berry Mosby spent the weekend at Ryley with Bernice's parents, the Ed Magnessons.

Visitors at the Clarence Rude home on Saturday in celebration of Clarence's 73rd birthday were Olaf and Nora Anderson, Alice Fineath, Glenn and Iris Francis and children, Joanne Lauber, Carl, Alma, Marie and Gary Nelson and Lars, Anita, Dane and Teresa Rude.

Leroy and Mary Fineath and children took Monrad and Alice Caroline Foshaug of Edmonton spent the weekend with her parents, the Ivan Foshaugs.

Iris Francis and children motored to Edmonton on Sunday to bring back Ilene who spent a week with her uncle and aunt Dennis and Carol Bjarnson, and two little cousins.

Sam and Selma Cinnamon visited Selma's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Simonson in Edmonton on Sunday.

Olaf and Alice Stokkan visited Dale, Arlene and Kevin Rude at Inland on Sunday afternoon. On Sunday evening the Ivan Foshaug family visited the Stokkans.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Anderson visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Maurer in Tofield on Sunday afternoon.

# Kingman news

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

LCW MEETING

KINGMAN, April 13th — The Salem LCW held their regular meeting at the church on Thursday evening, April 8th, with a good attendance of members and four visitors. Devotion was read by Mrs. P. Boness and Mrs. Olaf Heie led the Bible study. It was [illegible] to visit Bethany Home and Hospital in Camrose on April 24th, with Group No. 2 in charge of lunch.

Two delegates were elected to attend the LCW conference convention in [illegible] 1st, [illegible] ly, Mrs. P. [illegible] and [illegible] Bjorgum, with Mrs. T. Onsum, alternate.

Meditation prayer was read by Mrs. J. Johnson. Mrs. J. A. Helte and Miss Mabel [illegible]son were hostesses. Offering amounted to $16.65.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Magnuson at St. Mary's Hospital, April 8th, a son, Darron Clifford. Mr. and Mrs. L. Erga are the proud grandparents.**

Good Friday service at the Salem Lutheran Church at 10 a.m. and Easter Sunday at 11:30 a.m., with Pastor G. Ostrem in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cuykendahl and family visited the Earl Lowes at Stony Plain on Sunday.

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# News items from Holden district

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kalemy and Mr. and Mrs. John Lemko visited in Edmonton Sunday, April 4th, with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Zylak and family. The Zylaks resided in Holden when Mike was agent of one of the elevators here.

**Peter Sorensen left on a trip the beginning of April on a visit to his homeland, Denmark. He planned on being away two or three weeks.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason Jr. of Wetaskiwin with their three small sons, Daren, Darcy and Derrick were visiting the weekend of April 3rd, with their families, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason. Doug Hardy of Edmonton and a friend were also callers with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy, during the same weekend.

William Babie of Vegreville, formerly of Holden, was a business visitor in Holden a week ago Wednesday. He has been a hospital patient, having surgery for sinus trouble, and we hope he is now feeling much better.

**NEW 'HILTON' HOMES**

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Laustsen and family moved into their new home just completed a week ago, and are busy getting settled. They have been residing in the Harry Michlich residence. Their house is one of the two which has been built on the former Black property by "Hilton Homes". The other residence will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Kornelson who moved there on Friday after residing formerly at the Nard residence.

**Mr. and Mrs. Brian Williams (nee Bernice McLeod) of Edmonton are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Carla Joan, on April 6th at the Royal Alex. Hospital, the first grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. Jim McLeod.**

**TO WINNIPEG**

Mrs. Ken Campbell motored here from Leduc on Friday to pick up her mother, Mrs. N. L. Campbell, who will be an overnight guest with her daughter and family. Mrs. Campbell will be leaving by Air Canada Saturday for Winnipeg where she will spend a couple of weeks visiting with her son Bill, his wife and three sons. She will also visit with her niece, Dorothy and family.

**Thomas Nakonecny was taken to Tofield hospital in the ambulance last Tuesday. He has not been feeling well this past winter, having had surgery the early part of the year and later a bad attack of influenza.**

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## Town council . . .

(Continued from Page 1)

Block 7, Plan 8205, the building having burned in 1963, was granted, after three readings of cancellation by bylaw covering same.

Requisitions were received from the Department of Education, foundation program for $32,288.00, and from the Department of Municipal Affairs, hospital act for $4,966.50.

Department of Municipal Affairs notified council of the appointing of G. Greany as assessor for the Town of Tofield for [illegible]

John Wall will be the weed inspector for 1965 on appointment by council.

An estimate of costs to repair the roof of a town owned residence on Lots 31 and 32, Block 7, Plan 8205, was received from Chas. F. Kallal for $256.85. The council was informed that 80% of this could be recovered from the Department of Welfare. It was moved and carried that the estimated price be accepted and the roof be repaired.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Easter is here once again. Nature is always consistent though she feigns to contravene her own laws. She keeps her laws, and seems to transcend them.

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# *Around the Town*

**FAREWELL PARTY**

Last Thursday night a number of ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. Betty Swanson for a farewell gathering in honor of Mrs. Ron Brown. The evening was spent visiting and playing rummoli. A delicious Chinese supper was served by the hostess. The ladies wished Bev every happiness in their new home in Stettler.

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Mrs. Edith Rogers is spending a few days in Edmonton.

Floyd and Nettie Kendall and Kenny of Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests with Floyd's mother, Mrs. Edna Kendall.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Heflin of Olds on April 12th, a son. The baby's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. Heflin and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ferguson of Tofield.

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Mrs. Myrtle Vaughn spent the weekend in Edmonton visiting friends.

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**SYMPATHY**

The sympathy of the district is extended to the Litwin families in the death of Mr. Litwin.

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Neal Patterson from Montreal, engineer with the Bell Telephone Co., spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Patterson.

**RETURNS FROM MONTREAL**

Dr. Freebury returned home Sunday from Montreal where he has been for the past two weeks doing post graduate work at the Montreal General Hospital.

While there he visited his son, Colin, who is working at the St. Andrew's Youth Centre.

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Mrs. Freebury will leave on Friday for Vancouver to spend the Easter holidays with her mother.

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Mrs. Helen Lindsay spent the weekend at Rimbey with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Archie McGilvray.

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Mrs. Bill Davison, Karen and Marilyn and Marion Hardy spent Friday till Sunday at Calgary. They visited Herb Davison at "Tech" school and Mrs. Davison's brother and family, the Roy Findleys.

## *From the mail bag*

Tofield Mercury,
Dear Editor:

The other day I heard the usual familiar remark, "We baby our youth too much today; look at the wonderful recreational facilities they have today that we did not have in our times"; and repeatedly hearing and seeing Canada's national sport over the air, I decided on All-fools-day to see what the amateurs were doing in town. In looking over the hockey rink, I found it of truly nineteenth century style—with no roof, no ice in sight and apparently had not been since the last snow-storm. It left me wondering where the "wonderful facilities" were? It took no flight of imagination to visualize the youth winter recreational problems, for if it there was a warm sun the ice would be soft and heavy, if it was cold and/or windy, or the ice uncleaned, surely no skating or hockey.

And as I stood there I thought back and remembered that, some years ago a youth came to me in the pool-hall and begged me to assist in organizing a hockey team to give he and some others something to do. I was unable at the time to give adequate assistance to get it going; and the next I knew of him he was raiding a nearby barn yard for a thrill, or relief from boredom. A few months later he joined those to whom the province furnishes "free board and lodging". Could that Hockey Team have prevented his getting into trouble?

And then I crossed the road, and lo . . . I was in a nice warm twentieth century room, and saw several lovely sheets of artificial ice, with dads, uncles, moms, aunts and other adults enjoying the Roarin' Game, and I heard plans of a rip-roarin' banquet to close the season. And I was very glad that I had lived to "see the day" when we oldsters were supplied with ample recreational facilities to keep us out of trouble, with no excuse for setting bad examples for our youth. But I could hear Ezekial saying, "Ye 'entertain' yourselves, but ye 'entertain' not the flock—so they are scattered".

Geo. G. Abernethy.

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**ALBERTA JUNIOR CITIZEN OF THE YEAR BULLETIN:**

**Important Message from H. G. Meyer of The Tofield Mercury**

## How you can help to give enterprising young Albertans the credit they deserve

I'm proud to be one of the many weekly newspaper editors who, every year, receive nominations from readers, for Alberta Junior Citizen of the Year Awards. After all, isn't it true that meritorious conduct on the part of our youngsters deserves to be recognized? This is why I'm glad to hear about young people who you - my readers - believe deserve these Junior Citizen Awards. It may be an individual, or it may be a group of two or more (don't forget, there's a special award for groups).

How do our young people qualify? Well, good citizenship takes endless forms! Physical heroism. Community work. Undertaking exceptional responsibilities in the home. Church work. Going out of one's way to help someone in difficulty. I could go on for several columns! The important thing is, if you know of enterprising youngsters between 6 and 16 years, who have done something worthwhile since August 1964 . . .

## Just tell me about them

**Be sure to include your own name and address. Nominators of winners are entitled to nominator certificates. Remember, too, all youngsters nominated will receive certificates of recognition. Contact me by letter, phone, or in person!**

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# Surprise 'farewell' honors Holden couple

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — A suprise "farewell party" for Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shehinski was held Thursday evening at the home of Chris [illegible] and sons, [illegible] and Reuben. Approximately 30 friends and neighbors gathered to wish Annie and Harry happiness in their new home in Edmonton. Various card games were played during the evening and Nick Fedruk spoke briefly on the achievements of the couple while living in the district, and on behalf of all, presented the guests of honor with an electric percolator. Mr. and Mrs. Shehinski thanked all their friends for the lovely gift, the party and good wishes. A delicious lunch was then served, bringing to a close a very enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Shehinski are leaving Sunday for Edmonton. Last year, Harry had the misfortune to injure his hand quite badly making it impossible to do farm work. Mrs. Shehinski will be employed in a store in Edmonton, and Harry is hopeful of obtaining a light job that he is able to do.

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## Paul Sirdar passes

Mr. Paul Sirdar passed away at Tofield on April 9th, at the age of 77 years and 9 months. He is survived by his wife, nine daughters, three sons, 17 grandchildren, and a brother in Vancouver, B.C.

Funeral service was held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 14th, from St. Francis Roman Catholic Church, with Father Scriven officiating. Interment was made in Tofield Cemetery.

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# Ketchamoot news briefs

(Mary Mitchell)

MRS LEE PASSES

An oldtime district resident, Mrs. Jenny Lee passed away in Edmonton on Saturday, April 10th at the age of 88 years. The funeral services were held Tuesday and burial at Beechmount cemetery in Edmonton.

Sunday afternoon visitors with Lil and Harold Schultz and family were Barbara and Clifford Appleby and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mitchell in Tofield.

Gordon Kyle has been holidaying for the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kyle in Kelowna, B.C.

The grandchildren of Agnes and Henry McGinitie were overnight guests while their parents Harvey and Pauline McGinitie of Viking were Edmonton visitors.

A birthday party was held on Sunday afternoon for Phyllis Lee at her home, this being her eighth birthday. There were approximately 15 guests who enjoyed a pleasant afternoon together.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Herb Arbon has been a patient in the Tofield Municipal Hospital for several weeks.

Stanley Wanger and Gordon Kyle visited recently with Pete Romanishyn in the Camrose hospital.

HERE FROM B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Buchak of Vernon, B.C., were last week visitors with their daughter, Mary, and son-in-law, Ivan Mitchell.

Dorothy and Roy Whillans spent Sunday evening with Mildred and Roy Lee.

## Holden couple observes 25th anniversary

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Approximately 35 relatives and friends held a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black Sunday afternoon, April 4th, to honor them on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary. The afternoon was spent in playing various games and later a delicious full course turkey dinner was served which had been brought by those attending. A beautiful decorated wedding cake had also been brought.

Many lovely gifts had been presented to the guests of honor and both Anne and Sam thanked all for the wonderful party and their good wishes. Sam's family were oldtimers in the Holden area. Congratulations from the community are extended to Anne and Sam on the happy occasion.

## Red Cross speaker attends CC meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Chamber of Commerce held their regular supper meeting Tuesday, April 6th, in the hotel dining room, with approximately 18 persons present. The guest speaker, Mr. Cuthbert of Edmonton of the Canadian Red Cross, gave a very interesting talk on the various services rendered by the society, and showed a film explaining these services, and their campaign. The Red Cross supplies aid to needy people in case of being burned out, flooding and other catastrophes. It also supplies free blood transfusion service, and unless a successful campaign is held some of the services would have to be curtailed.

## Mrs. Grossman passes in Rosehaven Hospital

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Mrs. Grossman, an old-time district resident passed away at the Rosehaven Hospital, Camrose, Sunday, April 4th. Mrs. Grossman, who was 72 years of age had been in poor health for the last three or four years. The service was held Wednesday afternoon, April 7th, in the Holden United Church with Rev. Barkwell of Viking officiating. Interment was in the Viking cemetery.

## Pioneer woman passes at 89 years

LEE — On April 10th, Mrs. Eliza Jane Lee of Edmonton, passed away at 89 years. Born at Douglas, Ontario, she came to Tofield in 1907 and later moved to Edmonton in 1935. She was predeceased by her husband William in 1945, a son John in 1955, and a son Wilfred in 1960. She is survived by three sons, Lorne and Roy of Tofield and Howard of Edmonton; one daughter, (Viola) Mrs. A. C. Edgar of Edmonton, nine grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, April 13th at 3 30 p.m. from Andrews-McLaughlin Chapel in Edmonton, with Rev. Frank Chubb officiating, and interment at Beechmount Cemetery.

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# Local 4-H Club among program winners

This has been 4-H Radio Week at CFCW in Camrose. Tofield 4-H Beef Club was one of many that took part in a program sponsored by CFCW. They put on a short radio program (5 - 10 minutes) stressing the three main beef breeds of cattle, their origin, and farm management.

Each club contesting put on a similar program, about 30 clubs taking part. Tofield was one of nine winners. The final winner of these nine clubs will be announced Friday, April 23rd.

Laurie Weatherill, Phyllis Rose, Marjorie Moore and Colleen Wyllie made up Tofield's program and put it on. As a member of this group, Laurie Weatherill is attending a five-day trip in the city of Camrose this week. The local 4-H Beef Club is very proud of these four members for doing such a good job.

CAR WASH

This Saturday is 4-H Day in Tofield, when the [illegible] members will be washing cars at Jim Fisher's, holding a [illegible] sale at the Crown Lumber Co., with the Pee-Wee Beef Club participating by selling popcorn and operating a shoe-shine stand. It is hoped that everyone will help to make the day a success by patronizing these efforts. The club plans to make this an annual event.

A LONG WAIT. Ever wonder, as this young fisherman is doing, why your line sometimes doesn't even get a nibble? Well, naturalists have come up with the reason why northern pike rarely go for a hook . . . it's because of slow digestion. Pike take 50 hours to fully digest food, and during that time it's unlikely to be tempted by even the fattest worm!

## Around the Town

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fine from Penticton, B.C., are spending the Easter holidays with friends in town.

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Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Heitman of Sherwood Park spent Sunday with Brock and Elsie Gray.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gory and family of Lac La Biche were Saturday visitors in town.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis went to Calgary to attend the graduation of their son, Garry, who completed three years at the Berean College. Mrs. George Francis and Margaret accompanied them. Josephine Francis, Dean of Women at the college, returned home with them.

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Lynda and Donald Ozubko spent a few days with their sister, Mrs. Pat Gill, in Edmonton.

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David Eaglesham of Edmonton is spending the Easter holidays with his cousin, George Othen.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Lahey of Cold Lake, Mr. Eaglesham, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roberge, Patty and Brendon spent Sunday at Wainwright with Mr. and Mrs. Mat Eaglesham and family.

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Sharon Ozubko spent a few days last week in Edmonton with her sister, Marlene.

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Mrs. J. W. Chapman of Edmonton spent the Easter weekend at the home of Mrs. Edith Rogers.

Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and Edith Mary spent the Easter weekend at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson, returning to Edmonton Monday afternoon.

## Lions report shows deficit

Tofield Lions Club held their first April supper meeting on Tuesday, April 13th in the Community Hall meeting room.

The nominating committee reported on the slate of officers for next year. It has been proposed to have suitable nicknames for members, some of which were acceptable to those referred to.

The matter of a club token was left until later, a report on bingo was made and the financial report given, showing the skating rink had operated at a loss of over $450.00, exclusive of buying a snow blower at under $400.00.

A ladies night will be the highlight of the last meeting of the month.

## W. Toderovich gets lumber yard transfer

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — William Toderovich, manager of the Revelstoke Building Materials lumber yard for the past year and a half, is being transferred to the branch at Vegreville. They have been busy this past week taking stock, and Mr. and Mrs. Toderovich will be leaving for Vegreville in the near future. We understand that Milton Malick, presently in charge of the branch at Daysland, will be returning from there to take over the lumber yards, and moving here with his wife and family.

## Ladies' Club has April meet

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

MINISTIK — The April meeting of the Ministik Ladies' Club was held at the United Church on Wednesday with 14 members and two guests present.

Roll call was the exchange of an Easter card and many lovely ones were received. May roll call will be "A Bible verse that means a lot to me".

Plans were made for the annual strawberry tea to be held on June 5th with Mrs. Andrew Ferguson as convener. A lamp will be raffled that day. As the secretary, Mrs. Dennis Jones will be leaving the district soon, a pendant and earrings were presented to her by the president, Mrs. Pat Paterson, a gift from the club. Mrs. Frank Swabey was chosen president to complete Mrs. Jones' term. Plans for a whist drive in aid of the community picnic fund were made, this to be held on May 14th. Mrs. Andrew Ferguson will also be the convener with Mrs. Claude Leach assisting.

Mrs. Frank Swabey, Mrs. Joe Davenport and Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth celebrated birthdays in April and were recipients of boxes of chocolates and birthday cards. A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Helen Hennessey, Mrs. Tom Jones and Mrs. Albert Horricks.

## Top students at UN seminar

Mr. and Mrs. David Thompson, accompanied by some of Alberta's best High School Science students, are spending the Easter holiday week in New York, attending a United Nations' Seminar.

In August, Rosanne and David will direct a week-long Seminar on the University campus in Edmonton on the theme, "Science in the Service of Humanity". Attending will [illegible] about 90 students from Alberta High Schools who have been [illegible] because of special aptitude and interest in Science. The Seminar will consist of lectures, tours, workshop discussions, etc. The students showing the most promise and best standing will be eligible for the New York trip next Easter.

## C. J. Kallals observe 50th anniversary

A Tofield district couple, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Joseph Kallal celebrated their golden anniversary Sunday at their home.

Attending the family celebration were their nine children and 33 grandchildren.

Married April 13th, 1915, at St. Joachim's Catholic Church, in Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Kallal lived for many years at their home at the Kallal Hereford Rranch Ltd., a few miles from Tofield. For the past few years, the couple have made their home in the town.

Mrs. E. J. Hatherton of Vancouver, B.C., was present at the family home for the celebration.

## Friendship group meets at Ruskenveld home

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The regular monthly meeting of the Friendship group was held at the home of Mrs. Oscar Ruskenveld Thursday, April 15th. Mrs. Mary James, president, opened the meeting reading an Easter prayer, which was followed by the hymn "Near the Cross". The devotions were taken by Mrs. James, the scripture being from John, chapters 17 and 18, on betrayal of Jesus before the crucifixion. In the absence of the secretary, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. James took the roll call, with members responding with an appropriate Bible verse. Mrs. James read a short story on "Mary and Martha".

Mrs. Campbell had received a letter from Miss McLeod in Hong Kong, thanking the ladies for their donation of money towards the adopted boy. They were advised that he had been transferred to another part of China and their future donations would go towards the education of a ten-year-old girl, Lai Ping. Her parents were extremely poor, the father unable to earn enough to take care of his family's needs.

The meeting closed with a hymn, followed by the benediction after which the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Edna Ruskenveld, served a delicious lunch.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus.

## PTR Mission here in June

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hurum, Mr. and Mrs. Algot Hultholm, Mrs. Hilmer Olsen, Miss Margaret Grube, and Ralph Mason, members of the Holden Lutheran Church, attended a recent meeting in Camrose regarding the future PTR Mission. The mission will be held June 6th to 9th in the Lutheran church at which a special guest speaker from Minneapolis, U.S., will be present. The group attending the meeting found it to be very instructive and informative on the briefing to be given to all members re-

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

A true friend unbosoms freely, advises justly, assists readily, adventures boldly, takes all patiently, defends courageously, and continues a friend unchangeably.—Anon.

—J.W.R.

# 4-H Day in Tofield Sat. April 24

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## 24 karat gold

Last week under the heading "That's gold in them thar hills" this column referred to the amount of money available in this country to finance this country's development.

Premier Manning won't looking over our shoulder when we wrote the article, and it's certain we didn't have the opportunity to peek beforehand at his speech on Thursday to the Canadian Petroleum Association, so it's fascinating to see how similar were the two ideas.

The only difference, of course, is that Premier Manning's it authentic, based on factual and privileged information. Ours had to be based on such information as is permitted to be known.

However, he highlighted our idea.

The gold we talked about turns out to be pure 24 karat stuff, not just traces. And to hear Mr. Manning talk, you'd think we were sitting on top of the Mother Lode.

We knew the recent Alberta Government Telephones $10,000,000 debenture was rapidly oversubscribed . . . we didn't know until Mr. Manning reported on the matter that the entire issue was sold out in only two or three hours after it went on sale.

We knew, too, the recent issue of Great Canadian Oil Sands would be oversubscribed several times over. That didn't take any crystal ball to figure out. But who could have guessed the issue, for $12,500,000 . . . twelve and a half million dollars . . . would be oversubscribed one hundred times, in the premier's words.

His point in making all these statements is that the money is here, without question. He was making a plea for an opportunity for Albertans, especially, as well as other Canadians, to share in the returns, as well as the risks, of development of our own natural resources. He was making his plea to members of the oil industry, yet it is certain it would be heard by other segments of the industrial economy.

Let's hope that Ottawa hears the plea, too, and amends a point or two in the tax laws here and there, giving Canadians an equitable an opportunity to profit from the wealth and development of our country as is given to our neighbors who move in and help to develop us.

## Who cares?

Farmers particularly should be interested in the article in a recent issue of Maclean's Magazine pointing out that Britons are most unhappy with the shilly reception their manufacturers are given in this country, especially when it comes to the taxation basis.

Probably by now thousands of Canadians have read the item, which points out how . . . in spite of election promises both by the Diefenbaker and the Pearson parties, . . . customs laws have not lessened, and in fact have grown more stringent in recent years.

Farmers particularly, and indeed all Westerners, must be concerned with the situation because one of the greatest commodities we export to Britain is grain. If Britain decides she can no longer buy from us unless we buy from her, the Western farmer would be one of the first to feel the restrictions, and the Western economy would be one of the first to object to Whitehall's 'discrimination'.

Probably some imbalance is to be expected, but the British point out with some concern that their purchases from us have been roughly double their sales for years, and that fully a third of their deficit trade balance can be chalked up to their purchases from Canada.

So the farmers in this region are entitled to ask what their own representative at Ottawa, Cliff Smallwood, has been doing on their behalf. Indeed, they're entitled to ask what any Western MP has been doing to improve their chances of continued wheat sales to Britain . . . and since nearly every Western MP is Conservative, what has the party been doing for them? On the other side of the political fence, the Minister of Agriculture is from Alberta. What has he been doing to soften trade restrictions for Britain, to ensure an open door for Canadian tradesmen?

The questions need to be answered. The chill wind might otherwise blow the door shut.

## Voice of experience

Proponents of publicly owned utilities . . . and they've been heard several times recently . . . might do well to spend a moment or more reflecting on the comment of the Fort Erie, Ontario, Letter Review, which commented recently: "Thorold Township is a highly industrialized area that gets its electric power from the Ontario Hydro. Ontario Hydro charges its rates whenever it feels like it without more than a cursory explanation to the legislature or the public. Most utilities in the private investor area have to make elaborate presentations of their case. Most utilities in the public area are as free as the birds".

It's funny how easy it can be to ignore the voice of experience, and insist on making all the mistakes for ourselves.

## By George!



Although it is fully sympathetic to the U.S. balance-of-payments problem, the Canadian government, The Financial Post says, sincerely hopes President Johnson's "See America First" program is a flop—at least to the extent that it doesn't inhibit U.S. visitors coming here. The travel industry is confidently betting that tourists will earn Canada more than $700 million this year, and that more than nine million of it will be in $U.S. It is a little early in the year for firm predictions — the flow of tourists usually begins to be heavy in mid-May—but indications so far are all favorable. "Revenue from tourism have increased on average 8% - 10% each year". Canadian Government Travel Bureau director Allen Field told The Financial Post. "There is every indication this trend is going to continue". Tourists earned $661 million in 1964, $32 million more than in 1963. Of that total, millions come from U.S. visitors. Canada still had a net loss, on travel, because Canadians spent $713 million abroad—the great bulk of it in the U.S.

The judgment of the slogan "See America First" is worthy of note, for it is similar to one that has been dropped by the Alberta Tourist Bureau long since . . . "Stay Alberta First". It was felt by our provincial bureau that this slogan might be distasteful to our American neighbors, and other provinces, and so now the slogan is "Know Alberta Better".

Indications are that President Johnson is far behind Alberta in his thinking, or that he just doesn't care about the feelings of Canadian tourists, or those from other countries either.

THE CLIP SHEET

### RCMP In the Front Line

(By C. J. Morris)

The public attitude toward the Police, states RCMP Commissioner George B McClellan, is contributing to the increase in crime, is making it more difficult for the police to do the job for which they are paid, is making it more difficult to attract good men into police work.

"There has never been a time in the history of law enforcement in the Western world", Commissioner McClellan said in a Toronto speech, "when those of us whom you have retained to protect you were more in need of the backing and support of the courts, the legal profession, the teaching profession and, above all, the general public. But there has hardly been a time when police have been subjected to more criticism, more abuse, or more frustration than at present".

Two examples of harmful public attitudes were cited by the commissioner. One concerned those citizens who refuse to help the police because they don't want to get involved, or don't want to be bothered—as in the case of the witness to a crime who was reluctant to testify because, "after all, the police get paid to find out these things without bothering innocent people". The other concerned those citizens who downgrade the police even when they need their help—as in the case of the woman who is reporting that her home had been ransacked, told the police: "If you are coming in uniform, don't bother to call".

Even more damaging to society is the common practice of publicizing and glamorizing the criminal, as in the recent Montreal jailbreak of suspected gang smuggler Lucien Rivard. The contrast, the commissioner commented, there was almost publicity of the fate of 24-year-old Constable Amery of the RCMP, who was shot and killed on a Newfoundland street while endeavoring to arrest four prisoners, who had escaped from penitentiary.

"The police", said Commissioner McLellan, "are in the front line in the war against crime. They know what they are up against and they are not encouraged when they find so frequently that they, rather than the criminal, are regarded in some quarters as the enemy of society". Nor is the policeman a person apart. He is society. "When he is assaulted, society as a whole is assaulted. When he dies on some dark street, society is sorrowed down there on the dirty pavement with him. When he succeeds his authority, his standing short. But when he is doing, as most of us are enough, thankless and frequently dangerous job for you and all you hold dear, for God's sake we get his back".


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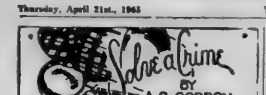


YOU ARE THE DETECTIVE

Henry Kroger, one of the city's millionaire businessmen, has been found in his study at home, killed by a bullet from an unknown assassin's gun. During your examination of the study, after the body had been removed, you have come across a memo pad next to the telephone, and written in pencil on this pad are five names and phone numbers.

You decide to begin your investigation with the five persons whose names are on the list. You dial the first number, find it to be that of the Woodland Motel, wherefrom you ask for Frank Adams. When his voice comes over the wire, you explain to him that you are at the home of Henry Kroger, who has just been found murdered, and that you would appreciate his coming over immediately for a few routine questions. After expressing his great shock over the tragic news, Adams tells you he'll be there within a half hour. Then you proceed to call the other four numbers, two of which are women. Within an hour, the five persons are sitting in Kroger's living room, and you begin questioning each one of them separately in the study. Three of them have no alibi as to their whereabouts at the time of the murder.

Arlene Ludlow, an attractive young blonde fails to produce a very strong alibi. "I was attending a movie . . . I don't know, I know that's an old one, hard to prove or disprove . . . but it's true. And certainly I would have had no reason in the world for killing Henry. He was always the best of friends".

The final one of the five persons to face you in the study is Frank Adams. "You say you knew Kroger only slightly?"

"Yes", replies Adams, removing the half-smoked cigar from the corner of his mouth. "I've seen him only twice in my life . . . earlier this year when I came into this city on business. We met on both of those occasions at his office, and in fact I didn't even know where he lived until you phoned me this evening. His phone number, as you know, is unlisted. I just arrived in town early this afternoon on another business trip . . . I'm a salesman . . . and I was scheduled to see Kroger in his office tomorrow morning. We had another deal pending, and that means a lot of money to me . . . I was certainly I had no motive for killing him!"

"Are you positive about that last statement?" you ask abruptly. "Maybe one of those 'business deals' backfired, and made you angry enough to kill Henry Kroger."

"Why . . . I don't know what you mean" . . . stammers Frank Adams.

SOLUTION

Three items have added up to: 1) Henry Kroger's name is unlisted in the telephone directory; 2) Frank Adams told you he didn't know where Kroger lived until you phoned him this evening; 3) You made no mention of Kroger's address when you spoke to Adams over the phone. Despite these facts, Frank Adams came to Kroger's home in response to you request.

## 23 children contest WCTU public speaking

BARDO, April 12th — A fair crowd was present at the Tofield Baptist Church for the speech contest on Friday evening, sponsored by the Bardo WCTU.

Mrs. Andy Hedburg was the pianist for the hymns and Rev. McDonald of the United Church led in scripture reading and prayer. Mrs. Carl Nelson, president of the union, welcomed the audience and expressed her delight in so many children taking part in the contest. Mrs. John Wall favored the audience with a solo, accompanied by Mrs. Stinson at the piano.

Mrs. Glenn Francis was in charge of the contest in which 23 children took part. The bronze pin was won by Lorna McMann from the Baptist Church in Tofield. Other contestants in that class were Linda Rude, Garry Nelson, Lorna Rude, Bonnie Rude and Grace Hedberg.

There were too many children for one contest for the silverpin, so it was divided into two contests. Aaniet Murray from Tofield was the recipient of the coveted pin in this class and other contestants were Randy Rude, Sandra Anderson, Douglas Emseth, Garry Law, Judy Moore and Kevin Majeski. In the second class, Dale McMann was winner of the pin and others taking part were Lyle Hedberg, Annis Ingram, Dale Burnstad, Troy Anderson and Bobby Law.

In the 6 to 7 age group, a contest could not be run as there were only four contestants and it requires five, but four little girls, Colleen Burnstad, Brenda Rude, Carol Anne Francis and Elsa Hedberg said their pieces and each were given a maple leaf pin.

The judges, who had a difficult job as all the children did so well, were Mrs. Stinson, Mrs. Prosbury and Mrs. Ashdown of Tofield. Mr. Grainger, Keith Hostetler and Carl Nelson, all from Bardo.

A social hour was enjoyed in the church parlors when the WCTU members served lunch.


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Mr. and Mrs. Harvel Nesa of Edmonton spent Good Friday at the I Ness home and Mr. and Mrs Mervyn Ness and family also of Edmonton, were weekend visitors. Sherry Nesa is staying this week with her grandparents.

Mrs Clifford Christenson and Colin and Coleen spent Easter with the R. Hasselgrubers and G. Franklins, in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Albanus Johnson of Camrose, are visiting for a few days at the Britt Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Liddell and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Ester Stirret and family, of Edmonton, spent Friday at the Wilfred Johnson home.

Good Friday supper guests at the Con Stevenson home were Mr. and Mrs. Roe Phillips of Tofield, Mrs. Wesley Pollock of Edmonton, the Norman Boreham and Harvey Boreham families. Mr. and Mrs. David Boreham Mr and Mrs Fred Banks of Edmonton Fay Lenhardt of Holden, and the A. Anderson family.

Mr. Verne Nanka of Vermilion S. of A., visited with her parents for the Easter holidays.

Visitors at the Oscar Erga home during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hillman of Vancouver, B.C., Mr. and Mrs. Clif Hamilton and family and Walter Hillman of Edmonton, and the Ted Swantlind family of Drayton Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Holtz and Shelly of Grande Prairie and Mrs. Minnie Sevgaard of La Glace spent the weekend with Mike's mother, Mrs. John Holtz.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Gaebeld and girls of Edmonton were Sunday visitors in the Oscar Arneson home.

Sunday dinner guests at the Norman Boreham home were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Boreham and girls and Mrs. Ingrid Boreham.

Sunday dinner guests at the Allen Anderson home were Mr. and Mrs. George Pasbang and family and Mrs Alma Pasbang of Tofield and Richard Gunderson.


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# THE RYLEY TIMES

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# Revisions needed

by C. J. Harris

Sharply increased revenues having raised the possibility of tax cuts in the federal budget now in preparation, the estate tax is the levy that could profitably be revised and reformed. It is a source that provides relatively little revenue — less than 1.5 per cent of Ottawa's tax income in the current fiscal year — but it could be costing the country a good deal in terms of Canadian money sent elsewhere for investment and in terms of ownership of Canadian business passing into foreign hands.

The Montreal Gazette recently summed up the situation. "No one can reckon the huge amount a country like Canada has lost from the number of Canadians who have moved out of this country because it was a bad country to die in, and have spent their last years elsewhere for the sake of better tax conditions."

"And no one can estimate the number of companies that have had to be sold at the death of their owners because the double impact of income taxes and death duties created a sudden debt that reduced the value of the company to a nominal figure. A non-resident purchaser is in a far better position to buy the company because of the low 15 per cent non-resident tax. It is odd to complain about foreign ownership and yet have laws that help to expand it."

Since there is no public record of the movement of private funds or the sale of privately-owned businesses, these losses would be difficult to catalogue, but there is no doubt they have been substantial. Small family-owned businesses in particular, according to lawyers and accountants, are particularly vulnerable to the demands of the estate tax. It would seem only sensible to revise the act so as to permit instalment payment of succession duties, and also to reduce the rates.

Other changes, sought by many women's groups, concern the law's unfairness to widows. Though wives normally share in the building of a family's possessions, the law counts the entire estate of a family as a taxable property of the husband. Further, the act should provide a more just treatment of life insurance annuities or pensions bequeathed to a widow; such an inheritance is now taxed at its capitalized value, and then the later benefits are taxed again as income.

The estate tax is illogical and unfair in many ways. Revisions are overdue.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING, April 15 —Shirley Buhler from the north country is visiting her sister, Mrs. Marvin Vassberg and family.

Mr and Mrs. Raymond Thibert, James, Johnny and Tommy and Mr and Mrs. John White of Edmonton were Sunday guests at the Roger Thibert home.

Mrs. Russel Zilkie, Edmonton, spent the weekend with the Jack Vassbergs.

The Harry Johnsons and Mrs. George Mohler were in Edmonton Thursday to see Mrs. Webb who is ill.

Mr and Mrs. Richard Olafson and Eleanor of Camrose were Sunday evening visitors at the E. Aspenes home.

Mr and Mrs Marvin Bruce of Killam, Mr and Mrs. Roy Elander and Cheryl, Calgary, and Roger Bruce and friend of Edmonton were weekend visitors in the John Bruce home.

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## Mrs. Rude hosts WCTU meeting

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

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Mrs. Mary Finseth, Mrs. Alma Marie Nelson and Mrs. Nora Anderson were elected to present the petition to the Alberta Liquor Control Board, opposing the proposed liquor store in Tofield. Mrs. Berghild Rude, with Mrs. Marie Francis as substitute will represent this union at the district convention in United Church in Wetaskiwin on April 23rd and 24th.

A clip sheet, "The Political and Legal Status of Canadian Women", was most informative. Canadian women on the whole are becoming more aware of the need of giving themselves stronger leadership, in all aspects of community life and the importance of studying succession duties, pension plans, wills, and banking with a view to safeguarding their economic position. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

## Ryley and district news briefs

(M. E. Wechmanzeel)

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Halberg and family of Edmonton spent Good Friday with Fred's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Halberg. Kathleen and Jimmy stayed to visit a few extra days with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tiedemann and family of Calgary arrived on Good Friday, Marvin returning to Calgary on Sunday, while Geraldine and the girls stayed to spend their Easter holidays with Geraldine's parents, Mr and Mrs. Fred Loades.

Easter Sunday guests at the S. G. Halberg home were Mr and Mrs. Ellsworth Halberg and boys of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tiedemann and girls of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Loades.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Budinski and family of Edmonton were Easter visitors with Madelene's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pope. Madelene and the children will stay on for a few more days, taking advantage of the school holidays.

The winner of the Legion Auxiliary Easter hamper raffle was Ken Simonsen of Kingman, and the winning ticket being sold by Marguerite Fish.

Douglas and Marvel Down and girls of Athabasca are spending the Easter holidays with Marvel's parents, Mr and Mrs. Hans Norassen.

Mary and Jerry Birch and son, Murray, of Calgary, were weekend guests with Mary's parents, Mr and Mrs. Lester Pepper. Easter Sunday guests at the Lester Pepper home were Mrs. Annie Pepper, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Pepper and girls, all of Ohaton, and Donald Pepper of Edmonton.

Mr and Mrs Harry Krodowski and girls of Evansburg were Easter visitors with Myrtle's father Al Anderson.

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3 - BEDROOM older-type Home. All utilities, garage. Apply Box 88, Tofield Mercury 32-33-34p-2339

VICTORY SEED OATS, cert. No UGG 41107 germ. 96%, price 90¢ per bushel. Apply M. H. Lawson, Phone 662-2646, Tofield 32-33-34p-2330

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### SERVICES

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### 46 LEGAL NOTICES

## Judicial Sale Of Residential Property

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Lot Eleven (11) and the most Westerly Twenty-five (25) feet throughout of Lot Twelve (12), in Block Forty (40), in the Townsite of Tofield, Province of Alberta, as shown on Subdivision Plan 3437 A.H. Reserving Thereout All Mines and Minerals

located on the South East Corner of the intersection of Alberta Street and Fifth Avenue in Tofield, which property consists of half finished three bedroom house of 1 100 square feet on a 75' by 140' lot. The house has stucco finish and partial basement and was built in 1962. Some repairs to the plumbing are required.

Tenders in sealed envelopes marked Supreme Court Action No. 36671, accompanied by a marked cheque or cash for 10% of the amount of the tender must be in the hands of the Clerk of the Supreme Court, Court House, Edmonton, by 12:00 o'clock noon on Monday, the 24th day of May, A.D., 1965.

The balance of the purchase price shall be paid into Court within 30 days after acceptance of tender. If the successful tenderer does not complete the purchase after acceptance of his tender, the deposit shall be forfeited. The highest nor any tender not necessarily accepted. Cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Archibald, Edwards, Wheatley & Sadownik, 221 Rene LeMarchand Mansions, Edmonton, Alberta.

OMER GAUVREAU,
Deputy Clerk of the Supreme Court. 34-36c

## Church notes

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH
W. H. McDannold, B.A., B.D.
Minister
Sunday, April 25th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship
Sacrament of Our Lord's Supper.
Meditation—"Chosen".
Mr. Don Geddes preaching on Sunday, May 2nd.

TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, April 25th
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m.—Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. E. Fox,
Redeemer Lutheran Church, Edmonton
Redeemer Lutheran Church will hold church service on Sunday, April 25th, at 2:30 p.m., in the Tofield United Church.

LUTHERAN CHURCH
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, April 25th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

CATHOLIC CHURCHES
Winter Schedule, Nov. to April
TOFIELD—
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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Ruddick)

Easter Sunday services were enjoyed at the United Church, with Les Smith [illegible].

Mr and Mrs. Claude Leach were Wednesday dinner guests with the Stanley Williams family in Edmonton, also bidding farewell to the Sr Williams' before their return to Vancouver.

Miss Pat Penrice [illegible] her weekend [illegible] at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Penrice. Miss Gloria Smith of Fort Saskatchewan was also a guest of the Penrices.

HERE FROM B.C.

Mrs Steve Dunn of Calgary is a guest at the home of her mother, Mrs Walter Barnes. Mrs. Don Miller of Valleyview and Mrs Norah Bloxham of Kelowna, B.C. are also guests at home, while their dad is ill in Tofield Hospital.

A social evening and Tupperware demonstration was enjoyed Thursday at the home of of Mrs Michael Nasechuk by 15 guests. Mrs Norman Suetter was the demonstrator from Salisbury district near Edmonton.

Mr and Mrs Melvin Loch and Mrs Alphonse Loch left Friday morning for a trip through the Rogers Pass to Kamloops B.C., to be guests of Melvin's brother, Raymond Loch, and family for a few days of the Easter holiday.

*Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Dokinder are now residing in Edmonton, after spending the [illegible] months on the Verdon Sears' [illegible].*

Edna Ruddick spent from Thursday afternoon to Monday at the home of her parents, Dolly and Jim Ruddick.

Mr and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson, son Glenn, and Matthew Ferguson were Edmonton shoppers on Saturday. They spent some time visiting the S. L. Edwards and Jean visited her sister, Mrs John Potts.

Peggi Rowland spent the Easter holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland.

25TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wilson and Matthew were Good Friday dinner guests at the home of Mr and Mrs. W Kadatz, who were celebrating [illegible] 25th wedding anniversary.

Mr and Mrs. [illegible] Swabey were Saturday guests of Mr and Mrs Frank Swabey.

HOME FROM B.C.

Mrs S George [illegible] day from a very enjoyable two-week holiday spent with old friends and relatives at the West Coast. In North Surrey, B.C., she stayed with Mrs G Smith and Rube Hammersley for a week, also visiting with Mrs Nelle Carlisle there. A day was spent with Mrs Irwin Radke (nee Erica Witschi) who attended school here as a girl and with the George Clarkes at White Rock, former residents of the Deville district. In Victoria she had a very pleasant visit with Mrs Margaret Tough, whose family resides around this area. At Duncan, she spent an enjoyable day with Mrs A O Anderson, whose sons, Jim and Bob Barber, live in Ministik. All are "Mercury" subscribers, and say "Correspondents, keep the news coming".

# News items from Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Mabel Lawson of Edmonton spent Easter weekend with her brother, Martin Lawson, and family.

Easter Sunday dinner guests at the home of Bonnie Coombes were Lyle and Bonnie Coombes [illegible] son, Casey, of Edmonton and Chester and Harold Coombes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz and family were Friday supper guests with Mr and Mrs. E. Stinson of Tofield.

Mrs. Eldon Ray and family of Alix visited with relatives in the [illegible] over the weekend.

Patsy Sears of Calgary, Eileen and Verna Lawson, Judy and Orville Mitchell of Edmonton spent the Easter [illegible] spective [illegible] homes.

HERE FOR EASTER

The children of Mr and Mrs. Charlie Sears were all home during the Easter holiday. They were Gary, Gail, Dwight, Dw[illegible] [illegible] Laurie.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Little Wayne Kleinschroth, who has been hospitalized for the past five weeks returned to his home on Friday.

Mr and Mrs Albert Horricks and Keith and Clifford were Easter dinner guests with other members of the Horricks family at Namao.

Mr and Mrs. Aubry McGinnis and Lawrence of Edmonton were Saturday dinner guests in the Sears home.

Miss Sharon Ingram is spending her holidays with friends in Calgary.

Yvonne and Peter Brown were pleasantly surprised on Monday to have Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fraser of Ribstone for visitors. Reta and Jim were school pals of Yvonne at Vermilion School of Agriculture a few years ago.

Easter Sunday dinner guests at the Stanley Sears home were his mother, Mrs. [illegible] Sears and brother, Albert.

For [illegible] Friday at the Harold Schultz home, [illegible] [illegible] and Clara [illegible] daughter, Valerie of Edmonton. Later, Mr and Mrs. Stan Jack of Edmonton and Mrs. Flo Perry of Vancouver were coffee guests there.

Mr and Mrs. Rod Rudacki and family of Lakeshore were Monday evening visitors at the Gordon Kyle home.

FAMILY GATHERING

A family gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carlisle on Sunday when guests were the latter's mother, Mrs. Van Buskirk of Edmonton, daughter Jeanie and friend of Vancouver, her brother, Merell, and two friends of Valleyview, a brother, Morse, and family of Ross Creek, sister Bertha and Pete Foyd, Margie and Lorne Berrecloth of Lakeshore and [illegible] Herndon.

Mr and Mrs. Jack Miller of Calgary were Wednesday visitors with Mr and Mrs Jim Ingram and family.

Peter and Yvonne Brown and Richard Strong of Edmonton helped Sharon Ingram celebrate her birthday last Friday evening at the home of her parents.

VISITORS FROM B.C.

Kevin Finn of Penticton, B.C., is spending a few days with Brian Schultz.

Mr and Mrs. Donald Kyle of Kelowna, B.C., are visiting with their son, Gordon Kyle, and family for a few days this week.

Mr and Mrs Harold Schultz and family motored to Edmonton to have Easter [illegible] with Mr and Mrs Nick [illegible] and family.

Guests at the home of Grace and [illegible] Lawson for Sunday were Mr and Mrs. Wayne Lawson and Debbie of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Moss and boys of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs Russel Olsen and family of Holden, Mr. and Mrs Elmer Gouglein and family of Ardrossan, Mr and Mrs Leonard Stauffer and boys of Bardo, Roy Fleming of Kingman and George Smith of Edmonton.

Mr and Mrs Walter Webber and son, Mark, of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs Dave Nickols and children Delbert Lee of Edmonton and Ethel Canfield of Tofield were visitors at the home of Mildred and Roy Lee on Good Friday.

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# Variety program nets $90

KINGMAN, April 10th — Approximately $90.00 was realized at the very successful program held Friday evening in the Kingman Hall. A capacity crowd was present. Ingvald Ness emcee'd the program which featured a variety of numbers. Alf Myhre of Edmonton played several violin selections, others participating being the men's quartet, Trojans, Hep-a-tones from the Round Hill school, the Boy Scouts and Cubs and their leaders, a monologue by Elwood Fleming, piano solo by Karen Widman, selections by the Winders from Duhamel, accordion duet by the Coykendall sisters and a number by Ken and Jerry Shute.

The Sewing Club raffled a quilt which was won by John Van Heil. Lunch was served by the lunch committee.

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1 8½" HEAVY DUTY SKILL SAW
2 6½" BLACK & DECKER SKILL SAWS
1 6½" SIOUX SKILL SAW 1 THOR JIG SAW.
1 ½" ELECTRIC DRILL 1—¼" ELECTRIC DRILL (Both with bits of all sizes)
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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

4-H PROJECTS

On Saturday, April 24th, the Tofield 4-H Beef Club will be busy trying to raise funds for their club, namely, the boys of the 4-H will have a car wash at Fisher's Garage on Main St. in Tofield from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. The girls of the 4-H are holding a bake sale at the Crown Lumber Co. in Tofield during the afternoon and the pee wees will be busy with a sale of popcorn and shoe shine stand. So try to help the young folks with your patronage at one or more of their stands.

George and Ida Niemetz were Good Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Tillie and Joe Yurkowsky.

Easter Sunday visitors at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann were their daughter, Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot and Donald Bertch of Edmonton as dinner afternoon and luncheon guests. Other afternoon coffee guests were Joe and Eva McLennan and two boys and Eva's parents, Mr. and Mrs Whiting of Calgary, while evening visitors and coffee guests were Mrs. George Francis and daughter, Sharron, of Tofield.

Lucille and Mary Tiedemann accompanied their sister, Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot home on Sunday evening and intend to spend part of their Easter holidays there.

George and Ida Niemetz motored to Edmonton Sunday afternoon where Ida remained at the University Hospital for further x-rays and possible treatment. We all wish her the best of luck and hope to see her home again soon.

DOUBLE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and daughter, Lucille and Mary attended a birthday party celebration in honor of Sharron Tiedemann and Adele Gossell's birthdays, at the home of Sharron's parents, Bill and Mary Tiedemann at Deville. Also there to help in the celebration were Adele and Cliff Gossell and son, Kenneth, and Daryl Bertch of Edmonton, Sandy and Irene Scott and girls of Lindbrook and Eric and Bertha Sorrel and family.

Mrs Patsy Loxton and baby daughter, Cheryl of Tofield were Easter Sunday dinner and afternoon guests at the home of Patsy's parents, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lazurenko were last Wednesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

Evie and Vic Halwa and children of Edmonton were Easter Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Evie's parents, John and Mary Wood.

Gloria and Johnny Wood motored to Onoway on Easter Sunday and spent the day as guests of Gloria's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller before returning home in the evening.

Wayne Hodway and friend, Shirley, of Edmonton were Easter Sunday guests at the home of his grandfather, Jack Johnston of Lakeshore.

Larry and Liz Wickenberg and two little girls of Edmonton were afternoon coffee, supper and evening guests at the home of Larry's grandparents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg. Other afternoon visitors there were their son-in-law, Norman Jones of Edmonton and Roe and Bertha Phillips.

Bertha and Roe Phillips were Easter Sunday dinner guests at [illegible] Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and grandson, Donald, motored to Edmonton on Easter Sunday afternoon and were dinner and evening luncheon guests at the home of their daughter and Donald's parents, Vivian and Norman Jones, before returning home Sunday night. Donald motored back to Edmonton [illegible] Monday to spend at least part of his Easter holidays with his [illegible].

Dolores Ross of Ryley spent from Sunday to Tuesday with her uncle, Marvin, on the farm, then Tuesday afternoon and overnight as a guest of [illegible] in Tofield.

[illegible] Duncan, Larry and Gwen Murray, all of Edmonton, Joan and [illegible] (Grandma) Mrs. S. A. Murray, were all Easter dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Joan, Joan and Larry's parents, Joe and Helen Murray.

*Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kyle of Kelowna, B.C., were Easter weekend visitors at the home of their daughter, Isabel and Rod Rudacki and family.*

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G—[illegible], [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], 54, 57, 51, 52, 56, 48, 53
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WEANER PIGS, $9.00 to $13.00, and Light Feeders brought up to $29.00 each.
PIGGY SOWS, $70.00, and Gilts sold from $60.00 to $61.50.
BOARS brought from $35.00 to $50.00 each

SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, Apr. 24:

Another good listing of Miscellaneous Items — Furniture — Hay and Tools
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# Holden and district news items

**EMPLOYED AT BAKERY**

Mrs. Harry Shchenski, who left with her husband recently to make their home in Edmonton, writes to friends that she is employed at the new Honey Boy Bakery. Working the night shift on the machine which encloses the loaves of bread in plastic bags she likes her job very much. Some of the crew are new on the job.

Leo Giebelhaus, who has been visiting with his mother, Mrs. Lester Nordstrom, Mr. Nordstrom and other relatives for the past two weeks, left for New Nelson, B.C., a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children of the Viking district were afternoon visitors and supper guests with Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor, Friday of last week.

**EMO MEETING**

Joe Chamulke, village of Holden co-ordinator of EMO, and Geo. H. Taylor, co-ordinator for the County of Beaver No. 9 of EMO, attended the regular meeting at the county office, Ryley, Monday afternoon, April 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mielimaka and Mr. and Mrs. Lud Mielimaka were Easter Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Zusak.

T. M. McEvay, inspector of the Electrical Protection Branch, department of labor, was in Holden Thursday of last week inspecting several buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Eaton and children were visiting at Lavoy Tuesday of last week with Mrs. Eaton's family and her sister who was there from Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and sons were Easter Sunday visitors and dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. John Batt-stick and family.

Miss Trudy Osland left last week for a visit in Vancouver, B.C.

Anthony V. Annon of Edmonton was a business caller in the village office a week ago Thursday.

**OORP MEETS**

The OORP Lodge held their monthly meeting Tuesday, April 13th. After regular business was attended to, tentative plans were discussed for members to attend the district meeting at Killam Saturday, April 24th. The lunch hostesses for the evening, Ladies Mary Hardy and Olga Bilyk, served a delicious lunch at the conclusion of the meeting.

## Mrs. Finseth hosts Bardo LCW meeting

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, April 13th — The April meeting of the Bardo Lutheran Church Women was held in the church parlors on Thursday afternoon April 13th, with Mrs. Mary Finseth as hostess.

Mrs. Nora Anderson gave the devotion and Mrs. Bernice Holberg the Bible study. The offering meditation was given by Mrs. Alice Stokkan and a skit was presented on "high education".

Mrs. Mabel Johnson was elected delegate to the LCW convention at Bawlf with Mrs. Nora Anderson the substitute. The project for May is tea towels for CLC. It was decided to visit the Bethany Home in Camrose on April 20th.

Mrs. Alice Stiler and Mrs. Selma Cinnamon served the lunch which was enjoyed by 20 members and three visitors.

## Dodds - Ryley

(Mrs. O. Lehman)

DODDS-RYLEY April 16th — Thirty voices of the Western Mennonite School at Salem, Ore., presented an Easter Cappella in the Salem Mennonite Church in Tofield on Thursday evening, April 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Zook and family of Calgary are spending the Easter holidays with relatives in Ryley and Dodds.

**Mrs. Kenneth Zook left on Thursday for Michigan to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Schaum, over the weekend.**

## Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN April 19. Service at the Salem Lutheran Church on Sunday April 25 at 11.30, by Pastor G. Ostrem.

The Kingman Sewing Club will meet with Mrs. A. M. Wick on Wednesday, April 28, at 2 p.m.

Donna Ingram, nurse at the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton, spent the weekend with her parents, the Bill Ingrams.

**Mrs. Roy Hutchinson and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Richard Norton of Tofield, are absent on a two weeks' visit to Vancouver and White Rock, B.C.**

Mrs. Thor Johnson and Opal returned Sunday from a week's visit with the former's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wolden and family, at Kamloops, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Swanson and Lawrence, Vincent Berg and Wilfred Scramstad spent the weekend at Banff.

Mrs. Martha Lyseng, Edwin Lyseng of Camrose, and Lois Simonson were weekend visitors at the Lloyd Bjorgum home. Other visitors during the Easter holidays, at various times, were the Willie Bjorgum, Wilbert Lyseng, Oscar Slogness and Oscar Nielson families, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bjorgum.

Brian Simonson is spending a few days at the Cliff Simonson home in Edmonton, and Brenda Simonson at the C. Gawlicki home, also in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Asp spent the long weekend at Calgary, visiting with the Doug Asp family and other relatives.


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# Otto John Litwin passes at 74 years

**OTTO JOHN LITWIN**

Born in Poland on August 14, 1891, Otto John Litwin passed away quietly on Tuesday, April 13th, at the age of 74 years. Coming to Canada as a young child with his parents, he spent the greater part of his life at Nokomis, Saskatchewan.

On February 28, 1921, he was united in marriage to Katy Stuckert. To this union were born three children—two sons, Harold and Donald, and a daughter, Gladys who predeceased him in 1924. He was converted and baptized as a young man, and became a member of the Nokomis Baptist Church. He attended church faithfully until the time of his passing.

In 1949 the family moved to Alberta and since 1950 have resided in the Tofield district.

He leaves to mourn his passing his loving wife, Katy, two sons, Harold and Donald of Tofield, two daughters-in-law, Mildred and Patricia, three grandchildren, Brian, Lynne and Gregory, three brothers, four sisters, and a host of relatives and friends.

He will be remembered for his good deeds. He had an abiding loyalty to the One who went before to prepare a place for us. He was faithful to the end of this present life, and will be there to receive us when we come. With gratitude and inspiration we will remember him.

Funeral service was held Saturday, April 17, in the Tofield Baptist Church. Service was as follows: Prayer, Hymn, "Nearer My God To Thee", Scripture reading and prayer, from Psalm 116, quartet, "We Shall Walk Through The Valley Of Peace", by Mennonite Male Quartette; obituary read, sermon, "Thou Has Delivered My Soul", prayer; quarette, "There Will Be No More Sorrow There", hymn, "Rock Of Ages", benediction.

Pallbearers were Ingolf Brekkan, Herb McAdoo, George McMann, W. Weins, G. Tackema and Bert McAdoo. Interment in the church cemetery. Hoveland Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

**Floral Tributes**

The Family: Grandchildren; Wanda, Emanuel and Family; Clara, Ben and Family, Gus, Olga, [illegible] and Zenna, Olga, Emil and Family; Bernard and Gladys Schamuhn and Family, Mrs. Hosler; Ted and Lydia Stuckert, Pauline Stuckert; Oscar and Olga, Mrs. Lena Yeager; Alvina, Jack and Family.

**Memorials**

To The Family—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Litwin; Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Palnke; Mrs. Lydia Miller and Girls, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Litwin, Madeline; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seigfried; Mrs. M. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Helge Reger.

To Tofield Baptist Church Building Fund — Mr. and Mrs. Peter Erickson and Family, Charles, Pauline and Family, Geo. and Laura Frances, Henry and Agnes McGandie, Irene and Bill Wiens, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Anderson, Horace Seiler; Mr. and Mrs. Herb McAdoo and Family.

To Tofield Baptist Church General Fund—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ferguson, Mrs. Jason Henderson, Melvin and Marvin, George Thompson Family, Leo Bauer Family.

To Canadian Bible Society—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lehmann; Grandpa Schamuhn, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brown; Mr. and Mrs. Leif Fosheng, Larry and Kohl, Muriel and Howard Irving, Esther, Ingolf and Donnie Brekken, Alice and Ralph Dahl, Margo, Pat, Dale and Jon Williams, Mabel and Arnold Johnson, Mrs. Alma Fosheng, Clarence, Borghild and Merlin Rude, Albert and Agnes Haukedal, Mrs. Petra Stauffer, Lester, Gladys and David Severson, Mrs. Inga Ness, Betsy and Walter Scott, Ingvald and Gladys Ness; Thelma and Otto Sorenson, Minnie and Nels Dyss, Harry and [illegible] Schamuhn, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stauffer.

To Gideon Society — Mr. and Mrs. Andy Heiberg, George and Hazel McMann and Alice Ashdown; Edna, Viola and Families.

To "Evening Gospel Hour"—Mary and LeRoy, Douglas, Keith and Chreyl.

To Tofield Baptist Church Memorial Fund—Marie and Jim Francis; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Garford, Mrs. Lottie Moss and Marguerete Myers.

## Parkland district news items

(Mrs. James Adolf)

PARKLAND, April 17th — A week ago Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Banack were visitors at the home of Joe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Banack, Round Hill, where his niece, Mrs. Rodney Johnson, from Fort Smith, NWT, had arrived earlier.

Alvin Olson went with the Barbershoppers chorus to Wainwright recently where they sang.

On Friday night, Mrs. Leroy Nelson and Mrs. Malcolm Robson, Bawlf, motored to Alliance where they were overnight guests at the home of the C. H. Smiths. On Saturday, Mrs. Smith, area director, Mrs. Malcolm Robson, Bawlf vice-pres., and Mrs. Leroy Nelson all drove to Hanna to conduct a Home and School workshop.

A birthday party was held on Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brager for their granddaughter little Valerie Brager on her third birthday. Guests were Mrs. Odin Pal[illegible] and Sandra, and Mrs. Conrad Gunderson, all of Bawlf, Mrs. Ronald Brager, Iona, Ian and Lyle, and Valerie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Brager.

Debbie and Darryl Sanders of Bittern Lake have been staying at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Christensen while their mother is in the hospital.

Mrs. Joe Banack entertained at a birthday party for Chester's ninth birthday on Friday, April 2nd. Guests were Brian Bergh, Gregory Baumle and Bobby Pire.

**Carl Ekstrand is a visitor at the Harry Hildingson home. He arrived from his home at Vancouver on Wednesday.**

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Olson attended the stockman's banquet on Wednesday at the Elks' Hall in Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Haley [illegible], Leroy Nelson, Dianne and Brian attended the wedding of Miss Shirley Wennerstrom and Rodrick Nadon at the Camrose United Church on April 10th, and the reception that followed at the Avonroy Hall.

Sunday supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brager were Miss Lorraine McVean, Miss JoLynn Gill, Phillip Moen, Daniel Hagen and George Strutting of Camrose.

Mrs. Haley Nelson and her daughter, Mrs. Vera Schultz of Bashaw, were Friday visitors with another daughter, Mrs. Nels Mutley, Camrose.

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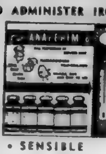


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# News items from Holden district

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorenson and David left in their new car Thursday of last week to spend several days during the Easter holiday visiting with their son, Gary, and his wife, Esther, who reside in Oroville, Wash., where they both teach in the same school.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann was a business visitor in Edmonton on Monday of last week.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Lars Ritland was taken to Tofield hospital Tuesday afternoon of last week as she had not been feeling well for several days. We understand that she was to have surgery for an ulcer on her ankle.

Mrs. Lars Olson was in Edmonton Tuesday, April 13th, visiting with her brother, Mr. Jegham, who has been a patient in an Edmonton hospital for the past several weeks, having treatments on his foot, and is now waiting to have surgery. Owing to having a very bad cold and high temperature, this operation had been postponed.

Mr. Nakoneczny has returned home after being a hospital patient at Tofield for several days, receiving treatment for an attack of the 'flu.

Mrs. Laura Christianson has been a patient in the Tofield hospital for the past three weeks, having had a very severe cold which has settled on her lungs.

Kennie McLennan of the Poe district has been a patient in the Tofield hospital for two or three weeks receiving treatment for a very severe cold.

Miss Norma Zwierschke, student at the University of Alberta visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zwierschke and brother, Allan, for the Easter weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow left early Thursday morning for Calgary to spend the Easter holiday and visit for several days with their daughter, Muriel, and family, the Ted Andersons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keith are busy these days before spring work starts, having some remodelling done on their house and also having aluminum siding on the outside of the house.

Mrs. Margaret Phillips and son of Viking were Good Friday visitors and dinner guests with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy. Douglas Hardy of Edmonton also drove home Friday to spend the Easter weekend with his parents.

Joe Knudsen of the Ryley district was a business visitor in Holden Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason Jr. and three sons of Wetaskiwin were Easter weekend visitors with Sharon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy, also visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka motored to Edmonton the end of last week to help their daughter, Betty, nurse-in-training, who has been on duty for the past month at the Aberhart Hospital, move back to the General Hospital to continue her training there.

Mr. and Mrs. Zane Bilyk and family were Easter Sunday visitors with Mrs. Bilyk's family in Daysland and also with Zane's family at Mundare.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer left on the bus for Viking Thursday evening and was an overnight guest with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hammer and children. They were all planning to leave Friday to visit for the Easter holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Earling Henderson of Taber.

Mrs. Cliff Pepper and daughters of Ohaton were visitors a week ago with her mother, Mrs. Kennie McLennan and brother, also calling on Mr. McLennan who has been a patient in Tofield hospital for some time having treatments. We were pleased to hear that Mr. McLennan was hoping to be able to come home some time this week.

Norman Parsons and two daughters of Edmonton were visitor Good Friday with his mother, Mrs. Elna Parsons, and uncle, Chris Christenson.

**Mrs. Anna Warren and two daughters of Elk Point spent the Easter holiday weekend visiting with her mother, Mrs. Elna Parsons and uncle, Chris Christensen.**

Carl Afseth, who is presently employed at High Level, Alta., was a recent visitor around Holden with relatives and friends.

HERE FROM EDSON

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adams of Edson, former Holden residents, were visiting around Holden during Easter weekend, and called on a number of friends. Mrs. Adams was a former health nurse with the Holden office of the Vegreville Health Unit for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Grosland and children of Sherwood Park were Easter weekend visitors with their respective families and called on other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Malowany and family of Edmonton were visitors with his mother, Mrs. Malowany over the Easter weekend.

Mike Maves was visiting friends here Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Alice Jones of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with her mother, Mrs. Carrie Olson and her brothers, Mrs. Olson's sister, Mrs. Oberg of Edmonton also visiting for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Bilyk spent the Easter weekend visiting with their daughter, Jean, her husband and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kachman at Bellevue in southern Alberta. They report five or six inches of snow down there.

Bruce Appleby of Edmonton was an Easter weekend visitor with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby. Bennie Chamulke of Edmonton spent the holiday weekend with his family, the Joe Chamulkes.

Vernon Pratt of Bruce, who was a patient in the University Hospital for a couple of weeks having surgery on his knees, was a business visitor in Holden on Wednesday of last week.


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## CWL elects officers

(Mrs. S. Wagner)

ROUND HILL, April 21.—The annual CWL meeting was held April 6th, with Mrs. C. Bowal hostess and 11 [illegible] and Fr. Tomczak present.

Mass will be held April 28 at 8 p.m. for Our Lady of Good Counsel, at the church.

A donation was sent to the home for Indian and Metis girls. It was decided to have flowers for all mothers on Mother's Day. Mrs. Yurkoski is in charge for the flowers for the church at Easter. There will also be a plant sale, date to be set later.

Officers elected for the ensuing year were: president, Mrs. Karol Ilnicki; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. John Tomaszewski; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. Dan Kochane; 3rd vice-pres., Mrs. Mary Yurkoski; secretary, Mrs. Lloyd Wenk; treasurer, Mrs. Emma Pinut-[illegible]

# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Mickey Niemetz, Mrs. Helen Murray, Mrs. Irene Trout, Mrs. Joy Lukasiewich, Mrs. Mae Ferguson, Mrs. Irene Warner, Mrs. Doris Brown and Mrs. Patsy Loxton and baby, Cheryl, gathered at the home of Jean and Alan Warner with a surprise birthday party and luncheon to help Jean celebrate her birthday.

Tuesday afternoon dinner guests and evening visitors at the home of Ellen Eaton were Ray and Ruth Wickenberg, Jack [illegible]. Mervin Ross was also a dinner guest there and Kenny Ross and Rachel Mahovich were evening luncheon [illegible] with the others.

Mrs. Bertha Seale of Edmonton, formerly of Lakeshore, spent from Thursday to Monday visiting friends and relatives in Tofield and districts around town.

Bertha Seale of Edmonton was a guest at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein from Good Friday to Easter Sunday.

Saturday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein along with Bertha Seale, were John and Mary Wood, Mrs. Ethel Wood and Olie and Verlyn Moss. A very enjoyable evening was had by all.

Elmer and Vivian Geoglein and children of Ardrossan were Easter Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Elmer's parents, Elmer and Vi Geoglein.

Rennie and Barbara Geoglein and daughter, Sydney, were Easter Monday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Ron's parents, Elmer and Vi Geoglein.

Marg and Lorne Berrecloth were Easter Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Marg's mother, Mrs. Ethel Wood.

John Jr. and Irene Warner and son, Bruce, were Tuesday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Irene's sister, Joyce and Gib [illegible] in Edmonton.

Irene and John Warner and son, Bruce, were Easter Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Irene's sister, Alice, and Ralph Cassey at Ross Creek.


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## Ministik news

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach and Chester were hosts at Easter dinner on Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Williams and family of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leach and Donna and Brian.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys, of Carseland, Alberta, arrived Tuesday to spend a holiday at their farm here until May.

Gary Ferguson is making plans to leave this weekend for Calgary, where he will start a two-month course in mechanics.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim [illegible] and Margaret and [illegible] and Mrs. S. George were Easter Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Walter George and family in Edmonton.

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. S. Gladue)

Don't forget the Social Credit whist drive Saturday, April 24th.

LADIES' CLUB MEETS

The Ladies' Club met at the home of Mrs. Haney Thursday, April 15th, when plans were made for the strawberry tea to take place at the hall Saturday, May 22nd.

The club will hold their meeting a week earlier than usual and it will be on May 13th at the home of Mrs. Loehte.

The Social Credit group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Grummett April 7th. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peterson Wednesday, May 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Berrecloth have their small grandson staying with them while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Berrecloth are on holidays.

Mrs. R. Teed of Yellowknife is staying with Mrs. M. Gladue while her small daughter is in an Edmonton hospital.

R. Donald and Eddy of Edmonton were Sunday guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. M. Gladue.

The hall board is sponsoring a dance at the hall on April 30th.

## Locals . . .

Pete and Olga Nebo, Johnny and Tilly Shanley from Drayton Valley and Josie and Kenneth Sagert from Edmonton were Saturday visitors at the Pete Ozubko home.

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Pamela, Susan and Brian Gill of Edmonton are spending the Easter holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ozubko.

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# News briefs from Kingman district

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Mr and Mrs E Wruck and family were recent visitors with the Fred Andiels in Edmonton.

Dr. Douglas Asp and Miss Gertrude Asp of Calgary spent the weekend at the Alex Asp home.

Visitors at the Ludwig Kozak home last weekend were Yvonne Kozak and Anne Bilton of Vermilion Mrs Julia Kozak Dolores and Dennis and Jean Tupin of Edmonton, Andrew Kozak and Tony and Eddie Kozak

Mr and Mrs Bob Ellis of Edmonton and Mrs. A Coykendall and Leslie were Sunday evening visitors at the Fred Coykendall home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hanson of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the Palmer Benres home

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Erga spent the weekend at Drayton Valley with the Ted Swanlunds.

Guests after school at the Fred Coykendall home for Beverly's sixth birthday were Colin and Colleen Christenson Laurie and Elaine Lickorh, Donna and Cheryl Grundberg, Myrna Hovelson, Fern Bjorgum, Brenda Simonson and Maureen Flemming. Maureen stayed overnight with Beverly

Mr and Mrs Alf Myhre, Randal and Colleen, and Mr. and Mrs. John Marciszyn, all of Edmonton, were Sunday visitors in the Ray Ovelson home.

Mr and Mrs Bob Kerr have moved into the Hardy house which they bought on the Tangen farm.

Mrs. J. U. Erickson spent the weekend at Lethbridge with Mr. Erickson. She reports the weather being very nice and no snow down there.

Mrs Norman Hovelson had a successful Tupperware tea party on Thursday evening when 20 ladies attended. Mrs. Harriet Holten of Edmonton was the demonstrator.

Mr. and Mrs. E Skotten of Camrose North were dinner guests with the Ed Soljehaugs on Monday

Mr and Mrs. Chuck Greig and boys of Bawlf were Monday evening visitors at the I Ness home

Miss Audrey Anderson, employed with the AGT at Wetaskiwin, was home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs I Ness spent Sunday to Monday in Edmonton and were overnight guests at the Mervyn Ness home. They saw their son, Darrel Ness off when he went to New York for three weeks' training with IBM


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Q How should you greet an acquaintance whom you haven't seen for a long time, and who you suspect does not remember you?

A. Be kind. Assume your name has been forgotten and say, "How do you do? I'm Mary Sanders Remember me?" The other person will bless you for this if he really has forgotten your name.

Q Should a dinner guest, who has finished eating in a private home, immediately place his napkin on the table?

A. Not until his hostess has placed her plate on the table.

Q. Just what is the proper technique for "operating" on a fish at the dinner table for removal of its bones?

A. Lift the end of the bone it between the fork and knife, with the fork, and then pinching lift it all the way out. In some cases you may have to use the fingers, and this is quite all right if you can avoid handling the fish itself with your fingers.

Q. I have been invited to a bridal shower, but a previous commitment will prevent my attending. Should I send a gift to the shower?

A. Since as an invited guest you must be a very good friend of the bride-elect, you most certainly should want to send a gift to the shower.

Q. When an invitation written on an informal card is received, and a reply is requested, is it all right to make this reply by phone?

A. It is quite all right to reply to an informal invitation by phone.

Q. Just what are the proper uses of the napkin at the dinner table?

A. For wiping the lips and the fingers. It is NOT for the cheeks, perspiration, or the nose. The napkin should be lifted as inconspicuously as possible, lightly brushed across the lips or the fingers, and then returned to the [illegible]

Q When a man is driving [illegible] car, with his wife and another woman in the front seat with him, does his wife sit next to him or does the other woman?

A. Makes no difference. They sit as they happen to get in.

Q. Is it all right to use one's visiting card on which to write regrets for being unable to accept an invitation?

A. No, your personal stationery should be used for this.


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# John Ogrodnick passes at early age of 56

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN—William Ogrodnick was called to Edmonton suddenly Tuesday, April 13th, to the bedside of his brother, John, who had been seriously ill in hospital for the past several weeks, and whose condition had become much worse. He passed away later in the day at the age of 56 years.

He is survived by his wife, Mildred, one son, Edwin, and two daughters, Marilyn and Charlene, all of Vegreville; his father, Anton Ogrodnick of Holden, six brothers, Peter, Harry, Alex and William all of Holden, Steve of Viking and Nick of Breton; two sisters, Mrs. Geo. Jiry of Edmonton and Mrs. Pete Klymechko of Mundare.

Prayer service was held Friday April 16th, at the Park Memorial chapel, Vegreville, and funeral services were Saturday, April 17th at 2:00 p.m. at the St. Vladimir Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Vegreville, with Rev M. Kryschuk officiating. Interment was in the Riverside cemetery. The sympathy of all is extended to the bereaved families.

## Cooking school held tonight

Ladies of Tofield and district are invited to attend a Cooking School in the Community Centre on Thursday, April 22, at 8:00 p.m.

The Cooking School is being sponsored by the Ionic Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, and al proceeds will go to benevolent work. Tickets are 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students. Refreshments will be served during intermission

Tickets can be obtained from any member of the Ionic Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, or at the door

## Tofield Co-op has winner in talent show

The finals for the Northern Alberta Co-op Talent Shows were held last Friday at the Colonel Newburn Pavilion, with sixteen locals competing. Rita Schmidt, entered on behalf of the Tofield Co-op., placed second in the [illegible]

Captain Jefferys, Tofield band master, was one of the judges, and in awarding the championships commented on the high calibre of talent and the difficult task of naming winners.

The four top winners were awarded an expense-free trip which will take them from Edmonton to Saskatoon, Regina, Swift Current, Moose Jaw, Medicine Hat, Calgary and Red Deer On this tour they will be taken to points of interest in these cities as well as appearing on T V and Radio

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# Beaver Co-op purchases Veregin Stockyards

WINS 4-H WEEK TROPHY

Group winner at the CFCW-sponsored 4-H Week in Camrose during the Easter holiday was a Tofield youth, Laurie Weatherill. He is presented with his trophy by Dennis Ratcliff, right, farm director for CFCW. Laurie competed with nine other 4-H'ers in winning the honor. --Mercury Photo.

Mike Seniuk, sec.-treas. of the Beaver Livestock Co-op Association Limited, recently announced that arrangements had been completed to purchase the Holden yards of the [illegible] firm, M. M. Veregin Stockyards Limited

A GOOD BUY

Mr Seniuk indicated that the purchase was finally made after months of negotiating with the trustee of the bankrupt firm. Although the price paid has not yet been disclosed, it is believed that the negotiating committee of the Beaver Co-op made an excellent buy. The board of directors will report on the purchase to the shareholders at the annual meeting of the Co-op which will be held in the Holden Community Hall on Thursday, May 6th, at 8.00 p.m.

For the past year, the Co-op has been operating the yards on a rental arrangement with the trustee. Now that the yards have been purchased the Co-op hopes that patronage will increase with the knowledge that it is permanently established.

When asked what the Co-op intended to do with the old Auction Mart and the store building, Mr. Seniuk advised that the portions of the building not required for the livestock buying operation would be [illegible] to other Co-ops or private business firms. It is their intention to have the entire building put to some useful purpose in the next few months. He added that there were several enquiries regarding the leasing of the building to date but no decision has yet been made, and would not be made until the Co-op was in a position to advertise the property for lease. He said that the board of directors was hopeful that the property could be developed into a [illegible] supply centre which would provide services not presently available in the area.

# Co-op annual meeting held here April 7th

The Tofield Co-op Association held their annual dinner and meeting on April 7th, in the Tofield Community Centre, when approximately 120 people sat down to the delicious dinner served by the members of the FWUA.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and adopted

The manager, John Baergen, gave his report, and Dan Geibelhaus, the FCL delegate, gave a brief talk on the development of co-operatives from their humble beginnings to the present time.

The PRO, Fen Cline, gave a brief outline of the opportunities for young people at the leadership course at Gold Eye Lake camp. He also spoke on Co-Ever, which is a plan to help peoples in underdeveloped countries and the Eskimos in our own country form Co-ops to help themselves.

Harold Schultz and Ed Ferguson were elected to the board of directors for three years.

Winners of the door prizes were Mrs. Clarence Rude, Ed Ferguson and Mrs. Petra Stauffer.

## Students aid 'San'

The girls of grade 8 have received a letter of thanks from Mrs. Elsie Samuel, RN, superintendent of nurses at Aberhart Memorial Sanitorium. The girls had sent Easter baskets and decorated cupcakes to the small patients in the San. For two years, at Christmas time, the boys and girls of grade 8 have sent toys to the children in the San. These, too, have been [illegible]

## P. Malowany passes suddenly on Sunday

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, April 27. — Friends and relatives were shocked last Thursday evening when Pete Malowany passed away very suddenly, while his family was attending church services.

Prayer service was held Sunday night, April 25, at the Holden Greek Catholic Church, and the funeral was Monday at the South Holden Greek Catholic Church, with interment in the church cemetery Rev Lozynski of Holden was the celebrant.

Sympathy of the district is extended to the bereaved family, this being the third bereavement in the families in the last few months.

## Lions Club has Ladies' Night

Tofield Lions Club held a Ladies' Night supper meeting the last Tuesday of April in the meeting room of the Tofield Community League.

Chinese food was very acceptable to all the guests but three, who were provided with roast beef. A short program, "It's Your Move", was enjoyed, after which card games finished off the enjoyable evening.

## Fiddlers' contest at Lakeview Friday

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK — Plans are completed for the annual "Fiddlers' Contest" with Curley Gurlock of Camrose as emcee to be held at Lakeview Pavilion on Friday, April 30th at 8 p.m. Prize winners from there will be eligible to compete in the Dominion finals held at Shelburne, Ont. This is an evening to look forward to when fiddlers from all parts of Alberta will compete.

## Open-house will mark High School opening

The general public is invited to an "Open House" at the Tofield Auditorium on Tuesday, May 11, starting at 7.30 p.m. The evening's entertainment will consist of a talk by Mr. Cribb of his experiences in Ethiopia and films and commentary by Mr. Stenberg of his travels in Russia.

The new section of the High School will be formally opened at this time, and it is hoped that there will be a large turnout of interested persons on this date.

## Saturday is Scouts' Chocolate Bar Day

Saturday, May 1st, will be Boy Scout chocolate bar day in Tofield. Each year the Scouts and Cubs sell milk chocolate bars to raise funds to further the camps and Scout activities in this area.

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

Take heed of thy friends, a faithful friend is a strong defence; and he that hath found such a one hath found a treasure. —JWR.

## Livestock brands to be embodied on quilt

The Tofield Historical Society [illegible] received, in answer to a request to the provincial government, a complete list of all the recorded cattle and horse brands from the Tofield area, both those in good standing and those that have been allowed to lapse.

The Society has been anxious to secure this record, both for its historical value to the Tofield area and for the proposed purpose of embodying them on a quilt which will be made by Mrs. Mary Tiedemann of Deville.

# Scholarship awarded to Holden man

P. R. Jakubow, 22, of Holden has been awarded one of five Imperial Oil fellowships made available to Canadian students each year.

Mr. Jakubow, who is in his final year at the Royal Military College in Kingston, Ont., is eligible to receive $2,500 per year, for the next three years, to assist him in his studies in the field of communications at Queen's University.

This year's awards bring to 90 the number of fellowships made available by Imperial since 1946. Winners may attend any recognized university and are under no obligation to Imperial as to future employment.

Annual winners are selected by a committee appointed by the National Conference of Canadian Universities and Colleges and Imperial Oil Limited.

## H.S. flash!

(Elaine Walker)

Well, spring's finally here and with the warm weather comes the baseball season. The High School baseball and softball teams have been organized and teams have been organized and way.

On Wednesday, April 28th, the High School again volunteered to help the annual Red Cross Blood Donor clinic. The Tofield High was the first in Alberta to help the Red Cross, encouraging many other schools to aid in this worthy endeavor.

During the weekend of April 23 and 24th, Tofield was represented by Shauna Astley and Louise Moore at the U N. mock assembly The assembly was held in the Math-Physics building on the University campus in Edmonton. Both girls report a very interesting and enjoyable time, and the students wish to thank them for their fine job of representing T.H.S.

# County school board meets April 6th

Following are the minutes (in part) of the regular meeting of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee, held Tuesday, April 6th:

**Water Lines at Holden School**—

In regards to the tenders for replacing the water lines at the Holden School, Cr Roddick stated [illegible] he had discussed with [illegible] McLaren the tender submitted by McLaren Construction Co. Ltd. Mr. McLaren [illegible] stated [illegible] no difficulty occurred, the price quoted would be reduced.

It had been the opinion of Mr. Al Innes that it might not be feasible to push copper pipe inside the present cast iron pipe. The cast iron pipe could collapse and pinch the copper pipe and the work would have to be done over again.

It was also realized that the tender received from McLaren Construction Co. Ltd. was not a firm bid, and after [illegible] discussion it was moved [illegible] carried that McLaren Construction Co. Ltd be requested to submit a firm bid on the total cost of [illegible] transite pipe.

In the matter of closing of gymnasium windows, motion 141/65, Mr. Pike reported that the cost would be approximately $125 per window, including material and labor, this being prices obtained from outside sources. He wanted to investigate this matter further with the Maintenance Foreman, getting some additional cost prices.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Eighteen applications were received for the position of mechanic's apprentice in the school bus garage, and after a very thorough consideration it was moved and carried that Derek Tiedemann of Edmonton be employed at a starting salary of $300 per month, under the provisions of the Apprenticeship Board regulations.

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## Interesting mailbag

The mail in a newspaper office can often be interesting, and this week was certainly no exception. One of the more interesting items which came in was a handsomely printed magazine, showing in almost ultimate detail the features of a new method of constructing huge tunnels, perfected in Milan, Italy. As we said, the publication, which is more than a quarter of an inch thick, is exceptionally well printed, and bound on a comparable level.

The pictures go into a great deal of detail in showing the process, and the photographer who crawled through the mud and sludge of the tunnel must have wondered if his craft were worth the trouble. No doubt an engineer could gain a great deal of information from the publication, since even a simple layman can almost fully understand the step-by-step development of the tunnel, right down to the use of the gunnite process.

In fact, the only trouble we could find with the expensive proposition was that every last word was in Italian . . . and unfortunately, . . . we don't read that language well enough to pick out the finer points.

## Higher interest rates

Many depositors have been keenly interested in the raising of interest rates paid on term deposits by both the Alberta Treasury Branches and some of the trust companies. The battle for consumer lending is taking on a new appearance, and strong drives are being made to get the funds needed to lend.

At the same time, and somewhat less publicized, is the move of the treasury branches to raise the rate charged on loans. Since the treasury branches do not operate under the Bank Act, they are excluded from some of the regulations of the Bank Act, such as the ceiling of 6%, and it appears they will be moving into the field of slightly higher risk loans, on the basis of slightly higher rates.

The move is highly interesting, particularly at this time, when the chartered banks are pressing for revision of the regulations with the Bank Act legislation due for the current session of Parliament.

We have not in the past favored increased rates for the loan market, do not now. There is no question that costs have been increasing on them very rapidly, but it would seem highly probable that vastly increased volume should have made up for the higher operating costs. Not that volume alone makes money, but the number of dollars involved in the average loan must surely have increased at least as rapidly as their costs. If it were not so, it would be hard to comprehend the amazing rate of growth on the stock exchange in the prices of bank stocks. There have been few fields where growth has been so steady for so long a period, and if this reflects diminishing profits, something has gone wrong with the stock market.

On the other hand, the trust companies are carrying the battle to the banks hot and heavy, the same as the finance companies are. And while the treasury branches cannot compete in some areas with the banks, they have access to some areas not touched by the banks.

Don't forget, too, that the practice often employed by the banks of discounting the loan made has the net effect of increasing substantially the effective rate of interest. It's not all on a 6% basis by any means.

## Budget best in fine print

The best features of Finance Minister Gordon's new budget lie buried in the finer print, according to our reckoning, while the least important item is getting the best play.

Least important in our opinion is the reduction in income tax, in spite of the fanfare given it. What is not revealed so clearly is how short a time there will be . . . July 1st to January 1st, until this reduction is taken up by the new assessment for the Canada Pension Plan. Gordon's gimmick here makes good political sense, getting all kinds of credit for lowering taxes, without making any real difference to the take home pay of the worker.

Far more important in the long run will be the provisions which allow farmers faster write-off for new grain storage facilities, (but the industrial press hardly noticed it) the more favorable climate for British manufacturers, and the elimination of most deductions for advertising in most foreign-owned magazines or periodicals, coupled with a promise of studying postal concessions made to some of these publications.

Incidentally, the thoroughness of the study made is indicated by the exemption of two small daily newspapers, one of which is The Red Deer Advocate whose ownership is English, even though the entire operation is based in Red Deer. It's worthy of note this situation was known and written into the legislation, even though the importance of the smallest dailies in the country (and this in no way disparages the well-operated Advocate) must be an almost insignificant detail in the preparation of anything so huge as the budget.

## By George!

Is back to the old grind this week after a week of visiting in the southern part of the province, but with the coming of spring-like weather on our return to Camrose, the "old grind" is no grind at all.

Part of our holiday was spent in Waterton Lakes National Park in the southwest corner of the province, and being a mountain resort, we were not too surprised to find plenty of snow around and many wild animals--mostly deer and sheep -- roaming throughout the townsite. We were somewhat surprised, however, to awaken one morning to see a foot of fresh fallen snow on the roof of our car. It had disappeared, however, by evening, because of the snow drifts in the townsite reached to the peaks of cottage roofs.

There is still evidence in last year's fires in the park, and particularly on the Akamina Highway leading from the townsite up to Cameron Lake. Many sections of the hard-topped road had been washed out and the gullies had been filled with gravel.

Near Cameron Lake we visited one morning with a group of over 100 Boy Scouts who were camping outdoors. They dug shelters in the large snow drifts among the trees and covered them with pieces of canvas. An overnight rain had spoiled the outing for many of them the night before we arrived, but they busied themselves digging new shelters and were preparing for another try at it.

Late last week one Saturday in the Lethbridge area was seeding, and it was expected others would be following suit before the weekend. All evidence of winter had pretty well disappeared.

### And we quote

As the Edmonton proverb says, "He who would bring home the wealth of the Indies must carry the wealth o fthe Indies with him". So it is in travelling: a man must carry knowledge with him, if he would bring home knowledge.--Samuel Johnson.

## From the mail bag

Tofield Mercury,
Dear Editor:

We sometimes hear "there are no delinquent youth it is delinquent parents". And to a great extent this observation is correct, for our characters and social attitudes are to a great extend the product of two major factors, inheritance and environment, and the parents (even if they didn't choose their grand-parents), are in the early years of youth, responsible to the greatest degree for such environment; and in later years by example and attitudes for the development of behavior-patterns. And if teenagers and even younger are allowed to get away with anti-social conduct, we can later surely expect a repetition of the same. And if the parents are initially responsible for the formation of such attitudes, should the parents go unpunished?

Last summer I got into an interesting discussion on the matter of parental responsibility and one of the group stated that in one of the neighboring states that publishing of the names of the parents of the youth "in trouble" reduced juvenile delinquency by about 50% in a very short time. But why? Are they (the parents) and we as society so wrapped up in our personal interests, pleasures and amusements that we do not care or see what the youth need or are doing, so long as they do not get into our way, or get into trouble and THEN we get VERY indignantly aroused.

There comes a period in the life of youth when the influence of the home teachings and attitudes become less and that of society more dominant. Then is when the youth need or are doing, so long as they do not get into our way, or get into trouble and THEN we get VERY indignantly aroused.

There comes a period in the life of youth when the influence of the home teachings and attitudes become less and that of society more dominant. Then is when the youth need very definitely our social responsibility to furnish outlets for the interests of youth, such as boys' clubs, YMCA's, swimming pools, arenas, etc. And if and when the youth feel that they are being neglected or unfairly dealt with or imagine that they are being challenged to "get-in-to-trouble"; they will seek and form anti-social mores and even spiteful attitudes and outlets for their feelings. Can we then as society merely shrug our shoulders and then deny our responsibilities, obligations and The Choicemaker then "As much as ye 'do' it not, Ye 'do' it not to Me"? Should we (society) then damn the youth the parents or ourselves?

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## Palmer - Saeling

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

PALMER-SAELING, April 23 —Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Teske, Bonnie, Ronnie and Colleen, have moved to their new modern home south of Ryley. Gordon who has been employed with an oil company at Drayton Valley for a number of years, has discontinued the work and will be farming full time. Their newly built bungalow and garage combined is 28x36. The telephone was installed last week and baby calves are arriving daily.

Mr and Mrs Mathew Fischer of Mayerthorpe, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fischer and Harry Smoole of Stony Plain, and Valerie Johnson of CLC, Camrose, were Easter guests with the Harry Johnsons.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs Cornelius Lien and Mrs Christine Reum are patients in St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose. Mrs Edel Wiklun is a patient in the Viking hospital.

Mr and Mrs. Fred Nordwerski, Ryley, were Wednesday visitors at the Gordon Teske home.

'HOUSEWARMING' PARTIES

Monday night the neighbors had a "housewarming" party for Arthur Gibson at his home, the former Krayer farm. On behalf of the district, Nick Fedak presented a purse of money. A nice lunch was served.

The Elen LCW had a housewarming at the Knisely and Williams homes Wednesday, when the ladies presented a program and brought lunch which all enjoyed in closing. (On the former Schlender farm.)

**Pastor and Mrs. P. Olson and family spent the Easter week at Taber with her parents.**

Ione Steffen, Edmonton, spent Easter with her parents, the Bill Steffens, and Wanda Steffen returned to the city with her for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Knudson and children were Holy Thursday dinner guests with the Jacob Lovrads, Bawlf, where they also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lovrad who were home from Saskatoon, Sask., for the holidays.

Gust Bruce, Edmonton, spent the weekend with relatives here.

Myrtle Osland, Ryley, spent the week with her aunt, Mrs. Lawrence Pearse.

Walter and George Johnson of Elk Point and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and Terry of Valleyview were Easter visitors at the Lawrence Pearse and Clarence Johnson homes.

Mrs. Annie Mosby, Camrose spent the Easter week with relatives here.

HERE FROM ONTARIO

Mr. and Mrs. Bill MacDowell of Toronto, Ontario, and her mother and brother, Mrs. Lillie Bjerkseth and David of Three Hills, were Easter visitors at Daniel Remy's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shehinski of Holden south have discontinued farming and have moved to Edmonton. Before their departure, a farewell gathering was held at the Chris Hoveland home.

Mr and Mrs. Bob Beattie, Aaron, Nadine and Brent left on a motor trip Wednesday to visit relatives at White Bear, Sask.

Kenneth Knudson, Camrose, spent the Easter holidays with his grandparents, the Charles Sievers.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

Many sleep who should keep themselves awake and waken the world. --Mary Baker Eddy

Sloth never arrived at the attainment of a good wish. --Cervantes.

Sloth, if it has prevented many crimes, has also smothered many virtues. --Charles Caleb Colton.


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# THE RYLEY TIMES



## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Westmancoat)

The 4-H Dairy Club members made an afternoon tour during the Easter holiday week to see how all the members' calves were coming along after the long hard winter. Lunch was served and thoroughly enjoyed at the B. Kirklund home.

Don't forget the combined 4-H clubs will hold their dance in the Community Hall on Friday, Apr. 30th. Come and find out who will be the clubs' queen and prince charming.

Doug and Marvel Down of Athabasca, who came to spend Easter with Marvel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Neraasen, held a party for their friends Tuesday evening, April 20th, to celebrate Marvel's birthday. The next day they boarded the CNR train for Toronto to visit Doug's parents, and to attend a family wedding, expecting to be away about a week. Meanwhile, their four little girls, Connie, Lori, Wendy and Cindy are staying here with their grandparents, and enjoying the extra holiday.

A number of Ryley ladies attended the cooking school held at Tofield on Thursday evening, April 22nd, the theme of which was "foreign flavors". The school was sponsored by the Eastern Star Lodge, and conducted by the Home Service Department of Calgary Power Ltd.

Ralph and Mildred Cretney and family of Edmonton were Sunday guests with Mildred's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Booth.

Mrs. Tillie Branes has had her grandson, Gordon Ekland, spending the Easter holiday with her. He returned to his home in Edmonton in time for the opening of school on Monday morning.


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## Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. It was your hat that was crushed out of shape, not mine.
2. When the party was over with, the boys ran every which way.
3. The fabric shrunk when we washed it out.
4. I've got to find out what line of business he's working at.
5. He dove off the tower and in the water.
6. He don't seem to understand that a large supply of those kind of apples have been received.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Grimace
8. Didactic.
9. Genuine.
10. Demonstrative.
11. Fallacy
12. Cloche (kind of hat).

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Symbolism, symphonic, symetrical, sympathetic, symposium, sorgum, sopranos, soforific, sorocide, sororis, manufactory, manuever, mandatory, manifesto, amanuensis, occurrence, occulist, occultist, ocarina, ocelot, kangaroo, kahki, kaleidoscope, kinetics, kindergarten, roundelay, bouday, colitis, coloquy, malpractice.

**ANSWERS**

1. Omit "out of shape", since "to crush" means "to press OUT OF SHAPE. 2. Omit "with", and say, "ran IN ALL DIRECTIONS". 3. Say, "The fabric SHRANK", and omit "out". 4. Omit "line of", and say, "I MUST find out what business he's ENGAGED IN". 5. Omit "of", and say, "He DIVED off the tower and INTO the water". 6. Say, "IT SEEMS he DOESN'T understand a large supply of THAT kind of apples HAS been received".
7. Pronounce gri-mais accent second syllable. 8. Pronounce die-dack-tick, accent second syllable. 9. Pronounce last syllable to rhyme with "win", and not with "wine". 10. Accent second syllable, not the first. 11. Pronounce first syllable to rhyme with "pal", and not with "fall". 12. Pronounce as "klosh", the "o" as in "close".
13. Symmetrical, sorghum, maneuver, oculist, khaki, colloquy.

## Palmer district tops Red Cross quota

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, April 23 —The Palmer Red Cross campaign is successfully over for another year, their quota being $175.00. Amount turned in to the campaign chairman, Mrs. Joe Knudson, from the five canvassers, Hans Huseby, Nick and Jerry Kushnerick, Harry Johnson, Mrs. George Mosby and Mrs. Joe Knudson was $192.00. We wish to thank all who donated to this worthy cause.

HIS RIGHTS Dutch immigrant Ernest Bergsma and his wife were refused Canadian citizenship because they admitted being atheists. He appealed to Ontario Supreme court, but lost. A new appeal has been filed to the Canadian Supreme Court, and the Federal Government has offered to pay the legal costs. "I should have the right to disbelieve," says Mr. Bergsma.


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### FUTURE DATES

**TEA AND SALE OF PLANTS**

The annual Mother's Day Tea and Sale of House Plants, sponsored by the Holy Trinity Afternoon W.A. will be held in the library room on Saturday, May 8th, starting at 3:00 p.m. 33-35-36c-2226

**GOLF CLUB MEETING**

A general meeting of the Tofield Golf and Country Club will be held at the Club House on Monday, May 3 at 6:45 p.m. All members and interested persons please attend as plans for the coming year will be discussed. 35c-1988

### IN MEMORIAM

ANNEBO.—In memory of Roy Palmer (Tom) Annebo, who passed away April 27, 1964.

Without farewell he fell asleep,
Leaving only memories for us to keep;
But in our hearts he will always stay,
Loved and remembered every day.

—Sadly missed by Sisters-in-Law, Brothers-in-Law and their Families. 35p-1979

### 3 DEATHS

MUNRO. — April 8, 1965, John Swan Munro, aged 86 years, of 661 East Keith Road, North Vancouver. Survived by his wife, Margaret, four sons, Ralph Neale and Fred Munro in California and Archie and Ken Munro in Vancouver, four daughters, Mrs. Bertha Seale, Mrs. Edith Everitt, Mrs. Nettie Yakabuski in Edmonton and Mrs. Dorothy Lutz of Smithers, B.C.; 14 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren. Funeral service was held April 10 at 2:00 p.m. in the North Vancouver Chapel, 122 West 6th Street, Rev. L. W. McArthur officiating. 35c-2358

### BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Murray, of Red Deer, Alberta, are pleased to announce the arrival of a daughter, Ila Jane, On April 2, 1965. 35p-2352

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### NOTICES

**A.B.A. SUMMER SCHEDULE**

The Ryley Artificial Breeding Association will go on summer schedule commencing April 1st. Phone 122 from 8:00 till 10:00 a.m. daily. 35 to 40p-1965

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### WANTED TO RENT

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### 46 LEGAL NOTICES

## Judicial Sale Of Residential Property

The following property is offered for sale by tender subject to the restrictions of the existing Certificate of Title

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located on the South East Corner of the intersection of Alberta Street and Fifth Avenue in Tofield, which property consists of half finished three bedroom house of 1,100 square feet on a 75' by 140' lot. The house has stucco finish and partial basement and was built in 1955. Some repairs to the plumbing are required.

Tenders in sealed envelopes marked Supreme Court Action No. 28872, accompanied by a marked cheque or cash for 10% of the amount of the tender must be in the hands of the Clerk of the Supreme Court, Court House, Edmonton, by 12:00 o'clock noon on Monday, the 24th day of May, A.D., 1965

The balance of the purchase price shall be paid into Court within 30 days after acceptance of tender. If the successful tenderer does not complete the purchase after acceptance of his tender, the deposit shall be forfeited. The highest nor any tender not necessarily accepted. Cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Archibald, Edwards, Wheatley & Sedowalk, 221 Rene LeMarchand Mansions, Edmonton, Alberta.

OMER GAUVREAU,
Deputy Clerk of the Supreme Court.
34-35c

## Church notes

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D. Minister
Sunday, May 2nd
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship
New sermon series, "What's Right With The Church. No. 1: "What's The Church?"
Official Board Meeting on Wednesday, May 5th, at 8:00 p.m.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, May 2nd
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, May 2nd
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Winter Schedule, Nov. to April
TOFIELD—
Second and fourth Sundays of every month .. 9:30 a.m.
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of the month .. .. 11:00 a.m.

## 'Housewarming' for H. Johansen family

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — On Saturday evening, April 17th, 15 neighboring families gathered together for a housewarming party for Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Johansen and family, to celebrate their moving into their lovely new modern farm house. George Knudslien made the presentation of a lovely wall mirror on behalf of those present, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Johansen many happy returns in their new home. The ladies served lunch at the close of a happy and friendly evening.

BLOSSOMING. Spring isn't the only thing that's coming up flowers. So are fashions. Above Marguerite hat and matching bolero in yellow and white flowers illustrates the trend in many spring fashions for bursting bouquets of petals and blossoms.


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U.S. WARNS CANADA. The U.S. Treasury Department has warned that it will not tolerate dumping of Canadian autos on the U.S. market. Some U.S. manufacturers fear that the new Canadian-American auto agreement could result in such dumping. Dumping would occur if Canadian-built cars were sold for less in the U.S. than they retailed at in Canada. Above shows one of the many auto-assembly lines in Canada.

## Solve a Crime

BY A.C. GORDON

**YOU ARE THE DETECTIVE**

The body of Lew Adams lies cold and lifeless on the thickly carpeted floor in his luxuriously-furnished apartment. "The paths of glory lead but to the grave", you quote silently to yourself as you think back over the much publicized career of the dead man . . . first as the brilliant southpaw pitching ace in professional baseball, then later as one of the top-ranking bowling stars of the country, and finally as owner of the three lush bowling establishments himself.

You direct a look at the two young persons in the room with you, one of them a very attractive dark-haired girl who is dabbing ineffectually with a wisp of handkerchief at her tear-stained eyes, and the other a slim, good-looking fellow of about 25 with a closely cropped head of blonde hair.

"As you probably know", the young man says, "I'm Cliff Penn . . . manager of one of Lew's bowling places. Dora Mason here . . . she was Lew's fiancee . . . she and I came into the apartment here about a half-hour ago. She told me that she and Lew had a little spat earlier today, had parted in a huff, and she wanted very much to see if they couldn't patch things up. Since Lew and I were very good pals, I volunteered to come along and maybe help [illegible]. You can imagine how we felt when we opened the door here and found Lew . . . dead . . . a suicide!"

"It's so hard to accept this", exclaims Dora. "And especially after the harsh words we exchanged today. If I had even dreamed that he was contemplating this . . ." her voice breaks and she begins to sob.

You bend over and with a gloved hand pick up the gun which lies on the carpet under the outstretched fingers of Adams' right hand. After examining it for fingerprints and finding nothing, you ascertain that one shot has been recently fired from it, and you dart a glance at the bullet hole in the victim's chest. Then, after a look at your watch which shows 6:15 p.m., you direct a question at Dora: "When did you last see him alive?"

"It was about two o'clock when we had our little tiff in the lobby of his Eastside Bowling Palace, and when he left me abruptly I was so upset about our misunderstanding that I went into Cliff's office there to discuss it with him. We had a couple of drinks together and finally we decided to come over here and talk things over with Lew. That was about 1.30 or so, I think. But we were too late. Lew had killed himself!"

"Your stories sound very good", you then say. "However, as I see it, Lew Adams didn't commit suicide. The evidence points to murder, and both of you are suspects!"

How have you arrived at this conclusion?

**SOLUTION**

Lew Adams was a former "southpaw" baseball pitcher, which means he was left-handed. Yet you found the gun lying on the floor under his right hand. This evidence, plus the quickness with which both Penn and Dora projected the suicide theme, plus the fact that the shot was fired into Adams' chest (most suicides choose the temple or mouth as surer and quicker) lead you to suspect the two young persons. Then, too, there is the fact that you found no fingerprints on the gun — impossible if Adams had used it.

# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The Lakeshore UCW will hold a bake sale on Saturday (May-day) May 1st, starting at 2:30 p.m., in the Crown Lumber Co store at Tofield. All those wishing home cooking please call and get yours from the ladies.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Ida Niemetz returned home Wednesday of last week from the University Hospital where she spent three days having a check-up and further tests.

Emil Tiedemann spent from Wednesday to Friday in the Tofield hospital, having a check-up after having suffered a light heart attack.

This winter and spring seems to find more folks than usual sick, either at home or in the hospital. We wish all a speedy recovery and hope they will soon be out and around and able to enjoy the nice spring weather we now have.

Jack Goubault of Drayton Valley was a Tuesday evening visitor and overnight guest at the home of his grandparents, John and Mary Wood. His sister, Judy, came with her and spent her Easter holidays with her cousin, Yvonne, and Peter Brown at their home at Ketchamoot.

Mrs. Mary Wood motored to Viking on Friday and was a visitor at the home of her daughter, Lorene, and Jim E[...] and family Friday, overnight and Saturday. She returned home Saturday afternoon.

Dede and Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood. On their way home, they stopped at Yvonne Brown's to get their daughter, Judy, and take her home with them.

Joe and Elinor Jones were Saturday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Ray and Ruth Wickenberg. Jack Johnston was also a supper guest and evening visitor there the same day.

Mrs. Isabel Rudzcki and son David, were Tuesday afternoon tea guests at the home of Ruth and Roy Wickenberg.

**Gary Niemetz arrived home from the Arctic where he was employed by the Peter Bawden Drilling Co. and will have a few days' vacation during the spring break up.**

Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests at the home of their son, Morley, and Marjorie Jacobsen and family.

Mrs. Mae Ferguson and her son, Nelson, and her mother, Mrs. Roberts of Tofield were Sunday visitors and supper guests at the home of Mae's daughter, Doris, and Howard Brown of Lindbrook district.

Emily and Ernie Roberge and two daughters, Charlene and Mrs. Diane Highington, all of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emily's sister, Mickey, and Charlie Niemetz.

Leonard Loxton left Monday morning for work on a drilling rig at Taber after having spent a week at home with his wife, Patsy, and baby daughter during the spring break-up.

Mrs. Loretta Weir and daughter, Wanda, of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of the former's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson.

George Abernethy was a Monday morning coffee and luncheon guest at the home of Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Howard and Mae Ferguson and son, Nelson, attended the Camrose dairy sale on Thursday of last week.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Bill and Mary Tiedemann at Deville.

Robert and Dede Goubault of Drayton Valley were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Robert's sister, Martha, and Emil Tiedemann.

Darrel and Diane Sutton of Edgerton were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son, Donald.

Mrs. Fran Baines and sons, Tim and David, of Edmonton, arrived on Friday to spend the weekend with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ethel Wood. On Sunday afternoon, Ethel's brother, Doug, and daughter Patty, arrived and were supper guests there before returning home Sunday evening, taking his wife and boys home with him.

Tuesday dinner guests at the home of Ellen Eaton were her son, Leroy and Shirley Eaton and young son, Ronnie of Holden and Mervin Ross.

Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of John and Irene Warner were Irene's mother, Mrs. Mabel Bailey of Tofield, and her sister, Muriel, and Dennis Thisson and family of Edmonton.

## The weather

| Apr. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Precip. |
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| 21 | 32 | 21 | — | — |
| 22 | 46 | 25 | 27.90 | — |
| 23 | 61 | 31 | 27.83 | — |
| 24 | 38 | 33 | — | — |
| 25 | 50 | 43 | — | — |
| 26 | 62 | 39 | 27.95 | — |
| 27 | 74 | 38 | 27.82 | — |
| 28 | — | 47 | 27.42 | — |


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# Modern Etiquette

Q. What are a bridegroom's obligations to his best man and ushers?

A. He presents each of them with a boutonniere and a gift. The best man's gift may be different from that of the ushers (who all get the same thing). The gifts may be cuff links, wallets, tie clasps, all depending of course upon what the budget will stand.

Q. When eating in a restaurant where butter pats are served in paper containers, may one let his knife rest on the pat when not in use?

A. No. The knife should rest along the upper right part of the dinner plate—and never, of course, with the handle resting on the table.

Q. What apology should one make after a sudden sneeze in public?

A. "Pardon me" is sufficient.

Q. When is the designation "Messrs." used in addressing an envelope?

A. When addressing brothers—never a father and son. It is an abbreviation of the French word for "Misters". It may be correctly written in two ways: "The Messrs. Jackson", or, "The Messrs. Paul and James Jackson".

Q. May a luncheon or dinner table ever be bare of tablecloth?

A. Acceptable today—but only for very informal occasions. Attractive when colorful pottery dishes, silver, or stainless steel implements and bright paper napkins are used.

Q. Who pays for the corsages worn by both mothers at the wedding?

A. While in some communities the bridegroom usually pays for them, it is usually customary for the husbands to buy these corsages worn by their wives.

Q. When a woman is paying her first call on a new neighbor, how long should she remain?

A. From 15 to 20 minutes should be long enough. Usually a woman who has just moved into a new home has plenty to do, and it would show a big lack of consideration to keep her from her work too long.

Q. What does the informally gowned bride wear?

A. She wears a suit or afternoon gown in a pastel shade, and her attendant (usually only one) is dressed in the same manner, but of course in a contrasting color. A hat is always worn.

Q. What do you do when you know ahead of time that you will have to leave church before the service is over?

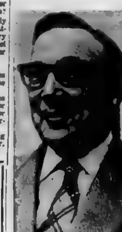
A. Sit near the back of the church, and preferably make your departure during the singing of a hymn.

Q. Should a woman walk on a short distance, or should she wait with her escort while he pays the taxi fare?

A. She should wait with her escort.

Q. Is it proper for the mother of a newborn baby to mail out printed or engraved "thank you" cards for gifts her baby has received?

A. Never, NEVER! These must be handwritten.



RADAR HAZARD? There have been some charges by scientists that police radar traps can ruin your health. However, Sir Robert Watson-Watt, above, the man who developed radar, says this is ridiculous. "I've been standing in front of the things all my life and they never bothered me," said the 73-year-old scientist.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# News items from Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Webber Sr. of Edmonton were Saturday visitors with Mildred and Ray Lee.

Walter Webber of Calgary called for Doreen and son, Mark, to return home after spending a week with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lee and family of Edmonton were Sunday callers at the Ray Lee home after visiting with Mrs. Ethel Canfield in Tofield.

Sunday evening dinner guests at Yvonne and Peter Brown's home were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley. Their daughter, Judy, returned home with them after spending her holidays with relatives in the district. Later in the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Tiedemann were coffee guests in the Brown home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sutton were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Barrow and family near Hastings Lake.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Francis Schultz was a patient in Tofield hospital over the weekend.

Kieth Ray, son of Lois and Harold Ray, is also a patient in hospital.

Florence and Jimmy Ingram and the girls were Friday evening visitors with Mary and Ivan Mitchell.

**BIRTHDAY OBSERVED**

Wednesday evening, Yvonne and Peter Brown entertained a number of friends in honor of Daryl Bertesh's birthday. Guests were Mrs. Bertesh, Daryl's mother, and brothers Donald and Dave of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Fairbrother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Sorell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown, Mrs. Emil Tiedemann, Lucille, Mary and Bobbie and Judy Goubault.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Donnelly McGinitie were Mr. and Mrs. Don Otto.

Tuesday dinner guests with Mary and Ivan Mitchell were Elden Ray of Alix and Milton Ray and Lelia Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketchum and family of Mulhurst were weekend visitors with Chester and Harold Coombes. They also called on Kay and Ron Coombes.

Recent visitors with Donnelly and Opal McGinitie were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jacobson of Ryley, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Blakley of Tofield and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kyle and family.

Barbara McGinitie and Ellen Norton were to Edmonton to see "Girl Crazy", showing on Thursday.

Sunday afternoon, over 20 relatives and friends gathered at the Ivan Mitchell home to help Mr. Mitchell celebrate his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ab Liefke of Edmonton spent Saturday visiting with Isabel, Harold and Brian Sutton.

Kay and Ronnie Coombes and family motored to Beaumont on Sunday to visit with Kay's sister, Bernice, and Arnold Wick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller of Calgary were weekend guests of Florence and Jimmy Ingram. On Saturday, Roberta Miller accompanied Florence and Annie Ingram to Edmonton.

Kathleen and Johnny Nickerson of Edmonton were visitors on Sunday with the Bill Ingram and Jim Ingram families.

The Ketchamoot UCW met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Martin Lawson. Most of the afternoon was spent piecing a quilt.


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# Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

Easter Sunday visitors at the home of Anton and Annie Poleway were their daughter, Sonia, and her husband Bill Sliwkanich and family, and Bill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sliwkanich, all of Lamont, and daughter, Janet, and husband, Don Meade and family of Edmonton. Darrel Sliwkanich is spending his Easter holidays with his grandparents.

Visitors with James and Rose Woytowich on Easter Sunday were James' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woytowich, James' sister, Nancy and husband Glen, and daughter, Linda, all of Edmonton, and Rose's father from Wostock; also Rose's sister, Mary, and sons, Lornie and Marvin, who are all spending the week with James and Rose.

Paul and Eleanor Huzzar spent Easter Sunday with Eleanor's parents, John and Gertie Ferrel.

Ernest and Beatrice had their daughters, Shirley and Doug McDonald and family, and Joan and Bob Huddleson spend Easter Sunday with them, also James and Dorothy Lappenbush of Chipman.

Elmas Snider's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hennig of Andrew and their twin grandchildren, John and Joan were guests at the home of Graham and Elma on Good Friday, while Graham, Elma and sons returned the visit Easter Sunday.

Easter Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford were daughters Vern and Joe Sadoskie and family of Lindbrook, Fern and Howard Thor and family of Isley, Wilma and Lester Odlorne and family and son Wilfred and Shirley and family.

Easter Sunday supper guests at the home of Howard and Nell Malcolm were Cedric and Marion Anderson and son Vaughn of Edmonton.

**A speedy recovery is wished for Daphne Eglenski who underwent an appendectomy on Sunday evening.**

Donna McLachlan celebrated her ninth birthday on Saturday with a party to which a number of her friends were invited, while her mother, Isabel, served a lovely lunch to the mothers.

Visitors at the home of Wally and Nettie Yez on Easter Sunday were Wally's parents and brother and wife, and sister and husband and family, all of Edmonton.

Last Tuesday, the Hi-C group, comprised of Ross Creek, Lamont and Bruderheim, spent an afternoon of bowling in Edmonton.

4-H TOUR

On Wednesday, Tofield 4-H club members and their parents toured each farm in the district of the members who own 4-H calves.

Supper guests at the home of Ivan and Florence Malcolm last Friday were Grant and Ruby Becker and family.

Elmer and Dorven Borstad and family of Grande Prairie were Easter week visitors at the home of Graham and Elma Snider.

**Winners of the United Church women's whist drives for the year were: ladies' first, Kay Walker, second, Lena Schultz; men's first, George Babbage, second, Harvey Stadnik.**

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford were Wilfred and Shirley Ford and family, Lester and Wilma Odlorne and family and Joe and Verna Sadowski and family.

HERE FROM MANITOBA

Visiting with Howard and Nell Malcolm over the weekend was Nell's father, Mr. Kuysten of Edmonton. Tony Kuysten of Manitoba, Nell's brother, arrived on Sunday evening to spend a few days with Nell and to visit with his other sisters, Flora and Marie.

Monday, April 26th, was the 19th wedding anniversary of Howard and Nell Malcolm.

Iris and Gloria Bilan were Wednesday afternoon visitors with Winnie and Lorraine McLachlan.

Wayne McLachlan of Edmonton was a visitor at the home of George and Winnie McLachlan during Easter week, while Georgina holidayed with Wayne's parents, Art and Olga McLachlan.

The Lamont Air Cadets took part in a church parade held at Lamont on Sunday.

SPRING TEA

The United Church Women will hold a spring tea Saturday, May 8th at the Ross Creek community centre from 2:30 to 5 p.m. Other features will be bazaar items for sale, home baking, and plants. Plan to attend and enjoy an afternoon of relaxation.

## Baseball clinic a week Sunday

In co-operation with the Holden Recreation Board, the Alberta Baseball Umpires Association announces a one-day baseball school to be held in Holden at the Canadian Legion Hall a week from Sunday, commencing at 10:00 a.m. The school is open to anyone interested in improving his knowledge of baseball and baseball rules.

Applicants must be 16 years of age and over. The registration fee of $1 should be sent in on or before May 1st. However, registration will be taken at the door on May 9th. Applicants will be responsible for their own meals and travelling expenses. Applications are to be sent to Don Coutu at Holden, or phone 122-75.

## Locals . . .

Mr and Mrs. L. Hunter arrived home last Friday after spending three weeks at Oxford, Nova Scotia. The girls, Jacklyn and Norma, also arrived home Friday night from Edmonton and Fort Saskatchewan where they spent the Easter holidays with their sister and brother.

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NO SHOW FRIDAY

There will be no show this Friday night, April 30th, as the hall has been booked for a wedding dance. "Four for Texas" will show Saturday, May 1st, only.

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Easter Sunday visitors at the Walter Wiklun home were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Paradis and Guy Mr. and Mrs. Melford Wiklun, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wiklun, all of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. E. LaRoucque.

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Little Haley Wiklun has been a patient in an Edmonton hospital for the past week, but is reported to be improving.

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Miss Shauna Asley and Miss Louise Moore attended the United Nations seminar at the University of Alberta Friday and Saturday, April 23rd and 24th.

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Mrs. J. E. (Audrey) Pedersen and small son arrived Wednesday of last week from Ottawa for a visit with the Moore families. Mrs. Pedersen is Mrs. E. Moore's daughter.

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Edith Mary Smith spent a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson while her mother attended the teachers' convention in Edmonton. She returned to Edmonton with her mother, Mrs. J. A. L. Smith last Sunday.

## Ministik news

FUTURE DATES

Don't forget the whist drive sponsored by the Ladies' Club to be held on May 14th at 8:30 p.m.

The Community Club invites all to attend their cash bingo to be held on Friday, May 7th at 8:30 p.m. Lunch will be served.


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DAIRY COWS $180.00, and Medium Cows $14.00 cwt.
STOCK COWS sold up to $180.00 each.
CALVES sold from $20.00 to $45.00 each.
WEANER PIGS $9.00 to $13.00, and Light Feeder Pigs sold up to $29.00 each.
PIGGY SOWS, $70.00; Gilts up to $65.00; Boars up to $50.00.

SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, May 1st:
Another good listing of Misc. Items — Furniture and Tools — Paint — Hay — Straw and Lumber
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The Agricultural Service Board is now accepting applications for Vaccination of all heifer calves that will be four months of age or older after April 15, 1965, and which were not vaccinated during the recently completed fall campaign. This does not include calves that will be in the proper age group for the fall campaign starting in October and ending in December.

NOTE: This form should be completed in addition to last fall's questionnaire.

If you have any calves under the above category, kindly complete the following application and mail to:

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow returned home Thursday of last week after visiting for a week with their [illegible] and family, the Ted Andersons, at Calgary.

Mrs. Larry Thygessen and children, of Oyen, arrived Good Friday to spend the following week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keith, returning home Sunday.

Mrs. William Kelly and children with her mother, Mrs. Lester Nordstrom, spent the Easter weekend visiting friends and relatives at Fort St. John, B.C. They returned home the following week.

**Mr. and Mrs. Leo Laskoski were called suddenly to Melford, Sask, April 17, when Mrs. Laskoski's father suffered a severe stroke. They drove by car, returning home Wednesday, April 21. One of John Tkaczyk's boys looked after the farm and chores while Mr. and Mrs. Laskoski were away.**

Calvin Story and children left by train April 5th to visit for several days with Calvin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Story, at Abbotsford, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jeffery and children moved from their trailer, which they have sold, and are now living in the apartment over the Zane Bilyk store.

Chris Hovland and son Reuben were visitors over the Easter holiday with son Glen and his family near Red Deer, from Sunday to Tuesday evening. Ray was in charge while they were away.

Miss Annie Black of Edmonton was visiting for several days a week ago with her brothers, Abe, and Sam and his family.

Adam Giebelhaus, his daughter Wanda and son Owen, of Fort St. John, B.C., former Holden resident and business man, was visiting for several days during the Easter holiday and following week with relatives and friends around Holden and Bruce districts. They returned home Thursday of last week.

FREAK ACCIDENT

Judy Good, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Good, was unfortunate in having a nasty accident a week ago, when her earring got caught in the car door, cutting her ear badly and requiring several stitches to close the wound. She was in the Viking Hospital overnight, but was taken to Tofield Hospital later last [illegible] when the injury [illegible] to bother again.

Terry Good was also a hospital patient in Tofield last week, having her tonsils removed.

AT ATA CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson spent part of the Easter weekend visiting at Red Deer, [illegible] Monday to Wednesday evening in Edmonton, where Mr. Olson attended the ATA Convention held at the Macdonald Hotel. Mrs. Olson visited with friends and with her brother, a patient in the University Hospital, where he has undergone surgery on his leg; but is now making good progress.

Hugh Clendenning, accountant at the Royal Bank, spent the Easter holiday with his family in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story and Miss June Clark were recent Monday business visitors in Edmonton, Arthur having his eyes tested and June keeping a medical appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Slywka, of Edmonton, were Easter Sunday dinner guests and visitors with the former's mother, Mrs. William Slywka.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Laskosky and family, of Camrose, were visitors in Holden Monday of Easter week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were visitors in the city Easter Sunday and Monday, and helped their daughter Betty celebrate her birthday.

HERE FROM NORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Armitage and children, of Manning, motored here Easter weekend and visited with Ardenna's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong. The children stayed for the following week with Mrs. Armstrong while Mr. and Mrs. Armitage drove to Saskatoon to visit his mother, who was a patient in a Saskatoon hospital, having undergone surgery following an accident. They returned later in the week to visit with other relatives before driving home to Manning on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Komarnisky of Vancouver, former Holden residents, were visiting for several days last week calling on relatives and friends prior to leaving for Edmonton to visit for a few days before returning to the coast. They spent the Easter holidays with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Igor Lozynski and grandson Mark, at Red Deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sawers and children, of Vermilion, visited with Mrs. Sawers' mother, Mrs. Clint Armstrong, Friday of last week, and with the Bruce Armitages before they returned home. Mrs. Irving Babutz and children were also Friday visitors with Mrs. Armstrong.

AT WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy were guests at the wedding and reception of Miss Tiedemann at Daysland on Saturday, April 24. Nita is the second daughter of Mrs. Mamie Tiedemann of Edmonton and the late Chris Tiedemann, and has been employed the past year or more at St. Mary's Hospital in Camrose. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann also attended their niece's wedding.

Mrs. Clara A. [illegible], who has been home for the past few weeks on sick leave from her job at Norwood Auxiliary Hospital, Edmonton, returned to take up her duties there the end of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec Harris and children, of Edmonton, were visiting over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad and son Ralph.

[illegible] Tymchuk, of Canmore, was visiting around town this past week, calling on old friends and relatives.

Gordon Story was a patient in Tofield Hospital this past week, undergoing a tonsilectomy.

Mrs. Laura Christiansen, who [illegible] in Tofield Hospital for the past three weeks, is feeling much better, and was hoping to return home towards the end of this week.

Members of the Pioneer Group are planning to hold a Spring Tea and sale of aprons and sewing, in the parlors of the United Church, Holden, on Saturday, May 8th, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to call and have a friendly cup of coffee and lunch.

OORP DISTRICT MEETING

A number of ladies of the Holden Lodge OORP, namely HRL Armstrong, Ladies Kathleen Hurum, Helen Bilyk, Blanche Olson, Doris Story, Elizabeth Keith, Kate Nichols, Ida Mason, Rene Taylor [illegible] motored to Killam on Saturday, April 24, to attend the District Meeting of Dist. No. 4 in Killam Community Hall, with DDSHRL Edworthy of Hardisty officiating. Approximately 81 ladies attended from lodges of Viking, Kinsella, Hardisty, Holden and Killam.

Matt Fischer, of Mayerthorpe, who has been visiting with relatives south of Holden for the past week or more was around Holden one day last week renewing friendships.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann and Alan were visitors in Edmonton on Monday of last week, where Alan was expecting to be employed at the Riviera Hotel as a cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Bilyk and son returned home from their trip to Bellevue Tuesday evennig, after spending the Easter holiday with their daughter Jean and husband and family.


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Identity stickers for all handicapped or crippled persons have been devised to assist firemen in times of an emergency. Applied to the front and rear doors of residences, apartments or office blocks, they indicate the working or residential location of a crippled person. The project has the co-operative support of all municipal fire departments throughout Alberta.

While no stickers have yet been fixed in the Camrose area, according to Fire Chief Alf Sunderman, the local brigade welcomes the move as an assistance in time of emergency. Stickers may be obtained simply by writing Box 500, Edmonton.

## Holden news

**FLOODS IN MANITOBA**

Mrs. N. L. Campbell, who has been spending the past two weeks in Winnipeg with her son Bill and his wife and family, has written to say that it had been very wet before she arrived there and that they had driven south of Winnipeg where the floods were very bad. Many acres of farm land were under water and farmers were moving cattle, grain and other goods out of the danger area. Mrs. Campbell expected to be home about Tuesday, April 24.

Bruce Appleby was a visitor with his family, the Bert Applebys, over the weekend.

## GEMS OF THOUGHT

**SLOTH**

Sloth, like rust, consumes faster than labor wears, while the key often used is always bright. Benjamin Franklin.

Many are idly busy.
- Jeremy Taylor.

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# County school board meets April 6th

(Continued from Page 1)

Nine tenders had been received for the one-only half-ton truck, and after the tenders had been scrutinized to some extent, it was moved and carried that a committee be appointed to select the most satisfactory tender.

The Chairman appointed the Shop Committee, consisting of Crs. Magneson, Kropielnicki and Doris with the Bus Supervisor, Neil Reid, to act in this regard.

**Correspondence**

A letter from Mike Lestus, requesting that his children be transferred from the Bruce school to the Holden school, due to the fact that the bus route that would take the children to the Holden school appeared to be open most of the time whereas the bus route to Bruce was impassible for a considerable number of days.

In view of the fact that the snowplow was considered over for the current year, it was moved that Mr. Lestus be advised that the Committee does not consider it necessary to act on his request at this time.

A letter from Camrose and District Association for Retarded Children requesting that the Committee reconsider its stand in regards to the Association request for a building grant was referred to the Committee.

Moved and carried that no change be made in the decision of the School Committee as outlined by motion 54.65, that is that no grant be given.

A Notice from Town of Tofield in regards to discount on taxes for prepayment of taxes was referred to the Committee, and the Secretary-Treasurer reported that the prepayment had already been made thereby receiving a discount of 8%.

Moved and carried that information be received and filed and the Secretary-Treasurer's action be concurred in.

A letter from the Faculty of Education of the University of Alberta concerning Principals Leadership Course, July 5th to July 16th, was referred to the Committee, and the Committee was advised that the Superintendent had selected Cal Annis, Principal at the Tofield school, to attend this course.

Moved and carried that the correspondence be received and filed, arrangements concurred in and that the cost of the course, $200, be paid by the County.

Moved and carried that the Bus Supervisor's report for the month of March be accepted, and that his expense account in the amount of $14.35 be paid.

Moved and carried that Richard Kropielnicki, Alex Shyba and Richard Kope be appointed spare bus drivers without remuneration, providing they have the required "A" license.

Moved and carried that Cr. Johnston be appointed representative from the School Committee to the Principals' meeting in April.

Moved and carried that the resignations submitted by Don Kauffman, Dolores Kauffman, Louise Baergen and Vernon Ruttan be accepted.

The Superintendent informed the Committee that, in all likelihood, three years of training would shortly be required for a teacher qualified to teach the Junior and Senior High School grades. He suggested that the County might consider increasing the bursary program to three years at this time. This would give students, now entering the Faculty of Education, the knowledge that they could obtain a bursary for three years.

Moved and carried that the bursary program be extended from two to three years.

The Superintendent referred to the Science Seminar for students which would be held from August 22 to 28 inclusive at the University, the cost per student being $55 and the fact that in former years the School Committee has sent one student to the Seminar absorbing the cost therefore.

Moved and carried that as in previous years, the Committee sponsor one student to attend the Science Seminar.

The Superintendent informed the Committee that Miss Diane Davis, Grade 7 teacher at the Ryley School, requested a two years leave of absence to attend Bible College, and that she intended to return to teaching in the County's School System.

Moved and carried that the request for leave of absence be granted.

The Superintendent reported that by the Order in Council, Friday, June 11, 1965, had been designated Farmers' Day.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Moved and carried that the County's schools be closed for Easter Holidays, from 3:30 p.m. April 15th to 9:00 a.m. April 26th.

Moved and carried that the installation of a shower in the Phys. Ed. office at Holden, at a cost of $156, be approved.

In regards to the Viking building project, the Committee was informed that the School Building Board would not agree to the addition to the wooden structure, and that the School Building Board would like to meet the Committee at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, April 9.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted, and that the Building Committee for Viking meet with the School Building Board at the appointed time.

It was noted that Mrs. Margaret Gleeson, teacher at the Viking school, would be retiring at the end of the present school year, having reached the retirement age.

Moved and carried that the County, as usual, participate with the Local ATA in a presentation to Mrs. Gleeson, the County's share not to exceed $50.

The Superintendent reported on the Zone 3 High School Drama Festival which had been held at the Tofield Schools on April 2 and 3, with 11 one-act plays having been presented. He classed the Festival as being very successful, with some 1,200 people in attendance at all four performances.

In regards to Internships, the Superintendent reported that the expected three first-year students and eight second-year students to take the Internship training this coming spring, and that a grant of up to $300 for each intern was available from the Department of Education.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and that the present rate of pay to intern teachers, $5 and $7 as the case may be, remain in effect for the current year.

Moved and carried that this meeting now adjourns until 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, April 7.

**MEETING RE-CONVENES**

The School Committee re-convened in regular meeting on April 7, with all members in attendance.

Salary negotiations were now discussed and the minutes of the Salary Negotiating Committee on March 22 were read.

Moved and carried that the minutes of the Salary Negotiating Committee meeting on March 22 be accepted.

Moved and carried that the Salary Negotiating meeting be held April 14th, at 7:30 p.m.

The Secretary-Treasurer now presented a proposed budget for

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**WEDNESDAY, MAY 5, 1965 — 11 A.M. Sharp**

- LUNCH AVAILABLE -

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**FEED:** Quantity of Feed Oats, and Baled Oat Straw.

**LIVESTOCK:** 20 head, comprising of 9 Red Poll Cows, milking, due to freshen in fall; 3 Red Poll Cows, to freshen this summer; Red Poll Bull, 2 yrs. old; 5 Red Poll Bull Calves; 2—3-year-old Steers. (All cows are under 5 years old).

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# AUCTION SALE

ACTING ON INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED FROM

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**FRIDAY, MAY 7th — 11:00 A.M.**

**MACHINERY, ETC.:** 1954 McCormick Farmall Super M T A, with L.P.T.O., live hydr., torque amplifier, rear tires 1 yr. old; 1962 Farmhand F11 loader, manure fork, grapple fork, 8-ft. produce scoop and push-off hay sweep; 1956 J. Deere 66AH 4-bot. plow with 16" disposable shares; 1958 McCor. No. 130, 12-ft. P.T.O. Swather with 1 yr. old canvas; 1956 New Holland No. 55 Rolabar side deliv. rake; New steel Cockshutt No. 18, 20 run D.D. press drill, with Cominco fertilizer att., 12-ft. Cockshutt No. 11A discer; Intern'l 12 ft. No. 8 Stiff tooth cultivator, near new 8" sweeps; 10 ft. I.H.C. double disc; I.H.C. No. 400 P.T.O. manure spreader; 24 ft. Scoop-a-second grain auger with Wisconsin model AKN motor; 6 sections Macleod's flexible harrows; Macleod's rubber-tired harrow draw-bar; McCormick 3-ft. Crowfoot packer; 4 ft. Crowfoot packer; 2 Cockshutt wagons with 6x12 grain boxes; McCor. No. 6, 10" Hammer Mill; 1951 G.M.C. 1½ ton Truck with hoist and near new rear tires; Lincoln 180 amp. Electric Welder with carbon arc torch; Heavy 2 wheel trailer, Viking Fanning Mill with 2 sets rolls and sieves; 500 gal. single comp't storage tank with wheel stand; Adjustable wide front axle for Farmall 'M'; Single unit Riteway Swing Type Milker with pump & stall cocks; 2 unit Surge Milker with pump, pipes and elec. motor; I.H.C. No. 3 Cream Separator; and numerous miscellaneous items.

**POULTRY:** 250—1-yr.-old laying hens; 30 dozen egg cases.

**LIVESTOCK: (most of the cattle from Artificial Breeding)**—Milk Cows: Holstein Cows, 8 yrs., to freshen in Dec.; Holstein Heifer, freshened in Mar.; Holstein Cows, 5 yrs., to freshen in Dec.; 3 Holstein Heifers, to freshen in Dec.; Holstein Cow, 5 yrs., to freshen by sale date; Holstein Cow, 5 yrs., to freshen in Jan.; Holstein Cow, 6 yrs., to freshen in Dec.; Red & White Heifer, to freshen by sale date; Holstein Cow, 9 yrs., to freshen in Dec.; Holstein Cow, 6 yrs., to freshen by sale date; Holstein Heifer, to freshen in Dec.; Holstein Cow, 6 yrs., to freshen in Dec.; Holstein Cows, 8 yrs., to freshen in Jan.; 4 Black Heifers with calves; 21 Yearlings; 10 Calves.

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# County school board meets April 6th

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the year 1965, and it was scrutinized item by item by the Committee, with some upward revisions being made.

Moved and carried that the revised budget as decided upon at this time be adopted as the budget for the year 1965.

Councillor Johnston brought up motion 136/65, passed at the meeting of March 9, which stipulated that if an order is issued by the Superintendent of Schools that buses are not to operate this includes the buses from Kinsella to Viking and from Bruce to Holden. Cr Johnston was of the opinion that these buses should travel if possible if high school pupils are at Bruce or Kinsella and are ready to go to their classes at Viking and Holden. He referred to an instance during the past winter when from nine to twelve high school students at Bruce and Kinsella could have attended their classes in Holden and Viking if the buses had been operating. He stated that in some instances the parents had brought the children in with the expectation that they would be transported to the high schools.

Some considerable discussion took place, and it was finally moved that motion 136/65 be rescinded.

The motion was lost, with four members voting for the motion and five against.

Those voting for the motion were Crs. Johnston, Darin and Weatherill and Mr. Allen.

Mr Allen brought up the proposed paving program in the Town of Viking and stated that it might be possible that a vote could be held before the next meeting of the School Committee, and he requested that arrangements be made for someone to be authorized to cast a vote in the plebiscite on behalf of the County.

Moved and carried that J. B. Allen be authorized as provided in Section 220 of the Town and Village Act to cast a vote in any forthcoming plebiscite on the paving program in the Town of Viking on behalf of the County.

Moved and carried that the County pay the expenses in connection with the Drama workshop to be held in the Strathcona County. Expenses at $8 per teacher and mileage for at least two cars from the County.

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

It was the final Sunday of services at the United Church for Les Smith of Edmonton on Sunday before going to his summer field. Next Sunday Miss Helen Irwin will be conducting services and will continue to do so through the summer season.

Gary Ferguson left Sunday for Calgary to start his two-month course in mechanics.

Bill Stewart was an Edmonton shopper on Monday, also picking up his auto licence.

A short organization session of Sunday School will take place on May 9th, at 11.15 with regular classes commencing May 16th immediately following the church service.

Mr and Mrs Claude Leach were visitors with the Irelands in Grande Prairie for a few days last week.

**Miss Sheila Barnes of Glasgow, Scotland, flew home last week to spend a few days with her parents and visit her sisters before her return to Scotland.**

Gary McLaughlin of Edmonton visited a few days with his cousins, Larry, Darrell Brenda and Leona Roddick. He returned home on Sunday when the Bill Roddicks were guests at the Verne Monson home for a belated Easter dinner.

Mrs Bert McLean of Prince George, B.C., and four of her children were guests of her father, Jake Kephart at South Cooking Lake. Mrs. Russell Rowland visited her on Thursday. Frances lived here for several years and attended Ministik school.

Murray Rowland brought the Fred MacEacherns of Calgary here on Good Friday to visit his parents for the afternoon. Fred is attending the rehabilitation centre to make better use of his paralized arm.

BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED

Mr and Mrs. Joe Davenport entertained at dinner Sunday evening in honor of their youngest daughter, Lorraine, who was having a birthday. Mr. and Mrs Bill Davenport and Mrs. S. George were guests.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Leach entertained Monday evening in honor of their daughter, Donna, who had a birthday. Mr and Mrs Bill Davenport and Mr and Mrs Claude Leach were guests.

Mr and Mrs. Bill Roddick were hosts to Mrs Gerry McLaughlin and family and Mrs. Gladys Roddick on Friday at dinner and supper.

Little Patricia Holmes had a tonsillectomy in Tofield hospital during the Easter holidays. A speedy recovery is wished Patricia.

Garry Swabey had an appointment with his dentist in Edmonton on Thursday.

HERE FROM B.C.

Steele Murdoch of Taylor, B.C., made a quick trip here to say "hello" to his sister, Mrs Russell Rowland when he came to Edmonton to pick up his daughter, Patti Lynn, who had been spending Easter holidays there.

Margaret Roddick spent the weekend with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Jim Roddick.

Miss Teresa Rogler spent a week's holiday at Easter at her home here.

FAREWELL PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swabey entertained on Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jones and boys who will be leaving soon to make their home at Ardrossan. Guests included Mr. and Mrs Les Whitford, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Swabey and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swabey of Caroline. A lovely vase from those present was presented to the Joneses as a parting gift.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick were hosts at Sunday dinner to Mr. and Mrs Walter George Debbie and Melvin, Mr and Mrs. Bill George, Mrs. S. George and Margaret Roddick. Mrs. Douglas George and Bob joined the family in the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ellett also called in the afternoon.

It was "back to school" Monday for pupils, bus drivers and teachers. Janitors had everything in readiness during Easter holidays for their return.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys of Carseland have been visiting friends and neighbors during their stay at their farm here.

The Ministik Community Club enjoyed an evening's bowling at Sherwood Park on Saturday evening.

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## Locals . . .

Miss Sandra Phillips of the Royal Alexandra nurses' training school and Mr and Mrs. Harold Conquest of Edmonton spent part of the Easter holidays at the Neil Phillips home.

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Joan Warner and children spent the Easter week visiting in Edmonton.

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Out-of-town visitors at the T. Gray home were Mrs Frances Rouse and children from Camrose, Dale and Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley, Ruth Werner, Ruth and Don McDonald and Edna and Fred Johnson of Fort Saskatchewan.

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Helen Grover visited in Edmonton for a few days last week.

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Gerry and Richard Hardy spent the Easter holidays with their sister, Mrs. Wendel Clark, in Edmonton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kerben of Langley, B.C., are visiting with Mrs. H. Phillips this week.

## WCTU convention held in Wetaskiwin

The Edmonton District Women's Christian Temperance Union was held in Wetaskiwin on Friday, April 23rd in the First United Church.

Mrs. A. Eby of Alsask, Sask., (provincial president) was guest speaker for the evening service, following the medal contest.

Delegates and visitors were from Edmonton, Camrose, Wainwright, Armena and Bardo.

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# Moisture slows area seeding

No crops have been seeded in the district to date. The Mercury is informed by a survey made by agents of the Alberta Wheat Pool. From agents in widely scattered points of the Tofield region, several indications have been gleaned.

Surface moisture, in the top six inches, is nearly 100% on both cropped and summerfallowed land, according to reports. Subsoil moisture, however, is 85% on summerfallowed land, compared with 75% in cropped land.

Initial estimates are that wheat acreage will drop by roughly 10% this year, while barley will show quite an increase. Rapeseed will be spotty. Other grains are given roughly the same estimate as last year.

The proportion of land under cultivation this year after cropping last year changes with the area. Toward the eastern end of the area, roughly 60% of this year's crop will be seeded on summerfallow land, with only about 40% going into soil which was cropped last year.

## Fire levels Holden barn

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The barn on the Nick Podlek farm was burned to the ground Thursday evening April 29th, it being a total loss. It is not known how the blaze started but is thought that it might be from spontaneous combustion from bales of hay stored in the barn. The Holden fire truck was called but the fire was too well advanced before they arrived, to control the fire.

MONEY BUT NOT MUCH. The ten per cent. income tax cut from Finance Minister Walter Gordon isn't really dramatic enough to make a young fellow wide-eyed with ecstasy. Nor will the tax cut give this boy's father the bundle of booty at his elbow. In reality, the tax saving for the average Canadian will total less than that solitary 20 dollar bill in the boy's hand. Taking effect July 1, a man earning $5,000 yearly, with two dependents, will save $15 in the coming tax year.

## THS spotight

(Elaine Walker)

On Tuesday, May 11th, open house will be held in the new wing of the Tofield school. Everyone is welcome to attend and see the official opening of the wing, which includes a typing room, a library and a science room.

Student teachers who will begin interning Monday in the Tofield school are Miss Barbara Arnett, with Mrs. Campbell of grade 2; Miss Ann Appleby with Mrs. Phillips of grade 8; and Miss Norma Zwiercke with Mrs. Young of Grade 1.

During the summer holidays, Tofield will be represented in Edmonton at the UN science seminar by Clarice Jacobsen and at the Banff UN seminar by Elaine Sorell.

Congratulations to Betsy-Ann Shultz and Keven Pike on having their Lions club youth exchange essays chosen in the process of judging. Now they will be interviewed in Edmonton in the next step toward a final choice for zone 37B. The students of Tofield school wish them the best of luck!

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

There is life in the very air of spring. The returning spring is a kind of promise of God. It is part of his covenant of life after death. —JWR.

## Coline Wyllie wins 4-H speaking contest

On April 30th at Vegreville, Coline Wyllie took part and won the public speaking for the district, which comprises Vegreville, Vermilion, Wainwright and the County of Beaver 4-H clubs. She will now be trying for the Northern Alberta championship by competing in Edmonton during the Edmonton Exhibition in July.

## Locals . . .

Out-of-town visitors on the weekend at the J. Oslund home were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davies from Ardrossan, Mr. and Mrs. George Oslund and son of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Max Schacher and family from Ross Creek.

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Mary Norton and daughter, Gennette, arrived home last Wednesday after spending two weeks with relatives in B.C.

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George Bosse has commenced building his new residence on the property immediately west of the George McFadzean home, on 2nd Ave. East.

## Drainage board has meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The monthly meeting of the trustees of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 was held in the office of the sec.-treas., Ray Hovland, Friday evening, April 30th, with all trustees present, namely, Oscar Alseth, Nick Laskoski, and Hans Huseby. This was the re-organization meeting, and Mr. Alseth was nominated chairman for the ensuing year. Regular business was attended to and the auditors for the ensuing year appointed. The budget and estimates for the year had been approved by the department of water resources. It was decided to hold the monthly meeting on the last Friday in the month as previously. After the meeting adjourned, the trustees with Mr. Hovland and Mrs. Nick Laskoski were coffee guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell at her home.

## Cross-Canada cars re-fuel at Tofield

Shell 4000 Cross-Canada Rally designated Tofield as one of the check points on Wednesday last, when 42 cars competing in the test passed through Tofield on their way to Edmonton via Elk Island Park, between 4.30 and 5 p.m. About 15 of the cars serviced at the White Rose Service Station, owned and operated by W. A. Swift.

# New school wing to open May 11th

Have you ever been in Ethiopia or in Russia? If the answer is in the negative, you will be particularly interested in the program being presented by the Tofield sub-local of the ATA in the school auditorium on Tuesday, May 11th, on the occasion of the opening of the new wing of the Tofield school.

Miss Roberta Cummings, president of the Tofield sub-local, will be in charge of the program which will present Lloyd Cribb, B.Ed., B.A., Tofield High School teacher and A. Stenberg from the Junior High.

Mr. Cribb lived for six years in Ethiopia and has many fascinating tales of his experiences in that far-away country. Mr. Stenberg, in 1963, while on a guided tour in Russia, became ill and was hospitalized for a period of time. During his convalescence he obtained pictures which will interest those attending the program.

This program will begin at 8:00 o'clock but for the half-hour preceding it, the general public is invited to browse around the school with all rooms, except those to be declared open later in the evening, will be open for inspection and visitors are welcome.

RIBBON-CUTTING

Following the program, H. A. Pike, superintendent of schools for Beaver County, will be in charge of the ribbon-cutting ceremony which will open the new wing of the school. Members of the County school committee have been invited and it is expected that the chairman, Mr. Roddick of Viking, and the local trustee, Harold Weatherill, will also participate in the ceremony.

When the ribbon has been cut, the public is invited to tour the new wing.

This addition to the school consists of a library, a typing room, and a biological sciences lab.

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LIBRARY SECTION

(Elaine Sorell)

Immediately after the Easter holidays, students of the Tofield school began using the facilities

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# 4-H'ers take honors in radio competition

Once again this year the Camrose Broadcasting Company sponsored a competition in which all the 4-H clubs in the immediate listening area of CFCW were invited to take part. The clubs were to compose a program between five and ten minutes long that could be aired over CFCW.

The Tofield Beef Club readily took the challenge and set up a committee consisting of Colleen Wyllie, Phyllis Rose, Marjorie Moore, and Laurie Weatherill. The foursome then composed a program in which the three girls portrayed three beef cows with Laurie acting as narrator. Reward was at hand for the group for the program was placed in the top nine and then went on to take the top honors. Each club that placed in the top nine sent a delegate to Camrose to spend a week of touring Camrose and Edmonton businesses — all expenses paid by CFCW.

Laurie, the delegate from his club, reports that a very pleasant time was had for after earning a little about how a radio station is operated the delegates then toured places such as the Alberta Wheat Pool's seed cleaning plant in Camrose, Byers Flour Mills, visits to many farms in the Camrose and Leduc areas and a trip to Edmonton where the University of Alberta Agricultural Building, the Macdonald Hotel, and the Queen Elizabeth Planetarium were toured. Then the group attended the first game in the series between the Edmonton Oil Kings and the Winnipeg Braves.

Tofield 4-H Beef Club would like to take this opportunity to thank CFCW for taking an interest in Canada's 4-H movement.

## Schedule of x-ray clinics in district

The mobile chest x-ray and tuberculin testing clinic will be in operation at the Community Hall, Round Hill, on May 12th, from 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Mrs. J. Dobson is the general chairman.

The clinic will be in the Community Hall, Kingman, on May 12th, from 1:30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Mrs. A. Wruck is the general chairman. This service is provided by the Alberta Tuberculosis Association and the Alberta Department of Public Health.

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## Strange killers

Warm spring weather brings into the arena another strange killer, rarely thought of. And we're not thinking of automobiles or anything else on the highways. This is right in the backyard at home . . . the common barbecue.

Usually a happy occasion, the backyard item can become a nightmare.

Such as the case of the six-year-old in Edmonton who died last year after a red-hot barbecue was accidentally tipped over on him, covering eighty percent of his body with third degree burns.

Oddly, the number one trouble-maker in barbecues is the flammable liquid used as lighter. However, serious fires have started from burning potholders and other materials, from hot coals which fell through the grill to wooden porches, from hot coals dumped into cardboard cartons, or up against fences or bushes.

And don't forget the fumes are deadly when the barbecue is moved indoors . . . as some people have done. Or into trailers. The villain here is carbon monoxide, and the Safety Council warns that "anything that burns produces Carbon Monoxide . . . a tasteless, invisible, odourless and deadly gas".

## New lexicon

The Alberta Wheat Pool aided this week in producing a new kind of dictionary, dealing only with initials. The Pool's periodical, The Budget, carries a column listing some of the farm groups commonly referred to by initials, and the full names which they represent.

Starting with the AFA (Alberta Federation of Agriculture) the list carries on through two dozen groups of initials to UGG, which as most people know stands for United Grain Growers Ltd.

The Pool's move is interesting, and leads to speculation as to how big the list could become if we brought in the initials from all other groups imaginable. Just imagine the list that would develop from the United Nations alone. Then there are the trade associations in other fields, the multitudinous committees and arms of government, the railways, and think of the contribution that could be made by radio and television stations, which are identified by their call letters.

The list might not dwarf the lexicon of Samuel Johnson, but our bet is that it would be a pretty formidable volume nonetheless.

## Leave well enough alone

Having settled the flag issue, let's hope Ottawa recognizes the difficulty inherent in discussing the matter of the national anthem, and decides to leave well enough alone.

There seems to be some sort of controversy going on now over the official national anthem for this country, and it may just possibly be tossed to the Commons to worry over.

It has been our understanding for some years, even though we were surprised at the knowledge, that officially the national anthem is "God Save The Queen" while "O Canada" is just a sort of popular national song. Whether the information is accurate or not we care not. We do feel this is not a question which must be settled by days on endless days of wearisome and divisive argument. We do not feel it is a question which calls for settlement at all, for that matter.

As we understand it, the British constitution is completely unwritten, and is the collection of scores of precedents developed over several centuries, and the American constitution is almost completely written, while that of Canada lies somewhere in between.

It would seem there is a great deal of merit in the British practice of allowing things to develop according to the needs of the period. When it comes to putting every last item down in writing, and every comma and colon is subjected to the most searching scrutiny, it is often found the situation develops into a well nigh impossible picture from a practical standpoint.

## By George!

The most peculiar things happen to the most unlikely people. During the past week or so I noticed the following items in some of the dailies of our province.

At Las Vegas for instance, a man named Charles Handy has been charged with failing to file an income tax return for the years 1958, 1959 and 1960, during which time his income amounted to $100,000. Mr. Handy's occupation? He is an income tax con-[illegible].

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The [illegible] who plays the part of Paul Drake, a private investigator, on the Perry Mason television show is known in real life as William Hopper. Two weeks ago Mr. Hopper paid a $275 fine after pleading guilty to drunken driving.

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The Lethbridge Herald reports "Help sometimes comes from the most unexpected quarters.

"For some time now Rev. L. J. Lacey of Assumption Roman Catholic Church has been hinting strongly to his congregation that he would like to see new drapes on the church windows.

"Last Sunday he asked parishioners to say a prayer for a benefactor.

"Someone had finally donated the needed drapes.

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"He is a member of the Jewish religion."

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## News briefs from Kingman district

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, May 4th — Salem LCW will meet May 13th at the church. Mrs. T. Omsen and Mrs. L. Bjorgum will be hostesses.

Sunday service May 9th will be at 11:30 a.m. at the Salem Lutheran Church.

**The TB chest x-ray unit will be at Kingman Hall on May 12th from 1:30 to 5 p.m.**

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Johnson and family were Sunday dinner guests at the Bernard Johnson home at Kimbey.

### HOME FROM B.C.

Bobby and Raymond Peterson and Mervyl Skoglund returned on Sunday from a trip to New Westminster where they visited with the Knute Pedersens and other acquaintances.

Sunday evening visitors with Mrs. J. Holte were Pastor and Mrs. G. Ostrem of Edmonton, Pastor and Mrs. S. J. Rude of Camrose and Miss Mabel Simonson.

Mr and Mrs. J. Schneider and family and Mr and Mrs. Gault and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the E. Wrack home.

Mrs. J Holte attended the LCW conference at Bawlf on Saturday.

Mr and Mrs. John Morrison and boys of Edmonton were weekend visitors with the Ray Ovelsons.

Mr and Mrs. John Johnson were recent visitors with the E Goberts in Edmonton.

Mr and Mrs Donald Jacobson and family of Royal Park were Sunday visitors at the A. M Wick home.

Mr and Mrs. Gunner Ekdahl of Vancouver, B.C., spent Wednesday to Sunday visiting at the Herb Asp and Gust Ekdahl homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hanson of Edmonton were weekend guests at the Palmer Bonesa home. Sunday visitors were the Lawrence Rudes and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stauffer and Warren.

Miss Gertrude Asp of Calgary is spending part of her holidays at home with her parents.

Mrs Elmer Schmidt had 12 ladies in on Wednesday evening for a Tupperware tea. Mrs. J Seib of Camrose was the demon-[illegible].

Mrs. J. Holte spent Sunday with the Clarence Holtes of Bittern Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Asp, Gertrude and David visited with Mrs. Emma Asp at Wetaskiwin last Tuesday.

Mission Circle will meet May 12th at 2 p.m. at the Baptist Church.

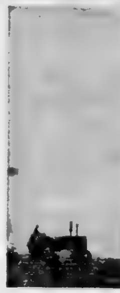
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seljehaug returned Sunday evening from a ten-day holiday to Vancouver, B.C., and Bellingham, Wash. They were fortunate in having grand weather while there.

### CONFIRMATION

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bjorgum and family attended confirmation services at Messiah Lutheran Church in Camrose on Sunday when their nephew, Larry Neilson, was among those confirmed. The Bjorgums were dinner guests at the Oscar Neilson home after the service.

Mrs. Alex Asp, Gertrude and David were Sunday and Monday visitors in Edmonton with the Anders Setterlunds and Rev. and Mrs. Gordon Setterlund.

Mrs. M Holte, Mrs. Cliff Simonson and Mrs. Lloyd Hamilton were Friday dinner guests at the I. Ness home.

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## Bardo news briefs

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, May 5th — Sunday School at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, May 9th and services in the evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Bardo WCTU will meet at the home of Mrs. Anna Tuckema on Wednesday, May 12th, at 2:30 p.m.

The Ivan and Leif Foshaug families visited at the George Foshaug home in Tofield Sunday afternoon.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Selma Cinnamon is a patient in the Tofield hospital suffering from pneumonia. Mrs. Mabel Johnson was a patient in the Tofield hospital for a few days last week.

Those from this district attending the LCW convention at Bawlf on Saturday were Mrs. Norma Anderson, Mrs. Olive Foshaug and Mrs. Mary Finseth.

Mrs. Stan Ramstad and Darren returned to Camrose on Saturday after spending a few days with her folks, the Arnold Johnsons. Little Lars, son of Jim and Nella Johnson is staying with his grandparents this week while his parents are away on holidays.

Mr. and Mrs Glenn Stiles and children from Edmonton were weekend visitors at the Elmer [illegible] home.

Visitors at the Glenn Francis home on Sunday were Mrs. Carrie Shultz and Dennis of Edmonton and the Charles Rude family.

## Holden news

John Lewko was a Saturday visitor in Camrose last week.

David Hladik, of Edmonton, was a weekend visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike [illegible].

Mrs J Lindberg and children who visited with her parents in Vancouver, B.C., for two weeks, returned home a week ago last Sunday, Mr Lindberg meeting the plane at Nisku.

Visiting with Mr and Mrs. Mike Tkaczyk for the evening a week ago Saturday were Mr and Mrs. Martin Stefaniszyn, of Bruce, and Mr and Mrs. Andrew Stefaniszyn of Camrose.


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# THE RYLEY TIMES

## County council meets April 8th

The regular meeting of the council of County of [illegible] No. 9 was held Thursday, April 8th.

The delegation that [illegible] interviewed the [illegible] committee with a petition to have Marvin Lund's employment as patrol operator at Bruce terminated, attended the meeting at this time. This complaint had been referred to the County Council by the school committee and the delegation was advised that a committee would be appointed by the council to investigate the complaint and that further consideration would be given to the matter at a meeting of the council expected to be held on the 14th of April. The Reeve stated that it had been a very hard winter and that the snowplowing operations had been very difficult and hard to cope with and he requested that the members of the delegation as well as the ratepayers give due consideration to this fact. Mr. Al [illegible], speaking for the delegation, agreed [illegible] but stated that on the other hand the roads in other divisions within the County had been in much better condition. Mr Benson offered to take the committee, that would be [illegible] by the council, on a tour over the roads. It was further stated that Mr Leo Kelm, who also was a member of the delegation, [illegible] kept a portion of the road [illegible] with his tractor. Mr Benson also asked that the committee look into the bridge and culvert situation in the area. It was moved that Crs. Gibson, Magneson and Weatherill be appointed a committee to investigate the complaint and that they meet on Friday, April 9th, at 10 00 a.m. at Bruce.

It was also moved and carried that the minutes of the safety committee meeting March 26th be accepted and that, as requested in these minutes, a condition of employment in the County be that safety hats be worn whenever necessary.

In respect to the abandoning of the survey on the NW 10-50-19-W.4 J. D. Janzen, the sec.-treas. reported that cancellation for the plan in this quarter section as well as in NW 15-50-19-W.4, C. J. Sears, had been approved by the chief maintenance engineer and that the director of surveys under date of April 1st, advised that notification of transfer of the areas concerned to the owners of adjoining lands had been prepared and would be forwarded to the Land Titles Office within the next few days. It was moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Mr M. L. Monk, district supervisor of Texaco (Canada) Ltd interviewed the council in regards to the advisability of tendering for fuel oil, gasoline, lube oil and grease and explained the possible savings. Mr M[illegible] was [illegible] that his proposal would be further discussed by the council and, if it was decided to try this method of purchasing, he would be so advised and without obligation he would have a survey made of the requirements and prepare a suitable tender to be forwarded to various suppliers.

**CENTENNIAL GRANT**

In the matter of the Centennial Grant, the sec.-treas. reported that he had been in contact with the centennial officer, outlining the proposed distribution of the County's centennial grants to the various towns and villages within the County. It was pointed out that the use of the centennial grant for restrooms at Bruce and Kinsella would not be acceptable as centennial projects as these units were considered a part of normal public works that are required in the hamlets.

Cr. Dorin then stated that, if acceptable, the grant could be used to an addition to the hall at Bruce. Cr. Johnston stated that he would try to find some suitable project, possibly in connection with the Elks' Lodge. The sec.-treas. informed the council that his calculations indicated that the following amounts would be available to the towns, villages and hamlets out of the county's grant of $12,952.00.

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| Tofield | $3400 37 |
| Ryley | 1966.98 |
| Holden | 2150.28 |
| Viking | 4222.90 |
| Bruce | 694.71 |
| Kinsella | 437 22 |

In order to earn these grants the various towns, villages and hamlets would have to add 50%.

It was moved and carried that the report be accepted and that the towns and villages be advised of the amount available to them.

Concerning the proposed grader sheds at Tofield and Viking motion 211 65 the sec.-treas. referred to the council estimates submitted by Stan Kubin as follows:

Tofield patrol shed, approximately $7100.00. Addition to the Viking patrol shed, approximately $3430.00.

It was moved and carried that these estimates be included in the current year's budget.

Cr. Weatherill reported that he had interviewed the council of the Town of Tofield in the matter of exchange of lots for the new machine shed. Cr. Weatherill stated that five lots were available in the S½ of Block 7 plan 5200 S directly east of J. H. Arnett's used car lot, and that the Tofield council was prepared to exchange three of these lots for the two where the County's present grader shed is located, providing the County would sell the old shed to the town, price for the shed to be negotiated. It was moved and carried that Stan Kubin be asked to appraise the present grader shed and that a committee be appointed to deal with the sale of the building to the Town of Tofield and that we accept the offer of exchange of lots.

Twenty-seven tenders had been received for the purchase of the B.G. scrapers that had been ad-

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### FUTURE DATES

**TEA AND SALE OF PLANTS**
The annual Mother's Day Tea and Sale of House Plants, sponsored by the Holy Trinity Afternoon W.A. will be held in the library room on Saturday, May 8th, starting at 3 00 p.m. 33-35-36c-2236

**GOLF MEETING**
A general meeting of the Tofield Golf Club will be held Friday, May 7th, starting at 7:00 p.m., at the Tofield Golf Club. All members and those wishing to join the club are urged to attend. Tournament dates will be discussed. 36c-2391

### CARS, TRUCKS

Many thanks to my friends and neighbors for the social evening, and for the very nice gift of a chair and hassock, which was presented to me last Friday at Ministik Hall. This was very much appreciated.
—Matthew Ferguson. 36p-2390

We wish to express our many thanks to the people of Holden, Ryley and Tofield for the help and money they gave us after losing our home by fire.
—Rudolf H. Steinwand and Family and Norbet. 36p-2390

### NOTICES

**A.B.A. SUMMER SCHEDULE**
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10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, May 9th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

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Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School

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Summer Schedule
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"That was Sergeant Bob Gilligan. He's been out covering a homicide over in the north end of town. There were five hoodlums involved in this little party . . . and one of them got into a little ruckus with one of his pals and shot him to death. Sergeant Gilligan has just given me some information on the activities of these five characters, and I'm wondering if you can sift through these notes I've taken and tell me just who killed whom".

You intercept the memo pad Chief Patterson skims across his desk to you, and begin reading through his notes:

"Danny Dodge bowled seven games of tenpins with one of the innocent men sometime between one and three p.m. today. The killer, when only three years old, was taken out of an orphanage, adopted by Jack Anderson's parents, and the two boys grew up together virtually as brothers. Hank Edwards is an accomplished pianist. Cappy Carson, who is considered a fine bowler, was formerly a professional football player. The killer underwent a hernia operation eight days ago. Bill Bradshaw became a member of this group of hoodlums only two weeks ago, having been well acquainted with three of the other men, but meeting Jack Anderson then for the first time. Jack Anderson separated from his wife six months ago, has been living with his mother since then, and is there now. Danny Lougee was at one time a night club M.C. Bill Bradshaw and Cappy Carson have been seen some quite often of late playing billiards together".

You now look up at Chief Jim Patterson, and say, "I know your two men . . . the killer and the victim".

Who are they?

**SOLUTION**

Cappy Carson killed Hank Edwards. Danny Dodge obviously cannot be the killer, because he bowled seven games this afternoon, and the killer underwent a hernia operation just eight days ago. Jack Anderson is not the killer for he met Anderson for the first time only two weeks ago. This leaves Cappy Carson and Hank Edwards. Since Carson is obviously alive (he is considered a fine bowler), he must have killed Edwards, the only other name not mentioned.

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# Armena district briefs

(Mrs. E. S. Soderstrom)

**X-RAY CLINIC**

ARMENA, May 3rd — The TB chest x-ray clinic will be held at the Armena school on Friday, May 7th, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. Be sure to keep your appointments.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Soderstrom were visitors on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Landmark at Ponoka. Mrs. Landmark and Mr. Soderstrom are cousins.

**LCW CONVENTION**

A number of the LCW members attended the Camrose-Edmonton conference of the LCW at Bawlf all day Saturday. There were over 215 ladies present, including pastors' wives, delegates, visitors and a few pastors.

**VARIETY NIGHT**

A variety night was presented at the Armena school last Friday evening with a large crowd present. Sponsored by the Armena Home and School Association, a very fine program was presented. The fashion show, in which men modelled women's clothes, was particularly enjoyed.

Shirley Moore of Edmonton was a weekend guest with her parents, the James Moores. Sunday visitors at the Moore home were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Woodward and children of Edmonton. Mr. and Mrs. Garry Mendahl of Camrose and Douglas Anderson of Stony Plain.

The Armena Willing Workers catered to the banquet for the Fish and Game Association last Wednesday evening at the Elks Hall in Camrose.

The Willing Workers will meet at the home of Mrs. Anders Ly seng on Wednesday, May 12th. Members are reminded to bring in sewing or knitting.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Hans Christensen is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, having had surgery on Tuesday, April 27th. He is reported progressing favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lyseng attended a bull sale at Lacombe last Friday.

## Palmer - Earling

Mrs Karen Pederson, Mr. and Mrs. Bent Pederson and children and Mr and Mrs. Elmer Bruce and Charlene were visitors in Camrose Sunday in honor of Mrs. Alberta Bolding's birthday.

Gunnar Odegaard of Faust was an overnight guest during Easter at the Bud Sizer home.

Sunday guests at the Gordon Tenke home were their aunt, Mrs. Minnie Matrin, and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Candlish and

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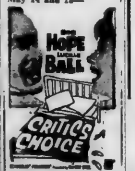


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I'M REALLY AN UNAGRICULTURIST A GLEE-RIST.

## SMALL WORLD

I HAVE ALWAYS BEEN FASCINATED BY THE CHANGE-OVER OF A CHAMPION PLAYER.
THE CROWD IS LEAVING. I SUPPOSE THE CHAMP HAVE TO CONCENTRATE.
AAA THE CHAMP DOESN'T RUN HE JUST LIE REAL QUIET AND TALK NICE WITH HIM.
SO WHAT IF HE WASN'T FRIENDLY, HE WON THE GAME AND BECAME A CELEBRITY.
GOLF CHAMP GOD WIN

## FLUNKO

STUDENTS SUMMER EMPLOYMENT AGENCY
CAN I HELP YOU SIR?
YEAH I'M LOOKING FOR A SUMMER JOB
VERY GOOD SIR! NOW IF YOU COULD TELL ME WHAT YOU DO BEST I CAN PLACE YOU IN A JOB BEST SUITED TO YOUR CAPABILITIES
WELL LET'S SEE... DRIVE A CAR... SMOKE CIGARETTES... WATCH TV CHASE GIRLS.

## CYNTHIA

HOW CAN YOU AFFORD TO THROW AWAY CIGARS THAT LONG?
I CAN'T SAY GOOD NIGHT TO A LADY WITH A CIGAR IN MY HAND.
WHAT NICE MANNERS!
NOW WHERE DID IT GO? THAT WAS A 50 CENT CIGAR...
AH, HERE IT IS!

## FLUNKO

I'M NOT GOING TO EAT AT THE WAGON WHEEL, ITS TOO EXPENSIVE!
HOW ABOUT THE SPUR?
THE SPUR? HECK NO ALL THEY SERVE IS CHICKEN AND I HATE CHICKEN!
THEN LET'S GO TO THE BEEF HOUSE
ARE YOU KIDDING? THE FOODS HORRIBLE!
WELL FLUNKO, WHERE DO YOU WANT TO EAT?
IT DOESN'T MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE TO ME!

## CYNTHIA

WHY DON'T YOU LOOK WHERE YOU'RE GOING! AT MY CAR!
I'M SORRY MISS. HERE'S MY CARD.
YOU IDIOT!
WHAT I DON'T TELL ME YOU'RE THE SINGER WITH THE GOLDEN VOICE!
AM I HAPPY TO MEET YOU!
WHAT A SOUVENIR! I'LL ALWAYS LEAVE IT LIKE THIS!

# County council meets April 8th

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vertised in the newspapers circulating within the County some of the tenders giving a choice of more than one scraper. After scrutinizing the various tenders it was moved and carried that the following tenders be accepted

B G scraper located at NW 31-48-11-W 4 — W J Pobuda, $250.00. NE 35-47-13-W 4 — Magnor Toverud $426.00. Hamlet of Bruce — J R Jackson, $285.00. Hamlet of Haight — Lester Pepper, $305.00. SW 35-47-16-W 4 — Ernest Yetch $231.00. SW 9-50-17 W 4 — Ernest Koetke $265.00. SE 35-41-19-W 4 — V Bates $318.

In regards to the council's decision for the council to act as the advisory committee to the Alberta Farm Purchase Board, the sec.-treas. reported that the application to establish the council as the farm purchase advisory committee had been approved by the Minister of Agriculture and that from now on the former advisory committee was discharged. It was moved and carried that the information be accepted.

In the matter of the recreational facilities grant program, the sec.-treas. reported that he had received applications from Adams Community Centre, Catholic Parish of St. John the Baptist, Polska Hall and St. John the Baptist of Borshtchow Hall for this grant. He further advised that although the deadline for submitting these applications had been March 31st the deputy provincial secretary, Mr. P. B. Howard, had kindly agreed to accept the applications if they were passed by the council at today's meeting. It was moved and carried that the applications be approved and that the Reeve and sec.-treas. be authorized to complete the applications and forward them to the provincial secretary's department.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

A letter from Mrs. Nick Howrish of Holden complaining that the road to their farm was not being snowplowed until several days after the storms and that her husband and son had to open the road with tractor and shovels so that the son could get to school. Mrs. Howrish also referred to the poor condition of the road which no doubt would make it impassible for the school bus in the spring of the year and she requested that something be done to improve this road.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. Howrish be advised that an effort will be made to improve the road in question this year and that this would no doubt aleviate the snow problem in coming years and that it be pointed out to Mrs. Howrish that due to the unusually difficult snow condition many roads were not opened up as quickly as the council would have liked.

It was moved and carried that correspondence from the deputy provincial treasurer concerning the Municipal Development and Loan Act, advising that the restrictions regarding the amounts of the loans that can be obtained through this act have been removed, be tabled until a later meeting.

It was also moved and carried that this meeting now adjourn to Wednesday, April 14th, at 10 a.m.

It was moved and carried that letter from the department of municipal affairs advising that the grant under the Municipalities Assistance Act for the year

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County of Beaver No. 9
Ryley, Alberta

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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

A large number of churchgoers turned out Sunday at the United Church to welcome Miss Helen Irwin, student minister from near Toronto, Ont. The young girl indicates real possibilities in her chosen work.

Mrs. Mac McIntyre, Mrs. Michael Nasehuk and Bill Roddick were donors Wednesday evening at the blood donor clinic held in Tofield.

**Friends and neighbors were sorry to hear of the loss by fire of the home of Ted and Morris Stewart at Hastings Lake on Tuesday.**

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Loch were weekend guests at the home of Rita's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Logan at Therrien, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Lahnes and family were Sunday dinner guests with Mrs. Helen Hennessy.

Gary Ferguson of Calgary, was a weekend guests with his parents and brothers, the Andrew Fergusons.

W. F. Davenport was honored at a birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport on Monday evening.

**79TH BIRTHDAY**

Tom Jones attained the ripe age of 79 on April 30th, and those of his family who helped him celebrate the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Messerschmidt and family, Mrs. Paul Stepanow and children, and son John. Many more birthdays are wished Mr. Jones.

Victor Wright was once again a guest of Laura Lindsay on TV. She announced that Victor would receive his first year service award in cooking on Klondike Capers, to be held Monday night.

**SURPRISE PARTY**

Matthew Ferguson was pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening, when friends and neighbors gathered to honor him at a social evening. He was presented with a T.V. rocker chair and a hassock for his new home in Tofield. "For he's a jolly good fellow" and "Auld Lang Syne" were sung, after which lunch was served. Matthew extended an invitation to all to visit him in his new home.

The Dennis Jones family moved to their new home at Ardrossan on Saturday.

A short organization meeting of the Sunday School will be held on Sunday, May 9th, at 11.15 a.m. Regular classes of Sunday school will commence May 16th, immediately following church services each Sunday.

**BENEFIT BINGO**

The Community Club's cash bingo planned for May 7th will be a benefit bingo to aid the Stewart brothers, who lost their home and contents by fire last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys have returned south, where Baden will be stationed at Mossleigh, Alberta, for the summer.

Peggi Rowland and Edna Roddick were weekend guests at their respective homes.

Jim Holmes attended a bus drivers' convention at Ardrossan recently.

**Gordon Kilfoyle has sold his farm, formerly owned by Bill George, to Albert Soutter of the Bretona district.**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe, of Tofield, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. S. George.

# Ketchamoot

Mr. and Mrs. John Jansen and little daughter motored to Chilliwack, B.C., to visit with John's father who is quite ill.

John Grevum of Edmonton spent the weekend with Chester and Harold Coombes.

Tuesday evening, a Tupperware ... was held at the home of Mrs. Ivan Mitchell. The ladies present enjoyed a pleasant evening.

Mrs. Harold Sutton and Brian spent a few days in Edmonton last week.


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1965 had been established in the amount of $135,000.74, be received and filed.

The sec.-treas. stated that in 1964 the grant had been $134,101.58.

Correspondence from Otis D. Phillips, Pete Dueck, Henry Thiessen and Abe Wiens requesting improvements to the road from the SE corner of Sec. 17-50-17-W 4 one mile west and two miles north to the NW corner of Sec. 30-50-17 was referred to the council. After some discussion it was decided to table this matter in order that some of the councillors could examine the road in question which they intended to do after lunch.

A copy of a letter from a number of residents of the district to the director of postal service in Edmonton requesting that the rural mail delivery which had been cut to once a week, be reinstated to twice a week. The reason for the reduction in service appeared to have been the impassible condition of the road north of Sec. 9 and 10 in 47-16-W 4th. Cr. Gibson stated that this road was used very little in the winter time, possibly mostly by the mail carrier, and that the road was passable in the summer time. Cr. Gibson did not intend to improve this road in 1965 as there were other roads in the area that were more in need of improvement.

It was moved and carried that the letter be received and filed, Cr. Gibson's opinion concurred in, and that the responsible parties be so advised.

A letter signed by Clare Good and Abe Wiens, registering a complaint against David Regehr for the draining of Duck Lake stated that the drainage would definitely cause water damage on SW and SE 29-50-18-W 4, was referred to the council. Cr. Magneson stated that he had only recently been advised that this drainage had been done. As this was a matter that did not actually concern the council it was moved and carried that Messrs. Clare Good and Abe Wiens be advised to contact the department of water resources.

A letter from John Maurer stating that Dave Schmidt on S½ 24-50-18-W 4th had done a lot of ditching around his farm so that the water would run quite a bit off the natural drain and would run through the centre of Mr. Maurer's land on SE 19-50-18-W. 4th. He requested that the council take some action on this connection. Cr. Magneson stated that when the road was reconstructed between Sec. 19 and 24-50-18-W. 4th a culvert, that had been located at a slough towards the south of SE 24-50-18, had been moved further north and that this would have some bearing on the amount of water that would go through Mr. Maurer's land. It was considered that a committee from the council should look into this complaint dealing under Section 242 under the Municipal Act. It was moved and carried that Crs. Magneson, Kropielnicki and Weatherill be appointed the committee to investigate this complaint with power to take immediate action to rectify the situation, if the County is at fault by having moved the culvert referred to, and that Mr. John Maurer be asked to accompany the committee in view of the fact that the provisions of Sec. 242 had not been fully carried out.

Board Order No. 1780 of the Local Authorities Board, separating the E ½ of N.E. 2-51-19-W4 and all the original north south road allowance adjoining the east boundary of the aforesaid land from the Town of Tofield and annexing to the County of Beaver No. 9, was referred to the Council. The Order prescribed that the provisions of the Order was to become effective on, as from the 1st day of January, 1965.

Moved and carried that the Order be accepted.

Cr. Weatherill was somewhat surprised that the north-south road allowance adjoining the east boundary of the parcel in question had been transferred to the County, as, as a rule, the road to the west of the municipality is the responsibility of that municipality.

Moved and carried taht an inquiry be made as to the reasons for annexing this road allowance to the County.

In regards to the interview that the District Supervisor of Texaco Canada Limited had with the Council on April 8th, the question as to whether or not a survey should be made was further discussed.

The Secretary-Treasurer reported that, subject to correction, the following amounts of diesel fuel, gas, oil and grease had been used during 1964. Diesel fuel, 6,440 gallons, gas for buses and trucks 67,412 gallons, heating fuel 612 gallons, lubricating oil, 1,402 gallons, lubricating grease, 2,515 pounds, varsol, 280 gallons.

Moved and carried that we request a survey with no obligation attached to the request.

In reference to the approval having been obtained for the appointment of the Council as the Advisory Committee to the Alberta Farm Purchase Board, the Secretary-Treasurer suggested that it might be advisable to have a small sub-committee of the Council that could act if more than two or three applications were to be considered. This was

Moved and carried that Crs. Roddick, Magneson and Kropielnicki be appointed the Sub-Committee of the Council as the Advisory Committee to the Alberta Farm Purchase Board.

In regards to the request for improvement of the road from the S.E. corner of Sec. 17-50-17-W 4th, one mile west and two miles north, dealt with earlier in today's meeting, the Council had driven over the road in question during the noon recess, and it was decided that it was not practical to gravel this road without reconstructing it, and Cr. Magneson stated that he did not think that he would have money available to do the necessary reconstruction and gravelling on these three miles during the 1965 season.

It was therefore moved and carried that the petitioners be advised that their request had been noted but that it is very unlikely that the reconstruction and gravelling of these three miles of road be undertaken in 1965, however, should finances and conditions be found favorable in the fall of the year the work may be undertaken.

Moved and carried that the report from the P.F.A. branch of the Department of Agriculture concerning townships dealt with by the Board of Review meetings No. 7, 8 and 9 be received and filed.

Copies of the reports were prepared for each Councillor.

Moved and carried that information from East Central Alberta Development Board, being a submission on the hutterite problem, be received and filed.

The following requisitions were referred to the Council: The Alberta Hospitals Act, $50,280.53; School Foundation Program Fund, $326,005; Vegreville Health Unit, $7,336.82; Minburn-Vermilion Health Unit No. 12 $1,706.28; preliminary requisition from Viking Municipal Hospital District No. 10, $6,134.30; Tofield Municipal District No. 47, $334.57.

Moved and carried that the various requisitions be accepted and paid as required.

Moved and carried that the agreement between the County and the Department of Agriculture concerning the operation of the Agricultural Service Board for 1965 be approved and as such signed by the Reeve and Secretary-Treasurer and forwarded to the Department of Agriculture.

Concerning the petition requesting the dismissal of Marvin Lund, patrol operator at Bruce, which had been referred to the Council by resolution No. 220/65, the Committee, appointed to investigate this matter, submitted a very comprehensive report. It was noted that besides the three Councillors appointed to investigate the complaint, Cr. Gibson had also attended the investigation. The investigation indicated that the quality of work done had been as good as could be expected under the difficult conditions with some quite narrow roads and an abundance of snow. The Committee recommended that in order to remove some of the snow banks from the road had a cat and bulldozer be used. The members of the Committee were of the opinion that the operator, Marvin Lund, had done as good a job as could be expected under the circumstances and they could not see fit to recommend that the services of Marvin Lund be terminated on the grounds of the complaint in petition. Cr. Magneson reported that Cr. Dorin had telephoned him the day after the committee had made its investigation and had stated that he did not require the cat as Marvin Lund would be able to do the work with the patrol.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and concurred in and that the petitioners be so advised, also that Cr. A. L. Gibson be recognized as a member of this Committee.

# Holden news

Alan Tiedemann was home Friday evening, and attended the Holden High School spring dance, returning to Edmonton early Saturday. Alan is now employed at the Reviera Hotel.

**HOME FOM USA**

Mrs. Bertha Sanoerson returned home the latter part of last week from a three-week holiday, visiting with her son Jim and his wife and baby daughter for a few days, then driving with them to visit with her daughter Margaret and family for two weeks in Cincinnati, U.S.A.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gerrie and children, of Lac La Biche were in Holden over the weekend, visiting with their family, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Nichols, and calling on friends. Ralph was attending and instructing on the new maths course at the meeting held at Holden School.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Shyba and family, of Calgary, were recent visitors during the Easter holiday with the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shyba, also visiting for a few days with Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Shyba, and brother, Harry Shyba and family.


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Due to the heavy listing for May 8th, this sale must start on time!

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vertized in the newspapers circulating within the County, some of the tenders giving a choice of more than one scraper. After scrutinizing the various tenders it was moved and carried that the following tenders be accepted:

B.G. scraper located at NW 21-48-11-W 4 — W. J. Pobuda, $250.00. NE 35-47-13-W 4 — Magnor Toverud, $426.00. Hamlet of Bruce — J. R. Jackson, $265.00. Hamlet of Haight — Lester Pepper, $305.00. SW 35-47-16-W 4 — Ernest Vitek, $211.00. SW 9-50-17-W 4 — Ernest Koethe, $265.00. SE 35-51-19-W 4 — V. Bates, $310.

In regards to the council's decision for the council to act as the advisory committee to the Alberta Farm Purchase Board, the sec.-treas. reported that the application to establish the council as the farm purchase advisory committee had been approved by the Minister of Agriculture and that from now on the former advisory committee was discharged. It was moved and carried that the information be accepted.

In the matter of the recreational facilities grant program, the sec.-treas. reported that he had received applications from Adams Community Centre, Catholic Parish of St. John the Baptist Polska Hall and St. John the Baptist of Borshichow Hall for this grant. He further advised that although the deadline for submitting these applications had been March 31st the deputy provincial secretary, Mr. P. R. Howard, had kindly agreed to accept the applications if they were passed by the council at today's meeting. It was moved and carried that the applications be approved and that the Reeve and sec.-treas. be authorized to complete the applications and forward them to the provincial secretary's department.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from Mrs. Nick Howrish of Holden complaining that the road to their farm was not being snowplowed until several days after the storms and that her husband and son had to open the road with tractor and shovels so that the son could get to school. Mrs. Howrish also referred to the poor condition of the road which no doubt would make it impossible for the school bus in the spring of the year and she requested that something be done to improve this road.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. Howrish be advised that an effort will be made to improve the road in question this year and that this would no doubt aleviate the snow problem in coming years and that it be pointed out to Mrs. Howrish that due to the unusually difficult snow condition many roads were not opened up as quickly as the council would have liked.

It was moved and carried that correspondence from the deputy provincial treasurer concerning the Municipal Development and Loan Act, advising that the restrictions regarding the amounts of the loans that can be obtained through this act have been removed, be tabled until a later meeting.

It was also moved and carried that this meeting now adjourn to Wednesday, April 14th, at 10 a.m.

It was moved and carried that letter from the department of municipal affairs advising that the grant under the Municipalities Assistance Act for the year

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Secretary-Treasurer
County of Beaver No. 9
Ryley, Alberta

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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

A large number of churchgoers turned out Sunday at the United Church to welcome Miss Helen Irwin, student minister from near Toronto, Ont. The young girl indicates real possibilities in her chosen work.

Mrs. Mac McIntyre, Mrs. Michael Nasichuk and Bill Roddick were donors Wednesday evening at the blood donor clinic held in Tofield.

**Friends and neighbors were sorry to hear of the loss by fire of the home of Ted and Morris Stewart at Hastings Lake on Tuesday.**

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Loch were weekend guests at the home of Rita's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Logan, at Therrien, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Liknes and family were Sunday dinner guests with Mrs. Helen Hennessy.

Gary Ferguson, of Calgary, was a weekend guest with his parents and brothers, the Andrew Fergusons.

W. F. Davenport was honored at a birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport on Monday evening.

79TH BIRTHDAY

Tom Jones attained the ripe age of 79 on April 20th, and those of his family who helped him celebrate the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Messerschmidt and family, Mrs. Paul Stepanow and children, and son John. Many more birthdays are wished Mr. Jones.

Victor Wright was once again a guest of Laura Lindsay on TV. She announced that Victor would receive his first year service award in cooking on Klondike Capers, to be held Monday night.

SURPRISE PARTY

Matthew Ferguson was pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening, when friends and neighbors gathered to honor him at a social evening. He was presented with a T.V. rocker chair and a hassock for his new home in Tofield. "For he's a jolly good fellow" and "Auld Lang Syne" [illegible] which [illegible] served. Matthew extended an invitation to all to visit him in his new home.

The Dennis Jones family moved to their new home at Ardrossan on Saturday.

A short organization meeting of the Sunday School will be held on Sunday, May 9th, at 11:15 a.m. Regular classes of Sunday school will commence May 16th, immediately following church services each Sunday.

BENEFIT BINGO

The Community Club's cash bingo planned for May 7th will be a benefit bingo to aid the Stewart brothers, who lost their home and contents by fire last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys have returned south, where Baden will be stationed at Mossleigh, Alberta, for the summer.

Peggi Rowland and Edna Roddick were weekend guests at their respective homes.

Jim Holmes attended a bus drivers' convention at Ardrossan recently.

**Gordon Kilfoyle has sold his farm, formerly owned by Bill George, to Albert Seutter of the Bretona district.**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe, of Tofield, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. S. George.

# Ketchamoot

Mr. and Mrs. John Janzen and little daughter motored to Chilliwack, B.C., to visit with John's father who is quite ill.

John Grovum of Edmonton spent the weekend with Chester and Harold Coombes.

Tuesday evening, a Tupperware [illegible] was held at the home of Mrs. Ivan Mitchell. The ladies present enjoyed a pleasant evening.

Mrs. Harold Sutton and Brian spent a few days in Edmonton last week.


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1965 had been established in the amount of $135,800.74, be received and filed.

The sec.-treas. stated that in 1964 the grant had been $136,181.88.

Correspondence from Otto D. Phillips, Pete Darck, Henry Thiessen and Abe Wiens requesting improvements to the road from the SE corner of Sec. 17-50-17-W.4 one mile west and two miles north to the NW corner of Sec. 20-50-17 was referred to the [illegible]. After some [illegible] it was decided to table this matter in order that some of the councillors could examine the road in question which they intended to do after lunch.

A copy of a letter from a number of residents of the district director of postal service in Edmonton requesting that the rural mail delivery which had been cut to once a week, be reinstated to twice a week. The reason for the reduction in service appeared to have been the impassable condition of the road north of Sec. 9 and 10 in 47-16-W 4th. Cr. Gibson stated that this road was used very little in the winter time, possibly mostly by the mail carrier, and that the road was passable in the summer time. Cr. Gibson did not intend to improve this road in 1965 as there were other roads in the area that were more in need of improvement.

It was moved and carried that the letter be received and filed, Cr. Gibson's opinion concurred in, and that the responsible parties be so advised.

A letter signed by Clare Good and Abe Wiens, registering a complaint against David Hegehr for the draining of Duck Lake stated that the drainage would definitely cause water damage on SW and SE 29-50-18-W 4, was referred to the council. Cr. Magneson stated that he had only recently been advised that this drainage had been done. As this was a matter that did not actually concern the council it was moved and carried that Messrs. Clare Good and Abe Wiens be advised to contact the department of water resources.

A letter from John Maurer stating that Dave Schmidt on S½ 24-50-18-W 4th had done a lot of ditching around his farm so that the water would run quite a bit off the natural drain and would run through the centre of Mr. Maurer's land on SE 19-50-18-W. 4th. He requested that the council take some action on this connection. Cr. Magneson stated that when the road was reconstructed between Sec. 19 and 24-50-18-W.4th a culvert, that had been located at a slough towards the south of SE 24-50-18, had been moved further north and that this would have some bearing on the amount of water that would go through Mr. Maurer's land. It was considered that a committee from the council should look into this complaint dealing under Section 242 under the Municipal Act. It was moved and carried that Crs. Magneson, Kropelnicki and Weatherill be appointed the committee to investigate this complaint with power to take immediate action to rectify the situation, if the County is at fault by having moved the culvert referred to, and [illegible] to accompany the committee in view of the fact that the provisions of Sec. 242 had not been fully carried out.

Board Order No. 1780 of the Local Authorities Board, separating the E.½ of N.E. 3-51-19-W4 and all the original north-south road allowance adjoining the east boundary of the aforesaid land from the Town of Tofield and annexing to the County of Beaver No. 9, was referred to the Council. The Order prescribed that the provisions of the Order was to become effective on, as from the 1st day of January, 1965.

Moved and carried that the Order be accepted.

Cr. Weatherill was somewhat surprised that the north-south road allowance adjoining the east boundary of the parcel in question had been transferred to the County, as, as a rule, the road to the west of the municipality is the responsibility of that municipality.

Moved and carried taht an inquiry be made as to the reasons for annexing this road allowance to the County.

In regards to the interview that the District Supervisor of Texaco Canada Limited had with the Council on April 8th, the question as to whether or not a survey should be made was further discussed.

The Secretary-Treasurer reported that, subject to correction, the following amounts of diesel fuel, gas, oil and grease had been used during 1964: Diesel fuel, 16,440 gallons, gas for buses and trucks 67,412 gallons, heating fuel, 612 gallons; lubricating oil, 1,402 gallons; lubricating grease, 2,515 pounds; varsol, 280 gallons.

Moved and carried that we request a survey with no obligation attached to the request.

In reference to the approval having been obtained for the appointment of the Council as the Advisory Committee to the Alberta Farm Purchase Board, the Secretary-Treasurer suggested that it might be advisable to have a small sub-committee of the Council that could act if more than two or three applications were to be considered. This was

Moved and carried that Crs. Roddick, Magneson and Kropelnicki be appointed the Sub-Committee of the Council as the Advisory Committee to the Alberta Farm Purchase Board.

In regards to the request for improvement of the road from the S.E. corner of Sec. 17-50-17-W.4th, one mile west and two miles north, dealt with earlier in today's meeting, the Council had driven over the road in question during the noon recess, and it was decided that it was not practical to gravel this road without reconstructing it, and Cr. Magneson stated that he did not think that he would have money available to do the necessary reconstruction and gravelling on these three miles during the 1965 season.

It was therefore moved and carried that the petitioners be advised that their request had been noted but that it is very unlikely that the reconstruction and gravelling of these three miles of road be undertaken in 1965, however, should finances and conditions be found favorable in the fall of the year the work may be undertaken.

Moved and carried that the report from the P F A branch of the Department of Agriculture concerning townships dealt with by the Board of Review meetings No. 7, 8 and 9 be received and filed.

Copies of the reports were prepared for each Councillor.

Moved and carried that information from East Central Alberta Development Board, being a submission on the [illegible] problem, be received and filed.

The following requisitions were referred to the Council: The Alberta Hospitals Act, [illegible]; School Foundation Program Fund, $326,095; Vegreville Health Unit, $7,338.82; Minburn-Vermilion Health Unit No. 12, $1,788.28; preliminary requisition from Viking Municipal Hospital District No. 10, $6,134.39; Tofield Municipal District No. 47, $334.57.

Moved and carried that the various requisitions be accepted [illegible] paid as required.

Moved and carried that the agreement between the County and the Department of Agriculture concerning the operation of the Agricultural Service Board for 1965 be approved and as such signed by the Reeve and Secretary Treasurer and forwarded to the Department of Agriculture.

Concerning the petition requesting the dismissal of Marvin Lund, patrol operator at Bruce, which had been referred to the Council by resolution No. 229-65, the Committee, appointed to investigate this matter, submitted a very comprehensive report. It was noted that besides the three Councillors appointed to investigate the complaint, Cr. Gibson had also attended the investigation. The investigation indicated that the quality of work done had been as good as could be expected under the difficult conditions with some quite narrow roads and an abundance of snow. The Committee recommended that in order to remove some of the snow banks from the road bed a cat and bulldozer be used. The members of the Committee were of the opinion that the operator, Marvin Lund, had done as good a job as could be expected under the circumstances and they could not see fit to recommend that the services of Marvin Lund be terminated on the grounds of the complaint in petition. Cr. Magneson reported that Cr. Dorn had telephoned him the day after the committee had made its investigation and had stated that he did not require the cat as Marvin Lund would be able to do the work with the patrol.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and concurred in and that the petitioners be so advised, also that Cr. A. L. Gibson be recognized as a member of this Committee.

# Holden news

Alan Tiedemann was home Friday evening, and attended the Holden High School spring dance, returning to Edmonton early Saturday. Alan is now employed at the Reviera Hotel.

HOME FOR USA

Mrs. Bertha [illegible] returned home the latter part of last week from a three-week holiday, visiting with her son Jim and his wife and baby daughter for a few days, then driving with them to visit with her daughter Margaret and family for two weeks in Cincinnati, U.S.A.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gerrie and children, of Lac La Biche were in Holden over the weekend, visiting with their family, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Nichols, and calling on friends. Ralph was attending and instructing on the new maths course at the meeting held at Holden School.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Shyba and family, of Calgary, were recent visitors during the Easter holiday with the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shyba, also visiting for a few days with Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Shyba, and brother, Harry Shyba and family.


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Due to the heavy listing for May 8th, this sale must start on time!

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# Community League begins plans for Dominion Day

The regular monthly meeting of the Tofield Community League was held on Tuesday, May 4th, in the meeting room of the Community Centre, with the president, John Baergen in the chair, and [illegible] present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, J. C. Lampitt. Regarding donations to memorial funds, H. Seller explained that some members of the staff of the Bank of Montreal would accept such donations.

The treasurer's report was given by Hans Christensen, treasurer, and the theatre committee report by the committee chairman, Jack Whyte. The chief concern at the meeting was preparation for the Community League's annual sports day on July 1st, on which [illegible] the league attempts to provide a good program of recreational facilities, sports' events, exhibits, etc. At the same time, they hope to raise money to carry on the many current community-oriented projects as well as to retire the debt on Tofield's excellent Community Centre.

A tentative theme was discussed and details about it will be announced later. Mr. Baergen and Mrs Grace Phillips were appointed as a committee to arrange for a theme and its implementation.

A school exhibit will be displayed and the Historical Society will feature antique furniture in its annual exhibit. A handicraft exhibit will also be featured with Mrs. Mabel Boyles in charge. The jumping and cutting horses will again thrill the spectators. Mr. Seller is in charge of this event.

**PARADE**

The parade will be under the direction of J. E. Stinson, Chic Blacklock and Henry Page. More details of trophies and/or cups for the parade will be reported in a later issue of The Mercury.

The grounds committee will consist of Thomas Jacobs, Geo. McFadzean and Bill Christensen. This committee will also consider the need for new bleachers at the sports grounds.

**BALL TOURNEY**

Eddie Williams spoke about the arrangements for prize money for the [illegible] baseball [illegible], and the meeting agreed that the players' entrance fees should be refunded. The committee in charge of the baseball tournaments will be Lionel Borton, Eddie [illegible] and Jack Lampitt. John Wall will be asked to arrange the fastball tournaments.

Arrangements for rides for the children on July 1st and for a band to lead the parade are also underway. It is hoped that the RCMP will lead the parade.

The barbecue will be under the direction of Vince Bates, Charles [illegible] and Henry Page.

**SWIMMING LESSONS**

For several years, the league has sponsored swimming lessons for the youth of the Tofield district and this community service was next discussed and plans for this year's lessons were formulated. The committee in charge of this year's swimming lessons consists of Bill Christensen, Mrs. Daisy Young, and Hans Christensen.

## Locals . . .

Rev Ramsay Stuart and son, James spent Monday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson. Rev. Ramsay Stuart is in charge of Oakhill Boys' Ranch at Bon Accord.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whyte attended the opening of the Crown Lumber's new Red Deer branch last Thursday, and visited other branches on Friday, prior to remodelling of Crown's Tofield store.

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Laurel Blakeman of Edmonton, daughter of Denis and Evelyn Blakeman, spent part of her Easter holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blake.

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H. A. Pike was the winner of the April Arf and Arf.

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**TRIP TO B.C.**

Mrs. Mary Davison and Edith left on April 25th on holidays, travelling to visit Uncle Bill Stairs at Abbotsford, B.C., and other former Tofielders at various points.

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Enid Blake from Edmonton visited from Sunday until Wednesday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Blake.

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The Red Cross blood donor clinic in Tofield on Wednesday of last week was supported much as usual, when 127 people were present to donate blood.

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The F.W.U.A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Jeanie Sears on Thursday, May 13. The home economist will not be present. Visitors are welcome.


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# Holden and district news items

**HOLIDAY AT COAST**

Mrs. Mary James left for the coast Saturday night to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur James and children, in Vancouver. She will be staying for a short time with a cousin whose husband passed away recently. Ray Hovland took Mrs. James by car to Viking to board the westbound train.

Mr. and Mrs. John Semotuik and family were guests at the wedding supper and reception of a cousin at Hairy Hill on Saturday evening, May 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were Sunday afternoon visitors and dinner guests with their sister, Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

**Doug Hardy, of Edmonton, is presently in California, where he was best man at the wedding of a friend with whom he works. He is spending the remainder of his vacation visiting around California and other points in the U.S.**

Mrs. N. L. Campbell returned home Tuesday night, April 27, arriving at Viking on the transcontinental, where she was met by Ray Hovland. Mrs Campbell spent three weeks in Winnipeg, visiting with her son Bill and family. She also visited for three days with her niece and family, a daughter of Mr and Mrs. Percy Barlow, and called on Mrs. Ella Bryan, a sister of Mrs. Lars Ritland.

Mike Chupka was a business visitor in Edmonton on Wednesday of last week, and Mr. and Mrs. Chupka were Sunday and Monday visitors in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knudson, of the south Ryley district, were business callers in Holden on Friday of last week.

**O.O.R.P. MEETING**

Tuesday evening, ten ladies from Holden Lodge O.O.R.P. visited at Kinsella Lodge, which was instituted by Holden. Those attending were Ladies Hazel Armstrong, Irene Taylor, Kate Nichols, Blanche Olson, Elizabeth Keith, Mary Semotuik, Olga Bilyk, Irene Strilchuk, Elizabeth Nordstrom and Stella Sorensen. Mr. Nichols and John Semotuik drove the ladies to the meeting.

Recent weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ogrodnick were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Matoga and small son, of Edmonton.

***Mr. and Mrs. Armand Nielsen have moved into the residence formerly occupied by the Leake family, who have moved to Drayton Valley.***

Easter weekend visitors with relatives around the district were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Haybida and family, of Edson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lemko and children were recent visitors for several days with the latter's parents at Hafford, Sask.

Gordon Ash, of Whitecourt, was visiting with friends around Holden last Sunday.

**HOME FROM AFRICA**

Lewis Kolodychuk, who is employed with an oil company in [illegible] Africa, is home on holiday, visiting with friends and relatives.

Bruce Appleby, of Edmonton, was down over the weekend, and attended the Holden High School dance on Friday evening, April 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kozdroski and family, of Kelowna, B.C., spent their holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Motkoski, also visiting other relatives here. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka.

Miss Victoria Motkoski, of Wainwright, was home during Easter holidays, visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Motkoski.

James Campbell, of Tofield, was a business visitor in Holden on Saturday.

Lloyd Bell, agent of the Alberta Wheat Pool, attended a company convention at Vegreville Thursday, April 29th.

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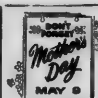
Members of the Pioneer Group wish to remind all their friends and those interested that they will be holding a spring tea and sale of aprons and pillow cases on Saturday, May 8th, in the United Church Parlors, commencing at 2:00 p.m. All are welcome.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But the best feature of this library is the lighting — absolutely excellent! All corners of the room light up brilliantly, greatly aiding proper study and reading. I urge you, the public, to attend the open house and to visit our new library, which is the first central library in the County of Beaver. Mrs. Bowick would be delighted to see you.

**COMMERCIAL ROOM**
**(Donna Jacobson)**

The Tofield High School is pleased to announce the completion of the new commercial room and to report that commercial classes are now underway and operating efficiently again. All students agree that the spacious, well-lighted room leaves little to be desired. This room boasts an added amount of bulletin board space and a separate office, located at one end of the room. Miss Komarnisky, our commercial teacher, and the high school students welcome and urge the public to attend and witness the opening.

**BIOLOGY LABORATORY**
**(Joyce Lampitt)**

The new biology laboratory is situated next door to the commercial room in the school's most recent addition. Located in the far corner is a greenhouse, filled with numerous varieties of plants. Fossil and butterfly collections are on exhibit, as well as many news articles brought in by the students. The laboratory is large enough to hold six work tables, with individual lamps and gas jets, a wall of cupboard space, two sinks and an office.

Students of the high school are pleased to announce that this biology laboratory is unique in the County of Beaver.

Following the ribbon-cutting ceremony and the inspection of the new rooms, all visitors are invited to return to the auditorium where coffee will be served by members of the sub-local under the direction of Mrs. Edna Bowick, social convener.

**YOU ARE INVITED!**

Mr Cal Annis, principal of the Tofield school extends a cordial invitation to all interested parties, whether parents of students or not, to attend the opening of the new wing. Whether you wish to come at 7:30 to look around the elementary junior high or high school wings, or whether you prefer to come at 8:00 p.m. for the program or at 8:45 for the ribbon-cutting ceremony, please come!

## Holden news briefs

**(Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor)**

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta and children, of the Viking district, were Thursday morning visitors and dinner guests with Mrs Merta's parents, Mr and Mrs. [illegible], and Mrs. Merta and children, with Mr. and Mrs. Barlow, were Thursday afternoon visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Laura Christianson returned home Monday of last week from Tofield Hospital, where she had been a patient for three weeks suffering with a severe attack of the 'flu. Mrs. Christianson is still not feeling strong, but is happy to be home.

We are glad to see Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus around after her nasty accident a few weeks ago, when she fell down the basement steps while helping at the home of her son Reuben, cutting her face and having to have a number of stitches to close the wound.

Mrs. Doris Story, Mrs. Gordon Story and Mrs. Campbell were visitors at Tofield Hospital on Tuesday of last week; the Storys calling on Gordon, who had his tonsils removed, and Mrs. Campbell calling on Mrs. Lars Ritland, who is there for treatments.

Peter Hrabec is home and around again, after being an Edmonton hospital patient for some time, having eye surgery.

**James S. Ruxton won an award in second-year Theology at the Convocation held at St. Stephen's College on Tuesday, April 27th.**

The Holden Masonic Lodge held their annual Ladies' Night on Wednesday evening of last week, entertaining their guests at a banquet. Cards were played during the enjoyable evening and lunch was served to conclude the happy affair.

Geo. H. Taylor was a business caller in Ryley on Tuesday of last week, and was in Viking on Wednesday regarding E. M. O. business.

Jimmie Campbell of Leduc, grandson of Mrs. N. L. Campbell, was a contestant in the 58th annual Kiwanis Musical Festival on Tuesday, April 27th. He was entered in the senior open class for clarinet, and came first with marks of 88.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kaluzny and family were visitors with friends in the Mannville district last Sunday.

***Mr. and Mrs. Ed Erickson of Wetaskiwin, former Holden residents, are receiving congratulations on the birth of their first grandchild, born to their daughter Diane.***

Calvin Story and children returned home a week ago Thursday from their visit for several days with Calvin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Story, at Abbotsford, B.C.

## Ross Creek news

**(Iris Bilan)**

Home from Edson for the weekend was Florence Eaglesham, with Arnold Sagmoen also spending the weekend at home.

Wally and Nettie Yez and Joe and Iris Bilan enjoyed a lovely supper and dance at the Chipman town hall Friday evening.

A big "Hi" is extended by friends to Iris Bilan, who is spending a few days in hospital.

Craig Saider arrived home Wednesday after a trip to Vancouver, B.C., with his uncle and aunt, Elma and Doreen Borstad, of Grande Prairie.

Harvey and Helen Ferrel, of Sherwood Park, were Saturday evening visitors at the home of Arthur and Mary Ferrel.

Gordon and Sandra Reay and son Kent, of Fort Saskatchewan, were supper guests at the home of Graham and Elma Saider on Sunday evening.

Weekend guests at the Saider home were Bud and Flora Lappenbush and children.

**AT WEDDING**

John and Gertie Ferrel and son Lester attended the wedding of the daughter of Harold Hockerty at St. Albert on Friday evening.

Sunday evening supper guests at the home of Raymond and Frances McLachlan were Doreen and Donald McLachlan of Sherwood Park.

Ernie and Ellen Dornin and son Malcolm were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Howard and Nell Malcolm.

James and Rose Woytowich and family motored to Warspite on Saturday to attend a 25th wedding anniversary celebration.


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# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

REISER-BODNAR RITES

Congratulations from the district go to the newlyweds, Mr and Mrs. Gordon Reiser of Edmonton, who were married in the Tofield United Church on Friday afternoon April 30th. Mrs Reiser is the former Edna Bodnar, daughter of Mrs. Clara Bodnar of Shonts.

Mrs. Mary Wood, Mrs. Gloria Wood, Mrs. Martha Tiedemann and Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen and girls, all from this district, were among several ladies who attended the liquid embroidery demonstration and tea held at the home of Yvonne and Peter Brown on Friday evening, April 30th.

Bill and Muriel Finn of Penticton, B.C., who were spending their Easter holidays in Tofield and district spent Wednesday of Easter week as visitors and dinner guests of Ollie and Verlyn Moss. Ethel Wood also was a dinner guest there the same day. Bill and Muriel's son, Michael, also spent a couple of days of his holidays on the Moss farm.

PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER

Gail Niemetz is sponsoring a miscellaneous shower for Joyce Warner in the basement of the Tofield United Church on Saturday, May 15th, and extends an invitation to all those interested in attending, to please do so.

Duley McDonald and Scott of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son, Donald.

'SURPRISE' PARTY

Mrs. Alice Comey, Mrs. Lily Van Buskirk, Mrs. Mickey Niemetz, Mrs. Isabel Rudarki, Mrs. Vi Geoglein, Mrs. Doris Brown, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Mabel Bailey, Mrs. Patsy Loxton, Mrs. Joan Warner and Mrs. Irene Warner were Monday afternoon surprise visitors at the home of Mrs. Mae Ferguson, bringing with them a beautiful cake and other goodies to help Mae in a belated celebration of her birthday which was on May 1st.

Mrs. Patsy Loxton and baby Cheryl were Saturday overnight and Sunday visitors at the home of her parents, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

Ronnie and Barbara Geoglein and daughter, Sydney, and Elmer and Vivian Geoglein of Ardrossan motored to Calgary and spent the weekend as guests of Vivian's brother and sister-in-law, Wayne and Janice Lawson.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg were Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of their daughter, Vivian, and Norman Jones in Edmonton. While there, they all were Sunday afternoon callers and coffee guests at the home of their son and Vivian's brother, Lyall, and Thelma Wickenberg.

Mrs. Mabel Bailey, Mrs. Emma Ferguson and Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg were afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton on Thursday of last week.

Willard and Audrey McIleffey were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of George and Ida Niemetz.

OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were early afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Martha's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Goubault of Lindbrook. Also there were Emil and Martha's daughter, Yvonne, and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot, Martha's sister, Adele, and Cliff Gosseli and son, Kenneth, and David Bertch, all of Edmonton. All were helping Mrs. Goubault celebrate her birthday.

Hank and Helen Tiedemann of Holden were late Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Hank's brother, Emil, and Martha Tiedemann. In the evening, Hank and Helen, and Emil and Martha were visitors and coffee guests at the home of Hank and Emil's brother, Bill, and Mary Tiedemann at Deville.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

IN HOSPITAL

Henry McGinitie is a patient in the University Hospital in Edmonton, where he underwent surgery on Monday.

Raymond McGinitie of Red Deer spent the weekend at home. Barbara McGinitie stayed with her grandmother, Agnes McGinitie for several days last week.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray, a son, on Monday, May 3rd, a brother for Kieth.**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stirrett and Tammy motored to Niton on Friday to visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Nickols and children of Edmonton visited with Mildred and Roy Lee on Sunday.

A number of ladies attended the demonstration of the Tri-Chem Liquid embroidery on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Yvonne Brown.

## Library board meets April 26th

A meeting of the board of the municipal library was held on Monday, April 26th, at 8 o'clock in the council chambers.

Present were E. Watson, Dr. W. H. Freebury, Don Hardy, Mrs. Hazel Patterson, Dorothy Freebury, Georgia Christensen, Rita Halverson and E. T. Wilshire, supervisor of public libraries for the province of Alberta.

The secretary advised the board that the government library grant for $353.15 had been received and deposited to the library account.

Mrs Georgia Christensen wished to take part in the librarians' course offered by the provincial government in October. It was moved that the board pay the registration fee of $30.00 for the course.

Mrs. Freebury, librarian, reported that Mabel Bailey wished to become a "friend of the library".

A request from the Community League that a float sponsored by the library be entered in the July 1st parade was accepted. Mrs. Hazel Patterson and Mrs. D. Freebury were appointed as conveners of the project.

E. T. Wilshire gave a very informative talk on the duties of the library board and answered a number of questions directed to him. He felt that the per capita grant would be more advantageous to the Tofield Municipal Library than would the book grant. After much discussion regarding the rural area using the library at the same rate as local residents, Mr Watson volunteered to contact Viking Library and look into the possibility of a grant from the County of Beaver. The suggestion that a library memorial fund be started was accepted, and Mr Watson was appointed to contact the Tofield memorial committee regarding same.

Mr. Wilshire conveyed thanks from the Duffield library for the books forwarded to them from Tofield.

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. M. Gladue)

BENEFIT DANCE

A large crowd attended the benefit dance that was held on April 30th in aid of the Stewart Brothers whose house was destroyed by fire on Tuesday afternoon, April 27th.

Winners at the Social Credit whist drive of April 24th were: ladies' high, Mrs. M. Gladue, low, Mrs. R. Peterson; gents' high, Collin Peterson, low, S. Scott. The next group meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Peterson Wednesday, May 12th.

Final plans for the strawberry tea to be held Saturday, May 22, will be made at a meeting at the home of Mrs. Locktie Thursday, May 13th, which is a week earlier than usual.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Arndt are home from Tofield hospital where they were patients for a few days.

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# Field work under way in Tofield district

According to the May 7th crop report from the Alberta Wheat Pool in Tofield, field work is well under way in the district, and it was expected that seeding of wheat would be general by this week. General conditions are considered good, but spring work is a little later this year than usual. Total rainfall since May 1st in Tofield is 1.5 inches.

At Ryley, it was expected field work would be general this week. Rainfall since May 1st at Ryley amounted to one-tenth of an inch.

A marked increase in the seeding of rapeseed of about 20 per cent is expected at Ryley this year, while at Tofield it is expected to be about the same as in 1964. Wheat acreage in both Tofield and Ryley is expected to be down slightly, with oats about the same and the amount of barley seeded may show a slight increase according to Wheat Pool agents.

ON THE STREETS OF ST. PIERRE. A labor dispute on the normally lazy and peaceful island of St. Pierre, 12 miles south of Newfoundland, caused great concern in Paris, and a crack troop of federal gendarmes was rushed to restore "law and order." But when they got there, the gendarmes found that things couldn't be quieter, as indicated by these French policemen as they enjoy a leisurely walk down a street. One of the last bastions of French colonialism, St. Pierre measures 93 square miles, supporting 5,000 inhabitants, mostly in fishing. It's been a French colony since 1660.

## AMA seeks aid with signs

The Edmonton Branch of the Alberta Motor Association is again asking for the co-operation of the residents of the Tofield district in the erection or replacement of directional signs in the area. Any person who is aware of the need of a sign in his district, should advise the Alberta Motor Association (Edmonton) of the location for such a sign by June 1st of this year, to ensure that the AMA road signing crew will be able to include in in the 1965 signing program.

Please help us to help you.

Address correspondence to A. R. Graham, Assistant Manager, Alberta Motor Association, 109th Street and Kingsway, Edmonton.

## 4-H dance is a huge success

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — For the 4-H clubs' dance, which was a great success, the hall was decorated nicely and suitably for the occasion, and there was a good crowd in attendance. "The Trojans" supplied the music which was thoroughly enjoyed.

Miss Lucy Dieriais of the Girls' Food Club was declared Queen, receiving a nice pendant and earrings presented by the Mayor, Bob Cross. Ian Snortheim of the Dairy Club was declared Prince Charming, and was given a modern tie clip and cuff link set. Each of the other contestants received sets for competing which differed slightly from the winners' sets. Miss Peggy Fisk acted as mistress of ceremonies, and Bob Westmancoat led the Grand March.

The ticket draw winners were, first, Miss Pamela McLeod of Edmonton (camera); second, Mrs. Carl Ostram of Viking, (clothes hamper).

Lunch was served by the two food clubs, one of which is composed of boys, the only 4-H all-boys food club in the province.

## Holden nurse locates patient after searching for 10 months

(By Mrs. J. Knudson)

Miss Elvira Sizer, R.N., recently gained considerable publicity in The Ann Arbor (Michigan) News, following an unusual display of interest and tenacity in helping her patients.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs Charles Sizer of Holden South, Miss Sizer is presently aboard the mercy ship S.S. Hope, which was commissioned by the late John Kennedy when he was president. She will complete her third and fourth year studies aboard ship.

The report reads:

A former patient at University Hospital has been found in Ecuador after a 10-month, 4,000-mile search that had elements of an international detective adventure.

The quest began as a routine inquiry by the hospital's Cancer Follow-Up Unit.

Before it ended, it had involved an X-ray technician and a dozen doctors, nurses, port authorities, and hospital administrators in Michigan, Ecuador and aboard the mercy ship, S.S. Hope.

The Follow-Up Unit is supervised by Mrs. Wanda Meldrum. She keeps records of more than 11,000 cancer patients who have been treated at the U-M Medical Center here. Each patient is contacted periodically to determine the current status of his health.

The Follow-Up Unit prides itself on nearly 100 per cent success in keeping track of its patients, for the information goes to researchers studying the long-range effectiveness of cancer treatment.

Early in 1964, one of these patients "vanished".

A native of Ecuador, he had been treated at University Hospital in 1962 while attending the University. The next year, he went to Connecticut. The Follow-Up Unit kept track of his progress. Then he disappeared.

Letters sent to Connecticut were returned. They were marked, "Unknown at this address".

Four successive letters to the patient's last known address in Ecuador brought no response. Repeated checks showed he had not returned to Ann Arbor.

But Mrs. Meldrum does not give up easily.

Her inquiries among staff members at University Hospital brought out a slender lead: Dr. James Taren, U-M neurosurgeon, had recently returned from Guayaquil, Ecuador, where he had served on the S.S. Hope.

Although he did not know the patient, Dr Taren offered one possibility. A University X-ray technician, Miss Elvira Sizer, was leaving the next day to join the S.S. Hope staff. Perhaps she could look into it?

Contacted a few hours before departure, Miss Sizer agreed.

When she reached the floating hospital at Guayaquil, she began her detective work in her spare hours. Finally, she hit paydirt.

One of the Ecuadorian doctors visiting the S.S. Hope knew the patient's family. Through him, Miss Sizer arranged to contact them in their village a short distance from the port.

The patient was there.

Several days ago Miss Sizer's letter arrived in Ann Arbor. It reports the patient "is enjoying good health", and will get future check-ups from his own doctor.

An entry in the patient's folder shows a change of address. His file is now back among the other 10,999 and the Follow-Up Unit is still hitting close to 100 per cent.

## Home from college soon

PATRICIA SEARS

Patricia Sears, 18, of Tofield, will be home soon from Mount Royal Junior College in Calgary where she has been taking a university course in social welfare.

Patricia chose Mount Royal to further her education because of its specialized course, and college counselling centre. She will continue her education in the fall.

## Funeral service held for Ministik oldtimer

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

MINISTIK — Funeral services were held Monday, May 10th, at Andrews - McLaughlin Funeral Home in Edmonton for Walter C. Barnes who passed away on May 8th.

Mr. Barnes came to the Ministik district in 1907 and settled on a homestead near Cooking Lake, where he resided until his death. He leaves to mourn his passing, his loving wife, Rachel, six daughters, Mrs. Archie Clarke, Mrs. Archie Maclean, both of Edmonton, Mrs. N. Bloxham of Kelowna, B.C., Mrs. D. Miller of Valleyview, Mrs. Steve Dunn of Calgary and Miss Sheila Barnes of Glasgow, Scotland, also 14 grandchildren.

Many persons from the district attended the funeral. Interment was in Westlawn cemetery in Edmonton with Andrews - McLaughlin in charge of arrangements. Sympathy of the district is extended to Mrs. Barnes and family in their loss.

## College choir tours Sunday

The Concert Choir of Camrose Lutheran College will render a sacred concert Sunday, May 16, as follows.

10:00 a.m.—Holden Luth. Church.

3.00 p.m.—Sharon Luth. Church

7.30 p.m.—Bawlf Luth. Church

The choir of 57 voices is under the direction of James R. Neff. The public is cordially invited.

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## Best answer yet

Cynical because Canadian governments for more than a decade have promised measures to "strengthen the position of Canadian publications" many editors of these publications expected little from the recent budget to help their position. Then when it did come, they almost unanimously objected to the proposal advanced, which is to deny income tax exemption for advertising placed in periodicals owned beyond the country.

Curiously, however, none of the publications has advanced a simple rule which would achieve the same end nearly as easily as Finance Minister Gordon's measure. All that was needed was a simple basis which would permit the entry of all foreign magazines into Canada, but prevent them, wherever published, from competing for Canadian advertising.

This is precisely what Gordon has achieved . . . with the possible exception of Time and Reader's Digest, which are enjoying special preferential treatment.

In the past, extraordinary pressures to avert this sort of action have been advanced by successive American presidents. It will be interesting watching Washington's reaction this time.

The issue has never been freedom of speech, except insofar as there would be no freedom of speech through the means of Canadian periodicals unless the government had acted soon to protest magazines against unfair . . . and the word should be underlined . . . unfair competition from foreign publications. There has never been any question of the principle as it applied to foreign ownership of radio or television in this country. Why should it produce so much controversy applied to the press? In the end, it will prove by far the most important medium.

**SHAW ON TV**

CBC-TV's Festival series offers a fascinating study of the great George Bernard Shaw, the playwright who emerged from the obscurity of a Dublin boyhood to become one of the most influential writers of the 20th century. The one-hour film was made in Dublin, London and at Ayot St. Lawrence, where he died at the age of 94. Interspersed are newsreel sequences and still photographs adding authenticity to this portrait of a great writer whose ultimate concern was for the human race. Titled Bernard Shaw: Who the Devil Was He?, this Festival program of May 19 features Lister Sinclair as narrator, with actor Barry Morse speaking the words of Shaw.

## Tags make the difference

For many war veterans, or their widows or orphans, the difference in living is spelled out through the reception given the miniature car licenses which are shipped out by the thousands each year by the Key Tag Service of The War Amputations of Canada.

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It's worthy of note that since the service started, well over 100,000 sets of keys have been returned to owners, more than 12,000 of these going out last year alone. In addition to the keys, tags have turned up to identify numerous other pieces of equipment, ranging from lucky charms, through to fishing gear, suitcases and golf club-bags. In fact, some people seem to tie them on almost everything but the family dog.

The resourceful program of self-help has done a tremendous job for people on both ends of the receiving line: the donors who have keys returned, and the amps who gain a place in the world through their ambition and pluck.

## Shopping for credit

A recent bulletin from the Better Business Bureau points out that shopping for credit . . . if you haven't the cash to pay in full for your purchase . . . is just about as important as shopping for the merchandise in the first part. They urge that you shop for money as carefully as you would shop for any other item, and make the best deal possible for yourself. With the advent of new banking laws, probable under the revised Bank Act, and certainly with the new approach to loans of the Alberta Treasury Branches, the credit part may be quite different, and may be highly interesting.

Some of the items to watch for in credit shopping are being sure that all charges have been added, so you will be able to figure in advance the total cost of the money you borrow, and be able to figure comparative costs and percentages. You should know also the privileges available for prepayment and the penalties attached to falling behind . . . these can often be more important than the cost of the money.

Credit buying is certainly one of the established modes of our time, and smart shoppers will be just as value conscious here as they are in any other line of shopping.

## Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

Ralph and Alice Conney and family visited with Alice's mother in Tofield on Sunday.

Home for the weekend were Vivian, Gloria and Robert Antoniuk.

During the past week, Keith Lander spent a few days visiting Ronald Bilan.

Mrs. Eddie Herchuk held a Tupperware party at her home Saturday evening, with Mrs. Lorne Schacher the hostess.

The Mother's Day tea sponsored by the Ross Creek Ladies' Aid drew a very good attendance on Saturday afternoon.

Johnny and Thelma Jackson of Edmonton were weekend guests at the Alex Ford home.

Howard and Nell Malcolm, Jack and Gertie Ferrel and George and Winnie McLachlan enjoyed an evening of bowling in Edmonton on Friday night.

Dick and Ruth Moore of Josephburg visited with Ivan and Florence Malcolm on Saturday evening.

Sunday visitors at the home of Graham and Elsie Snider were Milton and Rita Hennig.

## Former Holden man passes in Edmonton

(Mrs. G. N. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The sympathy of friends is extended to Philip le Clercq and family whose father, Walter LeClercq of Edmonton passed away Tuesday, May 4th. He leaves to mourn his loss, five sons, Philip of Holden, George of Red Deer, Norman of Irongate, Stanley of Mayerthorpe, and James of Edmonton; two daughters, Mrs. L. (Elsie) Bradley of Hampton, Ont., and Mrs. Helen Mills of Sangudo; also 32 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The funeral service was held Saturday, May 8th, at the Foster and McGarvey funeral chapel in Edmonton with interment in the Beechmount cemetery. Dr. J. W. Bainbridge officiated.

Mr LeClercq was born in the Channel Islands and emigrated to Ontario, Canada, in 1904, settling in the Holden district in 1912. He retired from farming in 1948, moving to Edmonton where he had since made his home.


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## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Johnnie and Marguerite Fish, together with Mrs. Amy Pope and Mrs. Winnie Johnson, were Edmonton visitors one day this week.

**RETURN TO ONTARIO**

Mrs. Edna Irwin and Mrs. Ina Marshall left this week for their respective homes in Ontario, after spending the past two months visiting with their sister, Mrs. S. Booth.

Mrs. Bill Smith (nee Esther Halberg) and children, Steven and Debra, have arrived from their home in Sioux Lookout, Ontario, to spend the next month visiting with Esther's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Halberg.

**SCOUT BOTTLE DRIVE**

On Saturday, May 15th, the Scout Cubs will be out in full force for a bottle drive. Will you please have your bottles ready for collection. The Cubs will also be selling the "Scouts" chocolate bars that day, and are asking for your support. One evening of last week, these boys with their leaders, N. Hegland, T. Kerine and Mrs. Barbara Harbeck, spent the entire evening raking and generally clearing up the Lions playground, ending up with a weiner roast and sing-song around the bonfire.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pepper, with Gary and Ronnie, were Mother's Day visitors with Ethel's mother, Mrs. W. Pepper, at Ohaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pickles and son, Patrick Jonathan, of Edmonton, were Mother's Day visitors with Rosalie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Heilesen. Mrs. Heilesen has just returned home after flying by plane to Vancouver for a ten-day holiday with Mr. Heilesen's sister, Mrs. Molly Weinberger.

Mother's Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pope were their daughter, Madeleine and family, and Miss Pamela McLeod, all of Edmonton.

Mrs. Agnes Hagen has returned home after spending the past week in Edmonton taking care of her daughter, Irene's family, while she recovered after a tonsillectomy.

**LONG DISTANCE CALLS**

Mrs. Hans Nernasen had a long distance phone call on Mother's Day from her son and daughter-in-law in Pierce, Colorado, U.S.A. Margaret Nernasen, their only daughter, will be coming back to Alberta this fall to go into nurse's training at the University Hospital in Edmonton.

Mrs. Bob Westmancoat had a long distance phone call on Mother's Day from her daughter and son-in-law at Dallas, Texas, U.S.A.

The calls came through very clear in both instances, in spite of the many miles that separated the speakers.

Mrs. Westmancoat was lucky to have her name drawn last week in the CFRN "Sample the Sound" contest, winning a new radio.

## Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Fediuk returned the end of last week from Vancouver where they visited with relatives.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Lars Ritland, who had been a patient in Tofield hospital for three weeks receiving treatments, returned home Wednesday of last week, feeling much better. Mrs. Ernie Good drove to Tofield to bring Mrs. Ritland home.

Mrs. Campbell was in Tofield at the clinic Tuesday of last week for a check-up and for x-rays on Wednesday morning. She is pleased to report that the bruise and swelling above her right eye is almost gone. Mrs. Earl Hardy took Mrs. Campbell to Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden attended the funeral of a cousin of Mr. Liden at Killam Thursday afternoon of last week.

Eddie Piasta, lawyer of Edmonton, did not make his usual Tuesday afternoon visit to Holden last week, owning to illness.

William Laskoski was an Edmonton visitor the early part of last week.

A few friends met at the home of Mrs. Lars Ritland Tuesday, May 11th, to help her celebrate her birthday. The celebration had been postponed from the middle of April when she was a hospital patient.

**Mrs. Ella Bryan of Winnipeg arrived the end of last week to visit for several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Lars Ritland, and Mr. Ritland.**


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May the Lord's blessing and reward be to each and every friend, relative and neighbor who have liberally given of themselves on our behalf at this time and during the illness of our husband and father. We give God the glory for surrounding us with your prayers and concern. Also for the memorials and floral tributes.

—Mrs. Otto Litwin and Family. 37c-2960

We extend our sincere appreciation to all our friends who sent flowers, messages of sympathy and memorial donations at the time of our recent bereavement. We also thank the Doctors, Nurses and Staff of the Tofield Hospital for their care and kindness.

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## Church notes

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, May 16th
10:30 a.m. - Sunday School
11:30 a.m. - Worship Service
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. - Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, May 16th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m. —Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

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# Explorers go on to CGIT

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# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

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Mother's Day visitors and dinner guests at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein were their son, Ronnie and Barb Geoglein and little daughter, Sydney, also Mr and Mrs Jensen and family of Tofield.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and grandson, Donald Jones, motored to Edmonton Wednesday evening and were supper guests at the home of their daughter, Vivian, and Norm Jones. Ruth remained over the weekend to help Vivian move into her new home in Linwood. Roy and Donald came home then returned to Edmonton on Friday evening and all spent the weekend with Vivian and Norm. Roy, Ruth and Donald returned to Tofield Sunday evening.

Miss Kathleen Wood of Calgary arrived on Saturday to spend a week's holiday with her parents, John and Mary Wood.

Miss Barbara Baines of Edmonton spent the weekend with her aunt, Ethel Wood, and son, Donald on the farm.

Bill and Mary Tiedemann of Deville, Joe McLennan and Geo Lust were evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Bill's brother, Emil, and Martha Tiedemann on Wednesday of last week.

Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchemont were Mother's Day visitors and dinner guests at the home of Yvonne's parents Emil and Martha Tiedemann.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and Robert and Dede Goubault and daughter, Judy, of Drayton Valley were Mother's Day evening visitors at the home of Martha and Robert's parents, Mr and Mrs. Emil Goubault of Lindbrook.

On Mother's Day, Kathleen Wood of Calgary, Dede and Robert Goubault and daughter, Judy, of Drayton Valley, Lorene and Jim Francis and family of Viking, Evie and Vic Halwa and family of Edmonton, and Johnny and Glenis Wood were all visitors and dinner guests at the home of their parents, John and Mary Wood.

Mrs. Mickey Niemetz and daughter, Mrs. Patsy Lenton, and baby Cheryl were Thursday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mickey's niece, Doris, and Howard Brown.

Mrs. Mickey Niemetz and Patsy Lenton and baby Cheryl motored to Edmonton on Tuesday and were dinner guests at the home of Erma and Fred Onyschuk.

John and Dorothy Iskuter and sons, Gordon and Joey, and two twin girls, Heather and Holly, of New Sarepta, and Mervin Ross were Sunday afternoon and evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Dorothy's aunt, Mrs. Ellen Eaton, in Tofield.

**PICNIC AT PARK**

On Mother's Day, Joe and Helen Murray and their daughters and sons-in-law, namely, Joan and Alan Warner and family of Tofield, Jean and Arno Binder and son Duncan, and Joy and George Lukasiewich and son, Darren, all of Edmonton, motored to Elk Island Park for a picnic dinner and supper together.

Larry and Gwen Murray of Edmonton were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Larry's parents, Joe and Helen Murray.

Julius Jacobsen of Edmonton spent from Sunday to Tuesday with his daughter, Mavis, and Carl Jacobsen.

**TRIP TO U.S.**

Mrs. Lottie Moss and daughter, Mrs. Marguerite Myers, left Saturday by jet plane for South Dakota to visit Mrs. Moss's sister and other relatives.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton is returning to the farm this week and any news items can be phoned in to her at 662-2303.


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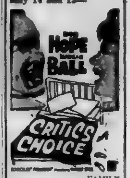


—FAMILY

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## Claude Gallinger passes at 83 years

Claude Gallinger of No. 9 Willingdon Crescent, Edmonton, passed away on May 7, at the age of 83 years. He is survived by one daughter, Margaret, of Edmonton, one son, William, of Tofield; two grandchildren, Claude Jr and Michael; three sisters, Mary Anderson of Carlton Lodge, Ottawa, Margaret C. L. Treleaven of New York, USA, Olive Richardson of Ottawa; one brother, Stan Gallinger, of Sherbrooke, Quebec.

Funeral Service was held Tuesday, May 11, at 2:00 p.m., at the Andrew - McLauchlin Funeral Chapel, Edmonton, with the Rev. E. J. White, D.D., officiating. Interment was in the family plot in the Edmonton Cemetery.

## Lions club has May meeting

The first supper meeting of the month of May was held in the meeting room of Tofield Community Centre on Tuesday of this week, with nearly 100% attendance.

Matters for attention were a Club Token being secured by Lion Ed Regehr, a Bingo report by Lion Kallal, and Pools by Lion Blacklock.

The June District Convention, to be held in Edmonton, was taken care of, together with arranging for a "Buddy" Club.

It was decided to enter a float in the parade on July 1st, along with the loan of the dunk tank to the Tofield Community League. The float will include a Playhouse, to be built by Lion Kallal.

## Derrill Riel wins first scholarship

Another Tofield student has won a summer award. Derrill Riel has won the first annual scholarship to attend the Gold-Eye Lake Teen-age Leadership Camp. The award, set up by the Tofield Co-op Society, will be awarded annually to a promising student.

Open-house was held in the Tofield School on Tuesday evening, May 11. An enjoyable evening was spent at the official opening of the new wing of the school.

The Western Zone play-off or ball-meet will be held during the week of May 24-28.


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PIGGY SOWS $70.00. Gilts sold up to $67.50 each.
BOARS brought $35.00 to $50.00 each.

SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, May 15:

Another good listing of Misc. Items, Furniture & Tools. Paint - Posts - Hay - Straw - Lumber.
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# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

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The Lakeshore UCW will hold their May meeting at the home of Mrs. Mavis (Carl) Jacobson on Wednesday, May 19th, starting at 2 p.m. Those having layette garments, etc., please bring them, also nylon stockings. Anyone wishing to exchange plants please bring yours to this meeting.

Mother's Day visitors and dinner guests at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein were their son, Ronnie and Barb Geoglein and little daughter, Sydney, also Mr. and Mrs. Jesson and family of Tofield.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and grandson, Donald Jones, motored to Edmonton Wednesday evening and were supper guests at the home of their daughter, Vivian and Norm Jones. Ruth remained over the weekend to help Vivian move into her new home in Linwood. Roy and Donald came home then returned to Edmonton on Friday evening and all spent the weekend with Vivian and Norm. Roy, Ruth and Donald returned to Tofield Sunday evening.

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Miss Barbara Baines of Edmonton spent the weekend with her aunt, Ethel Wood, and son, Donald on the farm.

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### PICNIC AT PARK

On Mother's Day, Joe and Helen Murray and their daughters and sons-in-law, namely, Joan and Alan Warner and family of Tofield, Jean and Arno Binder and son Duncan, and Joy and George Lukastewich and son, Darren, all of Edmonton, motored to Elk Island Park for a picnic dinner and supper together.

Larry and Gwen Murray of Edmonton were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Larry's parents, Joe and Helen Murray.

Julius Jacobson of Edmonton spent from Sunday to Tuesday with his daughter, Mavis, and Carl Jacobson.

### TRIP TO U.S.

Mrs. Lottie Moos and daughter, Mrs. Marguerct Myers, left Saturday by jet plane for South Dakota to visit Mrs. Moos's sister and other relatives.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton is returning to the farm this week and any news items can be phoned in to her at 662-2253.

## Claude Gallinger passes at 83 years

Claude Gallinger of No. 9 Willingdon Crescent, Edmonton, passed away on May 7, at the age of 83 years. He is survived by one daughter Margaret, of Edmonton, one son, Wilbur, of Tofield; two grandchildren, Claude Jr and Michael, three sisters, Mary Anderson of Carlton Lodge, Ottawa, Margaret C. L. Treleaven of New York, USA, Olive Richardson of Ottawa; one brother, Stan Gallinger, of Sherbrooke, Quebec.

Funeral Service was held Tuesday, May 11, at 2:00 p.m., at the Andrew - McLauchlin Funeral Chapel, Edmonton, with the Rev. E. J. White, D.D., officiating. Interment was in the family plot in the Edmonton Cemetery.


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Matters for attention were a Club Token being secured by Lion Ed Regehr, a Bingo report by Lion Kallal, and Pools by Lion Blacklock.

The June District Convention, to be held in Edmonton, was taken care of, together with arranging for a "Buddy" Club.

It was decided to enter a float in the parade on July 1st, along with the loan of the dunk tank to the Tofield Community League. The float will include a Playhouse, to be built by Lion Kallal.

## Derrill Riel wins first scholarship

Another Tofield student has won a summer award. Derrill Riel has won the first annual scholarship to attend the Gold-Eye Lake Teen-age Leadership Camp. The award, set up by the Tofield Co-op Society, will be awarded annually to a promising student.

Open-house was held in the Tofield School on Tuesday evening, May 11. An enjoyable evening was spent at the official opening of the new wing of the school.

The Western Zone play-off or ball-meet will be held during the week of May 24-28.


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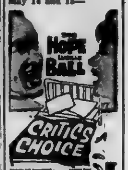


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8. Domain.
9. Entrepreneur (enterpriser).
10. Altruism.
11. Nuance.
12. Chimerical.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

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What are the correct pronunciations of these words?

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8. Domain.
9. Entrepreneur (enterpriser).
10. Altruism.
11. Nuance.
12. Chimerical.

Which six words in the following group are misspelled?

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Bonnie Bowick, attending Alberta College in Edmonton, spent the weekend at her home here.

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# Spilstead news briefs

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

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**HERE FROM SASKATCHEWAN**

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The spring sale will also be held at that time.

# New books at Tofield library

Allen, Geo. Editor — Africa's freedom Unwin Pocket book. Collection of writings and speeches —does not cover all of Africa, restricted to south and east Africa—which includes the following speakers of note: Luthuli, Kaunda, Mboya and Nyerere.

Byfield, Ted — Just think, Mr. Berton (a little Harder) a reply to the "Comfortable Pew"

Fairchild, Henry P. — Dictionary of Sociology and related sciences. Students outline series.

Felson, H G. — To my son, teenage driver. Suggestions for the young man with the wheel and car to look after.

Shapiro, Milton — A beginner's book of sporting guns and hunting. Illustrated with diagrams and photographs.

Singer sewing machine — Slip covers, make your own chair covers.

**FICTION**

Creasy, John — The toff and the spider. London, England mystery.

Lamb, Harold — The carved saber. Historical novel — the adventures of Khilt the Cossack.

Whitney, Phyllis A. — Sea jade. Well known author — writes romantic novels of suspense.

Williams, Susan — Elephant Boy. Day by day story of Ba Tu, one of the elephant boys and his charge Po Sein

**YOUTH**

Baum, L. Frank — Dorothy and the Wizard of Oz. Another of the well known Oz series.

Dunfield, H. Clifford — Rusty and Susie. A delightful tale of beavers and their Indian friends.

Neville, Emily — It's like this. Newberry medal award book. Nineteen year old boy in New York.

Books donated in April — Mrs. A. Dodds and Mrs. Helen Gray.

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# News items from Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

The children of Mr and Mrs. Henry McGinitie gathered at their home for Mother's Day, namely, Harvey and Pauline and family of Viking, Alice and Eric and family of Ryley, Donnelly and Opal and family of Ketchamoot, and Raymond of Red Deer and Willie Nashman of Edmonton.

Agnes McGinitie and granddaughter, Barbara, visited with Esther Henderson at Amisk Creek on Sunday evening.

**Mr. and Mrs. John Jensen and family left Friday for Chilliwack, B.C., to attend the funeral of John's father who passed away recently.**

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] of Rabbit Hill were Saturday supper guests in the Harold Sutton home, the occasion being Harold's birthday.

Orville, Lorne and Judy Mitchell of Edmonton were home with their parents on Sunday.

Marlin Whillans of Edmonton spent a few days last week with his grandparents, Roy and Dorothy Whillans.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Wiltzen and Timmy of Ross Creek spent Sunday with the Don Carlisle family. Timmy remained with his grandparents for a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mitchell of Tofield enjoyed a short visit with Mildred and Roy Lee on Saturday.

The Harold Schultz family spent Sunday afternoon in town visiting with their aunt, Mrs. Minnie McConnell and other relatives.

Roy and Dorothy Whillans and boys motored to Edmonton on Sunday [illegible] they [illegible] dinner guests of Jerald and Grace Whillans, the occasion being Jerald's birthday.

Mr and Mrs. Ed Hecks of Tofield were callers on Sunday at the home of Gordon Kyle.

Monday, Roy and Mildred Lee spent the day visiting with Mae and Bill Ingram.

Miss Patsy Sears returned home Sunday from Calgary where she had completed this term at school.

**BIRTHDAY DINNER**

On Friday evening, Mildred and Roy Lee entertained at a birthday dinner for Herman Lawson, when guests were Roy Fleming of Kingman, Jack Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lawson and George Smith of Edmonton.

Miss Donna Ingram and friend of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ingram and Wesley. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lancaster of Tofield were dinner guests in the Ingram home.

V[illegible] at the Herman Lawson home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mitchell and boys and Archie Flowers of Ed[illegible].


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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Mother's Day services were well attended at the United Church on Sunday with Miss Helen Irwin conducting.

An organization meeting of the Sunday School following church and regular classes will be held next Sunday, May 16th, with classes every Sunday until the cold weather.

**The benefit cash bingo, sponsored by the Community Club, to aid Ted and Morris Stewart, was well attended and a nice sum of money was presented to them.**

**NEWS OF GRADUATES**

Ernie Loch, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch, has graduated in commerce at the University of Alberta and left for Toronto on Sunday where he has a position.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]nald Swabey attended commencement exercises at Salisbury High School on Friday, May 7th, when their son, Gary, graduated.

Don't forget the whist drive at Ministik Hall sponsored by the Ladies' Club in aid of the picnic fund, on Friday, May 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Penrice are the proud grandparents of a new granddaughter. The parents of the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thor of Edmonton.

**A fire which started near Lakeview on Sunday burned off nearly all the quarter section east of there, owned by Tom Coles of South Cooking Lake.**

Mrs. Tom Jones and Chris and Mrs. Paul Stepanow and three children spent Mother's Day weekend with Mrs. Jones' parents in Wilkie, Sask.

**TRIPLE CELEBRATION**

It was a triple occasion on Sunday when all members of the George family gathered at the home of Mrs. S. George for a family re-union. It was Mother's Day, the birthday of Douglas George and the wedding anniversary of Dolly and Jim Roddick. Mrs. Joe Abear, who was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce George of Prince George, B.C., was also a guest.

The Joe Davenport family were Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. Helen Hennessy. Miss Helen Irwin called in the evening.

Visitors at the Russell Rowland home for Mother's Day were their son, Gary, and daughter, Peggi.

Mr. and Mrs. Verden Sears, Miss Teresa Rogier, George Rogier and Madame Martha Rougier, were Saturday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. El[illegible] Dekinder in [illegible].

Miss Bella Boss is a patient in an Edmonton hospital. Her friends all wish her a quick return to good health.

# Locals . . .

Mrs. J. W. Chapman of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. Edith Rogers.

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and Edith Mary spent Mother's Day weekend at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson. Early Sunday evening all had the pleasure of talking over long-distance telephone to Dr. and Mrs. W. James Brickman of Pennsylvania. Mrs. Brickman is Mrs. J. W. Robinson's daughter.

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Edith Mary Smith had an advance birthday celebration last Sunday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

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The Anglican Church, built in 1912, is getting a new coat of

# Willowdale

(Beulah Burnstad)

WILLOWDALE, May 10th — An Easter story, "Peter and the Resurrection" was rendered by the Trondhjem Church choir in Forestburg Pleasantview Church last Sunday, May 2nd, under the direction of Mr. Terry Grainger. For the opening, Mrs. Howard Burnstad sang a solo, "Is He Satisfied with Me?" and 17 songs were sung by the choir with narration by Fred Gotheridge. Mrs. Bernice Helberg of Kingman was pianist. A collection was taken for the Gwynne Home. A lovely lunch was served in the church basement.

**Sympathy of the community goes to the Pearson families in the sudden death of Henry Pearson. He leaves his wife and nine children. It is believed he died of a heart attack.**

Joe Holowitchuk was a lucky winner of $250.00 last Saturday evening in the cash bingo in Camrose.

The Ronald Burnstads visited with the Sven Sorensens of Leduc on Mother's Day.

Miss Lorraine Mathison, who teaches school at Bashaw, was home over the weekend at the Edwin Mathison home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hamstra and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hamstra of Edmonton were visitors at the Bill Holowitiuk home on Sunday.

Bill Wade of Edmonton is progressing quite favorably in the General Hospital after undergoing surgery last week.


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# 'Tofield Showcase '65' is Dominion Day theme

"Tofield Showcase '65" is the theme for Tofield's annual Dominion Day celebration.

This theme should lend itself equally well to all business, organizational, institutional, service club and individual entries in the Dominion Day parade.

What products and/or services does your business provide for the citizens of Tofield and district? What does your youth group aim to do? What has your service club done? What contributions has your organization made toward the betterment of the community?

The parade on July 1st is an excellent place to answer these questions. The floats could demonstrate very effectively how many groups and individuals are actively engaged in building up our community. Any member of the executive of the Tofield Community League will be glad to discuss ideas for a float. It might even be possible to secure some help for work on the floats if the need is made known. This [illegible] occasion on which it is not only legitamate but desirable to "toot your own horn". Let's hear it! What can you put in "Tofield's '65 Showcase"?

# EMO directors note lack of public interest

Mr. Westmancoat said at the April 12th meeting of the Beaver County EMO he had not been able to arrange a home nursing course, but now that the curling season was over he thought he might have more success.

George Taylor said he had contacted the administrator of the Viking Hospital District with regard to heading a health service. Mr Taylor was advised by Mr Carew that he would not be able to take this appointment. He said we should try to get someone not connected with a hospital as, in case of emergency, anyone connected with a hospital would be frozen to their job.

FIRST AID COURSE

Father Scriven said that of the 19 persons starting the First Aid course at Tofield, 14 had completed it and had passed.

Joe Chamulke of Holden said he has had trouble in Holden getting any interest. He tried to organize a first aid course and tried to get someone to take the radiological course, with no re[illegible].

Thomas Harris of Ryley mentioned the radiation monitoring course that was held April 6th and 7th. He said the attendance was poor and he thought he would put on another one later. He reported that two young men from Ryley had attended the rescue course in Edmonton, but only one had completed it. Mr Harris stated that the Village Fire Brigade had been re-organized and it was expected they would take a rescue course.

Father Scriven of Tofield mentioned that a first aid course had been completed. He said he tried to get candidates to come to the radiological course at Ryley but only one person attended. He said he is going to try to re-organize the hospital as regards to evacuation and disaster after the new matron takes over.

George Taylor gave a report on his activities since the last meeting. He had assisted Rex Boyles and Mr. McDonell with the radiological plan and had made two trips to Viking to see Mr. Hill. He mentioned the difficulty in getting persons to act in the organization, making it difficult for the co-ordinators to get any of the various courses [illegible].

ONE CAPACITY

Mr. Westmancoat mentioned that the people who are interested in civil defence take all the courses which helps to make classes, but in an emergency these people can only act in one capacity. What is needed, he said, is different people in each service, so that in an emergency the co-ordinators will know who is trained for that service. He also noted again that we need someone as a deputy head of the radiological service, as Rex Boyles would not be available in an emergency. He said Mr Gilpin's name had been mentioned in this capacity. George Taylor is to contact Mr Gilpin regarding the position of deputy chief of the radiological service.

The chairman stressed the need to get persons to fill the vacancies in the services and to try to generate some interest in Emergency Measures. Otherwise the unit will become dormant and would not be of any use in an emergency, he said.

George Taylor said he thought there would be a better response to the courses if they were held in the various centres instead of a central point. He thought the co-ordinators would possibly put more effort into getting candidates if the course were held locally.

Mr Westmancoat advised that the rescue team should have safety helmets when training. The chairman advised that these were not included in the 1965-66 [illegible] and could [illegible] be purchased under a [illegible] sharing agreement. It was decided to leave them until the [illegible] budget is discussed.

The radiological annex to the survival plan was presented to the committee and discussed. It was accepted and included as part of the survival plan.

Of the 4,881,227 Canadians who paid personal income tax in 1962 only 20,718, or less than one-half of one per cent of the total had incomes of $25,000 or more.

## Bardo LCW hears convention report

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, May 11th — The May meeting of the Bardo LCW was held in the church parlors on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Berghild Rude read the scripture and offered prayer.

In the absence of the secretary, Mrs. Selma Cinnamon, Mrs Agnes Haukedal was elected secretary pro-tem. Mrs. Norma Anderson led the Bible study with the members taking part. The offering meditation was given by Mrs. Pauline Rude.

Mrs Mary Finseth gave an interesting and informative report [illegible] the Edmonton conference convention at Bawlf on May 1st.

Mrs Mary Finseth was elected delegate for the district convention in Saskatoon in June. It was decided to send $15.00 to the district convention which goes for expenses and anything left over is divided between CLC and CLBI at Camrose. Mrs. Mary Finseth, the education secretary, gave the "cause of the month" and stewardship secretary, Mrs. Alice Stokkan, asked the group to bring articles for kiddies' kits to the June meeting which will be held at the home of Mrs. Agnes Haukedal in Tofield.

At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Nita Kindley and Mrs. Gladys Severson served a bountiful lunch to 18 members and one visitor.

## LCW meets May 6th

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY—The Lutheran Church Women held their monthly Ladies' Aid meeting in the dining room on Thursday afternoon, May [illegible]. Open devotion was given by Mrs. Caroline Devick, Bible study by Mrs. Edna Maaren, worship offering by Mrs. Ann Pope. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Pearl Kushnir and Mrs. Mary Oslund, and several visitors came for lunch.

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—J.W.R.

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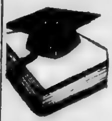
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OFFICIAL OPENING Harold Weatherill cuts the ribbon officially opening the new wing of the Tofield High School, on the evening of May 11, while parents, students and school board members look on. – Photo by Peter Nickel.

# OORP aids charities

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Tuesday evening, May 11th, Holden OORP held their monthly meeting. Donations to the Purple Cross Fund and Save the Children Fund were approved. Reports of the district meeting held at Killam April 24th, and of the meeting at Kinsella April 27th were given. Plans to cater to the annual Brownie, Guide and mother banquet to be held Monday, May 31st, were started, and a committee was also appointed to look after the food booth at Holden Sports Day which is sponsored by the OORP. Lady Helen Bilyk was presented with her 15-year pin from the lodge. The lodge is also sponsoring this year's Canadian Cancer campaign and hope for the continued good support of Holden and district residents. Hostesses for the evening were Ladies Blanche Olson and Elizabeth Keith.

## Pre-nuptial shower honors bride-elect

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE — Some 60 guests attended the miscellaneous shower held on Saturday evening in the Tofield United Church hall in honor of Miss Joyce Warner whose wedding will take place the end of May in Edmonton. Joyce received many lovely and useful gifts. She was assisted in the unwrapping of the gifts by Gail Niemetz and Miss Kuc. She thanked all those present for the gifts and extended an invitation to all to call on her at her home in Jasper, anytime they were there. A very delicious lunch was served by the hostesses and their help[illegible].

## CGIT honors mothers at spring banquet

Last Wednesday night, the Tofield CGIT held their annual mother and daughter banquet in the United Church basement, with Mr. and Mrs. Tobey from Westminster United Church in Edmonton as special guests. It was also the 50th anniversary of the CGIT. With Ruth Ellen Sears as emcee, the girls each presented their mothers with a corsage. A sing-song for all and entertainment by some of the girls was enjoyed after the banquet.

Guest speaker, Mrs. Tobey, superintendent of the CGIT of the Westminster United Church, dressed in the uniform of 50 years ago, gave a talk on "Today's Teenagers". Four of the girls were presented with the lanyard after four years with the CGIT.

The evening closed with Taps.

# School committee meet held May 11

Following are the minutes (in part) of the regular meeting of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee held Tuesday, May 11th.

Water Lines At Holden School

Concerning the replacements of the water lines at Holden school, motion 147/65, the Committee was informed that no reply had been received from McLaren [illegible] in response to a letter to them on April 8th requesting a new bid on this job. Cr. Roddick was of [illegible] that Mr McLaren would be interested in the job and he contacted Mrs. McLaren by telephone, who stated that Mr. McLaren was out on a job but, if he arrived back home prior to 5:00 oclock, he would contact the County Office. It was, therefore, decided to leave this matter in abeyance.

Gymnasium Windows

In regards to the closing of gymnasium windows, dealt with by motion 149/65, Mr Pike reported that no satisfactory quotation had been obtained, and he suggested that the work could be left until the proposed building program at Viking got under way and that the cement [illegible] layer could also close the windows in question.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and the suggestion concurred in.

Purchase Half-Ton Truck

In regards to the purchase of a half-ton truck for the Maintenance Foreman, motion 132/65, the Committee was informed that the Committee appointed to deal with this purchase had, [illegible] scrutinizing the various tenders, awarded the tender to Black's Sales and Service for one only half-ton Chevrolet 1965 truck at a net price of $1,700.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and action concurred in.

In the matter of the retirement of Mrs. Margaret Gleeson, teacher at the Viking school, motion 178/65, the Superintendent stated that the staff at the Viking school was taking care of all the ceremonies in connection with the presentation to Mrs. Gleeson.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and that the Chairman of the School Committee make the presentation to Mrs. Gleeson on behalf of the County.

Correspondence

Moved and carried that the Bus Supervisor's report for the month of April and his account in the amount of $19.57 be accepted and approved for payment.

Application from Harold Landes

(Continued on Page 10)

# New school wing opens

(Shauna Astley)

The monthly ATA sub-local meeting, on Tuesday evening, held in store for its attendants a most interesting session.

Miss R. E. Cumming, president of the ATA sub-local, got the evening underway by welcoming all and introducing the first speaker, L. A. Cribb.

Mr. Cribb gave an informative talk on Ethiopia and the six years he spent teaching in that country. Main topics of his talk were schools, education, laws, customs, religion and the Emperor of Ethiopia—Haile Selassie.

After the conclusion of the talk, Mr. H. Schultz, on behalf of the Tofield Co-op Association, presented to Derrill Reil, the first annual leadership course at Goldeye Lake (near Nordegg) the student who shows the best qualities of leadership.

Following the presentation, A. Stenberg gave a short talk on his trip to Moscow and then [illegible]d slides of the city of Moscow and the Kremlin.

H. Weatherill, on behalf of the school board, presented C. Annis, proclaimed the best director of the same drama festival, with a scholarship to attend a drama summer school in Drumheller August 9th to 21st.

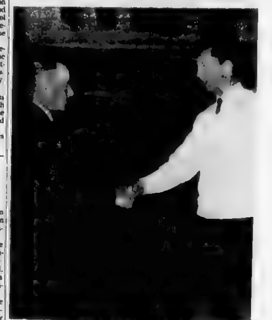
At the adjournment of the meeting, all left the gym to witness the ribbon-cutting ceremony for the [illegible] of the new wing of the Tofield school.

G. Roddick, chairman of the school committee, after giving a short official speech, gave Mr. Weatherill the honor of cutting the ribbon and officially declaring the new wing open. Guests were then able to tour the new biology lab, commercial room, and library. Coffee and doughnuts were served.

# THS news

On May 28th, the Tofield ball teams will meet the Ryley teams in Ryley. The winner of these games will playoff with other county teams on May 29th.

Preparations for the HS spring "prom" are well under way. The plans promise an exciting evening for all.



WINS SCHOLARSHIP

Derrill Riel receives a scholarship award presented by Harold Schultz of the Tofield Co-op Society. Derrill, shown on the right, is the first Tofield student to receive the annual scholarship to attend the Gold-Eye Lake Teen-age Leadership camp. The scholarship was set up by the Society and will be awarded annually to a promising student. This presentation took place during the official opening of the new Tofield High School addition, May 11th. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

MacDuff Ottawa report

# . . . Spy troubles

OTTAWA — Canada's Official Secrets Act passed by Parliament in 1939 under the [illegible] of war is a frightening document for any public servant who might have access to confidential information. A chain of events of which he or she might be only casually aware could at best land [illegible] court and at [illegible] in the penitentiary for a period of 14 years.

It is one of those exceptions to the rule of British justice that a man is innocent until proven guilty and second only to the War Measures Act, makes conviction on the merest suspicion possible. The War Measures Act, as its name [illegible], [illegible] into force only where there is a state of war or apprehended war. The Official Secrets Act is with us always and has been used in peacetime on more than one occasion.

By frequent use of the little word "deemed" it is hardly necessary for a prosecutor to do more than show that a civil servant could have access to information the disclosure of which would be prejudicial to the safety of the state and has been in communication with the agent of a [illegible] power.

But that is not all. It does not have to be secret communication for sinister purposes. He shall be deemed to have been in communication for such purpose if he has visited the address of a foreign agent.

One such address is 285 Charlotte Street in Ottawa which most civil serv[illegible] have [illegible] at one time or another. The Russian embassy is noted for its lavish entertainment. The acceptance of one invitation could start the chain and in fact on one occasion at least gave uneasy night to quite a few innocent Government officials.

Late one Sunday night in February 1946 a brief announcement from the Prime Minister's office posted in the Parliamentary Press Gallery revealed that certain persons had been apprehended and detained as a result of information pointing to the fact that agents of a certain foreign power had been obtaining information prejudicial to the security of Canada. The certain [illegible] turned out to be 14 civil servants whose homes had been visited simultaneously by the RCMP in the middle of Saturday night, and who had been whisked off to an RCMP barracks outside the city to be held incommunicado at the pleasure of the Minister of Justice for interrogation.

The order-in-council authorizing such a course had been passed in October 1945 after the Gouzenko documents revealed the extent of the ring. It was not made public until the following June and aroused even at that time a storm of political protest. In the House of Commons the Hon. C. G. Power, former Liberal Minister and now a Senator, concluded a fiery attack on the Government with the words, "If this be the funeral of Liberalism, I for one do not wish to be a pall-bearer".

But to the people of Canada generally, with the war still fresh in memory, no action appeared too harsh. The fact that Canadian citizens had assisted the Russians in obtaining mi[illegible] secrets and were in their pay created shock and panic.

The story of Igor Gouzenko the cipher clerk in the Russian embassy [illegible] exposed the spy ring operating not only in Canada but in the United States and the United Kingdom has been written and re-written. Hollywood filmed it with some variations from the truth. But for once, Hollywood fiction was far less dramatic than the facts revealed officially in the report of the Royal Commission, the Hon. Robert Taschereau, now Chief Justice and the Hon. R. L. Kellock.

A few of the civil servants were able eventually to prove their innocence after secret court hearings. Most of them were convicted. Fred Rose, Communist member of Parliament from Montreal, served a penitentiary term and the whole Communist party in Canada was shown to be involved.

The recent disclosure that the Russians are at it again or to be more accurate are still at it is not causing the panic of 20 years ago. But it is admitted that the two men sent back to Russia on representations made by the Canadian Government had [illegible] just as [illegible] operations of Colonel Zabotin's spy ring in [illegible] of the men was the commercial attache at the embassy, Anatoli Bytchkov. He has been particularly active entertaining newspaper men and courting publicity purportedly in the interests of closer Soviet-Canadian trade relations.

Only two unidentified Canadians have been mentioned so far, one of whom apparently went to the police immediately. The other, a civil servant, accepted thousands of dollars from the Russians and worked with them in attempts to compromise civil servants, some of them [illegible]. This of course is an old trick.

He has had a severe heart attack and may not recover. If he does there will be a general demand again for his prosecution under the Official Secrets Act. Meanwhile the [illegible] Minister's statement in the [illegible] was probably as full as security would allow, but it is far from satisfying.

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CAPITAL HILL CAPSULES

Prime Min[illegible] Pearson's speech to the [illegible] Liberals was as near to a challenge to Conservatives to defeat him in the House as anything he has said or done yet. The Tories, he said, breathed fire and slaughter, but when it came to a vote made sure they lost it. Just to prove his point Conservatives, the very next day, passed up the opportunity for a non-confidence motion.

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Finance Minister Walter Gordon may have had his economic reasons for refusal to lift the interest ceiling for the banks, but the important consideration was political. At a Liberal caucus about two weeks before the budget he was told in no uncertain terms that if he did so the Government would be defeated in the House and in the country.

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## By George!

"The happy art of whistling in public has suffered a noticeable decline in recent years", says The Ottawa Journal in a recent editorial. There can be little doubt this is very noticeable in large centres such as Ottawa, but I wonder if even in smaller cities like ours the decline in happy whistling is noticeable.

I know that in our office there are no shortage of whistlers, but then, maybe we have an exceptionally happy or talented staff. There can be no doubt that the sound of a merrily whistled tune does give one a lift. Here is what the Ottawa editor has to say about it.

Whistling, in its purest forms, is the outward, spontaneous expression of inner contentment. We do not, of course, include among such solo performances those mindless, toneless renditions that drive listeners to distraction. Rather what we seek to acclaim is the sort of agreeable melody that results from flashes of unalloyed happiness, the overture of a soul in complete accord with the universe and of a spirit at one with nature and with life. Here, then, is the declaration of sheer joy over the fact of being alive, of delicious, if fleeting unconcern over the past and a salute to the unknown future.

Are these moments of high experience now so rare during the haste, the pressures and complexities of modern living that we seldom acknowledge them to others by impromptu recitals of whistling? Or is it that most of the popular music of today is so lacking in catchy and memorable tunes as to be virtually unwhistleable? One notable exception is surely the lilting score of "My Fair Lady" with its treasury of gay, uncomplicated and eminently repeatable tunes.

Perhaps in our civilized communities today this lamentable neglect of what was once so widespread a practice is the natural consequence of the distribution on a massive scale of electronically distributed music. By radio sets, transistors, by television and by music piped into hotel lobbies, elevators and even banks, perhaps we are now so inundated by professional musicians that the pleasant, and often stimulating, lay art of whistling in public will go the same vanishing way of such once firmly-established institutions as family sing-songs around a piano and the hurdy-gurdy man on the street corner.



# Community League is rife with Dominion Day plans

Tofield's annual Dominion Day celebration is only six weeks away. John Bourgon, president of the Community League, and his committees are busy with preparations for this important day.

This year, there will be a larger handicraft exhibit than ever before. Mrs. Boyles, Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Pike have decided that entries in any, or all, of the following categories will be accepted, to the limit of two in each category.

CATEGORIES

1. Leatherwork:
2. Woodwork:
   (a) small articles of hand-produced furniture, etc.
   (b) article made from driftwood.
3. Fancy Work:
   (a) embroidery.
   (b) Crotcheting.
   (c) knitting.
   (d) needlework.
4. Rugs:
   (a) braided.
   (b) crocheted.
   (c) hooked.
5. Artificial flowers:
   (a) bouquets in owner's container
   (b) corsages.
6. Paintings:
7. Lapidary:
8. China: handpainted.
9. Copper tooling:
10. Collections:
    kept as small as possible and mounted before being brought in. Collections such as those assembled by Boy Scouts, coin collections, stamp collections, match-book collections, are suggested.

NOT RESPONSIBLE

It must be emphasized that while someone will be constantly with this display, and every possible care will be taken of the exhibits, the Community League or the ladies in charge cannot be responsible for loss or damage.

Mrs. Boyles, phone 662-3662, Mrs. Pike, phone 662-3478, and Mrs. Patterson, phone 662-[illegible], would like prospective exhibitors to contact them prior to June 20th regarding the number and size of their entries. This is to ensure that adequate and suitable arrangements may be made to show the exhibits to their best advantage.

The Tri-Chem Society's representative in the Tofield area, Mrs. Tom Beverton, is arranging a display of Tri-Chem embroidery from the work done by her pupils. Anyone wishing further information on this topic may phone Mrs. Beverton.

LIONS CLUB ASSISTS

The very active Lions Club of Tofield is again lending its effective financial support to the Tofield Community League on July 1st. A playhouse which will delight the heart of any child is being built and raffled by the Lions Club and the proceeds donated to the League.

SENIOR CITIZENS

The Tofield Historical Society will again play hosts to the Senior Citizens of Tofield, both those in residence and those who are returning for the big day. This is the time to contact former residents of this community and acquaint them with the League's plans for the annual get-together of old timers. Coffee will be served free to the senior citizens who were here a half a century ago—in 1915.

PARADE ENTRIES

J. E. Stinson is very interested in obtaining entries for the parade. The theme is "Tofield Showcase '65". What can you put in the showcase of the Tofield Community?

This is a splendid opportunity for businesses to advertise, for institutions to remind the citizenry how valuable such institutions are to the community's welfare, for youth groups to demonstrate how valuable their programs are. Mr. Stinson will be glad to receive your entry or to discuss it with you.

Other features of the League's Dominion Day celebration will be featured in later issues of The Mercury.

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. S. Giebe)

Last reminder of the strawberry tea sponsored byt he Ladies' Club to be held Saturday, May 22nd from 2:30 to 5 p.m.

The Ladies' Club met at the home of Mrs. Lockie Thursday afternoon, May 13th.

The Social Credit whist drive on Saturday, May 8th, was quite well attended. Winners were: ladies' high, Michael Petersen, playing as a lady, low, Thorvan Rowland, gents' high Mr. Campion, low, Mr. Schwachent. The next whist drive will be Saturday, May 22nd.

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

Nature, in its ministry to man, is not only the material, but is also the process and the result. All the parts incessantly work into each other's hands for the profit of man.

—JWR

## B.C. accident victim former resident here

Oldtimers will be shocked to hear of the death of the former Bernice Robinson and her husband of North Surrey, B.C. Bernice was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander (Sandy) Robinson who formerly resided in the Tofield district. Bernice was the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gill of North Surrey, B.C., formerly of Tofield, and niece of Lawrence Gill, Tofield. She and her husband were killed in a car accident in the interior of B.C. the weekend of May 8th.

## Locals . . .

Mrs. Edith Rogers left by plane on Friday last for an extended visit with her son, Dr. and Mrs. Max Rogers and family of East Lansing, Michigan.

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IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Toby Nerneland and Mrs. Mary Moore are patients in the Tofield hospital.

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Tofield Community League would appreciate hearing from anyone interested in putting in a float, decorated automobile, tractor, etc., in the July 1st parade.

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Mr. Schell has opened a jewelry and watch sales and repairs shop. He recently moved to Tofield with his wife and two small children and is presently occupying the Walter Eaton dwelling on 2nd Ave. West.

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Mrs. Davison and Miss Edith Davison have returned from a two-week trip to B.C.

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Some good baseball is being played on the local sports ground and will provide entertainment of an evening for those who enjoy the game.

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Congratulations go out to Alan Warner on acceptance by the American magazine "Guns" for an article entitled "The Poor Man's Gun Club" for which he received a monetary consideration. His picture and name appears on the front page of the magazine in an edition not yet published.

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Visitors at the Stockton home recently were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson, Provost, Mrs. Joe Donaldson of Wainwright, and Alf Larson of Irma.

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## Holden news briefs

**90th BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. Lloyd Bell visited with her father, Mr. Maranda, who is a patient in the Royal Alex Hospital, Edmonton, a week ago. Mr. Maranda, who spent last summer and the winter months with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bell, celebrated his 91st birthday Tuesday, May 4th.

**AT FUNERAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie attended the funeral of a relative, Victor Paulson of Bawlf Saturday, May 15th, which was held at the Hegre Church, south of Holden.

Mrs. Carrie Olsen was a Sunday afternoon visitor and dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Nordstrom.

Judy Bilyk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bilyk, was one of last week's country winners in the Journal's CJCA "Teen Pick the Hit of the Week."

Mrs. Sam Black entertained at tea one afternoon last week in honor of Mrs. Ella Bryan of Winnipeg, who is presently visiting in Holden with her sister, Mrs. Lars Rutland and Mr. Rutland. Mrs. T. A. Laden also entertained a few friends at tea last week in honor of Mrs. Bryan.

Alex Barlow of Poe visited around Holden last Saturday and called on his brother, Percy, and Mrs. Barlow.

Mrs. Olive Good, with her aunt Mrs. Ella Bryan of Winnipeg, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lars Rutland, were visitors in Edmonton Monday.

**WIND DAMAGE**

During the high wind, rain and snow storm experienced over Sunday and Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Laskosky were unfortunate in having their TV antenna blown down, smashing through the window and tearing the window drapes very badly. The plate glass window in the door at Beaver Motors was also blown in.

**BAPTISM**

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lowstone had their baby daughter baptized in the United Church Sunday, May 16th, with Rev. Barkwell of Viking officiating. Rev. Barkwell also gave the sermon and administered communion during the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruxton entertained at lunch Sunday afternoon after the service, those present being Mrs. N. L. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Allan, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy and their son, Douglas, of Edmonton, who was a weekend visitor with his parents.

We hear that Mrs. Mary James, who is visiting with her son, Arthur, and family, in Vancouver, is enjoying the mild spring-like weather at the coast. She is planning to go to Vancouver Island to visit with her daughter, Irene, and family for several days before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Olson of Andrew, former Holden residents, were recent weekend visitors with relatives in the Bruce district.

**We understand that in the near future, Alberta Government Telephones will be building a new office in Holden to be ready for the dial system in 1966.**

Bruce Budd was a business visitor in Edmonton Monday.

**TALENT SHOW WINNERS**

Friends of Larry Benson, Holden school teacher, were pleased to hear that he had won the grand prize in the final talent show held in the National Hall, Vegreville April 9th. Mr. Benson also was the grand prize winner of the Viking talent show, held previously. The talent shows were held by the Northern Federation E14.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Village of Holden held May 11th, it was decided to change the day of their meeting from the second Tuesday of the month to the second Thursday of the month, to be effective from the June meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Rael (nee Inez Hardy) had their baby son baptized Sunday, May 16th at Ryley.

**BIRTHS**

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Damtyk of Vegreville (nee Myrtle Laskosky) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at Vegreville hospital, May 6th. The new arrival is the first grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. John Laskosky.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McFayden are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son in Viking hospital last week.

Mrs. Jimmie Kamarnisky returned home from Viking hospital the end of last week with their new baby daughter born on May 6th.

**WINS TRUCK**

First prize winner in the Elephant Brand "Best in the West" contest, Cliff Sapsford of Perdue, Saskatchewan, receives the keys to a 1965 GMC two-ton truck from T. C. McBeath, Western Canada Sales Manager, for The Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada Limited. Mr. Sapsford, who farms 1,000 acres, also won five tons of Elephant Brand Fertilizer. Mr. Sapsford's entry was one of 120,400 received from Western Canadian farmers.

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## Ryley news

(M. K. Westmacott)

Gordon and Elsie Wilson (nee Elsie Solberg) and children, Tara and Johnny, are visiting friends and relatives in and around the Ryley district, en route from their home in Halifax, Nova Scotia. They will continue on to Vancouver, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Neraasen are visiting at Athabasca with their daughter, Marvel, and family.

**Jim and Susan Fish and family, of Edmonton, were Sunday guests with Jim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fish, the occasion for a family dinner being Marguerite and Johnny's 30th wedding anniversary.**

**HOME FROM TRIP**

Mrs. Alma Adams returned home recently from a trip that took her to Idaho, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. She was away two weeks and travelled by bus all the way, enjoying the lovely weather, and the beautiful flowers and lush green lawns that were at their best in B.C. Mrs. Adams visited many old friends and neighbors from Ryley and district. Mrs. Annie Carter (nee Annie Moline), Mr. and Mrs. John Westby, Mrs. Anna Stromstad and Mrs. Mary Beness all send greetings and wish to be remembered.

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## Lakeshore-

Erma and Fred Onyschuk and daughter, Debbie, of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Erma's brother, Charlie, and Mickey Niemetz. Later in the day, they also visited at the home of Ernie and Eleanor Rumar before returning home.

Mrs. Mae Ferguson and son, Nelson, and her daughter, Mrs. Loretta Weir and little daughter Wanda, of Edmonton, motored to Elk Point on Sunday, May 2nd, to visit Mae's other daughter Donna, and Frank Edwards.

Melvin Riley is at present working for Howard Ferguson helping with some fencing.

Howard Ferguson motored to Elk Point on Friday and spent the weekend until Sunday afternoon with his daughter and son-in-law, Donna and Frank Edwards. Also there Saturday overnight and Sunday were Jim and Wally Fisher of Tofield.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton moved back to the farm on Wednesday evening after spending the winter months in Tofield.

**A violent storm hit the district about 7 p.m. on Sunday, starting with rain and sleet, followed by snow and high winds which continued throughout the night and early morning. Power was off for seven hours during the night and phones were also out of order most of Monday.**

Mrs. Mary Wood and daughter, Kathleen Wood of Calgary, motored to Edmonton on Thursday and were guests of Mary's daughter, Mrs. Evie Halwa, and family. Kathleen left for Calgary on Friday evening to return to work.

Mrs. Gloria (Johnny) Wood motored to Onoway on Saturday and spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, returning home Tuesday evening. Her mother, Mrs. Miller, returned with her to spend a few days.

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### NOTICES

**A.B.A. SUMMER SCHEDULE**
The Ryley Artificial Breeding Association will go on summer schedule commencing April 1st. Phone 122 from 8:00 till 10:00 a.m. daily. 35 to 40p-1963

### 5 CARDS OF THANKS

I would like to express my sincere appreciation to the Doctors, Nurses and Staff of the Tofield Hospital for the wonderful care and kindness shown me during my recent stay there, also to friends and relatives for their visits and cards.
—Mrs. Ole Hielter. 38p-2408

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Midst the blue and gold of the skies.
And to us who always loved him,
Whose parting brought us great pain,
We will cherish his memories forever,
Until we meet with him again.

—Ever remembered and sadly missed by his loving wife, Velma, and Family. 38p-2413

### FUTURE DATES

**SALVATION ARMY DRIVE**
The F.W.U.A. are having a Salvation Army drive for newspapers, clothing, dishes, etc., May 21st to 31st. Goods may be left at J. Francis' Garage. 38c-0414

**ATTENTION PIANO STUDENTS**
Miss G. Patterson will be forming a Piano Class in Tofield commencing September, 1965. Inquiries may be directed to 662-2880. 38-39-40p-2361

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**NOTICE to Creditors and Claimants**

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TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the "above" named must file with THE UNDERSIGNED by the 19th day of June 1965, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

PUBLIC TRUSTEE,
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## Church notes

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
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10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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Pastor Stanley Rude
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11:00 a.m. -Sunday School.
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10:00 a.m. Sunday School.
11:30 a.m. Divine Service.

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MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

## Victor Paulson passes suddenly

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER EARLING May 18th

The community was saddened and shocked to hear of the sudden passing of Victor Paulson, 58 years, on May 12th at his home in the Gladstone district, known here having delivered north of Bawlf. He was well-car and tractor fuel for many years, from the bulk Co-op station at his farm.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife, Palma, three children, Brian, Beverly and Randy, two brothers, Hugo and Johnnie Paulson, and one sister, Mrs. M. Rasmussen.

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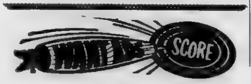


# Modern Etiquette

Q. At the dinner table I've found myself in the embarrassing situation of having a question directed at me by someone just as I am steering a bite of food toward my mouth. What should I do in this case?

A. Don't put the food into your mouth and then attempt to answer the question. It is much better to return your fork to your plate, answer the question, and then resume eating.

Q. How should a husband and wife introduce each other?

A. A woman always introduces her husband by his first name, or as "My husband"—never as "Mr. Adams". The husband, in turn, introduces her socially as "My wife, Ruth"—but to his business acquaintances as "Mrs. Adams".

Q. I have a name that is constantly being mispronounced by other persons. Should I overlook this, or am I justified in correcting it?

A. I think you're in perfect right to correct it—such as, "I'm sorry, but my name is Barry, not Perry".

Q. Can you give me some suggestions for appetizers at a cocktail party?

A. Simplest, of course, is peanuts, olives, pretzels, cheese sandwiches, dipped potato chips, and the like. If you want to be more elaborate, however, you can serve small sandwiches of various kinds—and the modern cookbooks are full of suggestions on this.


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## Holden news

The Marshall Slywkas of Edmonton were visiting Saturday with Marshall's mother, Mrs. William Slywka.

Miss Ane Appleby, student in education at the University of Alberta, is practise teaching at Tofield.

**PRIZE WINNERS**

Miss Trudy Oslund of the Holden Coffee Shop was the lucky winner of $15.00 in the recent hockey raffle held by the Holden Boy Scout troop, and Mike Tkaczyk of the NADP staff was the lucky winner of $50.00 in a hockey raffle sponsored by the Holden baseball club.

Mrs. Winnie Johnson was a recent Edmonton visitor with her mother and sister and brother-in-law of Ryley.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann was a visitor at the Tofield hospital on Friday evening, calling on Mrs. Earl Hardy who was receiving treatments, Mrs. Oscar Ruskenveld and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen who was having treatments for arthritis in her shoulders.

Harry Michlich was an Edmonton visitor over the weekend, visiting with his daughter and other relatives.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer returned home the end of last week after spending several days with her daughter, Gurene, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hammer, at Viking. Mrs. Hammer entertained at a large family dinner on Sunday, May 9th, Mother's Day.

## Ladies' Club meets

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK, May 13.—The May meeting of the Ministik Ladies' Club was held at the United Church on Wednesday, with 14 members and one visitor present.

Plans are well underway for the strawberry tea to be held on Saturday, June 5th. Tickets for the raffle on the pole lamp were distributed for sale by Mrs. A. Ferguson. These were made by Norman Penrice and Glenn Ferguson, and letters of thanks were sent to them.

Mrs. Frank Swabey was chosen convener of the picnic to be held in June.

Roll call was answered by "A favorite Bible verse", roll call for June being "a sewing short-cut".

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. A. Kleinschroth, Mrs. Ralph Leach and Mrs. Claude Leach.


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# Solve a Crime

BY A. C. GORDON

There have been big headlines in the local newspapers for the past week concerning the young, socially - prominent Craig Blair who embezzled more than $100,000 of his company's funds and fled town. An intense search has failed thus far to trace him, and now you are working on the case. You are, late this afternoon, waiting in the lobby of a luxurious high-rise apartment building for Amanda Ames, a girl with whom Craig Blair had formerly gone regularly, but who in a much publicized break-up had been jilted by the womanizing Blair for Amanda's "best friend", Caroline Patterson. You are here in response to a phone call you received almost an hour ago from Amanda informing you that she has some "vital information" to give you about Craig Blair.

Finally, through the revolving doors and into the lobby sweeps the richly - dressed, red - haired Amanda Ames. "So sorry to keep you waiting", she apologizes. "I phoned you to meet me here right after I left Caroline's cocktail party ... but I was delayed on the way here ... traffic, you know."

You accompany her to her modernistically furnished apartment. In a caustic and bitter voice she tells you of her discovery. "If you want to find Craig, ask Caroline Patterson. She knows where he is, that's for sure. This afternoon during the party I went into her bedroom to make some repairs on my lipstick, and I found a letter ... her from Craig. Oh, I'm shameless enough to admit I read it ... the whole thing full of gushy sentiment, but not much information". She sniffs disdainfully as she pulls her gloves off her long, slender fingers.

"Have you read this little item in the late edition of today's paper?" you ask, handing her a news clipping.

"No", she replies. "I haven't seen a newspaper at all today". She squints for a few minutes at the paper in her hand, then with a murmured word of apology begins fumbling in her purse. Finally, after an apparently fruitless search, she moves over to a nearby coffee table, rummages under some magazines, and comes up with a pair of harlequin styled glasses which she dons. She begins to read the news clipping you gave her, then looks up at you with a puzzled expression and exclaims, "This has nothing at all to do with Craig ... it's about that big warehouse fire in the west side of town ... what in the world was your reason for ...?"

"I had plenty of reason", you break in. "The only thing your story has done for me is to convince me that you're a very jealous young woman. It was a vindictive attempt on your part to involve Caroline Patterson, but I'm not buying it!"

Why do you think this way?

**SOLUTION**

You have just proved with your irrelevant news clipping that Amanda Ames needs glasses for reading, and you have also noted that she didn't have her glasses with her while she was at Caroline Patterson's party. This being the case, she could not have read the letter she told you she found in Caroline's bedroom.

## Ministik news

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Church services continue at the United Church, with Miss Helen Irwin conducting.

Sunday School got well underway for the summer, with teachers again being Mrs. Andrew Ferguson, Mrs. Pat Paterson, Mrs. Ralph Leach and Miss Barbara Lochtie.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Friends from Ministik wish Arthur Dunham a speedy recovery from a leg ailment suffered while playing ball recently. He is a patient in Tofield Hospital.

Mrs. W. F. Davenport is also a patient in Tofield Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moore, of Whitecourt, were weekend guests of Mrs. Helen Hennessy. Irving Likness was there Saturday, assisting Mr. Moore with shingling Mrs. Hennessy's house.

**BIRTHDAY OBSERVED**

Mrs. Effie Naslechuk was very pleasantly surprised Saturday evening when Mrs. Verden Sears and Mrs. Michael Naslechuk were hostesses at a birthday party for her. A lovely birthday cake and lunch were enjoyed, the cake being made by Mrs. Verden Sears.

Margaret and Edna Roddick were weekend guests at the home of their parents, Dolly and Jim Roddick.

Weekend guests at the Russell Rowland home were Peggy and Murray Rowland and Mrs. Sarah Waters, sisters of Mrs. Rowland, all from Edmonton.

Mrs. Russell Rowland and Mrs. Sarah Waters were coffee guests Monday with Mrs. Jim Roddick.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Whitford received word from Donald Grammett on Friday that he has employment for the summer on a farm east of Calgary, and is enjoying it there.

**POWER DISRUPTED**

Residents in this area experienced a power shortage for approximately 12 hours Monday. This seemed quite serious as these are so few, but due to a terrible snow, rain and wind storm Sunday evening, power lines couldn't cope with the elements.

WHITE IS RIGHT. If fashion forecasts can be trusted, one of the more popular colors in swimwear on Canadian beaches this summer will be white. Above shows a white full-length swimsuit, with a naughtily nice laced cleavage at the front.


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# News briefs from Kingman district

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, May 16 — The Home School Association will meet on Thursday May 20, at 8:00 p.m., at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coykendahl and family were Mother's Day afternoon visitors with Mrs. T. Christenson. In the evening, the Coykendahls and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fossof Edmonton were at Mrs. Annie Coykendahl's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Louck and Mrs. Iver Simonson and son of Edmonton and Oscar Simonson were Sunday visitors at the Gordon Simonson home.

BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Pederson and Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coykendahl and family, Mrs. A. Coykendahl and Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Gibson and family and Barbara, Glen and Gordon Eddahl were Sunday, May 2, dinner guests with Mrs. Grace Gibson. On Tuesday, for Mrs. Gibson's birthday, a number of ladies were there to help her celebrate the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Wruck, Mr. and Mrs. P. Boness, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schmidt and Denise, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Simonson, Mrs. A. Cumberland and Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson were at the John Johnson home Tuesday evening to wish Mr. Johnson a happy birthday.

Several ladies called on Mrs. A. Wilson on Thursday to help celebrate her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Ness spent the weekend at the Mervyn Ness home in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bjorgum and family had a family gathering for Mother's Day at Ross' Flats.

Sunday visitors at the Harvey Hovelson home were Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson of Camrose, Brith Johnson and Gail, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson and family, the Norman Hovelson and Albin Anderson families and Mr. and Mrs. A. Tollefson.

AT FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Wruck attended the funeral of Mr. Wruck's brother-in-law Fred Andel, at Edmonton on Saturday. Sympathy of the community goes to the Wruck family in their bereavement.

Mother's Day guests at the Palmer Boness home were Mr. and Mrs. B. Hagen and Dale and Terry of Round Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Don Moore and family and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hagen and family of Forestburg. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rude were afternoon visitors there.

Miss Alice Simonson of Edmonton spent the weekend here with her sister Mabel.

## Trondhjem LCW meets April 27

Nineteen ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. Johnny Bruce on the evening of April 27th for the monthly meeting of the Trondhjem LCW.

Mrs. Doreen Burnstad conducted a very interesting Bible Study based on Matt. 6:19-34. Mrs. Francis Hagen read an article for the "Cause of the Month" entitled "Out of Our Minds". A letter from Mrs. Mabel Gotheridge, a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, was read to the group.

Mrs. Iva Olson was nominated as delegate to attend the convention in Bawlf May 1st.

Mrs. Ruth Foss reported on hospital visitation. During May, Mrs. Alma Nelson and Mrs. Bertha Mathison will visit with patients in St. Mary's Hospital.

Education Secretary Mrs. Helen Burnstad gave a short talk on the use of the Treasure Chests.

Mrs. Bruce served a tasty lunch.

PRE NUPTIAL SHOWER

A lovely miscellaneous shower party was held at the home of Mrs. Arnold Hoveland on Friday evening to honor Miss Rita Enns, bride-elect, prior to her coming marriage. Approximately forty ladies including members of the Messiah Lutheran Church Women were guests to enjoy an evening of games and contests. The bride-elect's mother and sister from Tofield and a sister-in-law from Saskatchewan were among the visitors. A lovely selection of useful and beautiful gifts were presented to Miss Enns with the Misses Patricia Hoveland and Elsie Neufeld, the bridesmaids, assisting with unwrapping the gifts. Rita expressed gracious thanks, and a delicious lunch was served. Miss Enns will be married on Friday, May 21, at the Mennonite Church, Tofield, to Dennis Hoveland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hoveland of Camrose.

## Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. Upon entering into the room, a trunk was found by us.
2. I have not seen the picture but once, and I will wait on you at the door.
3. We had reached the final end of our journey before we realized that we hadn't ought to have come.
4. Four of our best sprinters will partake in the race next month.
5. Our only other alternative is to locate in California.
6. Most all of the men were there in observation of their chief's birthday.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Terpsichorean (of dancing)
8. Gunwale
9. Alienate
10. Sang-froid
11. Fecund
12. Amenable

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Obeisance, obesity, obligatory, obligato, obsterperous, secession, sesquicentennial, seminary, semblance, sententious, mundane, humane, ordane, maintenance, malfeasance, surplice, sycophant, superintendant, supersede, syllogism, heirloom, harlequin, impromptu, ideosyncracy, jalousie, sattelite, sabotage, scalpel, selvage, sibiliancy.

**ANSWERS**

1. Omit "upon", and say, "WE found a trunk". 2. Omit "not", and say, "I have seen the picture but once, and I SHALL wait FOR you at the door". 3. Omit "final", and say, "before we realized that we OUGHT NOT to have come". 4. It is better to say, "will PARTICIPATE in the race". 5. Omit "other", and say, "is to SETTLE in California". 6. Omit the first "of", and say, "ALMOST all of the men were there in OBSERVANCE of their chief's birthday".
7. Pronounce terp-si-kwa-ree-an, principal accent on fourth syllable. 8. Pronounce gun-el, accent first syllable. 9. Pronounce all-yen-ait, accent first syllable. 10. Pronounce sawn-frwah, accent on second syllable. 11. Pronounce feck-und, accent first syllable. 12. Pronounce second syllable as "mean", preferred.
13. Obbligato, secession, ordain, superintendent, idiosyncrasy, satellite.

SHE'S HOOKED ON FISHING. Who says women aren't as good at fishing as men? Here's an outdoors charmer who's determined to keep casting at this [illegible] pond until she's bagged a big one. However, it might help if she remembered to add some bait to the end of that hook!


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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann were business visitors in Edmonton Monday of last week.

HOSPITAL NEWS

A. L. Gibson was to Daysland Wednesday morning of last week and brought home Mrs. Gibson who had been a patient in the hospital there for two weeks, receiving treatments. We were pleased to hear from Mr. Gibson that his wife is feeling much better.

John Baraniuk was taken to hospital at Viking a week ago Monday, suffering from heart trouble and pneumonia.

Mrs. Elna Parsons and Chris Christenson visited with Mrs. Laura Christianson on Thursday evening of last week. Although Mrs. Christianson is feeling better since her three weeks in hospital, she is as yet not feeling [illegible].

Larry Strichuk was a hospital patient in Tofield for several days, being treated for a strep throat.

Mrs. Mary Hardy, who was a Tofield hospital patient for a few days last week, returned home Saturday.

We were pleased to hear from Mrs. Lars Olson that her brother, Mr. Jeglum, who has been a patient in the University Hospital for the past two months, after a serious leg operation, is making very good progress but will still be hospitalized at least another month.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Dutka and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shtokal, all of Vegreville, were Sunday, May 9th visitors with the girls' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong.

Geo. H. Taylor was a business visitor in Edmonton Tuesday of last week, and in Viking Thursday.

Mrs. Lillie Grosland was a Mother's Day visitor and dinner guest with her son Lyle, his wife and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bilyk and family were Sunday visitors a week ago with Gene's father and family at Mundare.

Zane Bilyk and daughter, Dianne and Joyce Mietimaka met with Sam Padlecki in Edmonton and all left on the evening train Thursday of last week for Vancouver. We understand that Zane is to drive a new car back for a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bell and family of Stettler were Saturday business visitors in Holden and called on friends. The Bells were former Holden residents and in business here. Dave also taught school in both Holden and Bruce before leaving to make their home in Stettler.

# Palmer - Earling notes

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, May 15th —Mr. and Mrs. Peter Reum, Mrs. Harold Reum and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Reum, Philip, David and Alana, and their mother, Mrs. Christine Reum, motored to Grande Prairie to spend the weekend with the Harold Reums. Grandma Reum remained there for a further stay.

Mrs. Don Stewart and Marie Astring, Edmonton, were recent visitors with Pastor and Mrs. Olson and the Bob Beatties.

The Sam Olsens spent Mother's Day at Dried Meat Lake with the Ed Christians.

Loel Olsens of Barrhead spent Sunday with the Ole Olsens.

Sunday guests at the Lewis Forre home were Mr. and Mrs. R. McKee, Wetaskiwin, Mrs. A. Roth, the John Bruces, Ernest and Leroy Forre of Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wikkum, Tofield, were Sunday guests at Mrs. Alma Steffen's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lockhart, Sidney and Mavis of Strome were Monday evening visitors with the Henry Stenruds.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steffen, Ione and Wanda, and the Gust Knudsvigs of Camrose were Sunday guests with Mrs. Gyda Rindahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ewaskiw and Beverley of Coronation and Christine Chrystian, Camrose, spent Mother's Day at the Mike Chrystian home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kost Chrystian have named their new baby, Patricia Marie.

The Harry Mosbys Tofield, Ed Mosbys, Camrose, and the Geo. and Ernest Mosbys, spent Sunday with their mother at the Mosby home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stenrud and Elmer, and Mrs. Augusta Bjerkseth and Borghild were Sunday dinner guests in the Ken Wolfe home, Camrose.

Mrs. Carl Sorenson spent the week with her mother, Mrs. Martin Meadahl, in Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bain and children of Drayton Valley were weekend visitors with the Gordon Teskes.

Mrs. John Ross and Chilliwack, B.C., and Mr. and Mrs. Jens Lorensen of Forestburg, were recent visitors in the Aker home.

Mike and Kost Chrystian are at Lac La Biche this week, farming the land they leased there.

The C. Bratruds were Sunday guests in Camrose with the Clarence Helleksons.

The Alvin Bratruds and Peter Rempels, Edmonton, were dinner guests with the Adrian Berg-quests at Bawlf.

## Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. When should a dinner guest, who has finished eating, place his napkin on the table?

A. Not until the hostess places her napkin on the table.

Q. When it is necessary for a house guest to make a long-distance phone call, how should this be handled?

A. First, of course, the guest asks permission of his host or hostess. Then, after his call has been completed, he immediately calls the operator, asks for the charges, and then remits this amount to his host.

Q. Isn't it considered proper nowadays for a bride to telephone her thanks for wedding gifts received?

A. Indeed not! Never, under any circumstances, should she substitute telephoned or verbal thanks for that handwritten note of appreciation!

Q. When seated at a bar in a cocktail lounge, are you supposed to tip the bar man?

A. While not exactly necessary, it still seems to be expected in some places—and especially when one's change is returned in a small tray.

Q. May chicken drum sticks or pork chop bones be eaten with the fingers?

A. This cannot be called an attractive sight. It is much better, when dining in someone's home or in a restaurant, to use your knife or fork. At home, of course, you're on your own!

Q. When one is in doubt as to whether a formally written invitation can be accepted or not, how should one's acknowledgement be worded?

A. There should be no uncertainty about the acknowledgement. You should always state definitely whether or not you can accept the invitation.


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# School committee meet held May 11

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of Viking for a bus driving job in the Viking area was referred to the School Committee The Committee was informed by Cr. Roddick that Mr Leades had been driving as from May 10th

Moved and carried that Harold Leades of Viking be approved as a regular bus driver in the Viking area

A letter from G Boyd Ash of Viking applying for the position of school bus driver, either as a spare or regular driver, in the Viking area, was referred to the Committee Cr Roddick stated that the Viking area now had two authorised spare bus drivers and he did not see any particular need for another spare driver

Moved and carried that Mr. Ash be advised that his services are not required at the present time but that his application will be kept on file

The Secretary - Treasurer reported that he had received a verbal resignation from Clarence Barker as school bus driver, the resignation being effective May 7th, 1965

Moved and carried that the resignation be accepted.

A.S.T.A Economic Bulletins Nos 7, 8 9 and 10 were referred to the Committee, and particular mention was made of the Internship-Leadership course for Co-Operating Teachers to be held July 5th to 9th inclusive at Barnett House in Edmonton This was dealt with in Bulletin No 10, and the cost per person would be $60 plus the transportation

Moved and carried that the Bulletins be received and filed, and that the School Committee sponsors one teacher to the Leadership Course for Co-Operating Teachers

The Superintendent stated that, without a doubt, the Co-Operating teachers would benefit from this course, and that he had a teacher in mind that would be able to absorb the information and pass it on to other co-operating teachers within the County.

### Salary Negotiations

In the matter of salary negotiations the Chairman, Cr Roddick, reported that the two Committees had met on the evening of May 10th, but that no progress had been made The County's Committee had stayed with its offer of approximately 8% increase.

It was apparent that no further negotiations could be carried out on the local level, and it was moved and carried that the report be accepted and application be made for a bargaining agent.

Moved and carried that the resignations of Mrs. Gleeson and Mr Lloyd Symyrozam be accepted

The Superintendent mentioned the ceremony of the opening of the addition of the Tofield School to take place at 8 00 o'clock this evening It was decided that the Chairman of the School Committee, Cr. Roddick, and Cr. Weatherill would take part in this ceremony, and any other School Committee member who so wished was invited to attend.

Lars Olson, representing the Local A T A , attended the meeting at this time and requested the usual grant for sports activities in the amount of $125.

Moved and carried that a grant in the amount of $125 be given to the Beaver Local A T A to help defray the costs of the sports activities carried on in the County

Mr Olson also requested the use of a school bus at noon to take baseball players from the school to the sports ground during the noon hour A bus and driver would be required.

Moved and carried that the request be approved, and that Cr. Gibson arrange with Mr Olson as to a suitable driver and other matters necessary

The Superintendent mentioned that a number of chairs for the libraries, laboratories and offices were required.

Moved and carried that authorization be given for the purchase of the necessary chairs.

The Superintendent mentioned that a request had been made to put on a Moral Rearmament Program in the schools in the County and that this request had been unanimously turned down by the Principals at one of their meetings, and that also the policy of the School Committee would prohibit such an aproval, and that he had informed the parties concerned that no permission could be given.

Moved and carried that the action of the Superintendent in the above matter be concurred in.

Moved and carried that the following appointments be approved Myrtle McFadgen, Earl Baillie, Eric Michie, K. S. Gyani, D. V Kapoor, Boris Stashko, A. M. Johnson, Mrs. D Rude, Mrs. Gunhild Berke

Moved and carried that the Committee meets to consider the summer repairs in the various schools on May 25 and 26, starting at Kinsella at 9:00 a.m. on the 25th and at 9:00 a.m. at Holden on the 26th.

The Superintendent informed the Committee that a Reading Conference had been held at Leduc on April 30th, and that Mrs. Margaret Phillips and Mrs. Harriet Ruddy had attended this conference, and he suggested that some remuneration for out-of-pocket expenses be in order

Moved and carried that mileage allowance for one car and the necessary meals for the two teachers be approved.

The Superintendent reported that Ralph Gorrie, former Supervisor of Instruction, had undertaken to have two Math Seminars in the County in connection with the new math courses that are being introduced this coming school year One seminar had been held on Saturday, May 1st, and the second one on May 15th. Some 20 teachers had attended the May 1st seminar, and in the opinion of the Superintendent the seminar had been very successful He suggested that some remuneration be made to Mr. Gorrie.

Moved and carried that mileage at 12c per mile be paid plus a honorarium of $35 per day

The Superintendent informed the Committee that Cal Annis, Principal at the Tofield school, had received a scholarship in the amount of $80 as the best director in the High School Drama Festivals to attend a workshop in the City of Drumheller in August The scholarship in the amount of $80 would not cover his actual expenses and the Supt. suggested that the School Committee might give some recogni-

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# School committee meet held May 11

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tion to Mr Annis for having obtained the scholarship

Moved and carried that an amount of $30 be given to Mr Annis to assist in defraying his expenses at the Drama School in Drumheller

The Superintendent informed the Committee that Bikkar Randhawa would be attending the University in Toronto and that his courses would start prior to the end of the school year and he, therefore, requested leave of absence as from June 25th.

Moved and carried that Mr Randhawa be given leave of absence with pay from June 25th to 30th.

### Bus Storage At Bruce

In regards to bus storage at Bruce, a proposal from Ken Stambaugh was submitted to the School Committee Mr. Stambaugh offered to store the five County buses at a monthly rate of $15 per bus. The storage would be heated storage in the winter and yard storage in the summer Mr Stambaugh would be responsible for having the buses put in at night and taken out in the morning He also requested, subject to discussion, a five-year contract, starting Sept 1, 1965.

Moved and carried that Crs. Roddick, Johnston and Dorin be appointed a Committee to interview Mr Stambaugh in this matter, keeping in mind that a five-year contract might be too long and also that the price, $15 per bus, was somewhat high, considering that the buses would be stored outside in summer time

### Teacher Housing

The Superintendent brought up the matter of teacher housing, which appeared to be acute at Holden Viking and Ryley Cr Gibson reported that Harry Mitchlach had offered a house in Holden for sale for $7,730 This house, being quite old, was not considered suitable for the County Cr Roddick reported that Neil White at Viking had a 34 by 40 foot house plus basement suite, 3 to 4 years old, for which he asked $14,300 He also stated that there was a new house in Viking, built by Hilton Building Contractors, that could possibly be purchased for some $12,500. It was suggested that Cr. Roddick make some further inquiries about these houses. It was also considered that an application to borrow under Section 233 of the School Act, should be made.

Moved and carried that the County be requested to apply for a loan of $43 300 for teacherages in Holden Viking and Ryley.

Mr Pike referred to the additional rooms required at Viking in view of the visits from Mr Blocksidge and Mr Walker of the Department of Education. The building committee, composed of Cr. Roddick, Mr Allen and Mr. Pike, proposed the following changes at the Viking school plant

(a) Provide by new construction a biology laboratory, a chemistry laboratory, a commercial room, a general purpose room, five high school classrooms, two small storage rooms to serve the junior and the commercial room and two storage rooms to serve the biology laboratory and the chemistry laboratory, plus two washrooms;

(b) Provide by renovation a larger library by using a principal's office and a staff room.

(c) Provide by renovation four larger primary classrooms for grade 1 and 2 by using five standard classrooms,

(d) Provide by renovation a teachers' staff room, a teachers' work room and janitor's storage room,

(e) Provide by renovation a principal's office, two vice-principals' offices, an infirmary two counselling areas and one waiting room, plus secretarial space

Moved and carried that the proposed project of new construction of 5,785 sq. ft. and alterations of 7,235 sq. ft. be approved for the Viking school plant

It was reported that the building committee of John Allen, Jack Roddick and H. A. Pike visited the Grade One building with A. Walker of the Department of Education. The two-room building was found to be in reasonable repair, but it was suggested no further money be spent on the structure and that perhaps it should be retired from service over a period of the next two years and then removed from the school grounds It was also pointed out necessary repairs needed in the future would be a completely new heating system plus toilet facilities Since this further convinced the building committee of this needless expense, the members agreed to replace the rooms by new construction

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and the recommendations concurred in.

In the matter of the water lines at the Holden school, dealt with earlier in the meeting, it was noted that McLaren Construction had not contacted the office

It was therefore moved and carried that the tenders submitted by Al Innes for replacement of the water lines at the Holden school, in the amount of $1,047.70, be accepted

# Junior high says 'goodbye' to grade 9'ers

On May 13th, in the Tofield Community Centre, the students of the Tofield Junior High School honored the Grade 9 students with a banquet and program.

The theme of the evening's activities was "Bon Voyage, Grade 9" and the nautical theme was used throughout. The placecards were tiny sailors made by Miss Rosine's Grade 7 class and the table centres were sailboats with golden sails, made by Miss Matthew's grade 7 class

The grade 8 boys prepared the tables, the grade 8 girls served the banquet under the direction of the grade 8 teachers, Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Dennison Bill Sears, president of the Big 3, was chairman for the evening Karen Davison said grace for the classes

At the close of the banquet, a program of toasts was given: to the Queen, Jane Chorney; to the graduands John Sears (gr. 8), reply, Milo Stauffer, to the grade 9 teachers, June Christensen, replies, Mr. Lampitt and Mr. Stenberg.

The group then adjourned to seats near the stage. Here a short program was presented, featuring a piano solo by Gerry Hardy song by 8A girls, "We are Sailors", clarinet solo, Douglas Everitt, piano solo, Elaine Boergen; song by 8B girls, "Will Your Anchor Hold"; solo, "Our Best To You" by Beth Ingram

Accompanists were Mrs. Rosalind Annis, Lynda Wittenberg, Margaret Francis.

Mr. Annis thanked the grade 9's for inviting him and extended a welcome to the high school to the successful candidates in the June exams Paul Voegtlin of Ryley, the guest speaker, was introduced by Bill Sears Mr. Voegtlin spoke to the grade 9 graduands, fitting his remarks to the theme of the evening He urged the students to have the courage and determination to be explorers, to have a chosen harbor and a means of keeping on course, to have ambition to enable them to continue in their education voyage.

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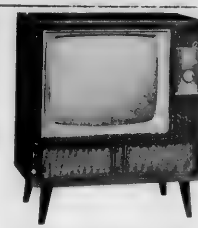

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## GAS COMPANIES ANNOUNCE SENIOR MANAGEMENT APPOINTMENTS

The appointments of Murray E. Stewart, 38, of Edmonton as president, and John E Maybin, 40 of Calgary, as executive vice-president, of Canadian Western Natural Gas Company Limited and Northwestern Utilities, Limited are announced by D. K. Yorath, chairman of the companies, following meetings of the companies' boards of directors Also announced were the appointments of David B. Collier as general manager, and Cyril L. Metcalfe as treasurer, of Northwestern Utilities. Mr. Stewart succeeds Bruce F. Willson, who has resigned to become president of Canadian Bechtel Ltd. of Toronto. Formerly vice-president of both companies, and general manager of Northwestern, Mr. Stewart has been with Alberta's two major gas utility companies since 1949 Mr Maybin has also been with the companies since 1949 and formerly was vice-president, engineering and gas supply, for both companies. Mr. Collier, who succeeds Mr. Stewart as Northwestern's general manager, has been with the company since 1939 He formerly was manager of production and transmission. Mr. Metcalfe, who has been with the company since 1931, and corporate secretary since 1948, will succeed John B Whelihan when he retires on May 31, after 42 years with the company. Mr Metcalfe will continue as corporate secretary.

# Mrs. Annie Ames passes in Edmonton at 82 yrs.

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The sympathy of friends is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Algot Hultholm and family on the death of Mrs. Hultholm's mother, Mrs. Annie Ames, aged 82, of Edmonton, who passed away Monday, May 10th. The funeral was held Wednesday, May 12th, with the service in the Foster and McGarvey Funeral Chapel and the interment in Clover Bar cemetery, with Rev. H. Ricker officiating.

Mrs. Ames leaves to mourn her loss, two sons, George Thomlinson of Valleyview, Walter J. Thomlinson of Nanaimo, B.C.; five daughters, Mrs. Hilda McEachern of Lacombe, Mrs. Laura Hultholm of Holden, Mrs. Daisy Rice of Vancouver, B.C., Mrs. Bert Deagle of Edmonton and Mrs. Grace McKeith of Legal; 23 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild. She also left three sisters all residing at Abbotsford, B.C., and three brothers.

Mrs. Ames was one of the oldtime settlers, born in Parry Sound, Ont., in 1882. She and her parents moved to the Clover Bar district in 1888. Marrying George Thomlinson in 1899, they homesteaded in the Bremner district until Mr. Thomlinson passed away in 1917. She married Ernest Ames in 1926 and they resided in the Holden district for two years, the family then returning to the original homestead near Bremner and lived there until their retirement in 1940. Mr. Ames predeceased her in 1944.

## Locals . . .

Merna and Bill Francis from Hay Lakes were visitors in town for the weekend.

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BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tiedeman, twin girls on May 13th.

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PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER

Tuesday evening a miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. A. Klassen in honor of Miss Rita Enns who will be married on Friday, May 21st, to Dennis Hoveland of Camrose. The wedding will take place in the Mennonite Church at Tofield.

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Horace McHeffey returned home on Friday after spending two years in Saskatchewan and Manitoba. He plans to spend the summer months here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Vern Froese and family from Mission City, B.C., visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Klassen and family.

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P.O. HOURS

From June 1st the Post Office will be open from 8 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1 p.m. to 5:30 Tuesday through Saturday. On Monday from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Mail posted until 6:15 will be dispatched the same night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Findley and two boys from Calgary spent Saturday with Ray's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davison and family.

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## Lakeshore -

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

TWINS BORN ON DIFFERENT DAYS

Congratulations go to Bert and Alberta Tiedman of the Lindbrook district on the birth of twin daughters born at Tofield hospital on May 12th and 13th. One twin was born at 15 minutes to 12 p.m., and one at two minutes after 12 a.m. Although only 17 minutes apart, their birthdays fall on different days. Congratulations also go to the proud grandparents, Ed and May Tiedemann of Tof[illegible]

AT WEDDING

Mrs. Ethel Wood motored to Edmonton early Saturday morning where she joined her brother, Doug, and Fran Baines and family and all motored to Brooks to attend the wedding of Ethel and Doug's nephew (Bob) Robert [illegible] to Ann Murray. They also attended the reception. On their return journey, they visited their mother, Mrs. (Granny) Baines at Stettler and also their brother, Art, and Dorothy Baines and family at Nevis.

Ethel drove home Sunday evening in the snowstorm and hurricane that hit Edmonton and later this district Sunday evening.

Last Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of John Jr. and Irene Warner were Rev. Allan Swinton and his wife, Barbara, and family of Mannville.

Monday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Emil's brother, Bill, and Mary Tiedemann and Mary's mother, Mrs. Dunn Sr., all of Deville.

Mrs. Ellen [illegible] was a Saturday evening visitor and supper guest at the home of Ruth and Roy Wickenberg. Ruth and Ellen later attended the shower for Joyce Warner in the United Church basement.

Donald Jones motored to Edmonton Friday evening to spend the weekend with his parents, Norm and Vivian Jones in [illegible] new home in Linwood area.

Leonard Loxton spent the week[illegible] at [illegible] wife, Mrs. Patsy Loxton, and baby daughter. They were Sunday visitors at the home of Patsy's parents, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz, and later Sunday afternoon they visited at the home of Eleanor and Ernie Runzer.


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# 'Specials' planned for July 1st celebration

The Tofield Community League's annual Dominion Day celebration will be a fun-filled day for the junior citizens of Tofield.

Wally Ursaliak will be here with his equipment for the midway. A ferris wheel is the feature attraction though several other rides will also delight the hearts of the youngsters. Their tummies will be treated to the cotton candy, the popcorn, and the corn-on-the-cob supplied by Mr. Ursaliak.

Adults will be interested in recalling that Wally Ursaliak was a member of Hec Gervais' curling team and that he and Gervais are associated in business. It is expected that Gervais will accompany Ursaliak to Tofield on July 1st. He may be helping to operate the games of chance which are part of Ursaliak's equipment on the midway.

BARBECUE

The barbecue is under the direction of Vince Bates who has had several years' experience in this field. The supper which accompanies the barbecue is under the direction if Bill and Elizabeth Davison. Everyone will remember the bountiful meal offered last year and this year, again, the same tantalizing odors will lure spectators to the barbecue area.

The dance committee has secured the Schwill Brothers' Orchestra to play for the dance in the Community Centre which will wind up a long, event-filled day.

## 4-H Club plans Achievement Day

The monthly meeting of the Tofield 4-H Club was held on May 13th, when arrangements were made for the 4-H achievement day which will be held une 7th and the annual banquet that evening.

The program for the day starts with the weigh-in at 10:30, the show at 1:00 p.m., and the sale at 3:30 p.m.

It was decided that the club will not canvas this year.

Members of 4-H would like to extend their thanks to the citizens of Tofield and district for their support on 4-H day. The club also wishes to thank Mr. Fisher of the Tofield Service Garage and Mr. White of the Crown Lumber, as without their facilities the day would not have been the great success it was.

## Saturday, May 29th is 'Job for Bob' Day

On Saturday, May 29th, the Boy Scouts of the First Tofield Troop will be asking for jobs so that they may raise money to purchase equipment for their scouting activities.

The boys do not ask for donations but rather wish to work and be paid only what the job is worth.

If you have lawns to mow, windows to clean, cars to wash, shoes to shine, give the "Job to Bob" and help the Boy Scouts to help themselves.

THE LIBRARY

The library shown here is probably the most beautiful of the three rooms in the new addition to the Tofield High School. There is no question as to an abundant supply of floor space and adequate shelf space for years to come. - Photo by Peter Nickel.

# 4-H clubs combine for 1965 achievement day

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY, May 25. — The Community Hall was filled on Tuesday, May 18th, when three of the 4-H clubs held their Achievement Day together, namely the girls' Clothing Club, with leaders Miss Emily Pozerniuk and Miss Diane Davis; the girls' Food Club, with leaders Mrs. Stan Powers and Miss Fay Olsenburg, and the all-boys' Food Club, with leaders Mrs. Leona Stumbo and Mrs. Erna Maaren.

Each club had a very good display of their year's work, which was judged on the point system by Miss Diane Skripitsky, District Home Economist, Vegreville; Miss Irene Eby, District Home Economist, Edmonton, and Miss Glenna Robins, Associate Supervisor of 4-H Clubs, Edmon[illegible].

Each club gave demonstrations of their work; and some really humorous skits made up an enjoyable program, Judy Burnstad leading the sing-songs.

Names of the winners will be released later, when all the points have been totalled.

## Buildings lost in Palmer district fires

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING, May 21st —The Herman Reums of Wanham, former Earlingites, had the misfortune to lose their garage, workshop, a ton truck, and all the tools and their lighting plant that was inside the garage when fire destroyed it May 8th. It is thought the lighting plant started the fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Fediuk have returned home from a trip to Vancouver. During their absence their barn burned. The blaze may have started from spontaneous combustion from bales of hay stored in the loft. This is on the former John Tom[illegible] farm.

# Highway 14 baseball schedules

MIDGET LEAGUE

June

1—Tofield at Holden
Viking at Ryley
8—Ryley at Holden
Tofield at Viking
15—Holden at Tofield
Ryley at Viking
22—Viking at Holden
Tofield at Ryley
29—Holden at Ryley
Viking at Tofield

July

6—First play-off game. All postponed games to be payed by this time.

Starting time 6:30 p.m. Travelling team may take an official with them if they wish.

LITTLE LEAGUE

May

28—Bruce at Tofield
Viking at Ryley
Bye Holden
31—Ryley at Holden
Tofield at Bruce
Bye Viking

June

4—Holden at Tofield
Ryley at Viking
Bye Bruce
7—Holden at Ryley
Viking at Bruce
Bye Tofield
11—Tofield at Holden
Bruce at Viking
Bye Ryley
14—Tofield at Viking
Ryley at Bruce
Bye Holden
18—Bruce at Holden
Tofield at Ryley
Bye Viking
21—Holden at Bruce
Ryley at Tofield
Bye Viking
25—Bruce at Tofield
Viking at Ryley
Bye Holden
28—Ryley at Holden
Tofield at Viking
Bye Bruce

July

2—Tofield at Ryley
Viking at Holden
Bye Ryley
5—Bruce at Ryley
Holden at Viking
Bye Tofield
7—Date of first play-off game. All postponed games to be played in full.

Starting time 6:30 p.m. on Monday and Friday evenings.

PONY LEAGUE

May

28—Viking at Ryley
Tofield at Holden
31—Ryley at Holden
Tofield at Viking

June

4—Holden at Tofield
Ryley at Viking
7—Holden at Ryley
Viking at Tofield
11—Tofield at Viking
Ryley at Holden
14—Ryley at Tofield
Viking at Holden
18—Holden at Viking
Tofield at Ryley
21—Viking at Ryley
Holden at Tofield

School examinations for this week.

July

2—Tofield at Holden
Ryley at Viking
7—All unplayed games to be completed by this date.
9—First play-off game.

Starting time 6:30 p.m. on Monday and Friday evenings.

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

True friendship cannot be bought.
It comes through deed, word, or thought. —JWR

## Error in story on salary negotiations

In the minutes of the County of Beaver school committee meeting of May 11th, The Mercury made an error in the report on negotiations of salary between the county and the teachers. Due to an omission of part of a sentence, it was insinuated that county had offered an increase in salary to the teachers of eight per cent.

It should have read: "The County's Committee had stayed with its offer of approximately 2.3 per cent increase and the teachers had stayed with their request of approximately eight per cent increase. It was apparent that no further negotiations could be carried out on the local level and it was moved that the report be accepted and application be made for a bargaining agent. Carried Unanimously."

The Mercury apologizes to the County of Beaver School Committee members and to the teachers in the county for any embarrassment this error may have caused.

## THE WEATHER . . .

| May | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 19 | 60 | 40 | 27.54 | .11" rain |
| 20 | 53 | 41 | 27.68 | —— |
| 21 | — | — | —— | —— |
| 22 | — | — | —— | —— |
| 23 | 68 | 43 | 27.76 | .45" rain |
| 24 | 47 | 37 | 27.58 | .44" rain |
| 25 | 57 | 41 | 27.75 | —— |
| 26 | — | 41 | 27.72 | —— |

# The Tofield Mercury

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## Credit where due

It's easy to run down today's teenagers all the time, but sometimes they deserve praise instead. Naturally, they don't always get it.

It is an effort to help remedy this situation that Calgary Power has instituted its Junior Citizen awards, for young people, or groups, who have made specially good showings when confronted with a sudden situation, or who have carried on in a manner beyond their years for some considerable period.

Individuals or groups in this district are urged to get behind the program, and see that no deserving young people are overlooked. There have been winners from this district before, and there should be winners from this district again.

Send your nominations in to The Mercury, with supporting information, where possible. If it's hard to obtain the information, we'll be glad to help where necessary.

## Altered farmer's day

According to the Farmers Union, it begins to look as though late seeding operations may cut in on the observances in some areas of Farmer's Day on June 11.

A late addition to the rural calendar, Farmer's Day has been made possible by the tremendous strides made in the last generation in tractors and powered machinery, which has eliminated a great deal of the drudgery formerly associated with farm life. For instance, after a long hard day in the fields, it is not necessary any longer to feed and look after an eight-horse team.

On farms today, it's possible for the family to take time out. But whether June 11th happens to be the time is a question most farmers aren't very sure about right now


MESSAGE FROM

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The recent storm that hit many areas of the province on Sunday, May 16th, caused widespread damage to power lines in your area. Your district staff and crews worked as fast as possible to repair the damage and restore service. We fully realize the difficulties and problems that the lack of power has caused, and wish to express our deep gratitude for the help and kindly understanding that you have shown. We regret it is not possible to thank each individual personally for their assistance and co-operation.

F. T. Gale,
GENERAL MANAGER.

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## Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilton)

(Intended for last week)

Bob and Jean Ferrel of Sherwood Park were Sunday supper guests at the home of Jean's brother, Ivan Malcolm.

Arnold Snider was a visitor on Thursday evening at the home of his sister, Graham Snider.

Ralph and Catherine McCutcheon of Red Deer were Sunday visitors at the Wyman Odberg. Lester Odberg and Ernest Ferrel horses

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Everett Hisey, a former resident of Ross Creek, now living in British Columbia, was a weekend visitor here with relatives and friends.

Weekend guests at the home of George and Winnie McLachlan, were Wanda's father, Mr. Duncan, and an aunt of Winnie.

### High school hi-lites

(Elaine Walker)

Because of the rainy weather, the ball meet scheduled for May 28th has been changed to June 4th. It was hoped that the weather will soon dry up the mud and bring a fine day for the meet in Holden. The delay was greeted gladly by the ball teams who will get the time to use in practice.

All preparations for the annual spring prom have been made. The invitations have been sent out and everyone who received them is urged to attend. An enjoyable program has been planned with refreshments and a dance afterwards. The theme for the evening, "Moonlight Serenade", promises a wonderful evening for all.

### John Jutzi passes

John J. Jutzi, a frequent visitor to the Tofield area, passed away May 11th, 1964 at the age of 77 years in Coutts Memorial Hospital at Kitchener, Ontario.

He leaves to mourn his passing, three sons, Monro, Addison and Mervin, all of Kitchener; six daughters, Leona (Mrs. Lloyd Widrich), Mildred (Mrs. Frank Calvert), Mae, at home, Phyllis (Mrs. Wm. Lehman), Orba (Mrs. Delmer Wideman) of Kitchener, and Lavetta (Mrs. Enos Stauffer) of Tofield; and 32 grandchildren.


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CHERNYK - KUSS RITES

Saturday, May 22nd, Miss Darlene Kuss was united in marriage to David Chernyk at 12 00 o'clock noon, the ceremony taking place at Our Lady of the Angels Catholic Church, Fort Saskatchewan. The reception was held at Fort Saskatchewan with the dance being held in the evening at the Bruderheim Community Centre

Doug and Doreen Bailey have announced the birth of a son, born Saturday, May 22nd, at the Royal Alex Hospital in Edmonton. The new arrival weighed in at 7 lbs., 1 ozs., and is a brother for Wayne, Brenda and Ross.

Charlie and Mickey Niemetz enjoyed an evening of bridge at the home of Howard and Neil Malcolm on Monday

Sunday visitors at the home of Joseph and Iris Belau, were Joe's sister and husband, Annie and Anton Polonay and Diane. Other guests were Mike and Julia Ludwig and family of Lamont.


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You turn to look at the five persons who have followed you into the office—the white-faced blonde secretary, Ellen Borden, and the young bookkeeper, Tom Lyons, who arrived soon after you limping heavily on a cane clutched tightly in his right hand.

"Must have been someone who knew about the cash in our safe", volunteers Lyons.

"I was much earlier then usual this morning", says Houston. "I unlocked the safe when I arrived . . . had to get out some important papers to work on. I suppose it was rather careless of me to leave the door of the safe open while I was in my office, but I was expecting Miss Borden and Lyons to arrive soon . . . they both knew I was going to be early this morning and was eager to complete an important transaction. We have never had anything like this happen before! More than a thousand dollars . . . gone!"

You examine the inside of the littered safe, then turn back to the two employees.

"It's a dreadful thing", exclaims Ellen Borden. "If only I had arrived a little earlier, this wouldn't have happened . . . Mr. Houston was phoning you when I came into the office . . . not five minutes after the robber escaped."

"What's wrong with you leg?" you ask Tom Lyons, nodding your head at his heavily-bandaged left ankle.

"A bad sprain I suffered at a picnic last weekend", he replies.

"Well, I suspect that you can move much faster than you have indicated", you then state. "At present, Lyons, you are my number one suspect!"

Why?

SOLUTION

Tom Lyons had been very careless. He had entered the office limping heavily on a cane held in his RIGHT hand. Yet it was his LEFT leg that was supposedly injured!

FORTY-FOUR FURS. Chosen to model 44 Canadian furs during "Canada Night" in Rome was Kari Jonassen, 20, Miss Calgary and a former Miss Canada runner-up. Occasion was a dinner of Canadian salmon, and featuring our world-famous whisky, with proceeds going to Italian Red Cross.

## Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. Who pays for the dress of a young flower girl at a wedding?
A. Her parents.

Q. How can a host and hostess avoid touchy moments, such as arguments between guests which get out of hand?

A. This is the most important reason for choosing guests carefully. If you know a person who has strong and unreasonable prejudices, don't invite him. A good host or hostess must be able to foresee any such difficulties and avoid them.

Q. Is it really proper or in good taste to decorate a dinner table with candles, even if they are not to be lighted?

A. Yes, candles are always correct on the dinner table.

COUNT de BOX-CAR YOUNG

One of the most hilarious acts to be seen with this year's Shrine Circus in Edmonton will be Count de Box-Car Young and his "The Limp" act in which he encounters no end of problems with his cantankerous Ford, which seems to have a mind of its own and a contrary mind at that. Everything happens to the poor "Count" and it is all aimed at tickling your "funny bone".


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# THE RYLEY TIMES

A POLICEMAN'S PLIGHT. Newest way to beat the parking problem in Canadian cities and towns is to ride a scooter or motorcycle to work. This trend with the younger generation leaves police officer reaching for his rule book as he ponders whether it's legal for three Hondas to take advantage of a single parking spot.

## Ryley couple observes silver anniversary

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY, May 25. — Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helgeland celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary on Sunday afternoon, May 16th. The festive occasion was held in the Shaw district hall, with a large attendance of relatives, friends and neighbours.

Mr. and Mrs. Helgeland were married in Ryley in 1940, and their attendants of that day, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson, were present for the anniversary celebration.

Mrs. Helgeland wore a pretty two-piece outfit in navy blue silk with white accessories and a corsage of pink and white carnations, while Mrs. Anderson wore a rose lace dress with a similar corsage. The men had white carnation boutonnieres.

The Mennonite choir, led by Paul Voegtlin, provided enjoyable entertainment for the guests.

Mrs. Margaret Harris was mistress of ceremonies, and presented a purse of money from the community. Marie Helgeland presented a floor polisher from brothers and sisters of the families, their son Douglas give his parents a set of dishes from himself and his brother and sister. Mrs. Erna Maaren presented a purse of money on behalf of the Bethel Lutheran Ladies' Aid. Ole Hagen spoke of the years he had known the honoured couple, and wished them many more happy years together.

A lovely silver anniversary wedding cake made by Marie Helgeland and Lena Riel, and beautifully decorated by Mrs. Paul Voegtlin, was cut and passed around as lunch was served by the ladies.

## Ryley news

(Mrs. M. Westmancoat)

FAMILY RE-UNION

The long weekend of May 24th saw a surprise family re-union for Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pepper. Their four children were home, seven grandchildren [redacted] eight great-grandchildren. Altogether twenty-seven sat down to a turkey and ham dinner at the home of the Pepper's eldest granddaughter, Mrs. Brian Westmancoat. Mary and Jerry Birch with son Murray, and Leonard Hutch[redacted], came from Calgary. Jean and Leonard Hutchinton, Bill and Olive Hutchinson with daughter Lydia and son Jeff, Lester and Sharon Hutchinson with daughters Kathy and Maureen and son Douglas, all from Drayton Valley. From Ryley there were Jerry and Ethel Pepper and sons Gary and Ronnie, Allan Pepper, and Marie and Brian Westmancoat with boys, Barry, Mark and Philip.

The [redacted] was spent playing games and taking still pictures and movies. After supper each family returned to their respective homes. In spite of the disappointing weather that descended upon these plans, they all enjoyed the memorable day.

## Neighbors seed crop in 'blitz' operation

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY, May 25. — It was a busy place in the Shaw district on Friday, May 21, when neighbors, both men and women, gathered together on the farm of Mrs. Alex Dragon, the men to begin the task of putting in her crop, and the women to prepare the meals for the day for the hungry crews.

Fifteen tractors went steadily all through the day, ploughing, harrowing and seeding. The men worked long hours, and did full justice to the hearty meals the women had prepared.

Night time saw the work completed, and a community project well done.

**COLLEGE GRADUATION**

**A class of 73 Grade XII students will be graduating from Camrose Lutheran College High School Department on Sunday, May 30th, at Convocation Centre at the College. The college choir will present a half-hour concert at 2:30 p.m., followed immediately by the commencement exercises at 3:00 p.m. Rev. A. Querengesser of Ponoka will deliver the commencement address, and G. Loken, will present the certificates.**

**HOVELAND - ENNS WEDDING SATURDAY**

The marriage of Rita Enns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Enns of Tofield, and Dennis Hoveland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bertel Hoveland of Camrose, took place Friday, May 21st, in late afternoon at the First Mennonite Church in Tofield. The groom's brother, Rev. Laverne Hoveland of Lake Alma, Sask. assisted in performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Bertel Hoveland, Rev. and [redacted] L. Hoveland and Paul, Miss Karen Hoveland of Calgary and Miss Patricia Hoveland were the groom's immediate family present for the ceremony, with the groom's grandfather, L. J. Hoveland, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hoveland, James and Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Heggen, as well as the bride's cousin, Elsie Neufeld, and other relatives and friends [redacted] going from Camrose. Many other guests were in attendance from Oliver, B.C., Edmonton, Calgary, Taber, Spondin, Grande Prairie, Carstairs, Laird, Sask., Ryley, and many other districts for the occasion. The newlyweds left on a three-week trip to Niagara Falls, and upon their return will reside in Camrose.


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### 5 CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all those who helped to make our 25th Wedding Anniversary such a happy day. The gifts, the beautiful cake and the work involved were very much appreciated. God bless you all.
—Joseph and Brenda Helgeland 39p-2505

We would like to take this opportunity to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all our friends and neighbours who helped in any way to put our crop in this week. Your thoughtfulness will be remembered always.
—Mrs. Alex Dragon and Family 39p-2506

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## Church notes

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, May 30th
10:30 a.m. — Sunday School
11:30 a.m. — Worship Service.
Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rode
Sunday, May 30th
HOLDEN
10:00 a.m. Divine Service.
11:00 a.m. Sunday School.
RYLEY
10:00 a.m. Sunday School.
11:30 a.m. Divine Service.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, May 30th
10:00 a.m. - Teen Church.
11:00 a.m. - Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. - Worship.
Topic: "The Price of Faith"
Sunday, June 6th — Rev. Paul Voegtlin of Salem Church will lead the Worship Service.
Sunday, June 13th—Celebration of Forty Years of Church Union.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month — 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month — 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month — 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month — 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

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CALVES sold from $30.00 to $48.00.
WEANER PIGS, $10.00 to $13.00. Light Feeders brought $32.00 each.
PIGGY SOWS, $62.00 and Gilts sold up to $60.00.
BOARS brought from $25.00 to $47.00 each.
**SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, May 29:**
A good listings of Misc. Items, Furniture and Tools.
PAINT — POSTS — SOME LUMBER.
A good listing of Dairy Cows — Heifers and Calves.
Several lots of good Mixed Feeder Cattle.
Some Stock Cows and Calves.
A good listing of Weaner and Feeder Pigs — Heavy Sows — Gilts and Boars.
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# Better English

By D. C. Williams

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. Who do you want to go to Chicago, he or I?
2. She was oblivious to the fact that she was making an exhibition out of herself.
3. You act as if I was your enemy, when really both I and my brother are your friends.
4. Every person who enters must purchase his or her ticket at the door.
5. The theater is a long ways from here and I hear that it is filled to capacity.
6. Being as you want to settle here, let's us look around about us.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Italics. 8. Equine. 9. Ghoul. 10. Forecastor. 11. Globular. 12. Afflatus.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Gizzard, buzzard, hazard, mizzenmast, wizzardry, fantasy, pharmasy, hypocrisy, phantasm, heresy, dormitory, dizziness, disencumber, dossier, dispensery, coleslaw, colleague, collonade, collaboration, collusion, forfeit, focussing, frieze, forgo forsee, embroidery, debauchery, sedentery, meloncholy, peremptory.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "WHOM do you want to go to Chicago, HIM or ME?" 2. Say, "oblivious OF the fact", and omit "out". 3. Say, "You act as if I WERE your enemy, when really both MY BROTHER and I are your friends". 4. Omit "or her". The singular pronoun "his" is understood to cover both sexes. 5. Say, "is a long WAY from here", and omit "to capacity", which is redundant. 6. Say, "INASMUCH AS (or, SINCE) you want to settle here", and omit "us", and either "around" or "about".

7. Pronounce first syllable as "it", not as "ite". 8. Pronounce ee-kwine, accent first syllable. 9. Pronounce to rhyme with "tool". 10. Accent second syllable, not the first. 11. Pronounce glawb-yu-ler, accent first syllable; and not "globe-yu-ler". 12. Pronounce a-flay-tus, accent second syllable.

13. Wizardry, pharmacy, dispensary colonnade, foresee, sedentary.

PAMPERED POODLE. There isn't a pooch in the world who could object to his Saturday night bath if he could get this personal service from pretty Hollywood star Elke Sommer. But with soap in his eyes, Elke's beauty just isn't coming through, and the little black bundle of fluff finds it hard to keep smiling.

# Modern etiquette

Q. Is it good manners to examine the various dishes on a cafeteria counter before selecting a certain one?

A. This is the customer's privilege. He should not, however, finger the various saucers, or be conspicuous about selecting a dish that seems to contain a larger portion than the others.

Q. What would you say is the basic reason behind the rules for table manners?

A. To keep us from making unsightly spectacles of ourselves. Eating is not a particularly pretty performance at best, but eat we must—so every effort should be made to do so in as polite and unobtrusive a manner as possible.

Q. Is it up to the man or the woman, who have just been introduced, to say, "I'm glad to have met you", when leaving each other?

A. The man should take the initiative, while the woman responds with a smile and "thank you".

Q. Should one offer a tip to the housekeeper of a resort hotel, who seems to be in complete charge of the place?

A. Emphatically, no.

Q. When a dish is served which carries both a spoon and a fork, how do you help yourself to this dish?

A. Using your left hand, place the spoon under the food being served, and with your right hand use the fork (placed on top of the food) to guide a portion to your plate. Don't try to lift too much food at one time!

Q. When approaching a revolving door with a woman, does the man enter first so as to push the door for the woman, or should he allow her to precede him?

A. He allows the woman to go first and, in fact, he is better able to control the revolving door if she does precede him.

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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Church and Sunday School were both held Sunday with good attendances.

Glenn Ferguson motored to Calgary Saturday to spend the Victoria Day long weekend with his brother, Gary.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. W. F. Davenport returned home from Tofield hospital last week.

Little Phyllis Davenport, due to an accident at school, is wearing a torso cast until Thursday when she will have it removed.

**HERE FROM MANITOBA**

Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong of Snow Lake, Man., were guests at the W. F. Davenport home for a few days last week, and were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. Joe Davenport Thursday evening. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leach and family, and Mr and Mrs. Claude Leach and Chester. They left for Snow Lake Friday morning.

Mrs. Gladys Roddick and grandchildren, Gary, Marilyn and Beverly McLaughlin of Edmonton spent the long weekend at the farm.

Mrs. Henry Heitman of Tofield assisted her son, Richard, at the farm last week.

Mr and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson spent Tuesday in Edmonton, shopping and visiting Joan's sisters, Mrs J. Potts and Mrs. R. Inglis.

Mrs. J. Atkinson of Edmonton and Mrs. Ivy Foster of Idaho Falls, Idaho, were weekend guests of Mrs S. George. These two ladies lived as girls where Lakeview summer resort is now.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys of Mossleigh, Alberta, spent the long weekend at their farm home here.

Heather McSporran of Edmonton spent the long weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McSporran.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Loch went on a fishing trip over the Victoria Day weekend to Thorrien and area.

Mrs. Sarah Waters and Mrs. Russell Rowland were Tuesday dinner guests with Mrs. S. George.

Mrs Sarah Waters returned to her home in Edmonton after spending five days with her sister and family on the farm.

**MRS. G. CLARK PASSES**

Friends of the Deville, Ministik and Hastings Lake districts were sorry to hear of the passing last Sunday of Mrs. George Clark of White Rock, B.C. Sympathy is extended to Mr. Clark, Albert and Jean, from all their friends.

A LOST TRADE. It was not so many years ago that not a single village or town in Canada could manage without a good blacksmith. But the age of the blacksmith is gone, and the few smithies remaining can show off their trade almost as a history lesson. Above, at Toronto's Pioneer Village blacksmith Norman Smith shows a youngster the lost art of making horseshoes.

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# News items from Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Sunday visitors with Roy and Dorothy Whillans and the boys were Mrs. Clara Whillans (Roy's mother) who makes her home at the Hardisty Rest Home in Edmonton, and Mr and Mrs. Frank Thomas.

**MOVE TO EDMONTON**

Friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs. Peter Brown on Sunday afternoon to bid farewell to Mr and Mrs. Roy Lee who are leaving the district to make their home in Edmonton.

Eileen and Verna Lawson spent the weekend at home with their parents and brothers.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Martin Lawson is a patient in the Tofield Municipal Hospital.

Henry McGinitie returned to his home on Sunday from an Edmonton hospital.

Mr and Mrs Albert Sutton, Vanda and Randy motored to Bruton on Sunday to visit with Mr and Mrs Leroy Nelson and children.

Glen Sears of Trochu is visiting at home with his parents, Ruby and Charlie Sears and family.

**UCW MEETS**

The Ketchamoot UCW met on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Ivan Mitchell, with a good attendance. Following the meeting, a farewell party was held for Mrs. Roy Lee (one of the members) who is leaving to make her home in Edmonton.

Annis Ingram spent the long weekend with her friend, Carol Carter, in Provost.

Sharon Ingram and Richard Strong spent the weekend with Florence and Jimmy Ingram and the girls.

Sunday visitors with Opal and Donnelly McGinitie were Frank and Helen Bruha and family of Shonts, and Dorothy and Louie Shewchuck and family.

**Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee moved to their new home in Edmonton on Saturday.**

Last Sunday guests at the Donnelly McGinitie home to help little Darlene celebrate her birthday were Mr and Mrs. Jerry Weins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Whillans, Tracy and Heather Redford of Edmonton were Friday visitors with Dorothy and Roy Whillans and boys.

Several of the ladies of the district attended the strawberry tea at Hastings Lake Community Hall on Saturday afternoon which was put on by the local ladies.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clive Gudmundson (nee Betty Brown), a daughter, on May 20th, at Tofield hospital.**

Sunday visitors with Mrs Brown and Ethel in Holden were Mrs. A. A. Lee, Mr and Mrs. Sandy Scott and the girls, Edith Turner, Annie McGinitie and Debbie Oliver.


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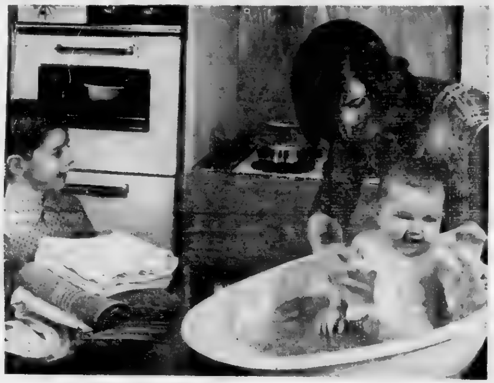


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# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

The Bardo LCW will meet at the home of Mrs. Agnes Haukedal in Tofield on Wednesday afternoon, June 2, at 2 00 o'clock.

On Thursday, June 3, there will be general clean-up at the church commencing at 10.00 a.m.

Friday, June 4th, will be clean-up day at the cemetery, when the annual meeting of the Bardo Cemetery Society will also be held, starting at 1.00 p.m.

Miss Caroline Foshaug and Neil Foshaug, both of Edmonton, visited at the Severson and Litwin homes on Sunday evening. David spent the long weekend with his parents, the Lester Seversons.

**Dale and Arlene Rude, of Inland, have announced the birth of a son on May 19. The new arrival is another grandson for Emil and Hildur Rude and Olaf and Alice Stokkan.**

The Lester Seversons motored to Edmonton on Sunday and were guests at the Monrad Finseth home.

Keith Finseth was in the Tofield Hospital for a tonsilec'omy. He was admitted to hospital Wednesday and returned home Thursday.

The Marvin Moen family from Camrose spent the long weekend at the Leonard Stauffer home. On Sunday afternoon the two families motored to Cooking Lake, where they visited at the Jack Lerbekm› cottage and helped celebrate Craig's 7th birthday.

Miss Caroline Foshaug and Neil Foshaug, both employed in Edmonton, spent the long weekend with Caroline's parents, the Ivan Foshaugs.

Glenn and Edith Sitler and children, of Edmonton, spent Sunday and Monday at the Elmer Sitler home. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sitler were visitors there.

**Mrs. Elmer Sitler had the misfortune to lose over 200 baby chicks recently. They smothered when the thermostat on the brooder stove went out of order.**

Linda Rude had a birthday on May 16th, when visitors were Grandpa and Grandma Francis and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis, the Leroy Finseth and Glen Francis families.

Mr. and Mrs Ernest Barowsky, of Fort Saskatchewan, and Mr. and Mrs. John Sirois and Craig were Sunday dinner guests at the Sam Cinnamon home.

**LEAVES FOR YUKON**

Mervin and Diane Krogen, of Edmonton, spent Friday at the Ivan Foshaug home. Mervin is leaving for Burwash Bay, north of Whitehorse, on Wednesday, where he has employment for two months.

Dinner guests with Grandma Foshaug on Sunday were Stan and Bertha Ramstad and Darren from Calgary, Caroline and Neil Foshaug from Edmonton, the Ivan Foshaug family, and Arnold and Mabel Johnson.

Richard Foshaug and Walter Johnson attended the Luther League convention at Hastings Lake on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs Hannah Sand of Edmonton, Grandma Foshaug and Albert and Agnes Haukedal were after-service visitors at the M. Erickson home Sunday evening.

**W.C.T.U. MEETS**

The W.C.T.U. held their May meeting at the home of Mrs. Anna Taekema in Tofield on Wednesday afternoon, May 12. Mrs. Luara Francis gave the devotion and Mrs. Borghild Rude gave the report of the district convention held in Wetaskiwin. The roll call was answered by 13 members and one visitor giving Bible verses. Mrs. Taekema served a tasty lunch.

The June meeting will be held at the home of Mrs Nora Anderson on Wednesday, June 9th.


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## Newest film on baseball showing

On Sunday, May 30th, at 2:00 p.m. at the Holden theatre, a special hour-long educational baseball film will be shown illustrating the fundamentals of the game of baseball. This film is the newest edition of this type and has had only two public showings at the present time. So come and attend all you ball players and coaches, here is something of interest for all of you.

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# Around the town . . .

Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and Edith Mary spent the holiday weekend at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

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Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Enns were Mr. and Mrs. John Thiessen, Mr. and Mrs. George Neufeld and Mrs. Kathler from Oliver, B.C., Arnie and family from Laird, Sask., Bill and Lou and family from Carstairs, Ed and Erna and family from Edmonton, and Verna and Oscar and family.

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**RETURNS TO OTTAWA**

Flt. Lieutenant J. E. Pedersen arrived Thursday for a short visit with the Moore families, and to accompany his wife and small son home to Ottawa, leaving by plane Saturday. Mrs. Audrey Pedersen and son, Gregory, spent the past month visiting relatives in Tofield.

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Earl Francis from Calgary having finished his course at "Tech", is spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Francis, before leaving for the [illegible]th.

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Frances and Jean Campbell and girls from Edmonton spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Campbell.

Mrs. Kemt and son, Artie, of Marwayne, were weekend visitors at the Jim Francis home.

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Mrs. K. King and girls of Edmonton spent the long weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stockton.

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**TRIP TO EUROPE**

On Thursday evening, May 18th, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Pilger of Camrose, and daughter, Betty Pilger, RN, at the Tofield hospital, left from Calgary airport to fly to Germany for a six-week holiday. They plan to spend most of the time in Germany at Cologne, Mr. Pilger's home town, and in West Berlin with Mrs. Pilger's relatives. It is 50 years since Mr. Pilger left Germany and 40 years since his wife left. This is their first trip back since that time. They also plan to spend some time in Austria and Denmark, before [illegible]turning home.

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**RED CROSS ANNOUNCEMENT**

Readers will please note that the annual fund-raising campaign will be held in October this year, and will be sponsored by the CWL at Tofield.

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Jim Campbell spent three days of last week visiting in Edmonton.

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Little Barbara Young from Camrose spent a week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Campbell.

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Garth and Elaine Gray from Regina, Sask., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Stockton one day last [illegible].

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Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson are holidaying at Coaldale.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, May 21st —The Glen Hovlands have purchased the three-quarter section farm from Mike Williako, N.E. of Bawlf.

The Fred Brejnak family, who purchased the Mike Nalesnik farm south of Holden, are now nicely settled.

**LEAVES FOR ENGLAND**

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Furnell, Jill, Gail and Bobbie of Edmonton, were Sunday dinner guests at Lawrence Pearse's home. Jill Furnell leaves by boat May 28th for a four-month visit to London, England.

**HERE FOR FUNERAL**

Mrs. Gunnar Stava of Prince Rupert, B.C., and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Paulson of Washington, visited relatives here after attending Victor Paulson's funeral. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hilland and Mrs. Mabel Carter of Calgary, the Philip Iversons and Mrs. Stella Iverson of Wainwright and Mrs. Emma Broen also came to attend the funeral.

Sharon Marie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lien was baptized at Zion Church on Sunday by Pastor Palmer Olson.

Herman and Melvin Reum of Wanham arrived here recently to see their brother, Andrew Reum who is ill in St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose.

## Lakeshore-

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Gail Niemetz, of Edmonton, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz. Bob Ozubko, who is also employed in Edmonton, spent the weekend visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ozubko in Tofield, and was a Sunday guest at the Niemetz home.

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# Around the town . . .

Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and Edith Mary spent the holiday weekend at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

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Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Enns were Mr and Mrs. John Thiessen, Mr and Mrs. George Neufeld and Mrs. Kathler from Oliver, B.C., Arnie and family from Laird, Sask., Bill and Lou and family from Carstairs, Ed and Erna and family from Edmonton and Verna and Oscar and family.

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**RETURNS TO OTTAWA**

Flt Lieutenant J. E. Pedersen arrived Thursday for a short visit with the Moore families, and to accompany his wife and small son home to Ottawa, leaving by plane Saturday. Mrs. Audrey Pedersen and son, Gregory, spent the past month visiting relatives in Tofield.

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Earl Francis from Calgary having finished his course at "Tech", is spending a week with his parents, Mr and Mrs. J. Francis, before leaving for the north.

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Frances and Jean Campbell and girls from Edmonton spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Campbell.

Mrs. Kemt and son, Artie, of Marwayne, were weekend visitors at the Jim Francis home.

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Mrs. K. King and girls of Edmonton spent the long weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stockton.

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**TRIP TO EUROPE**

On Thursday evening, May 18th, Mr and Mrs. Emil Pilger of Camrose, and daughter Betty Pilger, RN at the Tofield hospital left from Calgary airport to fly to Germany for a six-week holiday. They plan to spend most of the time in Germany at Cologne, Mr. Pilger's home town and in West Berlin with Mrs. Pilger's relatives. It is 50 years since Mr. Pilger left Germany and 40 years since his wife left. This is their first trip back since that time. They also plan to spend some time in Austria and Denmark, before returning home.

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**RED CROSS ANNOUNCEMENT**

Readers will please note that the annual fund-raising campaign will be held in October this year, and will be sponsored by the CWL at Tofield.

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Jim Campbell spent three days of last week visiting in Edmonton.

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Little Barbara Young from Camrose spent a week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Campbell.

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Garth and Elaine Gray from Regina, Sask., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Stockton one day last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson are holidaying at Coaldale.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, May 21st. The Glen Hoslands have purchased the three-quarter section farm from Mike Williams, N.E. of Bawlf.

The Fred Brejnak family, who purchased the Mike Nalasnik farm south of Holden, are now nicely settled.

**LEAVES FOR ENGLAND**

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Furnell, Jill, Gail and Bobbie of Edmonton, were Sunday dinner guests at Lawrence Pearse's home. Jill Furnell leaves by boat May 28th for a four-month visit to London, England.

**HERE FOR FUNERAL**

Mrs. Gunnar Stava of Prince Rupert, B.C., and Mr and Mrs. Johnnie Paulson of Washington, visited relatives here after attending Victor Paulson's funeral. Mr and Mrs. Herman Hilland and Mrs. Mabel Carter of Calgary, the Philip Iversons and Mrs. Stella Iverson of Wainwright and Mrs. Emma Broen also came to attend the funeral.

Sharon Marie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lien was baptized at Zion Church on Sunday by Pastor Palmer Olson.

Herman and Melvin Reum of Wanham arrived here recently to see their brother, Andrew Reum who is ill in St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose.

## Lakeshore-

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Gail Niemetz, of Edmonton, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz. Bob Ozubko, who is also employed in Edmonton, spent the weekend visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ozubko in Tofield, and was a Sunday guest at the Niemetz home.

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THE END

This scene is like a sad ending to a pleasant movie, as it brings back fond memories of the many hours spent during childhood days, playing tag and walking the rails in the stockyards. Here the children are imagining the fun their parents once had, but unfortunately they will not have the opportunity as CNR crews dismantled the Tofield Stock Yards last week. Progress has once more taken over. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

## Librarians receive diplomas at seminar

(Heather McLeod)

HAY LAKES, May 25th—Mrs Frieda Lofgren of Hay Lakes, along with 14 others from various parts of Alberta, attended a three-day seminar at the University of Alberta. The seminar held May 10th to 12th, was conducted under the supervision of Mr. Wiltshire, supervisor of public libraries. The students were housed at Lister Hall during their stay, and Mrs. Hunter, president of the Alberta Library Board presented library custodian diplomas to each student. The seminar climaxed a librarian custodian correspondence course taken during the past seven months by the students.

Mrs. Lofgren was sponsored by the Hay Lakes Municipal Library Board.

INCREASED FARM PROSPERITY? If the Federal Government succeeds in implementing the farm program unveiled in the new session of Parliament, there will be a general hike in farm income across Canada. Ottawa promises special help for "family farms," a federal-provincial conference on rural development, expanded regional assistance for low-income rural areas, with a special fund for farm loans, and action to raise income levels of dairy farmers by establishment of a Canadian dairy commission.

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## Holden oldtimer of 1902, Magdalene Bilyk passes

Mrs. Magdalene Bilyk of Holden passed away May 24th at the age of 82 years.

Mrs. Bilyk, an Alberta oldtimer, came to Canada in 1902 and homesteaded in Holden where she retired in 1952. She was an active member of the Borschiw Ukrainian Catholic Church.

She is survived by her husband, Harry, 80, of Holden; five sons, Peter, Mike, Nick, Steve, and John, all of Holden, four daughters, Mrs. Anne Proniuk of Haight, Mrs. P. D. Faryna and Mrs. Nick Howrish, both of Holden, Mrs. Joe Homeniuk of Vegreville, 25 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Annie Komarnisky of Edmonton.

Prayers were held for Mrs. Bilyk Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the Borschiw Hall. Funeral services were held today at St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Catholic Church, Borschiw district, near Holden, with burial in church cemetery.

## MINISTIK NEWS

Margaret and Edna Roddick of Edmonton spent the long weekend at the home of their parents, Dolly and Jim Roddick.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thor and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the Alex Penrice home.

James Barber was an Edmonton shopper on Thursday of last week.

Several ladies from the district attended the strawberry tea and bake sale at Hastings Lake hall on Saturday afternoon. This was sponsored by the ladies' club who provided a good time for all who attended.

**SUNSHINE NEEDED**

Farmers in the district were progressing very well with seeding operations but will be hampered now by the three-day rain which occurred on the long weekend. Several days of sunshine are needed now to dry the land and germinate the crops.

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# Wins gold medal in pharmacy

Byron Grant Lauber of Tofield has been named winner of the Alberta Pharmaceutical Association gold medal in pharmacy, the University of Alberta announced last Friday.

He received his award at Spring Convocation, Part II, last night in Edmonton, where he is a student at the University of Alberta.

In addition, Byron received the prize for pharmaceutical research.

Winning of the research prize is considered generally as an outstanding achievement, but winning the gold medal in addition is an apt indication of the brilliance of this student, of whom all residents of Tofield are justly proud.

## CWL elects officers

Officers elected recently by the Tofield CWL are, Mrs. Gladys McKernan, president; Mrs Kay Fraser, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Dorothy Shewchak, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Pauline Widynowski, 3rd vice-president; Mrs. Lauretta Hougan, secretary; Mrs. Mary L'Aberge, treasurer.

The conveners are: Mrs. Rosie Heitman, membership, Mrs. Marie Worton, spiritual; Mrs. Josie Ozubko, hospital visitation; Mrs. Pauline Pauline Widynowski, press.

# Rurka's Labradors win awards in field trials

Leo Rurka, physical education instructor in the Tofield school, was a successful competitor in the field trials held by the Canadian Chesapeake Club at Cooking Lake on Saturday, May 29th.

Mr. Rurka's Black Labrador, Carmoney Spud, took first prize in the puppy class.

Carmoney Fancy Dhee, also owned by Mr. Rurka, took first place in the qualifying class for dogs two years or over.

In the all-dog open class, Mr. Rurka's Bandit of Carmoney placed second, losing to the winner by only ½ point.

Mr Rurka's Labs have won firsts at Saskatoon and Ponoka and placed in many other contests.

Mr. Rurka, who is presently living in Ryley, will be moving to Tofield soon, where he has purchased the acreage formerly owned by Helge Reger. On this acreage, Mr. Rurka will build and operate kennels, and will also accept boarders whose owners must leave their pets temporarily.

## 'Mercury' to go to best float

The Tofield Mercury has generously offered a trophy for a parade prize in Tofield's Community League-sponsored Dominion Day celebration.

Appropriately, this trophy will feature a statue of the Greek God, "Mercury". It will be remembered that Mercury, with his winged heels, was the god of speed.

A small replica of this trophy will also be given to the winner, which he will keep while the trophy will be returned for annual competition. The best commercial float will receive The Mercury trophy.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

If a man does not make new friendships as he advances through life, he will soon find himself left alone. A man should keep his friendships in constant repair. —Dr. S. Johnson.

JWR

## Most of wheat is now seeded

According to reports from Alberta Wheat Pool grain buyers at Ryley and Tofield almost 100 per cent of the wheat acreage in this district has been sown.

With regard to coarse grains, however, it's another story.

Only about 30 per cent of the oats and 10 per cent of the expected barley acreage has been sown in the Ryley area, while at Tofield about 25 per cent of the oats and 20 per cent of the barley is in the ground.

Wheat acreage at both Tofield and Ryley is expected to be down this year. Oats will remain about the same, quantity-wise, and there should be a slight increase in barley acreage according to the Wheat Pool.

Seeding has been delayed again by rain, but sunny skies yesterday gave rise to hopes that farmers would soon be back on the land. Warm, dry weather is sorely needed at present.

SPACEMEN IN WATER. Part of the training exercises for the U.S. Gemini 4 orbital mission were conducted in the Gulf of Mexico. Above, astronaut Edward H. White, co-pilot, prepares to plunge into water with command pilot James A. McDivitt. Two men were prime crew selected for the four-day orbit around our globe.

## Tofield girl is runner-up in Lions' essay contest

Betsy-Ann Schultz of Tofield High School was the runner-up in the recent Lions Club youth exchange program.

It will be remembered that Lois Everett visited France last year as winner of this contest.

This year, Kevin Pike and Betsy-Ann Schultz were the Tofield entrants. They wrote essays entitled "Why I Should Be One of the Students Chosen to Represent Our Lions Club in a Foreign Country". A personal interview with each contestant followed the writing of the essay. Following the interviews with students from Vegreville, Chipman and Lamont, the winner of the trip was announced to be a student from the high school, with Betsy-Ann as next in line.

Should the winner be unable to go to France, Betsy Ann will take her place and with this possibility in mind, is obtaining her passport and receiving the necessary innoculations for a trip abroad.

### THE WEATHER . . .

| May | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 26 | 67 | 41 | 27.72 | —— |
| 27 | 75 | 43 | 27.65 | —— |
| 28 | 70 | 47 | 27.70 | —— |
| 29 | 60 | 49 | 27.50 | .30" rain |
| 30 | 60 | 40 | 27.25 | .41" rain |
| 31 | 56 | 45 | 27.48 | .23" rain |
| June | | | | |
| 1 | 63 | 46 | 27.51 | —— |
| 2 | — | — | — | —— |

## Interest mounts as July 1 celebration draws nearer

With 18 members present and John Boergen, president, in the chair, the Tofield Community League held its June meeting on Tuesday.

The correspondence was read by the secretary, Jack Lampitt. Doug Lehman of Ryley had written offering to announce the ball games over the P.A. system on July 1. This offer was gratefully accepted by the League. A letter from the RCMP stated that, due to a shortage of manpower, the local RCMP constable would not be given permission to lead the parade. The Board of Trade, Holden, wrote, requesting that a float from Tofield be entered in the parade at Holden on June 11. An effort will be made to do this.

**DRAMA SPONSORSHIP**

C. F. Annis proposed that the League sponsor Donna Jacobsen for the drama course in Drumheller for two weeks in August. The League agreed to provide the $50 necessary to sponsor Donna for this course. It will be remembered that Donna recently won the Best Actress Award in the Drama Festival held in Tofield.

There have been 42 entries in the League-sponsored swimming classes. More students could be accommodated, and anyone interested is asked to get in touch with Hans Christensen.

The convener of the theatre committee, Jack Whyte, reported that the receipts from the shows have shown a gratifying increase.

**MORE BLEACHERS**

The Tofield branch of the Royal Canadian Legion will supply men

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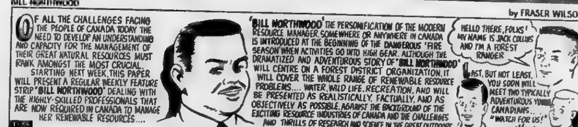
BILL NORTHWOOD by FRASER WILSON



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## For what it's worth

Some of the long-range forecasts for June's weather, for what they're worth, are shown below.
WEATHER TRENDS INC.: Above normal moisture in all of the west except N.W. Manitoba, N.E. Saskatchewan and western Alberta. Above normal temperatures.
COUNTRY GUIDE: Warm and dry.
FAMILY HERALD: Seasonable temperatures. Below normal rainfall in Alberta, near-normal in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Add them up any way you can, they all seem to mean much the same for this part of the country . . in spite of all the moisture we've had so far, they seem to say we'll be wanting more soon.

## Number one weed problem

While farmers and farm organizations have talked over the years about many weeds and many cures, it only takes a spring such as this one to prove again that wild oats continues to be the number one problem. Farmers in many areas of the district are fearing the heaviest crop of wild oats this year in several years.

How seriously can fields become infested with wild oats? Well, the University of Manitoba checked actual fields and found as high as 20 bushels per acre of wild oat seeds in the topmost one inch of soil. At the experimental station in Lacombe, as high as 70 bushels of wild oat seeds per acre have been found in the top six inches of soil.

Add to this almost incredible level the characteristics of slow germination in the spring, seeds which can remain viable for years on end and you have a weed that is a real problem.

Experiments reveal the farmer's concern is well founded. Tests show that even a moderate infestation will reduce barley yields by a sixth, wheat yields by a third, oat yields by one-half, and flax as much as 85%.

While cultural methods of control still leave a lot to be desired, they do help a lot. Now on the market come the chemical manufacturers, with claims they have effective control agents. Probably the two methods together may be a big help, but farmers will have to struggle for years ever to get on top of the problem.

## Tough on farmers

Heavy rains recently haven't thrilled anyone, really, but least of all the farmers. Watching the spring season advance only very slightly, most of us felt fairly reassured in the assumption born of long experience that the spring would be dry anyway, and when conditions were right, there still would be time to get the seed in the ground.

However, as more and more rains delayed seeding operations, city and townspeople could more easily understand why the farmers bite their nails until the seed is in the ground. It isn't only the days lost to the rain that the farmers begrudge, it's the extra days taken up in getting the land dry.

With the outlook pointing more and more to June, it's quite possible some farmers will plan to change their crop plans, which will altogether throw out the earlier estimates.

## Brighter picture

Possibly reduced traffic owing to the dreary outlook was the reason for the drop-off to only two fatal motor accidents in Alberta over the week-end, but whatever the reason it comes as a welcome contrast with last year, when there were seven holidaying Albertans killed over the Victoria Day week-end.

The Safety Council comments that one of the most common accidents is one which is easiest to avoid, the tail-end collision. Drivers who follow too closely are either unable to stop in time for the emergency ahead, they point out, or stop so suddenly that the vehicle behind crashes into them.

Another problem drivers should recognize in these areas are the Slow Moving Vehicles. Introduction of the large reflector triangle to distinguish these units should aid other drivers in readily identifying them.

Trailers provide one more problem for those not used to hauling them. Before loading up boats, campers or other trailers, double attention should be paid to lights, including signal lights, brakes and steering.

Last week-end's record was wonderful . . . let's see if Albertans can't continue the record.

MacDuff Ottawa report

## Atom of hope

OTTAWA. — Elliot Lake, Ont., is a modern ghost town. Its trim, shuttered bungalows and quiet pavements whisper a mute story of the broken dream of uranium.

From this sad little northern town, it seems a long way to the suave diplomatic salons of Paris.

Yet the hopes of Elliot Lake, and of the entire uranium industry, rest at this moment in the distant French capital.

For several months now the Canadian and French Governments have been negotiating a uranium contract which would set the feeble uranium industry on its feet, bring Elliot Lake and other towns back to life.

France wants an assured supply of uranium for the next 25 years, to fuel its expanding nuclear reactor program for electric power. It may need as much as 100 million pounds, or about one-fifth of Canada's known reserves.

The value of the sale would be somewhere between $450 million and $700 million, depending on price fluctuations. It would inject new life into an industry which in 1959 with 23 mines, produced $331 million worth of product. In 1962, the number of mines had dropped to eight, producing a product valued at about $150 million.

Since France wants to buy, and Canada wants to sell, there should be no problems, but there are.

They are not the problems of price, delivery, or of any commercial aspect. They are problems of diplomacy, of national pride, of political philosophy in a nuclear age.

To begin with, uranium is the stuff of nuclear bombs, the mushroom cloud, massive retaliation, earth-destroying power.

The Canadian uranium industry was born and weaned on the bomb.

Shortly after the war, Canada negotiated contracts for the sale of uranium to Britain and the United States. Between 1955 and 1963 uranium sales to these two countries totalled $1,600 million.

Some of these contracts have since been renegotiated and extended to keep some Canadian mines at work, even though demand of the product had drastically declined.

In those days Canada did not insist on any safeguards for the peaceful use of uranium. Britain and the United States could make what use of it as they would.

By 1957, however, Canada had developed a firm policy in opposition to the spread of nuclear weapons. The country participated in international agreements, renouncing the manufacture of nuclear weapons, and renouncing the sale of nuclear materials to other countries for anything but peaceful purposes.

Since then Canada has entered into agreements with several countries for exchange of nuclear information and materials. Extremely well developed in the peaceful uses of nuclear energy itself, Canada insisted that its nuclear materials be used for peaceful purposes only.

More than that, each contract provides for national and international inspection to ensure that the conditions of peaceful use are being met.

By now this has become an irrevocable element of Canadian foreign policy. The policy worked well until it was first challenged, until the first tentative French offers to purchase Canadian uranium.

France was already a nuclear power. Its stance in the world today is not one that gladly suffers international interference of any kind.

The French frankly admit they want Canadian uranium for peaceful purposes. But they object to any safeguards involving international inspection or control.

The French argued, with some reason, that Canadian policy was discriminatory, since Canada is already supplying uranium to Britain and the United States with no kind of safeguard on its use.

The French position forced a total review of Canadian policy. That review led the Government to an inescapable conclusion. If its policy was to mean anything, it must apply equally to every country, including Britain and the United States — its original uranium customers.

The original contracts with these two countries, which expire between 1966 and 1970, will likely be honoured. But any new contracts must be subject to the same conditions for peaceful use that Canada asks of other countries.

This shift in policy would remove future discrimination, at least, and, it is hoped, will open the way for conclusion of the important contract with the French.

Trade Minister Sharp visited Paris in May to set out the new Canadian position. He returned with reasonable optimism that a contract may eventually be signed. Canada would have to pledge itself to a non-discriminatory policy in the future. France would have to agree to some form of inspection to ensure the peaceful use of the uranium.

Months of negotiations probably lie ahead before it can be determined whether or not Canada will ever sell uranium to France.

In the meantime there are at least two useful results of the whole affair.

It has forced the Canadian Government to review and revise its makeshift uranium policy. And it has given new hope to despondent pockets of Canadian population, like Elliot Lake, Ontario.

## Locals . . .

The annual CWL strawberry tea and bake sale will be held at the meeting room on Saturday, June 12th from 3 to 5 p.m.

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**MARRIED IN EDMONTON**

Diane M. Skripitsky and Malcolm MacKenzie of Edmonton were married in the city on Saturday, May 29th. Miss Skripitsky was the recent district home economist from Vegreville. Mr. and Mrs. MacKenzie will make their future home in Vancouver.

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Weekend guests with Helge and Emma Reger was the latter's sister, Selma Larson of Sexsmith. Coffee guests at the Reger home on Saturday afternoon in honor of Selma Larson were Alma Foshaug, Petra Stauffer, Hilda Simpson, Milly Yoder, Ida King, Oliva Erickson. Ida and Selma hadn't met since school days.

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Sunday dinner guests at the Reger home were their daughter and son-in-law, Carol and Wilfred Helgeland and grandsons, Darrell and Donald, and Selma Larson. Afternoon guests were Ezra and Lena Reil of Daysland, and evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bush of Camrose. Monday forenoon callers were Clifford and Ruth Gibson of Kingman, while Friday evening guests at the Reger home were Kenneth and Ruby Stainthorpe of Killam.

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Father Scriven and 41 CWL members from Tofield, Ryley and Minastik held a communion supper after a special evening mass. The guest speaker was Miss Marie LeClaire, RN. She spoke and showed slides on the living conditions on the Isle of Dominico, showing the poverty and illegitimacy there.



## Around the Town

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yakabuski accompanied by granddaughter, Yvonne Landsink, spent two weeks visiting their son Jim, Carol and family at Matsqui, B.C.

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Bill Lancaster left Thursday for a three-week holiday to Ireland, travelling by train to Montreal where he will join his brother. From there they will go by jet plane to Shannon, Ireland, to visit with their sister and another brother.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yakabuski returned home on Sunday after a two-week holiday with their son, Jim, and Carol and family at Matsqui, B.C. Their granddaughter, Yvonne Lansink of St. Albert accompanied them on the trip.

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Rev. W. H. McDonald is attending the Alberta conference of United Church at Banff this week and, Mrs. McDonald is visiting with a sister of Mr. McDonald in Calgary during the interval.

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Members of Ionic Chapter Order of the Eastern Star attending Grand Chapter of the Order at Grande Prairie are Mrs. W. C. Swift, Mrs. G. H. Arnett, Mrs. R. L. Boyles, and Mrs. J. W. Chapman, Edmonton.

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**PRESENTED TO QUEEN**

Miss Shirley Stinson had the honor recently of being presented to Her Imperial Majesty Empress Farah of Iran on the occasion of a visit to the hospital for sick children in Toronto on May 20th.

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Ingrid Jacobs accompanied by Ida Carey of Edmonton, left by car on Saturday for a two-week holiday with Kenneth Jacobs and family at Victoria, B.C.

**IT'S A GIRL!**

Owen and Celia Ricker of Lethbridge have announced the birth of a daughter, Shauna Laurene (Laurie) on May 19th. Owen received his early education at Tofield school when his father, the Rev. Harold Ricker was United Church minister here in the 1940's.

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Ruth and Don McDonald, Edna Johnson, Evie Gray of Fort Saskatchewan and Zip Gray spent the weekend visiting in Calgary.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Stanley and Keitha Brown visited with Pete Romanishyn in the Royal Alex Hospital in Edmonton last Thursday, and found him much improved.

Susan Ingram is recovering at home after a short stay in the hospital following a tonsillectomy.

Agnes McGinitie spent Sunday afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitchell and Mary Moore in Tofield.

Several members of the district attended the graduation exercises at the Tofield High School last Friday evening.

The Ketchum family of Mulhurst spent the weekend with Chester and Harold Coombes.

Last Sunday dinner guests with Agnes and Henry McGinitie were Ester Melin and Marvin Henderson of Amisk Creek.

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

Last Friday afternoon the following ladies called at the home of Mrs. Ila Williams to help her celebrate her 80th birthday: Keith and Yvonne Brown, Ann Oliver, Susie Forrse and Annie McGinitie. Yvonne made the lovely birthday cake.

THE OLD WAYS. Modern technology has done much to improve Canada's economy, but sometimes the old ways of doing things cannot be improved upon. Above shows Nova Scotia fishermen using gill-nets to catch shad at Minudie. This method of fishing is likely most primitive means man has ever used to net a harvest from the sea. Nets are strung up during low tide, and fish are caught by the gills while rushed against nets at high tide. Shad are then simply plucked off the nets. As above photo shows, it works as well today as it did many years ago.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

**IT'S A BOY!**

Congratulations go to Lorne and Margie Berrecloth on the birth of their son, David Glen, on Saturday, May 29th, at the Tofield hospital. Congratulations also go to the proud grandparents, Margie's mother Mrs. Ethel Wood and Lorne's parents Mr. and Mrs. R. Berrecloth.

**OBSERVES 73rd BIRTHDAY**

On Tuesday of last week Emil and Martha Tiedemann and family, and their married daughter, Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot were evening visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Martha's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Gouhault at Lindbrook where they were helping Mr. Gouhault celebrate his 73rd birthday.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann, Bill and Mary Tiedemann, and daughter, Sharon, of Deville, Mrs. Bertha Sorrell and children Elaine and Freddy, Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot and David and Daryl Burtch of Edmonton were Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Sandy and Irene Scott of Lindbrook. After dinner all went on a hike, then back to the Scott's for afternoon lunch before returning home.

Judy Gouhault of Drayton Valley spent Sunday at the home of her aunt, Martha and Emil Tiedemann with her cousin, Mary. Her parents Robert and Dede Gouhault, were Sunday evening lunch and coffee guests there on their way home to Drayton Valley.

Barbara Baines of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of her aunt, Ethel Wood and son, Donald.

Norm and Vivian Jones were Friday evening visitors at the home of Vivian's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg.


## "Where do we go from here, Mr. Mayor?"

Alberta's phenomenal expansion has led to the development of new townsites, has created planning problems for present towns, villages and municipalities. Intelligent long range planning to meet this expansion requires help of trained technicians. Because few of the small communities are in a position to retain their own planning staff, assistance is supplied either through the Planning Branch of the Department of Municipal Affairs or through the Regional Planning Commission.

The Department of Municipal Affairs encourages the orderly development of municipalities through the formation of Regional Planning Commissions, and pays 50% of the operating costs of these commissions. Technical assistance is provided on request to any municipality for problems ranging from road intersections to zoning by-laws. In 1964 all Alberta Regional Planning Commissions received 2,000 applications for sub-divisions, while the Provincial Planning office received over 1,000 applications.

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# THE RYLEY TIMES

## Ryley and district news briefs

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Main and children, Valerie, Keven and Darren of Edmonton, visited for a day with Norma's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Halberg, before leaving for Powell River, B.C., where they will make their new home. Graham is opening a magazine and confectionery store there in the near future.

**HERE FROM QUEBEC**

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pepper this week from Granby, Quebec were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Irwin and daughter, Helen. Herbert is Mrs. Pepper's cousin; and Mrs. Margaret Ferguson of Edmonton.

Miss Helen Bekker and Miss Mary Bekker, RN, both of Edmonton visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bekker this past week.

**AT ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Sewel Booth and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pepper drove to Rimbey on Sunday, May 30th, to attend the silver wedding celebration of Gordon and Florence Ferguson. They report driving home through heavy hail piled on the ground north of Camrose left from the storm earlier in the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Weins and Gladys made the long drive to Rosemary on Sunday, May 30th, to hear the Mennonite massed choirs. Carol, who sings with one of the choirs, had gone down with the groups on Saturday.

**4-H PRACTICE**

The 4-H Dairy Calf Club held a practice afternoon on Sunday, May 30th, at the Norman Patterson farm. George Kaudalien, who is himself an ex-member of the club, did the judging, and gave the club members a demonstration of clipping and preparing the claves for the show ring on the achievement day which will be in early July.

Mrs. Rose Nichols of Edmonton was back in town over the weekend visiting friends and old neighbors.

**RETURN TO ONTARIO**

Mrs. Bill Smith and children, Steven and Debra, left on Thursday for their home at Sioux Lookout, Ontario, after spending the past month visiting with Esther's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Halberg.

Mrs. S. G. Halberg is in Tofield hospital for a check-up.

SNOWMAN SEARCH. U.S. mountaineer Norman G. Dyhrenfurth, leader of the U.S. expedition which conquered Mount Everest in 1963, says he plans to search the Himalayas for the Abominable Snowman. He says he's "firmly convinced the Yeti exists", and is ready to spend years to prove it.


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## County council meet takes 2 days

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of the County of Beaver No. 9, held Thursday, May 13th.

Concerning the exchange of lots at Tofield and the sale of the old grader, it was moved and carried that Crs. Magneson and Weatherill be appointed a Committee with full power to act.

Concerning the Recreational Facilities Grant, motion 250/65, the secretary-treasurer reported that the applications had been approved for Lindbrook Hall Association, Beaver Hills Community Hall and Kinsella Elks Lodge No. 364.

Moved and carried that the information be accepted and the necessary agreements completed with the various organizations.

The matter of the Municipal Development and Loan Act, motion 253/65, was again brought up, and some further discussion ensued.

The Council was of the opinion that a loan under this act, for road construction purposes, would not be in the best interest for the County, and it was moved and carried that the correspondence and information concerning the Municipal Development and Loan Act be filed.

Concerning the complaint about the drainage of Duck Lake, motion 263/65, the Reeve reported that this lake or large slough was now entirely drained and that apparently, inasmuch as he had no further complains, David Regehr had been able to make satisfactory arrangements with the complainants, Clare Good and Abe Wiens.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Concerning John Maurer's complaint, motion 266/65, the Committee that had investigated the complaint recommended that a culvert be put in at the slough at the south of S.E. 24-50-18-W4th with blocks on both sides of the culvert, 15- to 18-inch culvert to be installed.

Moved and carried that the report of the Committee be accepted, and that the recommendations of the [illegible] complied with; with the work to be completed by June 7th.

Cr. Johnston stated that the Kinsella Elks Lodge No. 364 was anxious to have some [illegible] for making use of the Sports Grounds on Pt. S.W. 34-46-11-W4. The Lodge apparently wanted [illegible] assurance that they could [illegible] improvements, etc., to the [illegible] grounds and that the area [illegible] be retained for its original purpose.

Moved and carried that the secretary - treasurer arrange for some type of document to assure Kinsella Elks Lodge No. 364 the authority for making improvements to the park in S.W. 34-46-11-W4 and the assurance [illegible] it will be retained as Sports Grounds.

**Correspondence**

A letter [illegible] Union of Alberta [illegible] the usual request for a grant was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that no grant be considered to the F.U.A.

Moved and carried that letter from J. A. Giebelhaus of Holden concerning types and standard of road construction with copy of Mr. Giebelhaus's letter to the Hon. Gordon Taylor, Minister of Highways, be received and filed.

A letter from Wm. Laibida of Bruce, complaining of the flooding of the N.W. of 1-48-15-W4th by a wrongly constructed dam, was referred to Council. The Council was informed that the [illegible] was a block in the road [illegible] put in by Cr. [illegible] some 10 or 15 years ago. Cr. Dorin stated that the Department of Water Resources was of the opinion that the road blocks were put in properly and should be left.

It was, however, felt that an investigation should be made, and it was moved and carried that Crs. Dorin, Johnston and Roddick be appointed a Committee to investigate this complaint and report to the next meeting of the Council.

A letter from H. W. Fulton of Kinsella complimenting the snow plowing done during the past winter. Mr. Fulton was of the opinion that the operators had done a very good job.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed.

Letter from Mr. Norman Kautke of Daysland requesting improvements to the road north of Sec. 8-46-16-W4th was referred to the Council.

Moved [illegible] Cr. Gibson look into this request and take appropriate action.

A letter form C. H. Golka that it was proposed to construct an Airstrip at Viking for use of private and commercial light aircraft was referred to the Council. The proposed site to be one-half mile west of Viking on Highway 14 and running parallel with the Highway. The project would be sponsored by the Viking Chamber of Commerce but would be operated by the flying club. The letter requested that the County consider some assistance towards this project, such as soil for fill or grass seed.

After some discussion, it was moved and carried that the Council offers to supply the grass seed for the proposed Airstrip.

The Secretary-Treasurer informed Council that the following appropriations had been allocated to the County by the Department of Highways: (1) Special Contingency Road appropriation, $52,000; (2) Natural Resource Road appropriation, $15,000.

It was moved and carried that the information be accepted.

A letter from the Alberta Government Telephones concerning Buried Rural Distribution System in the Holden area together with a plan of the proposed works and other information, was referred to the Council and it was studied to some extent. It was, however, considered that further explanation of the plans was advisable and the Secretary-Treasurer was asked to contact the AGT with a view of getting one of the engineers to attend the meeting later in the month.

Moved and carried that a request be made to have an engineer from the AGT attend a

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OLOF MONSSON, Sec.-Treas.,
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### NOTICES

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The Ryley Artificial Breeding Association will go on summer schedule commencing April 1st. Phone 122 from 8.00 till 10.00 a.m. daily. 35 to 40p-1983

### 5 CARDS OF THANKS

To our many friends and neighbors who honored us by their presence and gifts at the farewell parties held in our honor, and to those who gave of their time, assisting us in moving, we would like to say "thanks a million". It was also characteristic of your many [illegible] out the years. Our memory of you all will be very fond and everlasting. God bless you all.
—Mildred and Roy Lee. 40c-2429

### WANTED

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### FUTURE DATES

**ATTENTION PIANO STUDENTS**

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**F.W.U.A. MEETING**

F.W.U.A. Meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Harold Schultz on Thursday, June 10th. Visitors welcome. 40c-2432

**COOKS' TALENT DAY**

A Cooks' Talent Day, sponsored by Tofield U.C.W., will be held in the Tofield United Church on Saturday, June 19th. There are four categories of baking, and all are welcome to enter. Bake table also. Tea served at 3.00 p.m., 25c. 40-41-42c-2431

**OPEN HOUSE**

On the occasion of [illegible] wedding anniversary, Open House will be held at the home of Vi and Aylmer Goeglein on Sunday, June 13th, from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. No gifts by request. In case of rain, will be held in the United Church basement. 40c-2438

**F.U.A. DANCE**

Come to the F.U.A. Dance in the Tofield Recreation Centre on Friday, June 11. CFRN Gaby Haas Orchestra. The best Farmers' Dance of the year. Lunch provided. 40L-2500

### PERSONAL

WILL THE PERSON who borrowed a portable Black and Decker Grinder from the Tofield Farm Equipment, please bring it back immediately. John Widynowski, Phone 662-3[illegible], Tofield. 40c-2433

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### IN MEMORIAM

GEORGE — In memory of a loving husband, father and grandfather, Stanley Earl George, who passed away June 5, 1963:

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**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, June 6th
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, June 6th
HOLDEN
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, June 6th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship
Rev. Paul Voeglin of Salem Church will lead the Worship Service.
Sunday, June 13th—Celebration of Forty Years of Church Union.

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# The Homemaker

Miss Mary Lou Phillips, District Home Economist

**QUALITY IN CHILDREN'S SHOES**

Did you know that an average 7-year-old takes about 30,000 steps daily which adds up to considerable mileage—about ten miles a day, or about 600 miles in eight weeks. Is it any wonder, then, that children's shoes lose their new look so soon, and always seem to be needing repair or replacement? Following are the questions most commonly asked by parents about quality in children's shoes.

QUESTION. Some children's shoes cost less than $2.00 a pair, others as much as $9.00. Since they look alike in colour, material, construction and style, why do prices vary so?

For many reasons. First, there are the materials that go into the shoe. Components of a high-priced shoe will almost always be better in quality, hence more expensive. You can expect a leather upper, for example, to be a better grade or more perfectly matched on a costlier shoe. The same may be true of other components, many of which are hidden. Materials used in the inner-sole, sock lining, lining, heels, soles, counter, shank and binding all greatly affect a shoe's quality and price.

Also factors in cost are the work and time involved in making the shoes; the care taken in stitching or joining and finishing the various parts, the method used to attach the sole to the upper, and the thoroughness with which the shoes are inspected. A more expensive shoe usually repays your investment many times in lasting looks and quality performance despite hard wear.

QUESTION: How can I tell if the children's shoes I buy are well-made and of good quality?

Whatever the price, make sure the shoes you buy are well-finished inside and out, with no bulky seams or wrinkles. The innersole, a layer of leather or other material inside the shoe, should lie flat and fit the shoe perfectly.

Check to see if the left and right shoes match perfectly.

A shoe should be firm but resilient under the arch. The shank, a hidden piece of steel or wood that extends under the arch, provides this type of support. Shanks are missing in some shoes.

Also look for flexibility where the foot bends. To check this, bend the heel and toe toward each other.

The sole may be leather, rubber or a man-made material, but must be firmly attached to the upper, by stitching, cementing or molding. If cemented, no adhesive should be visible on sides of upper.

The toe should be rounded, not pointed; the heel low, broad and cushioned to absorb shocks.

QUESTION: "Hand-me-down" shoes were the rule in our household when I was growing up. Now that I have three children of my own, I've continued buying the best shoes I could afford for our oldest child. As he outgrows them, I have the shoes repaired and put away until that next child is ready for them. Is it wise to do this?

It is never a good idea to pass shoes from one child to another. During wear, each person molds his shoes to his own particular foot. Hand-me-down shoes thus force the second child's foot into a mold quite different from his own. It is best to buy new shoes for each child as he needs them and discard the old ones.

MY QUESTION: Do you know when your child's shoes fit properly?

Next week we shall print the answer to this and other common questions about children's shoes.

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**FAREWELL TO ALL**

I would like to take this opportunity to say good-bye to the people in Camrose and surrounding district and to tell you how much I have enjoyed my work here.

Soon "The Homemaker" will no longer merely be the title of a news-column for me, but rather a title I am happy to accept and experience in a practical and personal sense.

We would appreciate your continued interest in the Extension Service. Until the new Home Economist arrives in Camrose any questions you may direct to this office in the Provincial Building, Camrose, will be forwarded to Edmonton for attention.

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# Willowdale news

(Beulah Burnstad)

WILLOWDALE, May 27th — Among those graduating in Bawlf on Saturday evening were Eleanor Golemba, Cynthia Blades, Bob Blades and Winnifred Blades.

Mr. and Mrs Louis Kushnerick and family of Edmonton visited his father, Mike Kushnerick on Saturday.

Nolan and John Furnell of Calgary and Carol Campbell of Edmonton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Blades.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Burnstad of Fort Macleod spent the long weekend with the former's mother, Mrs B Burnstad. On Sunday, they visited his sister and family, the Melvin Olsons at Holden, and Sunday night they were at the Hans Boness home in Camrose to see the slides of Norway which the Boness' had taken on their trip last year. Mr and Mrs Howard Burnstad and Mr and Mrs Ronald Burnstad, Mrs. Mary Burnstad and Beulah Burnstad were also present.

**FAMILY REUNION**

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bruce, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Starie of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fergstad of Bowden drove here Sunday for the Bruce gathering which was held in the Trondhjem Church. All nine of the original George Bruce family were present for the occasion. Pictures were taken and dinner and lunch were enjoyed in the church basement.

Mr and Mrs. John Bruce were among the guests at the Roy Olson home on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bruce of Vancouver, B.C., are visiting in the district with relatives and friends.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Alvin Farness is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital in Camrose. He was admitted on Wednesday with a leg injury.

Mrs. Ernest Blades of Victoria, B.C., accompanied Mrs. Mary Burnstad and Beulah Burnstad to the Alvin Farness home on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs Stewart Law and girls spent Sunday with the Albert Petryshens at Dodds.

Mr and Mrs. Homer Schmidt and Denise of Kingman were Sunday visitors with the Howard Burnstads.

Sunday visitors with the Laurie Blades family were Mrs. Roxbough, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilson, and Mrs. Jays of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Furnell of Red Deer.

Mike Kushnerick visited in Edmonton for a few days with his sons, Louis and Martin.

Mrs. Ernest Blades of Victoria, B.C., is visiting in the district with relatives and friends.

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# Bardo district news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO June 1st — Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stokkan and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Foshaug attended confirmation services at the Redeemer Lutheran Church in Edmonton on Sunday when their niece, Valerie George, was one of the confirmands. They were dinner guests at the Doug George home after the services and later in the day the Foshaugs visited their daughters, Diane and Caroline.

Axel and Nita Kindley accompanied the Earl Kindleys of Viking to Edmonton on Sunday where they were dinner guests at the Angus Mitchel home. In the evening the Harold Kindley family of Edmonton visited Harold's parents.

Bardo WCTU meets at the home of Mrs. Nora Anderson Wednesday afternoon, June 9th, at 2.30 o'clock.

Miss Jean Baptist from Edmonton and Mr and Mrs Ernie Mosby and family from Ryley were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Harry Mosby home. Leonard and Evelyne Stauffer and boys were evening visitors there.

Mrs Mary Rustand and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Shinnamon and boys from Wainwright and Mr and Mrs Bennie Lonnes from Camrose were Sunday dinner guests at the Phillip Anderson home.

In the afternoon, Mrs. Anne Anderson accompanied Mrs. Rustand and the Shinnamons to Armena where they attended the silver wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs. Klemmet Lyseng.

# County council meet takes 2 days

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Council meeting, to fully explain the matter of the burying of telephone lines and other related matters.

The Secretary-Treasurer reported that on April 22 he had, at the request of the Reeve, contacted Drs. Bildfell and Miller Veterinary Surgeons at Vegreville inviting them to establish an office in Ryley on the same basis as they now have an office established in the Town of Viking. He stated that, to date, he had no reply from the veterinary surgeons.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and action concurred in.

The Secretary-Treasurer informed the Council that Harry Shyba was interested in purchasing Lots 12 to 30 in Block 2, Plan 36AJ, Hamlet of Haight, as well as any adjoining tax recovery lots. The Secretary-Treasurer stated it would take considerable time to reconcile the records and to ascertain just how much land would be available.

It was moved and carried unanimously that Cr. Kropelnicki arrange to lease the lots in question to Harry Shyba for the current year, for pasture.

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BOARS brought $25.00 to $45.00 each.

SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, June 5:

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## Kingman HSA defers graduation 'til Fall

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, May 31st — At the regular meeting of the Kingman Home and School held on May 20th at the school, after much discussion, it was decided to hold the graduation exercises for the grade 9 students in the fall rather than at the present time.

It was also decided to have the annual school picnic on June 30th with a pot luck dinner at noon. The committee elected to arrange the school picnic were Mildred Bjorgum, Eleanor Wideman and Elwood Fleming. The nominating committee for the next term executive were Mrs. Lawrence Hendrickson, Mrs. Ovel Bjorgum and Mrs. Raymond Johnson.

Mr Cumberland's room won the attendance award with 36% parental attendance. Guest speakers for the evening were Albert Olson and Gordon Hays.

Hostesses were Mrs. Holte and Mrs. Cumberland.

## Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. Does it really make any difference whether one sits down from the right or the left side of his chair at the dinner table?

A. No; whichever side offers the easier and quicker access is the one for you.

Q. Is it always necessary to acknowledge the receipts of a birth announcement with some sort of gift for the baby?

A. While a popular custom, it is not an obligation. A little note of congratulation, however, would be in good order if no gift is sent.

Q. When cheese is served with apple pie, is it proper to pick up the cheese with the fingers, or should it be eaten with the fork?

A. Usually it is eaten with the fork. But there is nothing wrong with picking up dry cheese in the fingers, if you wish.

Q. I know I should, as a woman, offer my hand first in greeting a man. But if the man offers his hand first, what should I do?

A. Accept it by all means—and without hesitation.

Q. When should a bride-elect place her order for the invitations and announcements?

A. At least two months before the date of her wedding. Engraving takes time, and the invitations should be mailed out about a month ahead. It's a good idea to procure the envelopes at the time you place the order, so that they can be addressed and ready for mailing when you finally receive the invitations.


TOFIELD 4-H CLUB ACHIEVEMENT DAY

Marjorie Moore and her 1964 Champion Calf

Sale date—
MONDAY, JUNE 7th
Show starts at 1:00 o'clock at Fairgrounds
Sale starts at 3:30 o'clock
AUCTIONEERS: Ball & Jacobs Auction Service
NUMBER OF CALVES — 50
REFRESHMENTS SERVED ON THE GOUNDS—
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# Launch new hail study in province

Some 25,000 farmers were mailed literature and hail report cards last week, initiating this season's hail study project in Alberta. Started in 1956 to study causes and behavior of hail storms, the study embraces the area from Leduc to High River and from the foothills to a Hanna-Viking line.

Weekly bulletins will be prepared, based on information compiled by a newly enlarged team of seven scientists stationed at the RCAF station at Penhold. In addition to the reports mailed in by farmers, the research team has taken a radar set out of winter storage, and will use its 100-mile range to track storms as they devop, usually over the foothills, and chart their development and progress as they move across the region.

Networks of meteorological instruments such as rain-gauges, barographs, and hail detectors are being set up in north-south lines near highway 2. These will give further details on the size and intensity of the storms. Special photographic techniques will also be employed to study the development of cloud systems. All of this information will then be combined with the farmers hail reports, and the detailed structure of the storms as revealed by the radar. In this way it is hoped to build up a picture of what goes on inside a storm cloud, and the chain of events leading up to the formation of hailstones. If a weak link can be found in this chain, that could be interfered with artificially, then consideration will be given to some experimental work on the clouds, in the hope that eventually some way may be found to alleviate the hail menace. However, it is not expected that this will be achieved overnight, and many more years of painstaking research work lie ahead. The biggest single contribution to this study has come from, and must continue to come from the co-operating farmers, because without their reports it would not be possible to continue the project in its present form.

The Alberta Hail Studies group is supported by the Research Council of Alberta, the National Research Council in Ottawa, the Federal Meteorological Service and the Stormy Weather Group of McGill University in Montreal. All of these agencies co-operate in the financing and operating of the research project, which should not be confused with the Alberta Weather Modification Co-operative. This latter organization consists of a group of farmers in the smaller area bounded roughly by the Olds-Drumheller-Calgary triangle, who are conducting cloud seeding in an attempt to increase summer rainfall and reduce hail damage. Although these two groups are completely independent, their respective projects do complement each other in some ways, and a special liaison committee has therefore been set up to facilitate exchanges of information.

# County council meet takes 2 days

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Moved and carried that this meeting now adjourns to Thursday, May 20th, at 10:00 a.m.

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The council reconvened in regular meeting on Thursday, May 20th, 1965.

Mr. D. J. Bussard, district engineer and Mr. Hans, assistant district engineer, attended the meeting and discussed with the Council the proposed work under Articles of Agreement. Mr. Bussard also referred to the regional road study and the place that the Provincial Planning Commission would play in regards to a propose road grid throughout the province.

It was moved and carried that the forms "A", as submitted by the councillors at this time, be accepted as the proposed public works program for 1965.

Virgil Whittington and Maurice Spooner of AGT attended the meeting and discussed with the Council the buried rural distribution system in the Holden area, fully explaining the plans for this work.

The sec.-treas. now presented the proposed County budget for the year 1965 with total expenditures in the amount of $1,039,945.00 and revenue in the like amount. The amount allowed for public works was $420,390.00 and, after setting aside sufficient funds for snow plowing and maintaining, it appeared that each councillor would only have $30,000.00 with which to work during the current year. In order to make the same amount available as in 1964, $35,000.00, it was decided to take $30,000.00 from the 1964 surplus. It was then moved and carried that the budget with an estimated expenditure of $1,069,945.00 and revenue to balance be adopted for 1965.

It was moved and carried that the public works allocation for road construction be $35,000.00 for each concillor.

The sec.-treas. stated that, as he would be leaving to attend the short courses at Banff on June 13th, he would like to have the council meeting held Wednesday, June 9th, instead of the regular day, Thursday, June 10. It was moved and carried that the June council meeting be held on Wednesday, June 9th.

**TEACHER HOUSING**

In regards to the teacher housing at Viking, dealt with in the preamble to motion S 249/65 of the May 11th School Committee minutes, Cr. Roddick reported that he had investigated the Neil White house located on Lot 11, Block 31, Plan 4669M.C.—Viking. He stated that the building was 24' x 40' with a basement suite that was renting at the present time at $65.00 per month. The main floor had three bedrooms, with the house would go all drapes throughout the house, a stove in the basement and TV antenna. Two bedrooms would have to be repainted as well as the stairway to the basement. The lot was well landscaped and Mr. White would pay the taxes to the time of take over by the County, if it was purchased. The price — $14,500.00. Cr. Roddick also stated that this was a matter of some urgency as Mr. White had stated that he had another prospective purchaser and was anxious to sell the house. It was moved and carried that the County does purchase the house from Mr. Neil White located on Lot 11, Block 31, Plan 4669 M.C.—Viking.

It was moved and carried that the disposal by burning of the following records be authorized: cancelled cheques, receipts, bills of account, assessment sheets and cards, bank pass books, hail insurance records, and all general correspondence, all records up to December 31st, 1956.

It was moved and carried that the reeve and sec.-treas. be authorized to sign the memorandum of agreement for the period April 1st, 1965 to March 31st, 1966, between the department of Agriculture and the County of Beaver No. 9.

In regards to Harry Shyba's offer to purchase lots in the hamlet of Haight, dealt with by motion 263 on May 13th, Cr. Kropielnicki reported that Mr. Shyba was prepared to lease the land at the cash rental of $30.00 per year.

It was moved and carried that Mr. Shyba's offer be accepted.

A letter from Mundare Fish and Game Association requesting an appointment with the council for the purpose of discussing the Beaver Hill beach development project was referred to the council.

It was moved and carried that the Mundare Fish and Game Association be invited to attend the council meeting on June 9th at 2:00 p.m.

The matter of fire fighting equipment for the hamlet of Kinsella was brought up by Cr. Johnston and he advised that, in the opinion of the inhabitants of the hamlet of Kinsella, a pump such as used by the department of lands and forests in fighting forest fires plus 600 feet of hose would be quite sufficient to look after the fire fighting requirements at Kinsella. It was decided to obtain prices on such pump and hose.

**FLOODING**

In reference to Mr. Wm. Laida's complaint of land being flooded, dealt with by resolution 331/65, the committee, appointed to deal with the complaint, had investigated it on Friday, May 14th. They were of the opinion that the water was following a natural course and that, as the situation had been checked by the department of water resources some years ago with no change recommended, the committee recommended that no action be taken on this complaint. It was moved and carried that the report be accepted and concurred in.

Information from department of highways concerning the 1965 road grant in the amount of $95,568.00 was referred to the council. The grant was $1,872.00 higher than the 1964 grant. It was moved and carried that the information be accepted.


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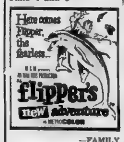


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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

A good attendance was at the United Church on Sunday with Mrs. Helen Irwin conducting Communion and baptismal service dates will be announced soon.

Don't forget the strawberry tea and bake sale at Ministik Hall on Saturday June 5th, from 2:30 to 5:00 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. A pole lamp is to be raffled during the afternoon.

Mrs Helen Hennessy has been a recent victim of the 'flu. She spent four days in Edmonton at the home of Mr and Mrs Irvin Liknes, consulting her doctor while there.

Mrs Annie Oliver was a dinner and afternoon guest of Mr and Mrs Dick Wilson and Matthew on Sunday.

**Lawrence Swabey, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swabey recently received his diploma in air conditioning and refrigeration from the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology.**

Mrs Mac McIntyre from the store spent five days at Turner Valley with her mother who is not well, returning home Sunday afternoon; Mrs Knudslein assisted Mac in the coffee shop while Mrs McIntyre was away.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch and Mrs. Mary Antoniuk spent the weekend at Bonnyville visiting relatives and friends.

**SUFFERS INJURY**

Mrs S. George had a painful accident on Sunday in which she injured her leg. Medical attention was required to treat the injury.

**FAMILY GATHERING**

A family gathering was held at the Tom Jones home on Sunday when those in attendance were Miss Helen Jones of Vancouver, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Baumgartner and family of Rivers Man., Mr and Mrs Harmond Jones and boys, and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Messerschmidt and family, all of Edmonton, Mr and Mrs. Oliver Jones and family of Clover Bar, Mr. and Mrs John Jones, Mr and Mrs Robert McCaig of Edmonton and Mrs. May Mowery of Tinma. Miss Helen Jones returned to her home in Vancouver Sunday evening after attending the wedding of her brother John.

Mrs Alma Holmes has returned to her home on the farm after spending the winter months at the home of her daughter near London, Ontario.

Alex McSporran was hanging a new door and repairing the steps at the United Church on Tuesday, which will improve the exterior entrance.

Max Mulberry is employed on a long haul transport from Edmonton to Vancouver for the summer and fall season.

## Pre-nuptial shower honors bride-elect

A miscellaneous shower was held on Thursday, May 20th, at the home of Mrs. J. Francis to honor Mrs. Jean Blake whose marriage to Angus Richardson of New Westminster, B.C. took place on May 22nd at the Metropolitan United Church in Edmonton.

Mrs. J. Wall sang a beautiful solo, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Simson. A history of the couple was read by Mrs. John Moore, after which Ann Wall and Judy Moore, dressed as nurses, brought in the many beautiful and useful gifts on a stretcher. Jean suitably thanked her guests and invited them to visit her at New Westminster.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Francis assisted by several other ladies.

## Track meet winners from Kingman school

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, May 31st — Kingman students who won ribbons at the annual track meet on May 21st were Brian Simonson, athlete of the day in class A. Sharon Christenson, athlete of the day in class B. Class B girls were Elaine Bjorgum, Fern Johnson, Evelyn Ovelson; class C boys Wayne Tollefson, class D girls, Mary Bjorgum, Linda Coykendall, Margaret Kyle, Dianne Young, class E boys, Colin Christenson and Gary Gibson; class F boys, Kenneth Olson and Guy Anderson; class G boys, Rickey Hay and Jimmy Gibson, class G girls, Connie Mickelson, Elaine Lieboch and Valerie Winder.


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## Lakeshore -

Mr and Mrs. Joe Niemetz of Ladner, B.C., arrived in Edmonton over the weekend and expect to remain in the district visiting relatives and friends for the next two weeks. At the time of writing they are guests at the home of their son, George, and Ida Niemetz.

RESOLUTIONS. Montreal lawyer Michael Garber, above, has been re-elected president of the Canadian Jewish Congress. At the group's 14th plenary meeting, a resolution was adopted calling for federal legislation incorporating effective measures against propagation of race hatred. It also criticized the CBC for interviews made with U.S. neo-Nazis.

## Kingman news

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, June 1st — Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Ness and Mr. and Mrs. Albin Anderson were guests Friday at the spring convocation held at the Jubilee Auditorium in Edmonton when Dr. Chester Ronning received his Honorary Doctorate degree. Reg Hamilton, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Ness, also graduated that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Acres, Adelle and Calmon spent the weekend in Edmonton with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Erga spent several days recently in Edmonton visiting with the Kenneth Hages and Gunard Barlunds. Mr. Erga also visited with George Telford, a one-time resident of the Kingman district.

**FUTURE DATES**

Salem LCW meets at the church on June 10th at 8 p.m. Mrs. W Christenson and Mrs Wm. Simonson will be hostesses.

P-T-R meetings will be conducted by Rev. Palmer Olson at the Lutheran Church starting next Sunday evening, June 6th, through to June 9th at 8 p.m. each evening.

Mrs. Mary Erickson of Camrose, and Mrs. J. A. Holte were Sunday afternoon visitors with Rev. and Mrs. Henry Holte in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Anderson and Randy were Sunday dinner guests with Audrey Anderson and Diane Lindstrand of Wetaskiwin. Joan Hutchinson who spent the weekend at Wetaskiwin with the girls, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hutchinson and Neil spent the weekend at Drayton Valley where Mrs. Hutchinson remained two weeks to visit with the John Hutchinsons.

Alex Asp is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital in Camrose.

Carol Maricyzen of Edmonton is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Ovelson.

# Family re-union marks silver anniversary

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE — On Sunday, May 30th, Fred and Erma Onyschuk of Edmonton entertained a large number of guests at a turkey dinner in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary. Among those present were Erma's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Niemetz, her two sisters, Mrs. Irlene Sieb and Mrs. Elsie Wellburn, all of Ladner, B.C., her brother, Herb Niemetz of Temagami, Ont., her two brothers and their families of this district, namely, Geo. and Ida Niemetz and daughter Gail, and Charlie and Mickey Niemetz and two sons, Dean and Doug, and daughter, Patsy, and Leonard Loxton, also a number of friends and neighbors in the city. This occasion was the first time all of the Niemetz family had gotten together in 20 years. Irlene Sieb and Elsie Wellburn arrived at the Onyschuk home Saturday evening and left again Monday, having flown into Edmonton for the anniversary and get-together of the family.


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# Worsfold - Warner vows exchanged May 29th

A wedding of local interest took place at Robertson United Church in Edmonton May 29th when Mary Joyce Warner, only daughter of Mrs. Audrey McHeffey and the late Donnelly Warner, became the bride of Bernard Gerald Worsfold, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Worsfold of Jasper. The Rev. Thomson officiated at the ceremony.

Escorted to the altar by her step-father, Willard McHeffey, the bride was beautiful in her full-length wedding gown of white nylon organza and lace over satin. The organza and net train was held in place at the back of the neat fitting bodice, by a medallion of organza petals and pearls. Her three-quarter length veil was held in place by a crown of pearls and crystals, complimented by a three strand necklace of pearls, a gift of the groom. She carried a bouquet of red roses.

Miss Gail Niemetz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Niemetz of Tofield, was maid of honor, and Miss Irene Kuc, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Kuc of Tofield, was bridesmaid. They were very charming in identical cocktail-length gowns of blue nylon organza over satin with matching headpiece and veil. They each wore a pearl drop necklace and earrings to match, a gift of the bride, and carried a colonial bouquet of white and blue baby 'mums.

The groom's attendants were Walter Hudson and Ronald Worsfold, both of Jasper, and ushers were Roy Warner of Jasper and Ron Worsfold of Edmonton.

After the double-ring ceremony, a reception was held at the Beverly Crest Motor Hotel for 130 guests. Mrs Roy Warner (Sharon) was in charge of the guest book.

A beautiful four-tier wedding cake centred the bride's table complimented by vases of white and blue carnations.

Stan Burke of Edmonton and formerly of Tofield, proposed the toast to the bride, the groom ably responding. Telegrams of congratulations to the bride and groom were read by Mr. Burke followed by a few words by Horace McHeffey. After the cutting of the cake, the bridesmaids heped display the many beautiful gifts received by the bride and groom.

Dunn's Orchestra then took over and the bride and groom led their guests to the dance floor with a beautiful old time waltz. Later, the bride changed to a pink linen suit, complimented by a white hat and gloves. Her corsage was of pink tea roses.

Following a honeymoon trip to the Okanagan Valley, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Worsfold will make their home in Jasper where the groom is employed by Canadian National Railways.

## Tofield UCW sponsors Cooks' Talent Day

The Tofield United Church Women are trying something new this year. On Saturday, June 19, a cooks' talent day is to be held. There will be four categories of baking, judged by the district home economist, using the point system. Any woman of the United Church is welcome to enter baking, and all entries should be in by 1:00 p.m. There will be a bake table as well, and items there or from the judged table may be bought.

Tea will be served also, for a nominal charge.

# July 1st. celebration

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to work at the gate to the exhibition grounds on July 1. Thomas Jacobs, reporting for the grounds committee, stated that the present bleachers were being repaired and that two 20-foot sections were being added. The fire brigade, under the direction of Ed Regehr, will obtain and return the bleachers loaned by Mr. Golden. Jack Whyte will get and return the snow-fencing to be used around display area for the cutting horse event.

**PRIZE MONEY**

$150 is being offered for Senior Baseball prizes. Five teams are entered—Round Hill, Ryley, Holden, Bardo and Tofield. $12 will be returned to each team to compensate for the gate fee.

The Andrew School Boys' Band, with some 40 members, will lead the Tofield Dominion Day Parade. This will give our parade a good start. Come out and hear the boys.

Cal Annis is again in charge of children's races. Come and watch the youngsters compete!

The Ladies' Booth will be under the direction of Georgia Christensen, Winnie Christensen and Beryl Lampitt, and the usual good foods will be sold.

The Lions Club will again raffle a playhouse, which will delight the heart of any small girl. The proceeds will be donated to the League.

The Tofield Gun Club will have a display. This active club has had displays in former years which were well worth seeing, and this year's will be up to standard.

**SCHOOL DISPLAY**

The school display of art, essays and penmanship will also be held as usual. Come and see the work of your favorite student.

**PARADE INTEREST**

Mr. Stinson reports interest in parade entries is good. The following prize list will be used:

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4. Best Town Organization Float.
5. Best Decorated Child's Bicycle, Tricycle or Cart.
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8. Best Decorated Car.
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# Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

**SILVER ANNIVERSARIES**

Joe and Ellenor Jones and Leslie and Mabel Jones motored to Armena on Sunday where they were guests at the 25th wedding anniversary open house in honor of Joe and Leslie's niece, Florence and Klement Lysons of Calgary, which was held in Scandia Church during the afternoon.

George and Ida Niemetz motored to Edmonton on Wednesday evening, May 26th, and were guests at the home of Ida's sister, Emma, and Ed Schultz, helping them celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary.

**EDMONTON WEDDING**

George and Ida Niemetz motored to Edmonton to attend the Joyce Warner - Bernie Worsfold wedding reception and dance held at the Beverly Crest Motor Hotel on Saturday afternoon and evening. Joyce is the daughter of Mrs. Willard McHeffey, and the late Donnelly Warner, all residents of Tofield and district.

Mrs. Evie Halwa and son, Dougie, were Wednesday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of her parents, John and Mary Wood.

Robert and Dede Goubault of Drayton Valley were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and grandson, Donald Jones, and Jack Johnston motored to Edmonton Saturday afternoon and were overnight and Sunday guests at the home of Roy and Ruth's daughter, Vivian, and Norm Jones.

**AT CLASS RE-UNION**

John Jr and Irene Warner motored to Edmonton on May 22nd to attend a re-union of the 1940 graduates of the Edmonton Normal School class, and also the banquet and dance which was held in the SportEx Building. Also attending were Mrs. Edna Bowick of Tofield and Mrs. Mildred (Graham) Cannon, a former Lakeshore resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hoover and family of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Rod and Isabel Rudacki and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kitt of Lavoy were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton and Mervin Hans motored to Lavoy on Sunday afternoon to visit Ellen's elderly brother-in-law, Guy Westman. On the way home, they stopped at the home of Ellen's niece, Pat, and David Durie and were supper guests there and also made the acquaintance of their baby son.

Joe and Helen Murray were Monday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Helen's brother, Howard, and Mae Ferguson.

Mrs. Loretta Weir and daughter, Wanda, of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Vi and Elmer Geoglein motored to Edmonton on Sunday to visit with Vi's sister, Mrs. Lil Ball and their brother, Bob Lane. They stopped at Lil's on the way in and all were afternoon visitors and late dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane and family.

**HERE FROM ONTARIO**

Patsy and Leonard Loxton and Dean Niemetz motored to Nisku airport Saturday afternoon to meet Patsy and Dean's uncle, Herb Niemetz, when he arrived from Temagami, Ontario. They were all Saturday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Herb's brother, Charlie, and Mickey Niemetz. Herb expects to be here for a week visiting relatives and friends.

# Jones - Benson vows pledged

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK — In a double-ring ceremony on Saturday, May 29th, Miss Lauraine Benson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Benson of Edmonton, was united in marriage with John Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones of Ministik at Mount Zion Lutheran Church.

The bride wore a floor-length white gown, while the bridesmaids were attired in blue.

Reception and wedding dance followed in the Scandinavian Centre. The young couple is making their home in Clover Bar.

Out-of-town guests who attended the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Baumgartner of Rivers, Manitoba, Miss Helen Jones of Vancouver, B.C., and Mrs. May Mowery of Timeu, Alberta.

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**AT SON'S WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Otto left on Sunday for Los Angeles to attend their son, Robert's wedding.

Barbara McGinitie spent the weekend with her cousin, Jonnie Bruhn at Shonts.

# Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

The Ladies' Club would like to thank everyone who came out and made the strawberry tea of May 29th such a successful affair.

The Social Credit whist drive of May 22nd was well attended. Winners were, ladies' high, Mrs. C. Schwachow; low, Toni Schwachow, gent's high, Ian Locktie; low, Michael Peterson. The next whist drive will be held Saturday, June 5th.

**Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Berrecloth on the birth of a son—another grandson for Mr. and Mrs. R. Berrecloth.**

**IN HOSPITAL**

Elsie Ward is a patient in the Tofield Hospital.

A nasty accident with a tractor sent Blaine Ward to hospital on Saturday.

**L.L. CONVENTION**

The Conference Luther League Spring Convention was held at the Lutheran Bible Camp at Hastings Lake, May 22-23-24. There were over 100 in attendance, including pastors, laymen and leaguers. Mrs. Robert Berrecloth and Mrs. Glenn Jones were cooks at the convention.

# Anglican WA has 25th deanery meet

The 25th Annual Anglican Woman's Auxiliary Deanery meeting was held at Wainwright on May 20th, with a good attendance.

Edmonton Diocesan W.A. officers attending were: Mrs. L. D. Moore, president, Mrs. C. Paling, vice-president, Mrs. B. L. Brown, prayer partner, Mrs. D. E. de Wynter, missionary secretary, and Mrs. J. R. Warner, life membership secretary.

W. A. members of Tofield Evening Group attending were Mrs. F. Dunham, Mrs. W. H. Freebury and Mrs. M. Haworth, while members of the Afternoon Group were Mrs. W. Bailey and a visiting friend Mrs. North, Mrs. R. A. Flemming, Mrs. G. Nerland, Mrs. M. Roberts and Mrs. J. W. Robinson. Rev. W. L. Hammett also attended.

Archdeacon Cole of Wainwright was the celebrant, assisted by Canon Crawley of Viking, and Captain Bloom was chairman of the Conference Session.

Guest speaker was the Rev. Anatoni Katieramu from the Toro Kingdom in the Diocese of Ruwenzoir in Central Africa.

The Wainwright Deanery W.A. Meeting will be held in Tofield in 1966.

# Ross Creek news

(Iris Ellen)

Vivian and Alexx Basaraba attended the wedding of Miss Dianne M. Skripitsky and Malcolm MacKenzie in Edmonton on Saturday, May 29th.

Mrs. Stockton of Tofield spent the weekend with her daughter and family on the farm.

Sunday coffee guests at the home of Howard and Nell Malcolm were Howard's sister, Jean and husband Bob Ferrel of Sherwood Park, Nell's sister, Flora, and husband, Paul Stadnik of Mundare and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pryma of Beaver Lake.

Tuesday supper guests at the home of Graham and Elma Snider were Elma's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hennig of Andrew. Graham's father, Arnold Snider of Edmonton was a visitor and supper guests there on Sunday.

Eleanor and Paul Huzzar of Edmonton were Saturday visitors at the home of Eleanor's parents, John and Gertie Ferrel.

Monday afternoon visitors with Arthur and Mary Ferrel were nephew, Gordon Hisey and wife Daisy, and nephew David Hisey.

**Lester Osborne is taking a six-week course in diesel engineering at the Chicago vocational school in Edmonton.**

The Tofield 4-H club held a judging competition and a wiener roast at the farm of Mel Woods near Tofield last Wednesday.

Ralph and Alice Cooney and family visited on Sunday at the home of Alice's brother-in-law and sister, John and Irene Warner, Tofield.

Peter and Lillian Stadnik were Tuesday visitors at the home of Ralph and Alice Cooney.

**CADET INSPECTION**

Lamont and district Air Cadets held their end-of-the-year parade and inspection Friday afternoon at Lamont when 100% attendance and achievement awards were presented. The names of the cadets who got to go to camp for two weeks were announced, and all cadets and parents enjoyed a lovely barbecue and boat rides at Elk Island Park.


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# Ladies' Club has strawberry tea

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK, June 9 — The day was sunny and warm on Saturday afternoon when the Ministik Ladies' Club held their annual strawberry tea and bake sale.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson, the convener, welcomed the guests as they arrived from all surrounding districts, Tofield and Edmonton. Mrs. Helen Hennessy and Mrs. Claude Leach were in charge of the kitchen. Madame Martha Rouyier and Mrs. S. George poured tea and coffee, and serviteurs were Mrs. Keith Williams, Mrs. Albert Herricks, Mrs. Joe Davenport and Mrs. Ronald Swabey.

Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth, Mrs. Ralph Leach and Mrs. Pat Paterson very capably handled the home cooking table. Raffle tickets were looked after by Mrs. Frank Swabey. The strawberry shortcake table was taken care of by Mrs. Verden Sears, Mrs. Les Whitford and Mrs. Jim Roddick.

A pole lamp raffled by the club was won by Mrs. B. Rolheiser.

**THANKS**

Convener Mrs. A. Ferguson wishes to thank all who helped to make the tea the wonderful success it was, as the objective set in the mind of the convener was reached and passed.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Great friendships, great duties, and noble purposes make man seem a part of the very world itself.

What a thing friendship is — world without end.—R. Browning. —J.W.R.

# Tofield Showcase 1965 already has parade entries

In keeping with its aim of having something to interest everyone at its Dominion Day celebration, the Tofield Community League is retaining all the former attractions and adding some new ones.

The parade gives promise of being truly "Tofield Showcase '65". Mr. Stinson reported that several floats have already been entered in the commercial section, among them the Bank of Montreal float and the Co-op Store float. The Community League float is being completed this week by Mrs. Jewel Tiedemann. Preceeding its appearance in the Tofield Dominion Day parade, it will participate in Holden's Farmers' Day Sports Day and be present at the Bardo Sports, also on Farmers' Day. As well as being a neighborly act, this participation will [illegible] to advertise Tofield Showcase '65.

The parade this year will assemble at 11:00 a.m. on the CN station grounds, where parade marshall, A. C. Francis, will, as usual, line up the entries in effective order and the parade will move off at 11:15. To ensure that the events of the day move smoothly, it is essential that the parade reach the exhibition grounds by 12 o'clock noon. So please plan to be ready in time.

The parade will be led by the Andrew School Boys' Band. Not only will this band lead the parade but, on arrival at the exhibition grounds, will play "O Canada" and during the afternoon, will play several times for the enjoyment of spectators.

**NEW RIDES**

While listening to the band, spectators may enjoy the children's excitement as they ride the ferris wheel. This is something new for Tofield, and it is expected that Wally Urslink will be very busy operating this particular ride. While waiting their turn at the ferris wheel, the chil

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# Laurie Weatherill shows the champion 4-H calf

Laurie Weatherill won the championship at the Tofield 4-H Beef Club achievement day with the entry of a very attractive Hereford calf. Laurie also won the showmanship prize for best showman and took the prize for the best groomed calf. A very honored trophy presented by the UGG to the member who has contributed the most to the club was also won by Laurie.

**RESERVE CHAMPION**

Nettie Appleby won the reserve championship of the show for her fine Shorthorn steer. This was a very smoothly finished animal with very straight lines.

These two calves topped a very strong class of calves and the judge had a real job to place them all.

Donald Rudacki had the calf with the largest gain, his Hereford Shorthorn crossbred steer gained 560 pounds. This steer weighed over 1000 pounds.

Eddie Kallal had the champion pee wee calf, a very thick heavy Hereford steer. Second went to Eddie, while the reserve champion pee wee was Lee Gudmundson's Hereford steer.

The best showman was Patrick Kallal in the pee wee club, and Ronnie Kallal had the calf with the best gain in the pee wee class.

The boy with the best groomed calf was Johnny Jansen. These are the winners, and those who gave them so much close competition must also be congratulated.

RARE ALLIANCE. It's a rare day that Opposition Leader John Diefenbaker agrees with Liberal policy, but he has voiced agreement with Canada's support of U.S. action in Vietnam. Countering NDP Leader T. C. Douglas' attack on Canadian foreign policy, Mr. Diefenbaker gave full support to External Affairs Minister Paul Martin, who maintained South Vietnamese are victims of Chinese aggression.

# Locals . . .

Shirley MacGillivray and son Randy, of Rimbey, spent the weekend with Shirley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay.

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Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mitchell were Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jelbert and family of Edmonton. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell returned with them for a few days, and will also go to Edson to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitchell and family.

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Mrs. Norman Ellis, of Edmonton, is spending a week visiting with Mrs. W. C. Lancaster.

# Have you a new beginner?

The beginners who will be coming to school next September are invited to come to school.

Beginners who live in town are invited to come to school Thursday, June 24th. Grade 1 country children will stay home that day.

Beginners who live in the country are invited to come to school Friday, June 25. Grade 1 town children will stay home that day.

# Bardo church history

**Andy Holberg of the Bardo district has made available to this paper a brief history of the congregation of Bardo Lutheran Church. Being one of the first churches in this area, it will be marking its 70th anniversary this month. This is the first of two parts:**

From June 16th to [illegible] 20th the Bardo Lutheran Congregation of Tofield will be celebrating its 70th anniversary. It will be 70 years rich in blessings and accomplishments.

A festival such as Bardo is to celebrate this summer is all the more worthy in that the Bardo congregation was the first congregation of the Canada District of the old Evangelical Lutheran Church to be formed in Canada.

The formation of the present Bardo community actually had its first beginning in 1893, when Nels Jevning, Martin Finseth, Andrew Malmberg and John Wallubeck from Crookston, Minn., went to inspect the Canadian Northwest. Their objective was the parkland country along the newly-built Calgary-Edmonton railway line in what later became the Province of Alberta.

When the land seekers returned from their adventurous trip they gave glowing reports of what they had seen. A "Canada fever" broke out which threatened to deplete seriously the population of the locality around Crookston, Minn. Mr. Jevning and Mr. Finseth began immediately planning to emigrate to [illegible] the following year.

Among the first to join them in this venture was Peter B. Anderson and his elderly father, the Rev. Beravend Anderson, who was destined to lead such an important role in the spiritual welfare of the early pioneers and help in the forming of many Lutheran congregations in Central Alberta.

Gradually the group of prospective Canadian immigrants increased in number, and about May 1st, 1894, a contingent of about 20 men left Crookston for the Canadian West. Several were prepared to remain permanently if their quest proved satisfactory, but most of them intended this trip to be one of inspection. Included in this group were A. M. Finseth, Mr. Jevning, Mr. Anderson, John Lerbekmo, Nils Mosland, Ole and Martin Hillard, Iver Finseth Sr. and Hans Johnson.

The party proceeded as far as Wetaskiwin, before they decided to send out a scouting party of four—Martin Finseth, Mr. Jevning, Mr. Hillard and Iver Finseth Sr. Their land guide soon played out and wanted to return to Wetaskiwin; however, the group were fortunate in meeting Edmund Thompson, who expressed willingness to take them around with his team of horses and wagon and show them the various parts of the countryside.

They proceeded in a north-easterly direction from Bittern Lake till they came to the south shores of Beaver Hills Lake. On being told that there were many fish in the lake, the men decided "This is the place we have been looking for" . . . here is a wonderful soil for raising crops, in the hills to the west we have trees for building, the prairie openings in the parkland with a luxuriant growth of grass will be fine for stock-raising, and now a lake with fish in it! What more can a Norwegian ask for?

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# Janice Ferguson named model semi-finalist

Miss Janice Ferguson, a student at Tofield High School, won the honor of being selected as a semi-finalist for Alberta in the Acrilan student model contest held across Canada last [illegible].

Janice and nine other contestants from Camrose, Westlock, and Edmonton, were entertained in the Edmonton Petroleum Club at an elimination party May 29th. contestants were interviewed and judged on personality and grooming by Mrs. Ibsen, fashion co-ordinator for Hudson's Bay Company, Olive Elliott, Edmonton Journal teen column writer, and Gwynneth Page of the merchandising group.

Janice and all the other semi-finalists received their choices of sweaters. The winner was Miss Donna Turner of Westlock who will model fall fashions for Miss Chatelaine and other magazines. She will be photographed in full color by Barrie Flakelar, the famous Montreal fashion photographer.

# Bardo church

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On returning to Saskatoon, [illegible] was introduced to Graduation signing. Land has been found. Minister Martin Plumm. Mr Jenning, Mr Linder and Mr Lavallee returned to Beaver Hills Lake to find homesteads, as compensation was the first land homesteaded in the Bardo district.

Mr Jenning homesteaded all of Sec 6, Twp 51, Range 19 for himself and his three sons. This land is now being farmed by Lord Fordham, Lloyd Schiffman and Mrs. Fay Wiseman. Mr Linder was chosen four quarters a mile further south to himself and his father was known. This land is still in the family and being farmed by Philip Lindstrom, a grandson of Peter Lindstrom. Half a mile further south to Mr. Lindstrom's homestead and this was a homestead owned by Clarence Vass and Bobby Lindstrom. To the west Mr Ellsworth took up three quarters to himself and his two sons, Cecil, Ellsworth now owns the three quarters, Cecil and Homer owning one quarter and Clarence the fifth.

Later [illegible] came, [illegible] Haugen and Lindstrom and [illegible] Lindstrom and Ellsworth [illegible] Pastor Lindstrom [illegible] Mrs. Peter Lindstrom.

In [illegible] Mrs. A. Peter [illegible] Lindstrom [illegible] Pastor Lindstrom [illegible] Lindstrom [illegible] Lindstrom [illegible]

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## First Ryley Cub Pack Holds Father-Son Night

The first Ryley Cub Pack held a Father and Son banquet in the Ryley Legion Hall on Wednesday evening June 2nd.

Honoured guests were Mayor Robert Cross, Denny May Camrose Provincial Field Executive for Boy Scouts; Gordon Fisk, Provincial Treasury Branch manager, guest speaker, Paul Voeglin principal of the Ryley school, Ralph Childs, District Commissioner, Gas Line; Denzil Solberg, Noble Grand IOOF lodge; Ernest Brown, J. L. Hay, Ted Grattaas and Henry Hill, all IOOF members; Don Coutdon president Gas Line Council, Mrs Dorothy Oullette Edmonton Cub Scouts, Neil Reid, president Ryley Scout Council; Tom Kerlee, Mrs. Lloyd Wickstrom and Mrs Alfred Harback, Ryley Cub Masters; Mrs. Rudy Mizera, sec.-treas. Ryley Scout Council, and Don Kaufman and Miss Darlene Kubin, assistants. The IOOF is the sponsoring body of the Cubs.

The evening opened with the Cub "Howl" and Promise, followed by "O Canada". The delicious dinner for 555 guests was served by the Cub Mothers, under the convenership of Mrs. S. Powers. Garnet Burnstad, on behalf of the fathers, thanked the ladies. Ernest Brown acted as Master of Ceremonies, introducing the honoured guests and the Cubs, and each Cub introduced his father or guest. Mr Fisk gave an interesting talk, followed by a Court of Honor with Denny May making the presentations. Mrs Alfred Harback and Mrs Lloyd Wickstrom were presented with Leadership Training certificates.

Cubs for this year are: SIXERS Ricky Dueck, Harry Harback, Wade Magneson, David Powers. CUB SCOUTS: Bryce Albrecht, Kenny Annebo, Brian Burnstad, Kenny Clark, Vernon Dyer, Douglas Harback, Rodney Hjelter, Barry and Donald Kurach, Murray and Myron Hutchinson, Freddie and Ronnie Lyons, Roderick Knudslien, Terry Mizera, Terry Reid, Jerry Rohm, Danny Romaniuk, Elston Solberg, Robert Wickstrom and Ralph Berke.

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## Ryley news

Mr and Mrs. Victor Lillo and children of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Doreen's parents, Mr and Mrs. E. Lindstrom.


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Mr and Mrs. Peter Ozubko, of Tofield, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Marlene Vera Mae, to Mr James Roger McKay, son of Mrs. Georgia McKay and the late Mr Bob McKay of Tofield. The wedding will take place on Saturday, July 10, 1965, at St. Francis of Assisi Church at Tofield. 41c-2445

### FUTURE DATES

**COOKS' TALENT DAY**
A Cooks' Talent Day, sponsored by Tofield U.C.W., will be held in the Tofield United Church on Saturday, June 19th. There are four categories of baking, and all are welcome to enter. Bake table also. Tea served at 3.00 p.m., 25c. 40-41-42c-2431

**70TH ANNIVERSARY**
The Bardo Lutheran Congregation will be celebrating its 70th anniversary on Sunday, June 20, with services at 11:00 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Dinner and supper will be served at the church. There will be services each evening starting Wednesday, June 16, to Saturday, June 19. Dr. S. T. Jacobson, as well as former pastors and other speakers, will be participating. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

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# Doris Wyllie speaks at annual 4-H banquet

The annual 4-H banquet was held in the Tofield Community Hall at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, June 7th. Laurie Weatherill got the banquet underway, calling for Mr. McDonald to ask the blessing. After a wonderful meal, served in more than 160 by the Lakeshore Ladies' Aid, Laurie called on Mr. Stinson for his welcome from the town in the absence of Mayor Prentiss. The District Agricultural, Mr. Peters, had a few very interesting words to tell about the club and judges Bruce Jeffrey and Doris Wyllie both gave the boys and girls some good advice about their calves and showing. Don Ball Jr., who was auctioneer also spoke about the day and 4-H.

Phyllis Rose then very calmly introduced the guest speaker, Miss Doris Wyllie. Miss Wyllie, who is Alberta's Dairy Queen, gave a very interesting talk on how to go about winning this position and also of all the travelling she must do as Dairy Queen.

The presentations to 4-H members were as follows: John Baergen presented the Community League trophy to Laurie Weatherill for having the champion calf. Graham Wyllie, on behalf of Ed and Howard Watson, presented their trophy to Nettie Appleby for her reserve champion calf. Marjorie Moore presented the John Moore trophy to Donald Rudzicki who had the calf which gained the most. Laurie Weatherill presented a show halter to Phyllis Rose who was second in showmanship and Laurie, who was first, did not want to present it to himself. John Moore presented Laurie Weatherill with a prize on behalf of Don Woods and himself for having the best groomed calf, and Don Woods presented the Mel Wood memorial trophy to Edward Kallal for his champion pee wee calf.

Conrad Rose presented Les Godmundsen with 100 pounds of feed donated by Henry Hubert for her reserve champion pee wee.

Bob Moss presented Patrick Kallal with a desk set on behalf of Verlyn and Bob Moss for winning showmanship, and Conrad Rose presented Ronnie Kallal with a 100-pound feed certificate from Henry Hubert for having the calf with the best fitting. Max Schacher, on behalf of Ross Creek Herefords, presented Johnny James with a calf halter for the best groomed calf. Colleen Wyllie presented John Moore with a gift on token of his help as leader of the club to the members, and Patrick Kallal presented Don Wood, leader of the pee wee club, with a gift for helping the pee wee members. Mr. Scarth, with United Grain Growers elevator, was here to present a trophy for the member who contributed the most to the club. Laurie Weatherill was the winner of this trophy.

The judging prizes will have to be presented later on as the winners' names did not arrive from the department of agriculture 4-H branch. The names will be published in the paper when they are received

# Grade 7 class visits museum

(By Donna Mosby)

Fifty grade 7 pupils visited the Historical Society museum on Wednesday morning, June 2nd, with their teacher, Miss Boesse. The trip was taken as part of their Social Studies course. Mrs. Phillips acted as a guide, showing and explaining to us, all the interesting articles of the pioneer days around Tofield. Some of the most interesting features were the old Edison phonographs and the many photographs of the first pioneers of Tofield.

# Locals . . .

Pat and Bill Innes and boys, from Bashaw, were Sunday visitors with Peg and Bob Nahlis' bench and family.

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**CORRECTION**

On the Cooks' Talent Day, to be held Saturday, June 19—instead of any women of the United Church, the entries are open to all women.

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**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mr and Mrs Rudy Froese and son, of Chilliwack, B.C., spent a few days visiting with Rudy's grandmother, Mrs Penner, and other relatives at Tofield.

**LAKESHORE UCW MEETING**

The Lakeshore United Church Women will meet at the home of Mrs. Ellesor Jones on Wednesday, June 16th, at 2:00 p.m.

# Church notes

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
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**Sunday, June 13th**

10 30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study

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# Bardo church history

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Johnny Jevning, Echostlo, son of Nels Jevning.

At the first annual meeting held on June 3, 1925, the following officers were elected: P. B. Andersen, president; Martin Finseth, vice-president; P. N. Jevning, secretary; H. R. Haugen, treasurer. Trustees: Johannes Johansen, S. D. Simonsens and Nils Jevning. Deacons: M. Finseth, Tuby Carlson and Nils Rosland.

The first class of catechumens, consisting of Iver Finseth, Andrew Jevning and Ragna Jevning (Mrs. Arnold Steen), were confirmed on January 26, 1926.

Sunday School was also organized, a choir began to practice and a Ladies' Aid was started. Parochial School was conducted as early as 1926.

After the schoolhouse, which was called the Andersen School, was built in 1926, it became the regular gathering place for all services and other meetings. The school was not built where the present schoolhouse is, but a half-mile further north, in the northeast corner of John Andersen's farm which is now owned by Ivan Foshaug.

Before the cemetery was located as the present site, there was much discussion and controversy over its location. Attempts to get the government to donate 40 acres of land towards a cemetery, school and church fell through. Several settlers were willing to donate land towards a cemetery providing a church would some day be built at the same location. As this did not meet with the approval of the majority because they could not decide in what part of the community the church should be built. A question of site, which began in 1905, finally ended in 1910 when Olaf Jevning donated an acre of land kitty-corner across the road from the school. It is for this reason that the cemetery is located 1½ miles north of the church.

In 1896 the Espen Hnason and H. R. Simonson families joined the congregation, followed by the O G Brockes and Thor Ovelsons in 1898.

At the turn of the century there was another heavy influx of settlers, many of these coming direct from Bardo, Norway. These included Asbjorn Moen and family, Martin Eide and daughter, Edwin Johnson, Andreas Johnson, Jacob Boness Sr. and son Jacob Boness, Hans Boness and children, J Haugseth and family, Johannes Johnson Sr. and family, Mr. and Mrs S. Wiik, Gen. Stein, Johannes and Lars Foshaug.

From the States the same year came Lars Pedersen, Arnold Steen, Martin and Olaf Berg, O. Grondahl and family, Hans Jansen and family, Ole Jensen, Agnethe Jensen and daughter, Anton Bartness and family, and Louis Qualley and family.

With the growing of the community Pastor B. Anderson, who was then 80 years of age, felt that a younger man should be called to carry on the ministry. As a result, Rev. A. E. Hanson was called in 1902 at a salary of $75 yearly plus two offerings.

The first wedding of the neighborhood was celebrated at the home of N Jevning, June 5, 1906, when his eldest daughter, Emma, became the bride of Martin Hanson. They were married in the log schoolhouse by Rev. B. Anderson. Mrs. Axel Kindley, who resides in the northern part of the community, was a daughter of this union. The next wedding took place two years later, when Jacob Boness and Marie Lerkehaus were married. They later moved to the Kingman area, where they farmed for man yrears.

One and event which occurred the first winter was the first death in the community, when little Inga Johnson, the first baby born in the settlement, passed away.

With the coming of more and more settlers, the people started dreaming of the time when they could have their own place of worship. As early as 1900 plans were started for the building of the church. Much planning lay ahead of them in this enterprise, but as true pioneers they went ahead without faltering steps.


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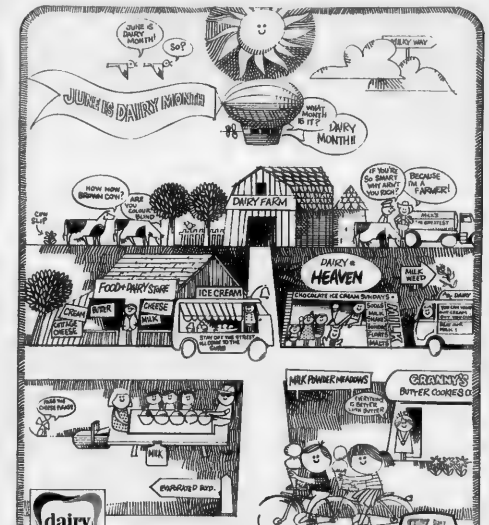

# Junior high affiliates with Commonwealth youth

Early in the school year of 1963-64 the then Grade 8 classes applied for membership in the Commonwealth Youth Movement affiliation scheme. Due to reorganization at the London headquarters of this movement and the necessary completion of questionnaires, etc., it is only this week that word has been received by the Grade 8 classes that a school has finally been assigned to them.

This school is named "Ntari School" and is located in Mbarara in Uganda, East Africa. The name of the headmaster is Mr. M. W. Srichton, M.A.

While it is late in the year, it is hoped that some exchange of correspondence or taped speeches may yet be able to be arranged.

**MELNYK TROPHY**

Nominations have been made this week for the Melnyk award which is given annually to a student in junior high who is considered to be an excellent all-'round student.

**PARADE ENTRY**

It is hoped to have a float representing Tofield Junior High in the youth section of the parade on Dominion Day. Committees are now discussing ideas and ways of implementing them.

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# A. E. Bearisto passes at Bentley at 84 years

Atley E. Bearisto of Bentley, Alberta, passed away on May 28th at the age of 84 years. He is survived by his loving wife, Marie; two daughters, Mrs. T. Wenger of Vernon, B.C., and Mrs. Pete Keillor of Berwyn, two sons, the Rev. Russell Bearisto of Calgary and Reginald Bearisto of Red Deer, 15 grandchildren, and 1 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from Bentley Pentecostal Church on Monday, May 31st, with the Rev. Kenneth Wood of Bentley officiating. Interment was in the Bentley cemetery.

The Bearisto family will be remembered by many, as they lived in Tofield during the early 1900's, and were here for quite a number of years.

## Chipman boy shows top 4-H Club calf

(Iris Billan)

ROSS CREEK, June 8th.—The Tofield 4-H Club held a very successful achievement day Monday, June 7th, with boys and girls of the district competing.

Johnnie Jenson of Chipman took first prize for best groomed calf, said prize being a show halter awarded by Max Schacker on behalf of himself, his father and brother Gene. Johnnie also took 4th prize for showmanship in the peewee section. Richard Stadnik of Ross Creek took 2nd prize, a pen set, for the best Aberdeen Angus.

In the evening, members and parents enjoyed a lovely banquet put on by the Lakeshore ladies, when a number of very interesting speeches were given by guest speakers. Everyone who attended enjoyed the show very much.

## Ryley news

**YOUTH RALLY**

All the young people of the district were invited to a delicious supper in the Lutheran dining room on Saturday evening, June 5th, served by the Ladies' Aid members. Guests numbered approximately 75. After supper, they filed into the church for a service conducted by the Rev. A. B. H. Hagen of Camrose, who has been holding P.T.R. services in the church each evening of this week.

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# Heavy loss in fire at Round Hill

Fire of unknown origin Monday night about 6:30 spread at the Lester W. Corbett farm at Round Hill to three buildings while the owner worked to control the blaze. Neighbors saw the flames and rushed to the farm to give aid. A bucket brigade from a nearby water hole saved a new hog barn and its contents of swine. One of the first neighbors to arrive drove to the nearest telephone to summon the Camrose Civil Defence fire truck.

Mr. Corbett was unable to estimate his loss, but thought there were about 2,000 bushels of feed grain in one building. A second building was a self-feeder structure containing considerable equipment such as a chopper, loaders, and measuring equipment. The third building contained a 1953 tractor and numerous farm tools. It was in the tractor shed that the fire started.

Mr. Corbett had been grinding feed with the tractor which was connected to the self-feeder building by drive belt. He was at the grinder mixing concentrate when he noticed sparks coming in on the drive belt. Before he could get to the tractor the building was in flames and the self-feeder building had started to burn.

**ASHES AND RUBBLE** All that remained of three buildings, 2,000 bushels of grain, a tractor and other equipment on the Lester W. Corbett farm Monday evening was ashes and rubble. A tire on the tractor is still burning. Neighbors and firemen from the Camrose brigade had the fire under control when the picture was taken about 8:00 p.m.

# To attend FYP week

Gary T. Patterson of Tofield will join 34 other rural young people from around the province who will be sponsored at Farm Young People's Week by the Alberta Wheat Pool.

Candidates are nominated by rural organizations. Held on the University of Alberta's Edmonton campus during the month of June each year, FYP Week offers farm young people a comprehensive program of education and recreation designed to give them an insight into university life.

## Kingman oldtimer, Lossie Ovelson, passes

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, June 14th — An oldtimer of the Kingman district since 1894, Olaus (Lossie) Ovelson passed away June 8th at the Bethany Home where he had been a resident for two years. He leaves to mourn his passing, two sisters, Mrs. Julia Nomeland of Edmonton, and Mrs. Sophie Dumont in B.C.; nieces, nephews and a host of friends.

Funeral services were held on Friday at Salem Lutheran Church, with Pastor O. H. Haugen officiating.

# Former resident plans visit here after 50 years

C. H. Mason and his wife will be arriving in Edmonton in July from Montreal, Que., and from there would like to visit the Tofield area which Mr. Mason left 50 years ago. They would appreciate transportation, sightseeing or taxi service through the district.

Mr. Mason, in writing to E. T. Watson of his planned visit to Tofield, says he remembers the station and school of his day, the Anglican Church, built about 1912 or 13, the rectory and bush land and road (trail) northward to the Indian Reserve and Cooking Lake; also the "saloon" and town pump.

Two or three oil wells with timber derricks and sheds south of the old Intercolonial tracks, he also recalls, and has a clear mental picture of a doctor's buggy which was hoisted atop one of those sheds by the boys one Hallowe'en. Of course, the town rodeos and Northwest Mounted Police, who rode real horses in those days, are easily recalled by Mr. Mason. He remembers who drove the mail with a team of mules. The only name he is sure of is Robinson, who had started a brick factory when he left. Mr. and Mrs. Mason's visit here may prove interesting to other oldtimers still here.

# Mill rate set at 62

A special meeting of the Council of the Town of Tofield was held on Wednesday, May 19th, when renovation plans submitted by Norman Stauffer were accepted and a building permit issued. The sub-dividing of the east half of Lot 15, Block 13, Plan 9300S, to be consolidated under one title with all Lot 16, Block 13, Plan 9300S in the name of Merlin Stauffer was accepted.

Much discussion took place regarding a proposed library and museum building, to later become part of a municipal building. It was decided that more information regarding the cost of such a project should be obtained and then discussed further at a later meeting.

**MILL RATE SET**

The estimates of revenue and expenditures as prepared by the finance committee was presented to council. It was moved by Clr. Jefferson that the estimates for 1965 be accepted and the mill rates for 1965, as noted below, be set pending approval by the Local Authorities Board.

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| School Foundation Act | 26 |
| County Beaver No. 9 school | 8 |
| Tofield Muni. Hosp. No. 47 | .07 |
| Alberta Hospital Act | 4 |
| Vegreville Health Unit | 1 |
| Flagstaff-Beaver Aux. Hosp. | .5 |
| Debenture Debt | 7.5 |
| Municipal | 14.93 |
| Total Mills | 62.00 |
| Business Tax | 15.00 |

The meeting was adjourned on a motion by Clr. Swift.

# Wheat up 8 inches

According to a crop report from C. Nelson of the Alberta Wheat Pool in Tofield, average height of wheat crops in the Tofield area is eight inches. This is higher, by at least two inches, than anything south of Tofield or in the area east and west of Camrose.

Oats are up about three inches and barley about two.

The crops are all reported to be normal, and there has been no damage up to the time of filing the report which was last Saturday.

# 45 - piece band from Andrew will lead parade for 'showcase '65'

"Tofield Showcase '65" is shaping up very well. Leo Kershinsky with his School Boys' Band from Andrew will lead the parade. The 45 members of the band will look very smart in their uniforms of blue trousers, white shirts and black ties as they lead the Tofield Showcase '65 parade. The boys will play for the crowd on the Exhibition Grounds while the judges decide who have won the parade prizes. Later in the day they will be heard again.

New entries for the parade have been received. The local orchestra, the "Road-Runners", have entered a float, as has Chick Blacklock from Robinson's Store. It is hoped that yet more entries will be received. What is your organization's contribution to Tofield? Let's see it in Tofield Showcase '65.

Food is always part of the annual Dominion Day celebration! The booth which supplies pie, salad, cold meat and beans has in former years been managed by members of the Women's Auxiliary to the Community League. Since this organization has been disbanded, the work entailed by operating this booth is increased. The ordering for the necessary supplies is being done by Mrs. Bill Christensen, Mrs. Hans Christensen and Mrs. Jack Lampitt. These ladies would greatly appreciate donations of pies for the booth. Offers to work for a shift in the booth would be most welcome. If you could spare a couple of hours on July 1,

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## Still room for improvement

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## By George!

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## What's ahead for Jiggs?

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## In the minority

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## High rates, low commissions

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## History repeating

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## Holden district news

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## At dog trials in Lethbridge

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# Important Notice about Old Age Security

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# THE RYLEY TIMES

## Ryley news

M. K. Westmancoat

A clean-up day at the cemetery has been arranged for Wednesday, June 16th. Please come and help and bring along your rakes and hoes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kathan of Camrose were Sunday visitors with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kathan.

Weekend visitors with Wallie and Annie Pope were Emil and Madeleine Dadinski and children, and Miss Pamela McLeod, all of Edmonton. They enjoyed a family wiener roast on Sunday evening before returning to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Neraasen came home this weekend after nearly four weeks stay in Athabasca where they took charge of their daughter's home and family while she was in the University Hospital for surgery. Marvel, Doug and children accompanied her parents home, and returned to Athabasca the next day.

**LADIES' AID MEETS**

The June meeting of the Lutheran Ladies' Aid was held in the dining room on Thursday afternoon June 3rd, when it was decided that another parcel would be packed to send to the World Wide Relief. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Ann Pope and Mrs. Eileen Magneson.

## Ketchamoot news briefs

(Mary Mitchell)

**PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER**

On Saturday evening, Yvonne Brown entertained a number of classmates at dinner, lunch and a shower at her home in honor of Sharon Ingram who is to be married in July. Guests were Sharon Ingram, Caroline Fosheng, Sharon Francis, Ruth Ferguson, Linda Thiessen and Pat Litwin.

Jeannie Carlisle and her friend of Vancouver, B.C., were visitors last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carlisle.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Wittman (nee Donna Carlisle) a daughter, Dolores Elizabeth, on June 10th. The new arrival is a sister for Timothy.**

Opal and Donnelly McGinitie were in the city on Monday, and called on Kenny Bruha who is a patient in the General Hospital there.

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## Reiser - Bodnar vows exchanged April 30th

(By Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

A wedding of local interest to residents of Tofield and Ryley took place in the Tofield United Church on Friday, April 30th, when Edna Josephine Bodnar, daughter of Mrs. Clara Bodnar of Shonts, became the bride of Mr. Gordon Reiser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Val Reiser of Rollyview in a double-ring ceremony, with Rev. McDannold officiating.

Given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Paul Komar, the bride was dressed in a floor-length dress of white satin with lily-point sleeves and seed pearl-trimmed lace front bodice and panel down one-half length of skirt front. She wore a shoulder-length veil held in place by a pearl crown. Her only accessories were single pearl earrings and a teardrop pearl on a gold chain necklace, a gift from the groom. She carried a bouquet of red sweetheart roses with white streamers on a white Bible, also a gift from the [illegible] bride's gift to the groom was pearl cuff-links and tie-pin.

[illegible] bridesmaids were Miss [illegible] Miller of Edmonton and Miss Audrey Fipke of Camrose. They were dressed in identical blue knee-length dresses of nylon organza over satin with blue nylon net cap veils, and white shoes and gloves, and carried bouquets of pink gladiolas. The bride's gifts to the bridesmaids were teardrop necklaces.

The best men were Vernon Fipke of Camrose and Melvin Kalis of Edmonton, and the ushers were the groom's brother, Marvin Reiser of Rollyview, and Albert Roeder of Edmonton.

The bride's mother was dressed in a blue nylon lace over satin dress with white accessories, and a red rose corsage. The groom's mother was dressed in a two-piece dress of light beige brocade with matching shoes and purse, pink hat and gloves, and a pink [illegible].

After the ceremony the happy couple and their attendants motored to Edmonton to have pictures taken. They returned to Tofield for the reception, held in the Tofield Community Hall at 6:00 p.m., which was catered to by the Tofield Anglican Church ladies' group. There were 140 guests at the reception. Roy Sylyski of Edmonton was master of ceremonies and Rev. McDannold asked the blessing. The toast to the bride was proposed by Roy Sylyski, with both the bride and groom replying. The bride's table was centred by a three-tiered wedding cake flanked by candles.

Later in the evening a dance followed in the hall, with music supplied by Johnnie's Serenaders of Vegreville.

Among the guests were Edna's brother, Thomas, and two sisters and their husbands, namely Emma and Paul Komar of Tofield and Sylvia and Jim Malezko of Poe, and Gordon's brother Marvin and two sisters and their husbands, (Anita) Mr. and Mrs. Buss and (Myrtle) Mr. and Mrs. Madu, also several relatives and friends from Edmonton, Rollyview, Camrose, Ashmont, Poe, Ryley, Hilliard, Deville, North Cooking Lake, Bittern Lake, Leduc and Tofield.

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### FUTURE DATES

**COOKS' TALENT DAY**

A Cooks' Talent Day, sponsored by Tofield U.C.W., will be held in the Tofield United Church on Saturday, June 19th. There are four categories of baking, and all are welcome to enter. Bake table also. Tea served at 3:00 p.m., 25c. 40-41-42c-3431

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## St. Stanislaus parish to mark its 60th year

St. Stanislaus Parish of Round Hill will be celebrating the Diamond Jubilee of the blessing of the church this Sunday, June 20.

It was this church that the first Polish settlers in the vicinity of Round Hill and Lake Demay completed in 1905. It remains unchanged, except for a few minor alterations and an addition of a basement, and is in excellent condition—a tribute to the carpentry of the early pioneers.

To commemorate the occasion, Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m., followed by a Corpus Christi Procession, dinner and picnic. Many visiting clergy, guest speakers and old-timers are expected to be in attendance Sunday to take part in the activities.

## Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. Tomorrow is Tuesday, and I will be there, providing you are.
2. We wish we had of gone, because Reverend Mr. Adams was there.
3. The little park has two waterfalls and a winding river; the latter is fascinating to follow, but the former is really wonderful.
4. I figure that the house will cost over forty thousand dollars, and I don't propose to interfere with the plans.
5. She only saw him for a minute, and then she attended the devotional at church.
6. I am through with my dinner, and I am sorry that Mary don't like hers.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Geisha 10. Inebriety.
8. Hierarchy. 11. Verbatim.
9. Strategist. 12. Impasse.

**Which six words of the following group are misspelled?**

13. Invisible, irritable, devisible, divisible, remediable, tonsilitis, palsy, neurology, pneumonia, paranoia, diphtheria, superior, supple, supercede, supremacy, sustenance, intelligence, abeyance, abstinence, dalliance, preeminence, acidity, academic, acclimate, accordian, acrophobia, detergent, desolation, decorem, desperado, detritus.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "Tomorrow WILL BE Tuesday, and I SHALL be there, PROVIDED you are". 2. Say, "We wish we HAD gone, because THE Reverend Mr. Adams was there". 3. Say, "the former ARE wonderful", since "former" refers to a plural subject. 4. Say, "I ESTIMATE that the house will cost MORE THAN forty thousand dollars", and I don't INTEND to interfere". 5. Say, "She saw him ONLY for a minute, and then she attended the devotional SERVICE at church". 6. Say, "I HAVE FINISHED my dinner, and I am sorry that Mary DOESN'T like hers".

7. Pronounce gay-sha, accent first syllable. 8. Pronounce high-er-ahr-ki, principal accent on first syllable. 9. Accent FIRST syllable, not the second. 10. Pronounce in-ee-brigh-eh-ti, accent on third syllable. 11. Pronounce ver-bay-tim, accent second syllable. 12. Accent SECOND syllable, not the first.

13. Devisible, tonsilitis, supercede, dalliance, accordian, decorem.

## Church notes

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, June 20th
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
Tuesday, 8:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, June 20th
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11:00 a.m. -Sunday School.
RYLEY —
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

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# Tofield council has lengthy session

The meeting of the Tofield Town Council was held on Monday, June 7th, at 8 p.m. in the council chambers with Dr. W. H. Freebury and Councillors Allan, Boese, Everitt, Jefferson, Patterson and Swift, present.

Phillip Graff, representative from Husky Oil Products was present, and supplied information relating to a dust-laying program for Tofield. He informed council that the only preparation necessary [illegible] oiling would be to remove mud, scarify and blade. The approximate cost, including the oil and spraying would be 25c per square foot. Council requested a tender price for the dust-laying of five blocks, and asked the committee to take care of necessary arrangements.

After a lengthy discussion on what could be done to improve the streets on the limited budget Clr. Patterson moved that the committee go ahead with the most urgent street repair and that sidewalks be laid from Main Street east on Fourth Avenue to Queen Street, north side. Council felt that it would be uneconomical to lay sidewalks to Alberta Street on Fourth Avenue because of the number of new services installed last fall and that more time for settling should be allowed.

H. Weatherill and A. Gibson from the County of Beaver were present to negotiate a deal with the council with regards to the town taking over the County Machine Shop located on Lots 15 and 16 Block 11 Plan [illegible]. Five hundred dollars was offered to the county for the building. Discussion took place regarding placing the fuel tanks underground at the proposed location of the new municipal building. The county was informed that due to new fire prevention legislature the fuel tanks would have to be mounted on a metal frame and that the cost would equal, if not exceed that of placing the tank underground. Mr Weatherill informed council that the county's decision would be relayed immediately following their next meeting. It was decided that the county's request to locate the municipal building on Lots 15, 16 and 17, Block 7, Plan [illegible], be granted.

An order from the Local Authorities Board accepting the 1965 estimation of revenue and expenditures was read. Clr. Boese moved that by-law No. 382, being a tax mill rate bylaw, receive first reading. Clr. Everitt moved the second reading and Clr. Swift the third reading and [illegible] passed.

Correspondence from Associated Engineering Services regarding the extension to the water [illegible] lines was read [illegible] an extension on Seventh Avenue [illegible] from King St. to Ontario St. Council accepted this.

Council decided cost of a library and museum as a centennial project was too costly for the town to undertake at this time, and asked that suggestions be submitted to council by interested ratepayers and clubs.

J. E. Stinson was appointed [illegible] on a motion by Clr. Jefferson.

Council decided that a cost of $8.00 per hour be charged to persons requesting the services of the grader and operator and $5.00 be charged, per load, to persons requesting the removal of garbage other than ordinary pick-up.

Tofield Community League was granted $1250 to be used for the construction of bleachers at the fair grounds.

Attendance at the secretary-treasurers' refresher course to be held in Banff on June 17th, 18th and 19th, was granted to Mrs. Rita Halverson.

Building permits were approved from Merlin Stauffer for a dwelling for $9,000.00 and from H. Nachtigal for a dwelling for $9,500.00. Service connections applications from H. Lukasiewich and from H. Nachtigal were approved.

A request from A. Rasmussen for a culvert was refused because the location in question was on private property.

# Holden 4-H honors Zowtuck

Michael Zowtuck, local farmer and auctioneer was singled out to receive a special award [illegible] the Holden 4-H Beef Club at their achievement day banquet in recognition of his services to the club.

Eileen Stuart, making the presentation on behalf of the club said that the club had many friends and supporters in the town and district, but that Mr Zowtuck was rated as one of the best fri[illegible] they [illegible]. He not only conducted their calf sales but also their "slave" sales which were [illegible] annually and always without charge. And on any other occasion, Mr Zowtuck was always willing to lend a helping hand when his services were required. Miss Stuart said that such unselfish service to the [illegible] should be given public recognition and that the club was pleased to present him with a [illegible] which read. "Presented to Mr Michael N. Zowtuck In Appreciation for the many courtesies and services rendered to the Holden 4-H Beef Club—1965".

Mr. Zowtuck, in accepting the award, stated that he was always willing to help boys and girls who showed willingness to help themselves. He jocularly expressed disappointment that John Allen was able to obtain higher prices for the Viking club animals that he was able to coax from the buyers for the Holden calves. He urged the members to try a little harder next year to bring out better fitted ani[illegible] so he could outsell Allen next year.

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# Dwayne Hammer shows 4-H champion heifer

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In the ring competitions Sever Maaren was selected as the best showman with Richard Mathews placing second. Roy Hodge brought out the best groomed calf with Gary Manderson and Darryl Lyons runners-up in this competition.

In the judging competition Sever Maaren topped his club with Gary Weiss and Roy Hodge placing second and third.

The top gaining steer was shown by Eldon Hammer with a gain of 2.2 pounds per day. Barry Senuk placed second in this competition with a gain of 1.9 pounds per day. Roy Hodge placed third while posting a gain of 1.76 pounds per day.

This was the first show and sale of the Ryley Club with all members being novices in the art of feeding and showing calves but they brought out well fitted and well groomed animals.

**TOP PRICE**

In the sale which followed Darryl Lyons reserve steer topped the sale when it was knocked down to Swifts at 24.25c per pound and outselling the champion heifer which brought 24c, which was an excellent price for a heifer calf. The Ryley calves sold for an average of 22.30c a pound.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Strong of Calgary, were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingram and family.

Bob Schultz and George Gigluik of Revelstoke, B.C., were weekend guests of Harold and Lily Schultz and family. They were en route home to Revelstoke, travelling from eastern Canada by car.

Bessie and Ralph Barnes were [illegible] dinner guests with Agnes and Henry McGinitie. Grace and Herman Lawson were Monday evening visitors at the McGinitie [illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas and family, [illegible] Edmonton, spent Sunday with Dorothy and Ray Whillans and the boys.

Agnes and Henry McGinitie motored to Viking to visit with their son Harvey and family on Saturday.

**Orville Mitchell spent the weekend with his parents, Ivan and Mary Mitchell. He left on Tuesday by car for Los Angeles, where he plans to make his future home.**

Raymond McGinitie of Red Deer and Willie Nashman of Ed[illegible] guests with Agnes and Henry McGinitie [illegible] the weekend. Bessie and Ralph Barnes accompanied Raymond and visited with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewalt Garberts and family of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barnes of Red Deer were callers at the home of Chester Coombes on Sunday.


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# Ross Creek district news briefs

**BIRTHDAY SURPRISE**

On Wednesday, June 9th, which was Alice Cmney's birthday, Betty Pederson, Olga Eglensky, Irene Warner, Violet Bailey, Mavis Jacobsen, May Ferguson, Winnie McLachlan, Doris Schacher and Lil Van Buskirk called on Alice and gave her a surprise party.

Saturday, June 12th, was the 18th birthday of Larry McLachlan, which he spent in Edmonton. Larry's sister Jo-Ann, was also home for the weekend.

Gail Rustand celebrated her 8th birthday on Saturday, June 12th, with a party to which many of her friends were invited.

**FARMERS' DAY**

On Farmers' Day, the Chipman Pony team played ball against the Mundare team, at Mundare, winning the encounter 13-3. Little Lonnie Savage of Ross Creek was the lucky winner of the Shetland pony. Walter and Helen Ulan, Raymond and Frances McLachlan, Graham and Elma Snider and Wilfred and Lydia Van Buskirk all attended the dance in the evening.

Floyd and Elizabeth McLachlan, of Calgary, were Sunday visitors with the George, Joseph and Raymond McLachlan families, while Arthur and Olga McLachlan, of Edmonton, brought Grandpa McLachlan. All were supper guests at the home of George and Winnie, and later visited with Joseph and Raymond.

**FISHING TRIPS**

Grant and Ruby Becker and sons Garry, Kevin and Bradley and Desmond Bilan, spent the weekend fishing at Bayne and Mann Lakes. They left Friday evening and returned Sunday evening.

THE GREAT WAR

The image mostly presented of the First World War is one of muddy horror in the trenches. But the 1914-18 conflict was on a vastly wider front, and this is fully represented in the outstanding CBC-TV series The Great War, to be seen Tuesdays and Fridays this summer on the CBC-TV network starting July 2. The advent of the aeroplane and the machine gun vastly changed the conduct of the war, as this 26-episode series vividly shows.

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# Bardo Church history

(Second of a two-part series)

(By Andy Holberg)

While Pastor A. E. Hansen was serving here, he was also ministering around Central Alberta, helping various congregations to organize. However, in 1904 he tendered his resignation, because he was not able to give enough of his time to Norden due to the great distance to travel. So Pastor Anderson was prevailed upon again and he served for another two years. It was during this period that another large influx of settlers arrived in the district.

From the U.S.A. in 1902 came Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Ness, who took a homestead in the southern part of the district. Mrs. Inga Ness is the only original homesteader who still resides on the place they homesteaded. Her daughter, Gladys, and son-in-law, Lester Severson, now farms the land.

In 1903, Halvor Eggen and his wife and children also arrived from Bardo, Norway, and homesteaded just a half mile north of the present Salem Mennonite Church. Peter Eggen lives in Tofield, while his sister, Hildur, is married to Emil Rude and resides in the Amisk Creek district. Also at the same time, Simon and Ane Haakstvold and Johan Olson and family came from Norway; while coming from the States were Mr. and Mrs. Simon Norhus and family, Axel Kindley, Carl and Nils Langerud, Albert Christenson and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Rude and family. Norhus homesteaded the land presently owned by Michael Erickson, while C. J. Rude homesteaded what is known as the old Rude place, where the first Grand Forks school was built. This land is now owned by Glen Francis. In 1904, John B. Anderson, a brother of P. B. Anderson, and his wife and children arrived and settled on the quarter where the school stood.

Arrivals from 1905-1907 included Einar and Olea Haugland, Oliver Framme and family, O. Liveiten and family, Johan Viken and family, Simon Haakstad and family, T. A. Rorem and family, Anton Herte and family, and direct from China came Missionary H. N. Ronning and children, Alfred Stronstad, Mrs. O. Breckan, Ingolf and Carrie, Otto Johansen, his wife and Inge.

With the influx of these people, growth of the community was greatly strengthened. Talk of building a church for a house of worship gained more and more popularity, but where to build the church was a also a big question. One faction wanted to build it in the southern part of the community, while some of them wanted it further north. In 1906 Rev. T. T. Carlson was called to serve the territory commonly known as the Central Alberta Area.

From 1905 to 1908 when the church was built several votes were taken. Finally a vote on the 9th of June 1906 was taken, and 16 voted for the north site and 11 for the south site. This was supposed to be the final vote, however, the community was not entirely satisfied when there was not complete unity on the question. Therefore, when Asbjorn Moen offered a piece of land in the centre of the community, it was agreed to build the church along side of the creek, where it is now situated. The men cut logs in the hills and sawed them into lumber which they hauled to the settlement. The finishing lumber was brought from Camrose. The Ladies' Aid donated money, making it possible to hire a contractor, and the men helped with the [illegible]. Rev. [illegible] Anderson, then well over 80, made the first altar. The benches were all home-made. The church was dedicated on August 6, 1908. On December 25th, both the first baptismal and the first funeral took place. Ingvald Ness and Ingrid Lerbekmo were baptized in the morning, while Mrs. John Anderson was buried in the evening.

Alfred Stronstad and Anna Mattison were the first couple married in the church.

In the fall at the annual meeting of the "Norden" congregation, it was decided to change the name to "Bardo". This met with no opposition, as a large majority of the early settlers had stemmed from Bardo, Norway. It was at this meeting also that Missionary H. N. Ronning of China and his family, who had settled in the district the year before, became members of the

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# Beaver county council meets June 9

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9, held on Wednesday, June 9th:

**Grader Sheds at Tofield and Viking**

Concerning the grader sheds at Tofield and Viking, Cr. Weatherill reported that he and Cr. Gibson who had been appointed to take Cr. Magneson's place on the Committee had interviewed the Tofield Town Council on June 7th, and had suggested a price of $800 for the old grader shed. The Town Council had considered this somewhat high and had offered $500. An agreement had also been reached for the County to receive in exchange for the two lots now owned by the County—Lots 15, 16 and 17, Block 7, Plan 8200 S— Tofield. The Tofield Council had also stated that the diesel fuel tank would have to be placed underground as this was a Provincial Fire Commissioners regulation.

It was moved and carried that the report be accepted and that we accept $500 for the old grader shed and lots in exchange for the three lots mentioned in the preamble.

In regards to the grader shed at Viking, the secretary-treasurer submitted to the Council a report from Cr. Roddick who was not present at the meeting. Cr. Roddick stated that the following addition to the grader shed. The changes had been made to the roof and siding were all metal clad, and Stan Kuhn ordered enough metal siding and roofing to complete the addition. However, when the ceiling was opened it was found that the shavings were wet in spots due to leakage in the roof. Mr. Kuhn, therefore, suggested taking the metal off the old part of the roof, using it on the sides of the new addition and shingling the whole roof with asbestos shingles. There would be very little difference in cost and Cr. Roddick had authorized this change. Cr. Roddick further reported that the gas heater in the original building was not big enough to heat the addition as well, and after some investigation he had authorized the installation of a 100,000 B.T.U. furnace at a cost of $240, with a trade-in of $100 on the old unit. Golka Plumbing and Drilling to instal the furnace.

Moved and carried that Cr. Roddick's report be accepted and arrangements concurred in.

Concerning John Maurer's complaint, last dealt with by motion 336-65, Cr. Magneson reported that the culvert had been put in but that the ditch blocks were not yet completed. He expected, however, to have this done in the near future.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Concerning the matter of a veterinarian in Ryley, last dealt with by motion 300-65, the secretary-treasurer stated that on June 1 he had again written Drs. Bladfell and Miller, Veterinary Surgeons at Vegreville, but had as yet not received any reply.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Cr. Krupielnicki reported that Stanley Pook, with pound located on N.½ N.E. 4-51-16-W4th, had resigned, and that Joseph Nowak had accepted the position as poundkeeper with pound located on N.E. 26-51-17-W4th.

Moved and carried that the resignation of Stanley Pook as poundkeeper be accepted and that Joseph Nowak be appointed poundkeeper with pound located on N.E. 26-51-17-W4th. Pound notices to be placed at the pound and at, or near, the County office in Ryley.

**Correspondence**

A letter from the Town of Viking, concerning the paving of a foot path adjacent to the street going to the Viking Municipal Hospital, was referred to the Council. Looking at the plan of the Town of Viking it appeared to the Council that the whole street to the road east and west on the south side of the Hospital was within the Town boundaries.

It was therefore moved and carried that the Town of Viking be advised that the Council is of the opinion that the County has no responsibility for the suggested foot path.

A letter from Walter Lindgren of Tofield, stating that he was selling W.½ of 12-51-20-W4, but wished to hold back a strip of land 30 rods wide and 160 rods long along the north side of this parcel. Mr. Lindgren inquired if this met with the County's regulations. The secretary-treasurer stated that the County had no regulations in this matter, but that Mr. Lindgren would have to deal with the Provincial Planning Director, as without a doubt certain regulations were in effect in matters of this type.

Moved and carried that Mr. Lindgren be advised that he must refer the matter to the Provincial Planning Director.

Correspondence from the Department of Agriculture, Field Crops Branch, concerning the amendments to the Agricultural Service Board Act, was referred to the Council. The letter stated that the amendments could not become effective until January, 1966, since the Municipal District Act requires that Committees be named at the first statutory meeting of the Council. Some information was contained in the letter in regards to Advisory Committees.

Letter from Farm Electric Services Ltd., concerning the power line move south of Sec's. 4, 5 and and 6-46-11-W4, was referred to the Council. The secretary-treasurer had contacted Farm Electric Services Ltd. on May 17th, requesting that these poles be moved at an early date and the letter in reply indicated that the construction supervisor was to contact the local Councillor to make the necessary arrangements to complete this work.

However, as the construction supervisor had not been in contact with the Councillor, it was moved and carried that Farm Electric Services Ltd. be contacted again in this matter.

A. Hedberg attended the meeting at this time with prices for supplying 1-inch crushed gravel to Divisions 4, 5, 6 and 7, and the conditions were fully discussed.

It was then moved by Cr. Gibson that the quotations as submitted by Mr. Hedberg be accepted and that gravel be obtained from Rudyk and Hedberg where the hauling distances are satisfactory to the various areas.

A request from Calgary Power Ltd. for approval of a plan covering and extension to an existing powerline to provide power services to an Isolation Warden Station in the S.W. 30-52-20-W4 in the Elk Island National Park was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the plan be approved.

Two tenders for the electrical wiring at the addition to the Viking grader shed was referred to the Council. Tenders submitted by Viking Electric in the amount of $185.

Moved and carried that the tender submitted by Viking Electric for the wiring to the extension of the Viking grader shed be accepted.

Cr. Weatherill reported that Donnelly McGinitie on S.W. 20-50-19-W4 and Louis Shewchuk on S.E. 20-50-19-W4 requested compensation for fence damage caused by the snowplow last winter. Mr. McGinitie claimed that some 30 to 40 tamarack fence posts had been destroyed and Mr. Shewchuk claimed damages in the amount of $67 for page-wire destroyed. Cr. Weatherill had discussed the matter with the two parties and had agreed to recommend payment in the amount of $10 to Mr. McGinitie and $40 to Mr. Shewchuk for the damage caused.

It was moved that Donnelly McGinitie be paid $10 and Louis Shewchuk be paid $40 for damage to fences caused by the snowplow.

The motion was lost.

It was moved and carried that this claim be referred to the County's Insurance Company.


## NO IMMUNIZATION CLINIC IN JULY

**The regular Infant and Pre-school Immunization Clinic of the Vegreville Health Unit will not be held in July in Tofield due to the Dominion Day holiday. The next clinic will be held in Tofield on August 5th, 1965.**

**Clinics at the Vegreville Health Unit at Holden will be held on the second and fourth Fridays in July and August. The dates are as follows: July 9th and 23rd, and August 13th and 27th.**

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# Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

The White Elephant sale held on Saturday and sponsored by the Ross Creek UCW, was quite successful.

**Congratulations to Kelly and Donna Willson on the birth of a daughter on Thursday, June 10th, at Tofield hospital.**

George and Winnie McLachlan took their family to Borden Park, Edmonton, on Farmers' Day, enjoying swimming and an outdoor picnic.

Maurice and Lill Van Buskirk and family spent Farmers' Day in Edmonton.

**40TH ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Geoglein of Lakeshore, celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on Sunday, June 13th, when open house was held at their home. Many residents of the district dropped in to wish them well and to offer congratulations.

Church service will be held at Ross Creek Church at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday, June 20th.

Ralph and Alice Comey and family and John and Irene Warner and family spent Farmers' Day at Elk Island Park and enjoyed a picnic, and while there they met with the Gene, Max and Lorne Schacher families.

**Alvin and Mabel Hauer left Tuesday for Medicine Hat to attend the funeral of Mabel's aunt, Mrs. Eisermann. They returned on Friday.**

Lester and Wilma Odiorne and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Joe and Verna Sadowskie, at Lindbrook.

Orville and Margaret Hoph, of Edmonton, were Thursday visitors at the home of George and Winnie McLachlan.

LATE STRAWBERRIES. Late spring has postponed the strawberry harvest at least two weeks on the average across Canada. Women who usually start preserving strawberries in sweet jams and jellies in mid-June will have to be patient until the first of July. Above shows a crew of pickers on Lulu Island, British Columbia, where the strawberry crop always reaches its peak well ahead of the rest of Canada.

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

At the United Church services on Sunday, Miss Helen Irvin, student minister announced that communion and baptismal services will be conducted on June 27th by Rev. Roger York, who was recently ordained. Mr. York was student minister in the Ministik field two summers ago.

Anyone who has a child to be baptized is asked to contact Miss Irvin soon. All interested in these services are welcome to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch attended the wedding of a friend of their family at Waskatenau on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schon of Summerland, B.C., were recent visitors with Mrs. Helen Hennessy. Mr. Schon and Mrs. Hennessy are brother and sister.

**Friends were sorry to hear that Doris Davenport met with a nasty accident, in which she received an injury requiring six stitches over her eye.**

Matthew Ferguson of Tofield has been assisting at the Andrew Ferguson farm getting the crop seeded.

There will be a dance, sponsored by the Ministik Community Club, at the hall on Saturday evening, June 19th. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thor and family of Edmonton were Sunday guests at the Alex Penrice home.

Mrs. Effie Nasichuk was an Edmonton shopper on Monday.

**TRIP TO COAST**

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Loach left Monday by Supercontinental for a two-week vacation to the West Coast and other coastal points.

Mrs. Archie Clarke and Miss Sheila Barnes of Edmonton were Monday night visitors with their mother, Mrs. W. C. Barnes.


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Separate tenders for three and five year periods are to be submitted.

Tender forms are to be obtained at the County of Beaver No. 9 office at Ryley, Alberta.

Tenders close at 5:00 p.m., July 2, 1965.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. (42-43-nc)




# Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

**VISITORS FROM INDIANA**

Visiting at the home of Elmer and Vi Geoglein are Elmer's sister, Mrs. Emma Buessing, his cousin, George and Melinda Brueck, all of Fort Wayne, Indiana, who are arrived Wednesday of last week, and Elmer's cousin, Louise and Elwood Mausmann, also of Fort Wayne, who arrived on Sunday.

Bobby Tiedemann, who is employed on the pipe line at Killam, spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann.

Barbara Baines of Edmonton spent the weekend from Friday evening to Sunday evening at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ethel Wood.

Gary Niemetz arrived home on Friday evening from near Grande Prairie where he has been working for some time. He will spend a few days at home while awaiting a new assignment. Gail Niemetz of Edmonton also spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz.

Don and Donna Niemetz and baby son, Sheldon, of Provost, were weekend visitors at the home of Don's parents Geo. and Ida Niemetz. Don has been transferred from Provost to the main branch of Canadian Bank of Commerce in Edmonton.

Bob Ozubko was a Sunday guest at the George Niemetz home. Late Sunday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests there also were Ida's sister, Ruth and Carmen Fuller and two sons and their friend, Chris, and Carman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fuller Sr., all of Edmonton.

Vivian and Norman Jones of Edmonton were Saturday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Vivian's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg. On Sunday Roy and Ruth, their daughter, Janet Wickenberg, and grandson, Donald Jones, motored to Edmonton and were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Roy and Ruth's son, Lyall, and Thelma Wickenberg.

**AT RE-UNION**

Mrs. Ethel Wood and daughter, Marg and Lorne Berrecloth, and baby son and Ethel's niece, Barb Baines of Edmonton motored to Forestburg and Stettler on Sunday where Ethel attended a re-union of the school teachers and pupils of the Foreman school where she taught in 1933-34. The re-union was held with a picnic lunch in the new provincial park at the Battle River near Forestburg. After the re-union luncheon, Ethel and family motored on to Stettler to visit her mother, Mrs. (Granny) Baines, and to introduce Granny to her new great-grandson, David Glen Berrecloth. They returned home Sunday night.

**RETURN TO B.C.**

Geo. and Ida Niemetz motored to Edmonton and took George's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Niemetz to the home of their daughter, Erma, and Fred Onyschuk where they were to spend a couple of days before returning by plane to their home at Ladner, B.C.

Joe and Tillie Yurkowsky and son, Joey, left Friday by car on a trip to visit their son, Ernie, and Carol near Kamloops, B.C. They also intend to visit other relatives and friends on route to the coast and on the way home.

On Friday (Farmers' Day), Emil and Martha Tiedemann of this district, their daughter, Mrs. Yvonne Brown of Ketchamoot, Sandy and Irene Scott and two girls of Lindbrook, Eric and Bertha Sorrell and family, Elaine and Freddy, Daryl Bertch of Edmonton and Bill and Mary Tiedemann of Deville went on a sightseeing motor trip as far as Fabyan. They enjoyed a picnic basket dinner there and a picnic supper at the roadside picnic grounds at Shonts on the way home. They also stopped and visited places of interest both on the way to Fabyan and on the return trip.

Joe and Esther Majakey and Esther's cousin, Mrs. Iva Logan all of Edmonton, were visitors in the district at the weekend, and were Saturday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Esther's brother, John and Mary Wood.

Mrs. Mary Wood, Mrs. Esther Majakey and Mrs. Iva Logan, of Edmonton, Mrs. Gloria Wood and Jack and Helen Gray and children, Don and Carolyn, of North Cooking Lake, were all Saturday afternoon coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood.

Clayton and Rose Ross and girls of Ryley and Rose's step-father, Wm. Blanchard of B.C., were Tuesday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton where they visited with Mervin Ross. Mr. Blanchard is also Marvin and Clayton's uncle.

SYMBOL OF HOPE. When this symbol for the United Nations flag was adopted by the U.N. General Assembly on October 20, 1947, it was hoped it would soon fly over a peaceful world... the dream has yet to be fulfilled, but the hope lingers on.

# Bardo Church history

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congregation. Although he never served as its minister he often preached in the church and used his influence for the furtherance of any worthy project. Chester Ronning, a son, is looked upon as a local product, having lived in the settlement for many years of his youth. He served in China as a missionary, after which he was principal at Camrose Lutheran College. While at College, he developed the College Choir, which rose to great heights in the Provincial Festival in the late 30's and early 40's. He also was a member of the Legislature for a term at this time. He has also served his country well as he has been in the diplomatic world as ambassador or high commissioner to various countries before his retirement this year.

Other sons included Talbert, who was a missionary in China for many years and is presently serving as a Pastor in the States, and Harold who married a local girl, Gudrun Ness, and taught for a number of years at Pacific Lutheran.

The Ronnings left the community in 1913 for Valhalla Centre, where Rev. Ronning helped form several Lutheran congregations in the Grande Prairie area. Leonard Stauffer presently owns the old Ronning farm.

In 1908 Rev. A. Hjortaas was an assistant pastor working with Pastor Carlson. Then in 1908 and 1909 when a new parish comprising Ryley, Trondhjem (Round Hill) and Bardo was formed, a call was extended to Rev. A. Hjortaas. He served the parish for three years and during his ministry Amisk Creek joined the parish, making it four congregations.

In 1911, Rev. A. Hjortaas resigned. Rev. C. L. Jothen served until 1915. Rev. C. Hoverstein became the pastor in 1916, and not only did he serve faithfully for seven years, but had the honor of being called again in 1926 when he served another three years. On June 14, 1917, the veteran Pastor Bersvend Anderson, who had been living and witnessing in the community all this time, passed on to his reward at the age of nearly 96.

The congregation suffered a great misfortune on June 7, 1921, when the church was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. By cutting a hole in the wall, the organ, seats and fixtures were saved. There was no insurance. Now the congregation had to gather in the school house for worship again. They were dissatisfied with this arrangement and so again they took courage to start building.

By the spring of 1922, a subscription committee had collected $2,600, part of which was donated by the Ladies' Aid. Again the men helped build the church, but this time all the lumber was purchased. A little over a year after the fire, on September 3, 1922, the first service was held in the new church.

Sylvia Ness, a sister of Ingvald Ness who was one of the first two baptized in the old church, was the first child baptized in the new church.

The first wedding in the new church took place on December 20, 1923, with Axel Kindley and Nita Hansen being united in marriage by Rev. O. K. Blomlie. Nita was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hansen who were the first couple married in the community.

The first funeral service in the new church was conducted on September 29, 1922, for Ole G. Hagen, who was killed in a runaway accident.

The new church was not finished before 1926, when it was dedicated on August 22 by the Rev. J. J. Akre, President of the Canada District. Rev. O. K. Blomlie had finished the chancel and made the altar, pulpit and baptismal font. He also painted the altar picture, "Christ Knocking at the Door", which is still the central focal point in the church.

It was during Rev. Blomlie's ministry that Holden joined the parish in 1926. Pastor N. Bjelde served the Ryley parish from 1926 to 1936, after which Pastor Hoverstein came back for three years. In 1938 Salem Lutheran of Kingman joined the parish to make it six congregations, and services were held every other Sunday. Pastor A. M. Vinge served the parish from 1939 to 1943, before leaving for Camrose, where he served at the congregation, then C.L.B.I.. Rev. G. Ostrem followed Mr. Vinge and served for four years before going to the States. Pastor Ostrem returned to Canada last year.

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# Witness convention at Wainwright soon

Bert Cornelius will be leading a delegation of 25 from Tofield and district who will attend a three-day assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses in Wainwright this weekend.

Mr. Cornelius feels that the theme of the convention, "Living a New Way of Life" is very fitting for our day. "Too often we feel that religion is a one-day-a-week affair—or less. But the Bible emphasizes the importance of living by its principles every day. This assembly should help us to move even closer to this ideal way of life," he stated.

Delegates from 15 points in north-eastern Alberta are expected to attend. It is estimated that the attendance will reach 400 on Sunday.


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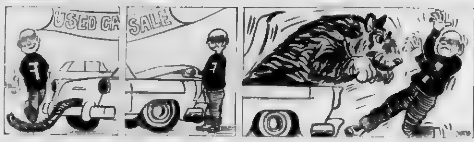


## CYNTHIA

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# Gun club has 2nd annual competition

The Tofield Gun Club held its second annual shooting competition on June 6th. at it's range north of town.

The shooting got under way at 10:00 a.m. under cloudy skys with a strong northwest wind blowing across the range.

Event No. 1 was the iron sight 22 rim-fire at 50 yards, which was won by Morlin Rude of Bardo with a score of 46/50 using a Mossberg bolt action repeating rifle. The 100-yard centre fire smokeless event, any gun, any sights, was won by Arny Klassen of Tofield with a telescope sighted 30-30 Marlin lever action carbine, the score being 26/30. Two smokeless powder pistol events were next on the agenda, rim-fire and centre fire, both at 20 yards. The rim-fire prize was won by Gordon Warner of Edmonton with a score of 45/30 using a Hi-Standard semi-auto .22 pistol. Bob Place, another Edmonton shooter, won the centre fire event, scoring 44/30 with his 455 Webley-Green.

Bear shooting was next on the list, and Willy Pederson of Camrose took the prize with a Hi-Standard semi-auto .22 Olympic. The bear target is a plywood cut-out of a bear with a concealed bell built into it's vital area. [illegible] yards from the bear and the target is moved back 5 yards after each relay has fired, each shooter fires one shot at the bear, if he rings the bell he comes back for another shot in the next relay, a miss eliminates him.

### AFTERNOON EVENTS

After a short dinner break, the black powder competitions started with the 100-yard centre fire rifle event. Bob Place took this one, getting a score of 26/30 with his 577/450 Martini-Henry rifle. Muzzle loaders at 100 yards were next with Bill Anderson of Hinton showing the way by taking the prize with a score of 16/30 using a .41 Swiss percussion rifle. In the black powder pistol events Larry Wilson of Tofield took both prizes, muzzle loading and cartridge. The cartridge event went with a score of 41/30 using a 7.65mm Belgian Nagant revolver and 23-30 ammunition and the muzzle loading event with an 1860 Colt replica in .44, the score being 45/30.

### MAIN EVENT

The main event of the day was a team stake-cutting match at 35 yards, five teams taking part in this event. The winning team consisted of Frank Stevenson, captain, firing a 50-70 Remington rolling block, Nick Krevochein, Jack Haine and Bob Place, all firing 577/450 Martini-Henrys. These shooters all came from Edmonton. The prize for this match was a large trophy put up for annual competition by Northwestern Utilities Ltd. Small individual trophies were also supplied for each team member to keep.

### TRAP SHOOT

Trap shooting came next, with black powder to start. Willy Pedersen taking this miss and out competition with a 12 Ga. o/u Winchester gun. The smokeless event, also miss and out, was won by Gordon Warner who was using a 12 Ga. Model 12 Winchester. Two novelty shoots finished off the day, the first another attack on the bear from 15 yards this time shooting from the hip with pistols. Don Hardy of Tofield took this one with an [illegible] .44 Colt replica on the last shot of the first round, being the only one to ring the bell. Rifles were next put against the defenceless bear, at 30 yards, miss and out. Bill Backman of Hinton took [illegible] after the third round while using his .54 home made muzzle loader.

The First Tofield Scout Troop operated a concession booth in which they sold hot dogs, coffee, pop and doughnuts.

In spite of the cold day, the club members were gratified at the strong turn out, five shooters coming from Hinton, four from Camrose, 12 from Edmonton, one from Sherwood Park, two from Bardo and one from Ryley, the balance of the shooters being club members on the total field of over 40 competitiors. A fairly large crowd of spectators were also in attendance, this being particularly pleasing in view of the poor [illegible] in 1964.

The Northwestern Utilities Ltd. trophy was presented to the winning team by J. E. Hardy, the district foreman of Northwestern Utilities Ltd., at Tofield. The remaining trophies, consisting of pen stands (desk sets) with suitable embeddiments for each [illegible] competition, [illegible] and engraved by club members, were presented by the club president, Bill Freisen. The prize for the best dressed visiting shooter, chosen by Mrs. J. E. Hardy and Mrs. N. E. Stauffer, was won by Ron Willson of Edmonton.

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# Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann were business visitors in Edmonton Monday of last week and [illegible] guests with Miss [illegible] at the Park Hotel where she is employed.

Mr and Mrs. Sam Black, Lana and Milton were Edmonton visitors Tuesday of last week, where Lana was writing her grade four music [illegible]

Mrs. N. L. Campbell returned home late Monday evening, May 31st, after spending two weeks at Leduc being cook for her two grandsons, Billie and Jimmie, and their father, while her daughter, Marjorie, visited in Winnipeg with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell, and three sons. The Campbells will be leaving Winnipeg the end of the month to make their future home in Toronto, Ont., where Bill has been transferred, taking over the management of the firm there.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Lars Olsen, who was a Tofield hospital patient for four days having a check-up, returned home Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren of Elk Point were visitors over the holiday weekend, May 23rd, visiting with Mrs. Warren's uncle, Chris Christensen, and visiting with her mother, Mrs. Elna Parsons, a patient for the last two weeks in Tofield hospital. Mrs. Warren stayed for two or three days, to visit with her mother.

Mrs. Anna Warren and her uncle, Chris Christensen, were evening visitors with Mrs. Sam Black and family before she returned home.

Mrs. Percy Barlow has returned home after being a patient in Viking hospital, having tests and treatments for a week. We are pleased to hear that she is feeling better.

Geo H. Taylor was a business visitor in Viking Thursday of last week.

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# Andrew 45-piece band . . .

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please contact any one of the ladies in charge.

Revels, popsicles, creamsicles and ice-cream bars will be sold instead of ice-cream cones. '7-Up' will be available from the company which makes it.

At [illegible] in the curling rink, John Baergen will again be in charge. Sizzling hot-dogs and a plentiful supply of coffee will be available.

The Bar-B-Que, under the direction of Vince Bates, will be ready at 5:00 p.m. To add to the delicious barbecued beef, Bill and Elizabeth Davison have arranged for baked potatoes, brown gravy, sliced cucumbers and tomatoes, and buns to be served by the barbecue workers. Henry Page, manager of the local creamery, will see that plenty of hot coffee is available. Dishes and cutlery will, of course, be supplied.

With only a few days left, the executive of the Tofield Community League has announced plans for the placing of various displays on the Exhibition Grounds. The Tofield School's contribution to "Tofield Showcase '65" will be mounted on the ice-side of the windows in the curling rink. Also inside the playing area of the rink will be housed the handicraft display. This display is something new for Tofield Showcase '65, and promises to be very interesting. Here the public will have a chance to see the lapidary collection loaned by H. A. Pike. Mr. Pike has about 300 specimens of polished rocks, which include semi-precious stones. This collection features agates collected from areas as far apart as Vancouver, Arizona, Mexico and Oregon. (Mr. Pike says that agates and rattlesnakes abound in the same areas . . . he has collected only the agates)

There are entries of rock-jewellery in the handicraft display; a birds-egg collection has been contributed, a model car collection will delight the hearts of youthful visitors, a Polish wedding doll will interest the girls, and Larry Wilson's collection of articles made from animals' horns will recall pioneer times. Leathercraft, oil paintings, needlepoint pictures and hooked rugs will also be on display. Anyone having entries for the handicraft display is asked to telephone Mrs. Rex Boyles, Mrs. Conrad Patterson or Mrs. H. A. Pike. All handicraft enthusiasts are urged to make their part of Tofield Showcase '65 a memorable sight.

The Tofield Historical Society will be hosts to the Old-Timers in the lobby of the Curling Rink. Here, the ladies of the Ketchamoot district will serve free coffee to all those who were here in 1915. Old Timers will receive identifying ribbons as they reg-

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AUCTION SALE
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the undersigned auctioneers will sell by Public Auction on the farm situated on the S.E. ¼ 2-53-18-W4, located 12 miles north and 1 mile west of Tofield, or 1 mile east and 2 miles south of ROSS CREEK STORE: on—
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Commencing at 10:00 a.m. — Lunch by Ladies' W.A.
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DAIRY COWS $190.00 each. Medium Cows $14.00 cwt
STOCK COWS & CALVES sold up to $197.00.
CALVES sold from $25.00 to $50.00 each.
WEANER PIGS, $11.00 to $13.00. Light Feeders sold up to $20.00 each.
PIGGY SOWS, $70.00 — Gilts, $60.00 — Boars, $30.00-$50.00.
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1—PARCEL OF 15 TOP HEREFORD STEERS— from one contributor.
1—HEREFORD BULL, 13 months old.
A good listing of Feeder and Weaner Pigs
Heavy Sows Gilts & Boars.
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# Around the town . . .

**CATTLE TO RUSSIANS**

Doris and Howard Brown were among those from the district selling cattle to the Russians, selling 17 head.

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A number of the Northwestern Utilities employees' wives attended the annual social night held in the service centre of the auditorium in Edmonton Tuesday night.

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Mildred Dunlop, Zip and Betty Gray spent the weekend at Drayton Valley.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jefferson spent three days last week visiting in Edmonton.

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**VISIT IOWA PLANT**

Jack Hardy, Tofield, and Hugh McCalster, Wetaskiwin, both from Northwestern Utilities, two men from Northland Utilities, Grande Prairie, and two from Canadian Western Utilities in Calgary, left by plane early Sunday morning for Marshaltown, Iowa, to visit the plant where the [illegible] and also attend the classes. They will return home Friday evening.

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Mr and Mrs Joe Yurkowski and Joe Jr. left last Thursday for a two-week holiday in B.C.

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[illegible] and Ger[illegible] Wayne of Edmonton, [illegible] Lynn Hosler and family of Leduc were Thursday visitors in town.

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George Thiessen and W. A. Swift attended the Masonic Grand Lodge in the Jubilee Auditorium in Caglary last week.

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Tofield fire brigade held a weiner roast with their families in the sports ground last Thursday evening. Members of the brigade are John Baergen Jr. Rudy Huebert, Jack Tiedemann, Bert Clark, Wm. Friesen, Walter Neufeld, Geo Thiessen, Geo Boese and W. A. Swift.

A number of ladies from town and district helped Doris Brown celebrate her birthday on Tuesday afternoon, June 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stimson left on Saturday afternoon for Banff where Mr. Stimson will attend the 21st annual seminar for school trustees and secretary-treasurers, and at which he represents the County of Beaver No. 9 school committee.

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Evelyn Chilcowich, who is employed with the AGT in Edmonton spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chilcowich.

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Tony and Sandra Chilcowich and baby, Zena, of Fort Saskatchewan, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chilcowich.

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Myrtle Imler from Calgary spent a few days last week with Inga and Jack Hardy, and while there, visited with other friends in town.

# Andrew 45-piece band . . .

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later for this year's Tofield annual celebration.

It will be remembered that, for Tofield's Golden Jubilee in 1959, Mr. J. R. Francis compiled a map of the Tofield district which featured the names of the original owners of the land. To the great delight of the Tofield Historical Society, Mr Francis now announces that copies of this map will be available for sale on July 1. For several years the Historical Society has been hoping to have this map duplicated—now these hopes are realized. This map is a valuable historical document for this area, copies of it will be eagerly awaited. They will be on sale in the lobby of the curling rink. Here, pictures of the pioneer era of Tofield may also been seen.

The display of period furniture arranged by the Tofield Historical Society will be on view in the waiting room of the Skating Rink. And here, in true pioneer atmosphere and adding to it, will be Miss Edith Davison and her spinning wheel. Here, visitors may recall, or see for the first time, as the case may be, how woollen yarn is spun. The finished products will also be on display. Miss Davison is also an accomplished knitter.

For the comfort of participants in Tofield Showcase '65, John Baergen, president of the Community League, has announced that plans for ridding the grounds of mosquitoes by spraying is going forward. Rex Boyles is giving expert advice on this matter of mosquito extermination.

Work on the bleachers is progressing nicely, and many more spectators will be able to watch the baseball tournament from the new bleacher sections. Mr. Lehman from Ryley, a recent graduate of radio school, has offered to be the baseball commentator. This good neighbor gesture is much appreciated by the League. During the afternoon, a show will be presented in the Community Hall, and the Hall will also be the scene of the dance, played for by the Schwill Bros. orchestra, which will be the closing event of "Tofield Showcase '65".

# Fete two at shower

Mrs. Beryl Lampett, Mrs. Eleanor Campbell, Mrs. Daisy Young and Mrs. Grace Phillips were co-hostesses on Monday, June 14th, at Mrs. Lampett's home for a bridal shower held in honor of Miss Gloria Irwine and Miss Sharon Ingram whose weddings will occur early in July. The guests at the shower were the feminine members, and the wives of the male members of the staff of the Tofield school. Gifts of linen were presented to the two brides-elect, who have this year been members of the Tofield school staff.

# Spilstead news

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

The Spilstead Ladies' Society held their regular meeting on June 2nd at the home of Mrs. Mary Schmidt.

**[illegible]**

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Belcourt were Warren and Sherry and Gi-Gi Belcourt and Joanne and Eddie Schywl. They all attended the surprise birthday party for Allan Barnhard.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lindberg and family were dinner guests at the Art Heflin home on Sunday.

Dorothy Ferguson and children are spending a week with Dorothy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

Ken and Sylvia Winder and family visited Louise Winder recently.

The Harley Schmidt family visited Mr. and Mrs. Art Heflin last week.

**BIRTHS**

Mr. and Mrs. H. Berreclath have another grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Berreclath recently.

Dianna and Irvin Olson have announced the birth of their son, Darren, a birthday present for his aunt, Darlene Fairbrother.

**[illegible]**

There was open house at the Spilstead Hall on Sunday for Allan Barnhard as it was his 70th birthday with a large crowd of his relatives, friends and neighbors present to celebrate the occasion.

Recent visitors at the Ernest [illegible] were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Balascak and family, Dirk and Elaine de Freese and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Fairbrother and family, all of Ed[illegible]

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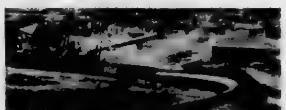

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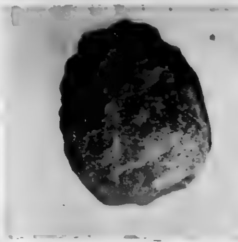

**METEORITE, MAYBE?**

Lyle Hartman thinks he found a meteorite when doing his spring seeding recently, and is keeping the above stone [illegible]. Working on the north quarter of [illegible] a few days ago, he turned up this item, and checked it with a pamphlet mailed to him by the Geographical Survey of Canada which points up some of the distinctions between meteorites and just plain boulders. He found a couple of pieces several years ago, and like this, they were just loaded with minerals. Interestingly enough, discovery of meteorites is more common in this area than any other in Canada. The Geographical Survey is highly interested in finding such units, and pays $100 for the first piece from any meteor turned in.

# Modern etiquette

Q. Just how can I, without appearing rude or abrupt, break off a telephone conversation with someone who keeps talking on and on?

A. You can resort to old standbys as, "The doorbell is ringing", "I have a cake in the oven", or "I'm sorry, but I must rush now, I have an engagement". Little untruths, yes—but at least you're being kind enough to avoid hurting the other person's feelings.

Q. When dining with someone, is it considered good manners to continue eating while you are being spoken to?

A. You can certainly listen while you continue eating. But be sure, above all, that your mouth is empty of food before you attempt to talk.

Q. Are correspondence cards considered in good taste?

A. Yes, and they are popular for the short, informal kind of messages. However, they should be used only for strictly informal correspondence.

Q. Is a bride required to write a thank-you note for a cheque given to her as a wedding gift, just as she does for other gifts?

A. Indeed yes, and if possible she tells the donor just what she intends to do with the money.

Q. My husband and I took house guests for an auto ride recently, and I sat in the front seat with my husband, our guests in the rear. I have since been told this was wrong. Was it?

A. Yes. You should have asked one of your guests to sit in front, while you sat in the back with the others.

Q. I see more and more people cutting their bread and rolls at the table with their knives. Is this now considered correct?

A. Not at all. Good behavior still requires that bread, rolls, and the like be broken into small pieces with the fingers, and each piece individually buttered as it is eaten.

FROM JAPAN. Premier W. A. C. Bennett of B.C., following his tour of Japan, has announced that hundreds of millions of dollars of Japanese investment will soon be pouring into his province. Included will be a new pulp mill and copper mine at Iskut River, including a power development and a railway venture there, and experimental shipment of B.C. propane gas to Japan.

# Ross Creek news

Kenneth and Wayne Malkowich [illegible] spent the Sunday fishing at Hastings Lake.

Friday, June 11th, was the birthday of Ruth Svitch. On Saturday afternoon Joseph and Iris Bilan and sons Ronald and Gregory joined John and Ruth at a wiener roast and an afternoon of boating, in John's boat, out on James Woytowich's lake.

Calvin Hederson and friends, from Nova Scotia and Edmonton, were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Joseph and Iris Bilan.

# Holden and district

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Armstrong were Sunday visitors with their daughter, Diane, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sawers, and daughters at Vermilion.

**GOLD MEDAL WINNER**

Mrs. Campbell was pleased to receive the news that her grandson, Jimmie, who was a contestant in the musical competition recently held in Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, was first in his class on the clarinet. He had a grade of 90 marks and was awarded a gold medal. His mother, Mrs. Ken Campbell, accompanied him at the piano before she left for Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Basarabe are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, weighing 8 lbs., 2 ozs., at the University Hospital in Edmonton.

Mrs. Laura Christiansen was taken to the University Hospital in Edmonton the early part of last week. Mrs. Christiansen has not been well since her return from being a patient for three weeks in Tofield hospital recently.

# Ketchamoot

Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly McGattie and family were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jacobs of Ryley.

Leonard Lawson and son of Calgary visited with Peter and Yvonne Brown on Monday.

**FWUA MEETS**

The United Farm Women met at the home of Mrs. Harold Schultz on Thursday where the home economist of Vegreville gave a demonstration of whether it is cheaper to buy, freeze or can your fruits and vegetables. Miss Francis Schultz was given the opportunity to attend Gold-Eye Camp in July.


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# Ross Creek news

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(Intended for last week)

Miss Jo-Ann McLachlan and her fiance, Jim Carter, were home for the weekend, with Jim flying out from Fort McMurray, where he is working at present. Other supper guests with Joseph and Isabel on Sunday were Lester and Dorothy McLachlan and family of Fort Saskatchewan and Mr and Mrs. Scotty Munroe of Edmonton.

**HERE FROM ARIZONA**

Russell and Lillian Hlsey's daughter Ethel and her husband Ralph Gibeault and children, Gail and Larry, of Arizona, are here to spend a two-week vacation with both Ethel and Ralph's parents and other relatives and friends. On Sunday, Lillian held a family gathering at her home, with other guests including Rennie and Agnes Hlsey and family [illegible] Ardith Hlsey and family.

Raymond and Frances McLachlan and family were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Frances' brother-in-law and sister, Fred and Irene Antoniuk.

Doreen McLachlan and son Terry, of Sherwood Park, were weekend visitors in Ross Creek, staying overnight Saturday with Raymond and Frances McLachlan, and Sunday with George and Winnie McLachlan.

Sunday visitors at the home of Wally and Nettie Yez were Nettie's brother, Bill, in the afternoon, while another brother, Fred, and his wife, of Edmonton, were evening guests.

Floyd McLachlan, of Calgary, and Billy Woiknyk, of Vancouver, a former resident of the district, were in Ross Creek on Friday, visiting the Joseph and George McLachlan families, and others in the district.

**Born, to Allan and Joan Daigo, of Calgary, on May 31, a son. Proud grandparents are William and Annie Bilan of Ross Creek.**

Visitors at the home of Gene and Lynn Schacker on Saturday were Lynn's parents, of Edmonton.

**ANNIVERSARY**

Saturday, June 5th, was the 19th wedding anniversary of Graham and Elma Snider, with Graham and Elma and Raymond and Frances McLachlan being guests at the Chipman Lions Club Charter Night in the evening.

Howard and Nell Malcolm and Ivan and Florence Malcolm were entertained to a steak barbecue at the home of Keith Malcolm on Friday night.

On Friday evening, June 4th, boys and girls of the district attended first confession at the Greek Catholic Church in Chipman, while Saturday morning was the scene of their first communion, with Debbie Yez and Sherry Woytowich of Ross Creek taking part and being presented with white prayer books, rosaries and certificates.

**73RD BIRTHDAY**

Friday, June 4th, was the 73rd birthday of Alex Ford, and was also the birthday of his son-in-law, John Jackson. Gathering to celebrate the birthdays at the Alex Ford home on Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford, John and Thelma Jackson of Edmonton, Howard and Fern Thor and family of Islay, Harold and Edith Atterwell and family of Brookville, Lester and Wilma Odiorne and family of Ross Creek, Wilfred and Shirley Ford and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wisler of Good Hope.

John and Gertie Ferrel and George and Winnie McLachlan visited with Orville and Margaret Hopf in Edmonton on Saturday evening, and all enjoyed a night [illegible] bowling.

A Bailey family re-union was held Sunday at the home of Ralph and Alice Cossey.

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# Ministik news

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

Once again the attendance at the United Church was very good, and all enjoyed services conducted by Miss Helen Irwin.

Sunday School, too, is being well attended, with parents faithfully bringing their youngsters to classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McSporran were Friday shoppers in Edmonton.

Archie Ferguson was in Edmonton on Monday for an appointment with his doctor and to visit his sister and her husband, the S. L. Edwards.

**BIRTHDAY SURPRISE**

Mrs. Alex Pearce was pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening when all her family came with supper prepared for her birthday.

Melvin Loch, local bus driver, was the winner of the large grocery hamper raffled by the Ministik School, funds to go towards buying school equipment.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson was in Edmonton on Monday doing last minute shopping for the strawberry tea held on Saturday.

Max Mulberry spent Sunday at his home, after being on a "long haul" to Vancouver.

Mrs. Lillian Diamond, of Edmonton, was a Sunday afternoon and luncheon guest with Mrs. S. George.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch and Beverly attended a wedding in Jasper Place on Saturday.

**TRIP TO COAST**

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach leave at the weekend for a trip to Vancouver and other coastal points. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leach will look after Chester in their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick and family recently moved into the home formerly occupied by Bill's mother, Mrs. Gladys Roddick, of Edmonton. Mrs. Roddick will use Bill's house when she comes to the farm on vacation or weekends.

...s. Michael Nastechuk has been assisting Mrs. MacIntyre at the store with housecleaning and painting.


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# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. [illegible])

Miss Clarice Jacobsen was a Friday overnight and Saturday guest of Miss Florence Stutzman.

Mr and Mrs. Twigge and their three younger children, of Edmonton, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood.

Mrs (Margie) Lorne Berrecloth and infant son David returned home from the Tofield Hospital on Saturday.

George and Ida Niemetz were Thursday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Joe and Tillie Yurkowski. Mrs. Obertas was also a guest there.

**VISITOR FROM ONTARIO**

Herb Niemetz of Temagami, Ontario who has been visiting relatives in Tofield and district the past week, was a Wednesday overnight guest at the home of his brother George and Ida Niemetz. He was a Wednesday supper, Thursday afternoon and supper, also overnight guest at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton. He was a Friday evening, supper and overnight guest at hte home of his brother Charlie and Mickey Niemetz. On Saturday morning Charlie took him to Edmonton to spend Saturday and overnight at the home of his sister Erma and Fred Onyschuk, before leaving Sunday by plane for Ontario and work. While here he also spent part of the time visiting with his niece Patsy and Leonard Loxton and with Walter and Evelyn Eaton and family in Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Niemetz of Ladner, B.C., who are visiting relatives in the district, were guests at the home of Elmer and Vi Geuglein from Thursday to Saturday this past week. At present they are guests at the home of their son, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

Don and Deanna Niemetz and baby son Sheldon were Saturday overnight and Sunday visitors at the home of Don's parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz.

**FOUR GENERATIONS**

On Sunday, Geo. and Ida Niemetz entertained at a turkey dinner. Among the guests were George's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Niemetz of Ladner, B.C., their son and family, Don and Deanna Niemetz and little son Sheldon of Provost, their daughter, Gail Niemetz of Edmonton, and Ron Ozubko of Edmonton. There were four generations present, namely: Joe Niemetz, his son George, grandson Don and great-grandson Sheldon, all Niemetz.

Fred and Grace Jacobsen and boys of Edmonton were Saturday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Fred's brother, Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen and family.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

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# Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

(Intended for last week)

Miss Jo-Ann McLachlan and her fiance, Jim Carter, were home for the weekend, with Jim flying out from Fort McMurray, where he is working at present. Other supper guests with Joseph and Isabel on Sunday were Lester and Dorothy McLachlan and family of Fort Saskatchewan and Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Munroe of Edmonton.

**HERE FROM ARIZONA**

Russell and Lillian Hisey's daughter Ethel and her husband Ralph Giboeault and children, Gail and Larry, of Arizona, are here to spend a two-week vacation with both Ethel and Ralph's parents and other relatives and friends. On Sunday, Lillian held a family gathering at her home, with other guests including Rennie and Agnes Hisey and family and Alvin and Ardith Hisey and family.

Raymond and Frances McLachlan and family were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Frances' brother-in-law and sister, Fred and Irene Antoniuk.

Doreen McLachlan and son Terry, of Sherwood Park, were weekend visitors in Ross Creek, staying overnight Saturday with Raymond and Frances McLachlan, and Sunday with George and Winnie McLachlan.

Sunday visitors at the home of Wally and Nettie Yez were Nettie's brother, Bill, in the afternoon, while another brother, Fred, and his wife, of Edmonton, were evening guests.

Floyd McLachlan, of Calgary, and Billy Wolknyk, of Vancouver, a former resident of the district, were in Ross Creek on Friday, visiting the Joseph and George McLachlan families, and others in the district.

**Born, to Allan and Joan Dolgo, of Calgary, on May 31, a son. Proud grandparents are William and Annie Bilan of Ross Creek.**

Visitors at the home of Gene and Lynn Schacker on Saturday were Lynn's parents, of Edmonton.

**ANNIVERSARY**

Saturday, June 5th, was the 15th wedding anniversary of Graham and Elma Sakler, with Graham and Elma and Raymond and Frances McLachlan being guests at the Chipman Lions Club Charter Night in the evening.

Howard and Nell Malcolm and Ivan and Florence Malcolm were entertained to a steak barbecue at the home of Keith Malcolm on Friday night.

On Friday evening, June 4th, boys and girls of the district attended first confession at the Greek Catholic Church in Chipman, while Saturday morning was the scene of their first communion, with Debbie Yez and Sherry Woytewich of Ross Creek taking part and being presented with white prayer books, rosaries and certificates.

**73RD BIRTHDAY**

Friday, June 4th, was the 73rd birthday of Alex Ford, and was also the birthday of his son-in-law, John Jackson. Gathering to celebrate the birthdays at the Alex Ford home on Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford, John and Thelma Jackson of Edmonton, Howard and Fern Thor and family of Islay, Harrell and Edith Amewell and family of Brookville, Lester and Wilma Odiorne and family of Ross Creek, Wilfred and Shirley Ford and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wisler of Good Hope.

John and Gertie Farrel and George and Winnie McLachlan visited with Orville and Margaret Hopf in Edmonton on Saturday evening, and all enjoyed a night of bowling.

A Bailey family re-union was held Sunday at the home of Ralph and Alice Cossey.

# Ministik news

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

Once again the attendance at the United Church was very good, and all enjoyed services conducted by Miss Helen Irwin.

Sunday School, too, is being well attended, with parents faithfully bringing their youngsters to classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McSporran were Friday shoppers in Edmonton.

Archie Ferguson was in Edmonton on Monday for an appointment with his doctor and to visit his sister and her husband, the S. L. Edwards.

**BIRTHDAY SURPRISE**

Mrs. Alex Penrice was pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening when all her family came with supper prepared for her birthday.

Melvin Loch, local bus driver, was the winner of the large grocery hamper raffled by the Ministik School, funds to go towards buying school equipment.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson was in Edmonton on Monday doing last minute shopping for the strawberry tea held on Saturday.

Max Mulberry spent Sunday at his home, after being on a "long haul" to Vancouver.

Mrs. Lillian Diamond, of Edmonton, was a Sunday afternoon and luncheon guest with Mrs. S. George.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch and Beverly attended a wedding in Jasper Place on Saturday.

**TRIP TO COAST**

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leech leave at the weekend for a trip to Vancouver and other coastal points. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leech will look after Chester in their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick and family recently moved into the home formerly occupied by Bill's mother, Mrs. Gladys Roddick, of Edmonton. Mrs. Roddick will use Bill's house when she comes to the farm on vacation or weekends.

...s. Michael Nasiechuk has been assisting Mrs. MacIntyre at the store with housecleaning and painting.


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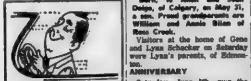

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# Lakeshore-McKenzie news briefs

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Mrs. (Margie) Lorne Borrecloth and infant son David returned home from the Tofield Hospital on Saturday.

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**VISITOR FROM ONTARIO**

Herb Niemetz of Temagami, Ontario, who has been visiting relatives in Tofield and district the past week, was a Wednesday overnight guest at the home of his brother George and Ida Niemetz. He was a Wednesday supper, Thursday afternoon and supper, also overnight guest at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton. He was a Friday evening, supper and overnight guest at his home of his brother Charlie and Mickey Niemetz. On Saturday morning Charlie took him to Edmonton to spend Saturday and overnight at the home of his sister Erma and Fred Onyschuk, before leaving Sunday by plane for Ontario and work. While here he also spent part of the time visiting with his niece Patsy and Leonard Loxton and with Walter and Evelyn Eaton and family in Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Niemetz of Ladner, B.C., who are visiting relatives in the district, were guests at the home of Elmer and Vi Geoglein from Thursday to Saturday this past week. At present they are guests at the home of their son, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

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**FOUR GENERATIONS**

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# Bardo Church history

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Pastor Sterling Johnson served the Ryley Parish from 1948-51, and it was during his tenure here that the old Ryley Parish was divided in two — Ryley, Holden and Amisk Creek forming one parish and Tomahkem, Kingman and Bardo forming the Kingman parish Rev O H Haugen was the first minister to serve the new parish, and he served until 1960, when he went to Bethany Sunset Home at Camrose to serve as chaplain Pastor Bue served the parish from 1960-64, when he resigned, creating the present vacancy.

The Bardo congregation are thankful for her sons and daughters who are in the ministry Missionary and Mrs Palmer Andersen, now retired and living at Minneapolis, were both commissioned missionaries to the China field, Mrs Anderson being the former Adella Horem, who became members of Bardo Congregation in 1907, the Horning name mentioned earlier in this article. Gordon Hendrickson, son of Mr and Mrs George Hendrickson, who is serving a parish at Hussar, Alta Mrs Irene Sirand the former Irene Rude, whose husband served at Round Up, Montana, and now Bryon Stolee is preparing himself for the ministry, and he is married to the former Hazel Moen, who was born and raised in the district

The people of Bardo have always been lovers of good music There has been a choir in the community since the first one sang at the Christmas celebration 70 years ago. P B. Anderson was its first leader and continued for over 25 years When Rev. O. K. Blondin was Pastor here, he was choir leader. A few of the other local people who have greatly helped to foster the community's real love for good music have been Magda Hendrickson, Olfried Moen, Mourad Fiaseh, Alice Broughton while she taught here, and Albin Anderson. Albin organized the Male Chorus and was its efficient and popular leader for many years. Gladys Stevenson is the present leader of the choir, which during the past years have rendered numerous Christmas and Easter Cantatas.

During the past years, improvements and redecorating have been done to the church. In 1948 Calgary power was installed, in 1958 a new stoker was put in, the basement has also been re-done, and last year the upstairs was painted in 1961 a Lowry electric organ was purchased, replacing the old Reed organ

Bardo has been a congregation of work for seventy years. The Word of God, which is living and active, has now been preached all these years. During these years there has also been many ministerial acts performed There has been a total of 276 baptisms, administered by various pastors, and 202 confirmed Sixty - five couples have been united in marriage Death has also visited the congregation from time to time, 83 have passed on

Now when our Congregation is commemorating its 70th anniversary, the public is cordially invited to come and help us observe this milestone as praises and thanks will be sung to God

May God forgive all our failings and all the shortcomings and give us His grace to go forward in the years He shall give us to work

Following is a short schedule of the anniversary program planned for June 16 to June 20

There will be services at the church starting at 8 00 p.m. on the 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th. Then on Sunday there will be morning services at 11 00 o'clock, and the anniversary afternoon service at 1 30

On Wednesday, Pastor Hansen of Camrose will speak; on Thursday, Pastor Ostrem, Friday, Pastor Bue, and on Saturday evening Pastor Gordon Hendrickson, a son of the congregation, will speak

The Sunday morning message will be brought by Dr S. Y. Jacobsen of Saskatoon in the afternoon. Pastor Vinge of Vancouver speaks — together with numerous greetings and musical numbers.

COMING AND GOING. Chosen Moderator of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, by acclamation, is Rev. J. Alan Munro of Toronto, left. Exiting from the post, right, is Rev. H. A. MacMillan. Dr. Munro was just preparing to retire as secretary for home missions when he was elected new Moderator.

# District couple marks fortieth anniversary

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE — On Sunday afternoon, June 13th, Elmer and Vi Gaugiets celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary at their home by holding open house from 2:30 p.m. on, during the day. There were 300 guests who signed th guest book besides numerous children that made up to approximately 350 guests that enjoyed a very delicious lunch and tea which the Lakeshore Ladies' Aid helped serve.

The guests included relatives and friends from Fort Wayne, Indiana, St. Paul, Westlock, Edmonton, Ryley, Lodner, B.C., Camrose, Vegreville, Tofield and other surrounding districts. All congratulated the couple and expressed their wishes that they would have many more happy years together Vi and Elmer thanked all for their good wishes. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent with visiting many old friends.

## Modern etiquette

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—J.W.B.

TO POLAND. It has been announced in Rome that Pope Paul will visit Communist-ruled Poland. Poland, largely Roman Catholic in religion, next year celebrates 1,000 years of Christianity. Speculation is also running rampant in Rome as everyone tries to predict what the Vatican will decide on regarding birth control.

## Ryley news

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Mrs. Alma Adams and Mrs Leonard Hay were in Edmonton on Friday to attend the funeral service for Mrs J H Blackburn, who passed away suddenly on Tuesday, June 8th. Mrs Blackburn was the former Miss Polina Olson of Amisk Creek.

Mrs. Edith Pepper celebrated her 79th birthday on June 13th, and welcomed relatives, friends and neighbors who called during the weekend to wish her a "happy birthday", and all best wishes for future years.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Whitson spent the weekend at Aspen Beach, Gull Lake, visiting with their son-in-law and daughter, Pat, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fawcett.

Mrs. Rohmer Johnson drove to North Battleford, Sask., this week to spend her holiday visiting with her brother and sister-in-law.


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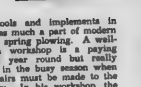


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### THE WEATHER . . .

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| 24 | 74 | 51 | 27.58 | .02" rain |
| 25 | 67 | 38 | 27.45 | .76" rain |
| 26 | 56 | 32 | 27.25 | 1.54" rain |
| 27 | 59 | 48 | 27.45 | 1.52" rain |
| 28 | 59 | 48 | 27.88 | .12" rain |
| 29 | 55 | 46 | 27.90 | slight rain |
| 30 | — | 47 | 27.81 | ——— |

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Let us then be what we are, and speak what we think in all things. Keep ourselves loyal to truth, and the sacred professions of friendship. — Miles Standish. —J.W.H.

## Bardo Lutheran Church marks 70th anniversary

Sunday, June 20th, brought a climax to a five-day observance commemorating the achievement of "The Faith of Our Fathers" seventy years ago. Based on the theme, "Faith Is The Victory", from Hebrews II, a series of meetings commemorating this event began on Wednesday evening, with Pastor O. H. Haugen, Chaplain at Bethany Home, Camrose, bringing the message on "Faith that receives from God". Pastor Haugen served Bardo Congregation from 1951 to 1960. Special music was rendered by the Junior Choir under direction of Mrs. Bernice Heiberg

On Thursday evening, Pastor G. I. Ostrem, who is presently serving the Kingman Parish as interim pastor, and who also served from 1944 to 1946, spoke on "Faith that rests on The Word". Trondheim's group of six young men sang two songs during the services.

On Friday evening, Pastor S. Rue of Pass Lake, Ontario, who just left the Kingman Parish last year after serving for four years, spoke on "Faith to press unto God", and Mrs. Lyle Christenson of Kingman sang a solo

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**TAIL TWISTERS**

**A tail twister is sort of a menace to Lions Club members but nevertheless they have their duty and seem to rather enjoy it, which is to fine members for defaults during a meeting. Arguing or backtalk brings a quick swat (or two or three) from the billy, thus members quickly learn to respect the tail-twister. Here Ray Hendrickson gives the new twister, Bob Rehrebeski, some pointers while turning over the position during the Lions installation night last week.**

— Photo by Peter Nickel.

## Sunday School picnic held despite deluge

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, June 28—In spite of a downpour of rain all day Sunday, most of the families in the district gathered at the community centre for the annual Sunday school picnic. Pot luck dinner was enjoyed at noon and for afternoon lunch everybody had all the ice cream they could eat as well as other goodies.

This marks the closing of the Sunday school for July and August Grace Heiberg was presented with a book from the Canadian WCTU for having obtained the highest mark in her grade in the National Temperance study course.

## Record rainfall in Lakeshore district

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE — Rain began falling on the district Friday, then early Saturday it became a steady rain, falling all through Saturday, Sunday, and until after noon on Monday, leaving creeks overflowing and flooding meadows, etc. The water has covered roadbeds in several places near here and washed out at least one large culvert west of Emil Tiedemann's, leaving a very dangerous hole in the roadbed, thus closing the road to traffic for the present time. We understand there has been over six inches of rainfall in the Tofield district since Friday evening to Sunday night, which has been the greatest amount of rain falling at one time in the district. We are all hoping for warm sunshiney weather from now on.

## R. Hovland agrees head EMO health service

George Taylor said at the June 14th meeting of the Emergency Measures Organization in Ryley, he had contacted Mr. Gilpin of Viking regarding the position of radiological officer. Mr. Gilpin advised that he had contacted the post office department and was told that he would be frozen by the federal government in case of a national emergency.

George Taylor advised that Raymond Hovland would accept the post as head of the health service and it was agreed he be accepted and that someone from EMO headquarters assist in drawing up a health plan.

Mr. Westmancoat advised that the rescue course in Ryley had been cancelled finally due to the lack of candidates. The instructors came for two nights but there were no candidates. The instructors setted out the rescue equipment and cut and whipped rope.

Selmer Hafso said he could get no interest in a rescue course in Viking.

Father Scriven asked if it would be possible to put on a rescue demonstration on July 1st at Tofield. Mr. Westmancoat said he would try and arrange it if it was approved by the people in charge of the July 1st celebrations.

Father Scriven said he would like to put on a rescue course in Tofield during the winter, but it was tabled until the next meeting.

Joe Chamalke said he has persons interested in a radiological course and expects he will have a course before the next meeting.

The chairman commented on the need for a communications course. This had been demonstrated by the failure of communications during the recent storm at Viking. He suggested that a course be held one evening in each town and a final exercise held after the course is completed.

George Taylor reported that he had been notified to send all radiological equipment in for

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## Lorna McLeod weds June 19

(Mrs. Taylor)

On Saturday, June 19th, Miss Lorna McLeod, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McLeod became the bride of R. Slak, of Innisfree. The wedding was held in the district north of Innisfree and the reception was held in the Community Hall at the same country point. Henry Tiedemann was master of ceremonies at the reception.

Among Holdenites attending the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, the Hooper families, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Good, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Foran, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Story, the Fleming family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Christianson, the Joe Hendels, and former Holden district residents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cadger of Edmonton.

Lorna is a Holden girl and attended school here, until she went to take nurse's training at Vegreville, later working in the hospital at St. Paul. Her many friends around Holden and district wish the newlyweds many years of happy married life.

# Dominion Day

Tomorrow is Canada's birthday . . . her 98th. And just as with every other near-centennarian, her friends are watching and hoping that she'll survive to score the 100th.

While most centennarians know that even having made it, their days are nonetheless numbered and short, in Canada's case it should be a signal achievement and an important milestone. Even chalking up the 98th is important, for every new birthday adds just that much more stature to the nationhood that has many times over seemed so frail and tenuous.

The storms of separatism are not yet over, neither in the East nor in the West. And yet they're not new . . . just different. More than half a century ago there was talk of the West seceding from the Confederation. There has been talk of the Maritimes splitting away. There have been times when British Columbia felt her destiny lay with the Northwest States. And today it's the turn of the Quebecois to feel aggrieved, and to want out.

Yet all the struggles still build slowly toward a stronger, and in the end, a more united Canadian spirit than we have known before.

Thank God we still have a country worth getting worked up over. And be thankful we still have the freedom to espouse either cause, or to forget the whole business if we want to.

We should all get out and wave the flag. It's a grand country . . . and many happy returns of the day!

# When is a fireman not

When is a fireman not a fireman is a question that is engaging the City of Drumheller and the Workmen's Compensation Board these days. When a man moves his own property to reduce danger, is he acting as an ordinary, prudent citizen would do? Does it make any difference that he is a volunteer member of the local fire brigade, trained to act in emergency?

Burned in moving his own Bunting but away from storage tanks to avert a major disaster in the area, a brigade member has been denied compensation by the Workmen's Compensation Board on the grounds he had not been called out by the fire chief. Indignantly, 23 other volunteers threaten to quit if the situation is not straightened out.

It would seem he could expect to collect compensation only as a fireman, and not as bus driver, if news reports are complete. But we suspect that if every member of every volunteer fire department waited until ordered to action by the chief, there would be many more serious claims for fire insurance. Across the province, literally thousands of fires must be reduced in severity by the prompt action of volunteers long before the alarm can be sounded and the fire chief able to swing into action.

# Answer to pressure

Premier Manning's move in setting up a committee to inquire into the uses and possible abuses of boards and commissions in the province is a step that will be welcomed by thousands of us. The move has been urged for some time by many of the more responsible members of society, and probably most strongly by the provincial bar association.

Details of the program are set out in this issue of The Canadian, and indicate a fairly searching and comprehensive survey is intended. Not the least important part will be the response from the public generally, and this will be keenly watched for. Conscientious as Mr. Manning and his cabinet may be, they still are keenly attuned to the political facts of life, and they carefully note not only how loud is the roar, but how many are making it.

Many citizens will feel the worst features of the present system are the lack of any appeal from the rulings of many of the boards, and the lack of proper training in jurisprudence which naturally attaches to many of the appointed people. The wide powers conferred on these boards often tends to circumscribe the rights of individuals.

But probably it is the last item which will carry the most interest: Whether there is need for a tribunal (not necessarily of three, according to our reading) which would perform quite largely the functions of an ombudsman. The word is not spelled out, and yet this is clearly what is referred to, in the possible need for some agency to which aggrieved persons could refer for investigation, review and possibly remedial action of regulations or decisions handed down by other boards, commissions, authorities, agencies, departments or what have you who control the life of Mr. Average Man.

Submissions are invited from individual citizens, companies and associations who may have interest in these matters. We hope the government's action in establishing the committee will be well received by the public, which has demanded it for some time, and that the resultant spirited interest and action will result in improvements needed.

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# Notice

A Special Committee on Administrative Boards and Tribunals has been established by the Lieutenant Governor in Council to study, and receive representations and recommendations, on the following matters:

1. A thorough survey and consideration of the Alberta legislation conferring jurisdiction or power on administrative boards and tribunals and the functions and powers exercised by them.
2. Whether such boards and tribunals infringe on the rights of individual citizens and if so, in what way and to what extent.
3. Whether there should be a greater provision for appeals to the courts from the decisions of such boards and tribunals.
4. Whether such boards and tribunals have a practical value in adjudicating matters without involving individual citizens in costly and time-consuming court procedures and whether the public interest is thereby served and if so, in what way and to what extent.
5. Whether there is need for a tribunal to which aggrieved individuals could have resort for the purpose of having decisions or actions by regulatory boards and tribunals and departments and agencies of the Government investigated and reviewed, and if there is such a need, what form of tribunal would be best suited for that purpose and what powers should it be given.

The Committee invites all persons, Companies and Associations who are interested in the above matters or any of them to file with its undersigned Secretary in writing not later than September 8th, 1965, their representations, recommendations and submissions. Following that date the Committee will announce the dates and places of public meetings at which the submissions will be heard and discussed.

Alex B. Weir,
Secretary of the Committee,
Room 320, Legislative Building,
Edmonton, Alberta.

PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

**GREAT BLUE HERON**

A rare sight in this part of the country is this huge member of the bird family which any photographer loves to capture on film. However, it is truly disappointing not to have a telephoto lens on such rare occasions. The photo was taken on the shores of Hastings Lake last week.

—Photo by Peter Nicholl.

# Father passes in B.C.

Arthur Gill of North Surrey, B.C., and formerly of Tofield, passed away on June 23rd, in his 81st year. Mr. Gill entered hospital about a month ago and had his leg amputated which was giving him trouble.

He was getting around in a "walker" when he succumbed very quietly as his doctor was talking with him.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his loving wife, Myrtle; daughter, Adela (Mrs. Sandy Robinson) of North Surrey, B.C.; and two sons, Victor at Matsqui, B.C., and Lawrence at Tofield; also eight grandchildren; and ten great-grandchildren.

# Last rites held for Mrs. Lillian Pithouse

Funeral services were held on Wednesday, June 23rd for Mrs. Lillian Ada Charlotte Maton Pithouse.

Mrs. Pithouse was born in a little village at Arnptan County, Hampshire, England, on October 23rd, 1891. She came to Canada at the age of 25 to join Henry George Pithouse who came to homestead in the Hay Lakes district in 1901 to build a home for his bride-to-be. They were united in marriage in Leduc in 1916. Their only daughter, Gwen, was born a few years later.

Mrs. Pithouse was a true pioneer of the early years, and had many interesting hours with no near neighbors and many miles from her childhood home and loved ones. However, she never complained and always had a smile and helping hand for those around.

Mr. and Mrs. Pithouse had the first post office and general store in Hay Lakes. In 1937, they sold their farm and retired to Edmonton. In 1940, Mr. Pithouse passed away. A few years later, Mrs. Pithouse joined her daughter, Mrs. Walter Muir near Tofield, where she resided for her remaining years. She was a gentle kindly lady, loving all living creatures. Gardening, reading and writing letters gave her great pleasure.

Mrs. Pithouse passed away peacefully in the Tofield Municipal Hospital after a short illness at the age of 84 years. She is survived by one daughter, three sisters, two in England, and one in Vancouver, four grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Hamstock and Sons chapel, Rev. A. W. Wilcox officiating (Cremation followed

# Locals . . .

Mrs. Viv Basarabe and children, Bruce and Mavis, were Edmonton visitors last week. They all enoyed a visit and supper with their sister and aunt, Mrs. K. King.

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Christine and Bonnie King of Edmonton returned home on Saturday after spending a week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanton, the latter accompanying them home

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. Jim Reddick)

Mrs. Helen Hennessy spent last weekend with her sister, Mrs. M. J. Lhuess of Wiseer, Sask.

LOTS OF TURKEYS

Mrs Russell Rowland took care of baby Jeske and household duties while Mrs. Bruno Jeske cared for her 5000 turkeys. Daughter, Christine, now has taken over as her school exams are finished.

Phyllis Davenport had an appointment with her dentist on Friday. Mrs. Bill Reddick took care of Doris and Lorraine while Phyllis and her parents were away.

Mrs Piper, who had been visiting at the W. F. Davenport, Joe Davenport and Ralph Leach homes returned to her home at Edson on Friday.

Gary and Peggie Rowland spent the weekend at their home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland and sister, Joan.

25-YEAR AWARD

Friends will be interested in hearing that John Hipplinger of Edmonton received a 25-year service award from Swifts' Packing plant last week for faithful service. John spent much time in this area years ago, staying at the Keith Williams farm or at the home of his sister, who then resided here, Mrs. Francis Ashburn.

Sheila Barnes, youngest daughter of Mrs. W. E. Barnes, is wished the very best for the future as she returns to her home in Glasgow, Scotland, this weekend.

Margaret and Edna Reddick spent the weekend with their parents, Dolly and Jim Reddick, after spending a week camping at Tunnel Mountain at Banff.

LOTS OF RAIN!

The rains came and rained for three days dumping almost seven inches of moisture on this area, according to Keith Williams' rain gauge. Old timers may say "I told you so" when they hear of large culverts not being able to handle run-off. Lloyd Grummett's slough resembles a lake.

# Minnie McConnell passes at 74 years

Minnie McConnell passed away June 21st in the Tofield hospital at the age of 74 years. Born in 1890 at town of Webb, Clay County, Iowa, she came to Tofield in the spring of 1908. In 1919, she married G. H. McConnell and they farmed southeast of Tofield until 1925 when they moved to Auburn, Nebraska. Here she lived until the passing of her husband. In 1932, she returned to Tofield to make her home.

She leaves to mourn her loss, one sister, Mrs. Doris Martin, and niece, Vermis, both of Seattle, Washington; nephews, Harold and Russell Schultz of Tofield and Walter Schultz of Edmonton, nieces, Mrs. Helen Jack of Edmonton and Mrs. Ruth Jacobsen of Byley.

Funeral services were held on June 24th in the Tofield United Church with Rev. W. McDonald officiating and interment in the family plot at Tofield.

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# THE RYLEY TIMES



## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hillard of Bellingham, Wash., U.S.A., visited at the Hans Hillerud home on Monday. They were accompanied by Olaf and Nora Anderson of the Bardo district. Mr. Hillard is a cousin of Olaf Anderson.

Jim and Grace Greig of White Rock, B.C., are in town on holidays, visiting with Jim's father, Bob Greig, and their many friends in the district.

**The rainfall in town from Friday night, June 25th, to Monday morning, June 28th, registered 6.3 inches, just double the normal precipitation for the month of June in Alberta.**

The cemetery day on Wednesday, June 16th, was well attended, and the cemetery today is a credit to all who are interested, a beautifully kept garden, a spot to be proud of.

The 4-H Dairy Calf Club achievement day will be held on Wednesday, July 7th, in the club's show ring on the sports ground. Showing of the four classes will begin at 1 p.m. and a refreshment booth will be operating.

**TRIPS OVERSEAS**

Ole and Agnes Hagen left on Tuesday, June 29th, on their long awaited trip back to Norway. They will be away about six weeks, and went by CPA on a "Sons of Norway" chartered flight.

Mrs. Tommy Harris leaves for her exciting six-week trip back to her native Wales on Friday, July 2nd, on a CPA chartered flight arranged by "The Welsh Society".

Jim and Marian Martindale and family of Chilliwack, B.C., are visiting with Marian's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Booth, and the other members of her family. They will pick up their son, Dunyne, from the Union College at Lacombe when they return to B.C., and leave their elder son, Jimmie at Lacombe, where he will be employed for the summer months.


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## Three firsts for minister

(Mrs. Jim Reddick)

MINISTIK — Baptismal and communion services were held at the United Church on Sunday with Rev. Roger York conducting. This made a third first for Mr. York at Ministik, as he had preached his first sermon, has his first mission field, and conducted his first communion here. He is wished the very best from his friends here as he goes to a mission field on a small island near Newfoundland.

The two small daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bachelder were baptized, namely, Lori Colleen and Arletta Yvonne Bachelder.

## Holden news

**CEMETERY DAY A SUCCESS**

Cemetery Day which was held Wednesday, June 23rd, was a huge success, with a very large turnout of Holden and district residents to clean the grounds, trim bushes and trees and do other necessary work to keep the place in good condition. The annual meeting was held at 4.00 o'clock, with all officers being nominated for a further year's term. They wish to thank all who turned out and helped to make this such a success.

## Lakeshore -

Howard and Nell Malcolm of Ross Creek were Saturday evening guests at bridge at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz. Later in the evening, Mickey served lunch and coffee to the guests after the very enjoyable affair.

Mrs. Vi Googlein, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Emma Beusching, and Mrs. Melinda Bruick, were visitors at the home of Vi's sister, Mrs. Lil Ball in Edmonton from Friday to Sunday, while their husbands went fishing.


**DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

**INVITATION**

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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

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### CARDS OF THANKS

May we express our sincere thanks to friends for their many acts of kindness, for the many memorials and for the beautiful flowers sent to the hospital. They were much enjoyed and appreciated. A special thanks to the neighbors who were so patient and understanding with her. May God bless you all. To Dr. Freebury, to Dr. Clark, to the nurses and to the staff at Tofield Hospital—thank you all.
—Relatives of the late Minnie McConnell. 44p-2363

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## Church notes

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10.30 a.m.—Sunday School
11.30 a.m.—Worship Service.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, July 4th
HOLDEN
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m. Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—First Sunday of month only, Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—Other Sundays, Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Every Sunday, Sunday School.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., [illegible]
Sunday, July 4th
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ... 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ... 9.00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ... 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ... 10.30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12 00 noon

## Storm dumps 6.83 inches rain during the weekend

(By Peter Nickel)

There was no rest on the Sabbath for most of the Tofield and district residents who were found pumping out their flooded basements, garages and barns over the weekend.

The torrential rains which dumped nearly seven inches (6.83 recorded by Searle Grain) on Tofield in three days caused the sewers to back up, together with leaks and overflowing cisterns, leaving up to three feet of water in some basements.

Farmers reported having to pump out anywhere up to one foot of water from their barns last Sunday before bringing in their cows to be milked. One farmer near Baver Lake estimates a thousand acres of grain under water, while generally most crops seem to have suffered little damage from flooding.

The north creek ran wild, flowing over its banks, water covered corral posts, filled one barn half full, washed out roads and finally flowed into Beaver Lake which was rising steadily.

Old-timers remarked, "Can't ever remember the creek being so high or runnig so wild". Some said they had never seen so much rain all at one time.

In town, Arnett Motors found nearly a foot of water covering the floor Sunday morning, and Henry Naughtigal found the forms of his new construction floating in the water which covered the entire lot.

Nearby pastures were three feet under water, while the Pool elevator was surrounded by a large area of water about 12 inches deep. Some streets were also under water.

The storm which began last Friday evening finally let up by Monday evening, with probably a record rainfall for the Tofield area, that won't soon be forgotten.

## Duguid to head Lions

(By Peter Nickel)

The Legion of Frontiersmen site was the scene of a very dramatic and entertaining evening for the Tofield Lions club last week when members and their wives gathered at the picturesque spot to see the new officers installed.

Before the meeting, however, the club enjoyed a sumptuous pot-luck supper with barbecued steak. As one member put it, "I've been saving my appetite for this occasion, and haven't eaten for three days".

While entertained by Lion Horace McIleffy and his amusing antics, together with Lion John Widynowski with his pollaroid camera, the appetites were satisfied and all gathered in the cabin for the final club meeting of the year.

President John Wall's report proved that the club had a very satisfactory year with it's many worthwhile projects as well as the club activities. Also, that the executive had done an excellent job.

**NEW PRESIDENT**

Dave Duguid being named the new President, looked down at Past - President Wall's size ?? brogues and remarked, "I hope I can fill those shoes".

Others named to the new executive were: Father Scriven, secretary, and Ray Hendricksen, treasurer. Bob Nehrebeski relieved Hendricksen of the tail-twister duties, while Lion Skeels took over as Lion-tamer. Added to the board of directors for a two-year term were Al Warner and Chuck Noble.

Peggy Nehrebeski's renditions on the piano brought the evening to a harmonious close.

## Ross Creek news

George and Winnie McLachlan were Saturday evening visitors at the home of Raymond and Frances McLachlan.

Howard and Nell Malcolm were Saturday evening visitors at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Snider and sons attended a mission festival held at Beaver Hills church on Sunday.

Overnight guests at the home of Wilfred and Shirley Ford on Thursday were Shirley's mother, Mrs. Ruby and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Holtz of Beaverlodge.

Mrs. Nell Malcolm attended a bridal shower held Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Jean Vickery at the home of Mrs. Lois Venonsen, Jasper Place.


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**OLD AND NEW**

Lion president John Wait hands over the gavel and bell to the new president Dave Duguid last week during the installation of officers held at the Legion of Frontiermen meeting. - Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Mrs. Catherine Tkaczyk passes June 11th at 72

On Friday, June 11th, 1965, Mrs. Catherine Tkaczyk of Holden passed away at the Viking hospital at the age of 72 years.

Mrs. Tkaczyk came to Canada from Nenoviche, Austria, on May 2nd, 1911, with her mother and sister at the age of 17 years, settling in the Radway district. She married Fred Tkaczyk on February 12th, 1912, in Radway where they homesteaded till 1928. In the spring of 1928 they moved to Holden where she resided till her passing.

Mrs. Tkaczyk served as a Sister at the South Holden Greek Catholic Church for 20 years.

She leaves to mourn her loss, six sons, John, Harry, Mike of Holden, Nick of Edmonton, Peter of Holden and Andrew of Bruce, four daughters, Mrs. Mike Osubko (Annie) of Bruce, Mrs. John Millar (Mary) of Seattle, Washington, Mrs. Alex Beaton (Kay) and Mrs. Joe Fix (Olga) both of Vancouver, B.C.; 21 grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; one brother, Peter Laskowski of Holden, and one sister-in-law, Mrs. Rose Tkaczyk of Edmonton, and a host of friends.

She was predeceased by her loving husband, Fred, in 1963, one son and two daughters as infants and a daughter, Bessie, in 1954.

Prayer services were held on Sunday, June 13th, at 8 p.m. in the Holden Greek Catholic Church. Mass was said by Rev Father Lozynski at the South Holden Greek Catholic Church on Monday, June 14th, at 10:00 a.m. Interment took place in the church cemetery, with Hoveland Funeral Home of Camrose in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were her loving six sons.

Many beautiful flower memorials were received and a large number of mass and memorial offerings were received.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, beautiful floral tributes and donations received from our many friends and neighbors during our recent bereavement in the loss of our beloved mother, Mrs. Catherine Tkaczyk. A special thanks to the ladies who prepared and served the luncheon.

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## 20th anniversary, birthday, calls for celebration

(Mary Mitchell)

KETCHAMOOT — Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown entertained a number of relatives at their home on Sunday to a double occasion: the 20th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Scott, and the birthday of their son-in-law, Clive Gudmundson.

Mrs. Annie Lee baked and decorated the birthday cake, while Yvonne Brown made the anniversary cake. Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Scott received a china tea set as a gift.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whitbread of Osoyoos, B.C., were visitors last week with Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGinitie.

Henry McGinitie and Willard McHeffey motored to Moose Lake to do some fishing over the weekend.

Hughie Godwin of Olds is vacationing with his grandmother, Annie McGinitie and great aunt, Edith Turner.

Little Tracy Whillans of Edmonton is staying with her grandparents, Dorthy and Roy Whillans and the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz and the family left Tuesday morning on vacation to the Okanagan Valley. They plan to spend most of the time boating on Lake Okanagan.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Whillans in Edmonton, a son, on June 22nd. The new arrival is a brother for Tracy.**

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

A lovely bridal shower was held for Miss Sharon Ingram on Wednesday evening in the United Church parlor. Over 50 guests enjoyed the pleasant evening and the bride-elect received many beautiful gifts.

Chester Coombes and Mrs. Brown Sr. of Holden are patients in the Tofield Municipal Hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Boese and Mrs. Heidebrecht Sr. and Esther and Ernest motored to Calgary to visit with relatives over the weekend. En route home they called on Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boese at Didsbury, who have a new son.

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Gordon Ash of Whitecourt was a visitor in Holden with friends Sunday and Monday of last week.

Herman Voigt is renovating several houses on his land east of his residence, which will be for rent.

Wm. Ash of Viking was a business visitor in Holden Monday of last week.

Miss Jean Pon of Edmonton spent Wednesday of last week visiting with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Fuey Pon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann were business visitors in Edmonton a week ago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McFayden and children were visitors in Fort Saskatchewan last week. Don stayed overnight and Mrs. McFayden and children stayed to visit for several days.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fortin and sons of Vancouver were visitors for a few days with Mrs. Fortin's mother Mrs. Olaf Chetney and Mr. Chetney the early part of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Chetney with the Fortins drove up to Grande Prairie Monday of last week to visit with Mrs. Chetney's son Elmer Logan and family, who operate the York Hotel there. Mrs. Chetney was saying that it is quite dry in that northern area. Mr. and Mrs. Fortin and sons returned home the end of the week.

Geo. H. Taylor was a visitor in Ryley Monday afternoon of last week, on EMO business.

Mrs. Robert Taylor and children visited Sunday afternoon and were supper guests with Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor, Sunday of last week, Robert calling in the evening to drive them home.

Ray Hovland was a business caller in Tofield Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Kathleen Hurum was a business caller in Vegreville a week ago Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs. John Semtuik and family were visiting in Vegreville last week with Mrs. Semotuik's mother, who was not very well.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Lars Ritland has been a patient in Tofield Hospital for the past two weeks having treatments on her injured leg. She was hoping to be home the beginning of this week.

Mrs. Brown, who had not been feeling well for several days, was taken to Tofield Hospital by ambulance last Friday evening. We hope he stay in hospital will not be too long.

Geo. H. Taylor was a business visitor in Edmonton a week ago Thursday.

**CONFIRMATION**

On a recent Sunday afternoon, David Tiedemann and Michael Schmidt were confirmed at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Bruce, after taking catechism instructions for two years. Rev. W. F. Schoepp of Edmonton questioned the boys and then presented them with their confirmation certificates. After the service, a number of relatives and friends were invited to dinner at the Tiedemann home.

**AT FUNERAL**

Mrs. Alfred Sorensen and Mrs. N. L. Campbell attended the funeral of Mrs. Minnie McConnell, held in Tofield last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Campbell had been a friend of Minnie's for many years and Mrs. Sorensen was a friend of the family. Mrs. Campbell later visited [illegible] with Mrs. Richardson, and Mrs. Sorensen called on friends around Tofield.

**MOVE TO VIKING**

Bill Taylor, who has been employed at Beaver Motors as a mechanic for the past two years, has left their employment and is back in Viking working for his brother. Mrs. Taylor and family are at present staying in Holden, and will be leaving for Viking as soon as suitable accommodation has been found.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor spent Sunday visiting in Edmonton with friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mair and later drove with them to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Collins, daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Mair, where they had been invited for a turkey dinner.

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus entertained a number of friends on Thursday afternoon in honor of her daughter Lorraine (Mrs. Frolick), who has been visiting along with her husband for the past three weeks from the States. Mr. and Mrs. Frolick left Saturday morning to visit with her sister, Mrs. Albert Pederson and family, at Camrose, before returning to the States on Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Chamulke entertained Mrs. Wallie Greer of Bellvue, Washington, to dinner Saturday of last week. Mrs. Greer was visiting with friends here over the weekend.

Mrs. J. A. Liden entertained a number of friends at coffee Saturday afternoon of last week in honor of Mrs. Wallie Greer, the former Merle Forsyth, who resided in Holden for a number of years before the last war, when her mother was operator for the AGT.

Mrs. Greer spent the weekend visiting friends in Holden, returning to Edmonton on Sunday.

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Henry Tiedemann has tendered his resignation as Cubmaster of the Holden Cubs. Mr. Tiedemann has been in charge of the troop for the past five years, but he feels that he is no longer able to assume the responsibility of the troop and its attendant affairs. We, along with any parents of the boys who have been involved over the past few years, wish to congratulate Mr. Tiedemann on a job well done.

**VISITS HERE AT 86 YEARS**

Monday, June 21, Chris Hovland and sons Ray and Reuben entertained Mrs. Christine Hecht and her daughter, Mrs. Bernice Duncerly, of Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. Albert Roth, Ludvig Hovland and Leonard Johnson, all of Camrose, to dinner. Mrs. Hecht is the only sister of Mr. C. Hovland, and has reached the grand age of 86. She and her daughter flew from Los Angeles to Vancouver, where they visited with Mrs. Jennie Jergenson before continuing their trip to Alberta. Leonard Johnson met them at the Nisku airport and drove them to Camrose. Mrs. Hecht is staying to visit with friends and relatives for a month or two, while her daughter, Mrs. Duncerly, is returning home on July 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ruxton and children left Sunday for San Diego, California, to visit with Mrs. Ruxton's sister for the next month.

Bennie Chamulke and Alan Tiedemann were weekend visitors with their respective families.

Mike Chapka was a business visitor in Vegreville on Friday of last week.

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STOCK COWS & CALVES sold up to $205.00 each.
CALVES sold from $20.00 to $60.00 each.
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# Bardo Lutheran Church

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spoke on "By Faith I Serve Him". Pastor Hendrickson and his wife also sang two duets during the services.

Sunday was favored with good weather and at least 400 people thronged to the little church nestled along the creek to help commemorate this event. Dr. S. T. Jacobson of Saskatoon, assistant to President Hetfield, delivered the morning message, assisted by Pastor G. Ostrem. The choir, directed by Mrs. Gladys Severson, sang two numbers—the anniversary hymn, "Faith of Our Fathers", and "Built On A Rock". Two former daughters of the Congregation now living in Calgary, Mrs. Ila Thomas and Mrs. Fred Lyseng, sang a duet.

After a very systematic and well-planned dinner served by the ladies of the LCW, the highlight of the anniversary celebration was observed by the afternoon program, with Lester Severson, general president of the Bardo Congregation, in charge.

Greetings were brought from Dr. S. T. Jacobson on behalf of the Lutheran Church of Canada; former pastors, Haugen, Bue and Vinge and Pastor Ostrem brought their greetings. Pastor Gordon Hendrickson also spoke briefly; while greetings from former pastors, Sterling Johnson and O. K. Blomelie, were read. Missionary Palmer Anderson, a grandson of Bersvend Anderson, sent a greeting. Greetings were also read from numerous friends who were unable to attend.

Greetings from the sister congregations of Kingman and Trondhjem were brought respectively by W. Simonson and Fred Gotheridge. Bishop Harold Boettger brought a greeting from the Salem Mennonite Church, and Jim Francis a greeting from the United Church at Tofield.

Bert Loken, a former teacher at Bardo and presently President of Camrose Lutheran College, brought a greting from the College.

Perhaps a climax to the greetings was reached when Dr. Chester Ronning gave his greeting to his former classmates and many friends. He directed his stirring thoughts to the world situation of today. He emphasized that there was nothing more challenging for us than to live out the Christian life in a practical way.

Musical numbers during the afternoon were rendered by the Senior Choir; duet by Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sitler; duet by Pastor and Mrs. Gordon Hendrickson; duet by Gladys Severson and Bernice Heiberg, and a Ladies' Sextet.

During the afternoon, recognition was given to Mrs. Marit Horte, Edmonton, Mrs. Amanda Haugen, La Glace, and Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Johnson of La Glace, as being the only people present who joined with their parents as charter members on May 23rd, 1895. Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Johnson are also the oldest living couple married from the Bardo Church. Those present who were baptized in 1895 were John G. Johnson, La Glace, Petra Stauffer, Tofield, Olaf Anderson, Tofield, and Mrs. Inga Hougland, La Glace. Ingvald Ness, who had the honor along with another little girl to be the first ones baptized in the old church in 1906, was present.

The first couple who were married in the present church, built in 1922, Axel and Nita Kindley were present. Axel commented afterwards that they tied good knots in those days—that their's hadn't tended to slip once yet.

Lester Severson expressed his thanks to the various groups and committees who helped to make this 70th anniversary such a success.

Pastor A. M. Vinge, Chaplain in Greater Vancouver and who served the Bardo Church from 1930 to 1944, brought the anniversary to a climactic end with the message, "By Faith I Enter Glory". He stressed how we must be prepared to enter glory.

After the afternoon service, the ladies again served lunch to all those present, and everyone enjoyed an hour visiting and renewing acquaintances with old friends again.

# R. Hovland . . .

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checking. This would be attended to this week.

Mr. Taylor said the welfare annex to the survival plan had been lost and he, together with Mrs. W.names were going to draw up a new plan.

A letter addressed to George Taylor from the department of public welfare regarding feeding and clothing courses was read and it was agreed that an effort be made to send someone to these courses and the letter be received and filed.

# Lakeshore-

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Larry and Liz Wickenberg and children of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Larry's grandparents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg. Janet Wickenberg of Edmonton also spent the weekend with her parents.

**AT FUNERAL**

Mrs. Ellen Eaton attended the funeral of Emery Hackett at Lamont on Saturday. After the funeral, relatives and a few friends of the family met at the Hackett home where coffee and lunch was served by the ladies. Ellen met several relatives and school friends she had not seen for over 40 years.

Prou and Erma Onyschuk and daughter, Debbie, also Mr. and Mrs. Yerko and two children, Bruce and Melody, all of Edmonton, were Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

THE BIG BITE

Bert McAdoo and Gerry Skeels enjoy the delicious barbecue steak last week when the Lions Club ended their year with a barbecue and installation of officers.

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# Showcase '65 was a success both socially and financially

To the delight of the citizens of the Tofield community and to the vast relief of the Community League executive, July 1 dawned clear and sunny. At 6:30 a.m. the League members could be seen making the final preparations on the Exhibition grounds for Tofield Showcase '65.

The parade formed up at the CN station under the direction of Art Francis, parade marshal, and J. E. Stinson, who was in charge of securing floats and cars for the parade. The Andrew School Boys' Band under the leadership of Leo Kurchinski led the parade. The 40 members of the band looked very smart in their blue and white uniforms as they marched at the head of the parade. Their music was excellent and enjoyed by the spectators during the parade, as well as at the grounds during the afternoon.

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# Jumping again highlight of July 1st celebration

On July 1st, Tofield Showcase '65 again featured some of the finest cutting and jumping horses in Western Canada. The winner of the intermediate cutting horse trophy was Vic Patrick, riding Silver Sport, owned by Mickey Collins of Edmonton. Bill Collins, with Capain's Play from Leecoll Stables tied the first place score of 139 in this event and Marilyn Hoover on Ann D'Oolr, owned by Stan Milner of Edmonton, had a score of 138.

In the intermediate contest in the Tofield jumping sweepstakes, the performance of Kathy Macdonald was outstanding on the family horse, Red Cent. Brian Parker on Smoke Curl and Kathy Macdonald on Rambling Robert tied for the second position.

The final event in the jumping sweepstakes was the open contest in which Tony Nobles and Marilyn Hoover thrilled the large crowd. Tony won the trophy, riding Dark Secret owned by her father, the well known Tony Zeigler. She and her horse make a lovely pair. Marilyn Hoover and her horse, Son of Oregon, also gave an outstanding performance in these finals to take home the second place ribbon. Mrs. Nobles also showed that their horse, Bartender, can still clear the hurdles with the second lowest number of faults in the two go-rounds during the afternoon.

Other cutting horses taking part in the close contest were brought by George W. Golden, Ian MacRae of Hardisty, Don Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ross, Ron Cowles, Joe Kallal, John Tattersal and Glenn Brown. Other jumpers were brought by Mr. and Mrs. Don Macdonald, Phillip Ross and Bill Collins.

**Wins Mercury Cup** The Tofield Mercury Cup, which was up for competition for the best commercial float in the Showcase '65 parade, was won by Tofield Co-op Centre, pictured above.

# Moisture conditions excellent

According to reports from C. A. Nolan at Tofield and H. B. Berke at Ryley, moisture conditions in the Tofield-Ryley area are about as near perfect as can be expected. This applies to crops sown on summerfallow as well as those sown on land under crop last year.

However, rains of the previous week m.; have its effect. "There is no damage at present", says Mr. Nolan, "but there is a possibility that some crops will be drowned out after a heavy rain. There was a very heavy rainfall the weekend before last, when 6.84 inches fell. We need warm weather now as the crops are late. We have ample moisture for some time".

At Ryley, says Mr. Berke, there has been "very little spraying for weeds as the ground is much too wet. Much of the low ground remains under water and there is a danger some crops will drown out".

Wheat reached a height of 13 inches last Friday at Tofield and about nine inches at Ryley. Oats is nine inches at Tofield and six at Ryley, and barley seven inches at Tofield as compared to four inches at Ryley.

# Car accident injures two

Word has been received that A. B. Clutterham and his brother-in-law of Vancouver, while on their way to the July 1st celebration were involved in an automobile accident meeting another car. The car Mr. Clutterham was riding in, struck a bridge railing and was demolished.

From what we can learn, it appears, while both men were very much shaken up, neither was badly injured.

# ELCC favors autonomy for 1967

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, July 5.—The Evangelical Lutheran Church of Canada, the Canada District of The American Lutheran Church, made an historic decision at its convention, held a week ago in Camrose, when it voted overwhelmingly to become autonomous by January 1, 1967, provided that the Constitution and the Bylaws are adopted at the 1966 district convention. The vote when taken was in favor, greatly exceeding the necessary two-thirds majority required. Steps towards this goal have always been with the encouragement and blessing of the parent body, with whom it will still remain in close fellowship.

The Evangelical Lutheran Church has 332 congregations across Canada, from the Lakehead to the Pacific, and congregations of the Lutheran Church in Eastern Canada showed their interest in this development by sending two official observers to the convention.

A motion was also passed that would open the way for the autonomous church to discuss possible mergers with other Canadian Lutheran groups. One important decision taken was that of approving the re-location of the inter-synodical seminary which serves the church on the campus of the University of Saskatchewan. It was felt that this would afford greater opportunities for study and greater possibilities for a witness to Christ in the academic world.

Ralph Mason was the official delegate from the Holden Lutheran Church attending this convention at Camrose, the sessions being held from the Tuesday to the Friday.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Men who toil in the battle of life listen to strains that will sweeten the strife. Truth your standard, holy your cause; be faithful to death for your freedom and laws. For truth is might, and might is right; play the man and win the fight.
—From the comrade's song of hope. —J.W.R.

# Scores 100 points in swine testing program

Ronald Rice of Ardrossan recently scored 100 points in a federal government ROP swine testing program. It is believed this is the first time such a score has been attained in Alberta, although scores of 99 have been reached in the past.

Mr. Rice had four pigs on test, two sows and two barrows from a Yorkshire sow. In the test all four are scored and in this case all scored 100 to give the mother the average of 100 points.

Mr. Rice received an award from the ROP Swinebreeders Association of Alberta last Friday at Lacombe while attending the annual field day at the Dominion Experimental Station.

## Only for perjury

Perjury . . . that is, false witness under oath . . . is considered by our courts as one of the more serious and damnable offences against society, and is treated most severely. Yet only recently we heard of an intelligent, sincere and highly concerned cleric stoutly aver "there's only one ground for divorce in Canada . . . perjury."

His startling statement should give us all cause to stop and think . . . and then to clamor even louder for our statesmen to see the light, admit facts, and amend our benighted laws.

The simple, and well known fact is that thousands upon thousands of our citizens who pride themselves on their morality would never countenance involving themselves in an illicit love affair yet they shrink not at all from perjuring themselves. Contempt for the law breeds only further abuse . . . it is a well known precept that no law can long survive without popular support. Surely there can be little support for a law which tends to produce perjury in increasing frequency

## Large enough?

A recent Canadian Institute of Public Opinion poll revealed that 48 per cent of those questioned thought Canada needed a larger population, compared with 44 per cent who were satisfied that the present population was "just right".

This, according to an exchange, is a disappointingly narrow victory for humanity and commonsense. Moreover, it reflects a continuous 20-year decline in the percentage of respondents recognizing Canada's need for more people. Back in 1945, this stood at 65 per cent

This means that 20 years ago roughly one in three felt the country had enough people. So it is rather incredible that today nearly one in two of those in Canada think it possible that we can hold our population at its present level.

The world's population is currently rising at the rate of 55 million people a year. In the 65 years since the beginning of this century, it has more than doubled, and it is expected, at its present rate, to double again before the end of this century.

Confronted with such awesome statistics, and remembering that something like half the present world population is grossly underfed and suffering from malnutrition, one can only marvel at the blind optimism of those who delude themselves that fewer than 20 million people is enough for a country that is both the second largest and one of the richest and most under-occupied in the world, or that fairly cries out for more people to justify the development that lies waiting on our very threshold

It may be a comfortable, cosy notion, but it is hardly either a practical one, or a moral one.

## For arranged marriages

Writing in a Canadian woman's magazine, a young India woman from Hyderabad characterizes the concept of marriage in this country and our neighbor as having crystalized into a manhunt. Social pressures, declares Sabeeha Hameduddin, push girls into early marriage, employing shrewdness and strategy in her hunt for a husband, since she is denied the advantages of professional matchmaking and since she is unable to do the asking.

Things are different in India, points out Miss Hameduddin, where older and more experienced members of the family arrange marriage on bases which are economically and socially stable. Love develops after marriage, on a more lasting basis, she says.

While the conception seems impossible for many of us "enlightened" Westerners, it takes only a look at our divorce and unhappy marriage figures to show we haven't grroved too much superior in our approach based on glamor, "vital statistics" and sexiness

Admitting the principle of arrangement works best in a society structured for it, Miss Hameduddin suggests some adaptations could be made to suit changing times in our culture, such as the option of rejecting a man if the girl considers him unsuitable, or possibly, vice versa. The possibility of a semi-arranged marriage, giving man and woman a chance to get to know each other, while still devoting considerable time to furthering studies, might satisfy the girl who would be afraid otherwise of missing out on social life for fear of passing up her only chance

It's a highly interesting concept Who says it wouldn't work"


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## From the mail bag

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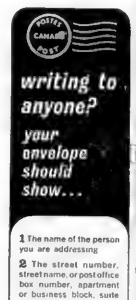
We have just received, through a friend, a copy of the Mercury dated June 17, 1965. We are most interested in the story of the Bardo Church history. This copy contains the second of the two part series. Would it be possible for you to send us the first part of the article?

My husband and I were both raised in the Bardo district. He was one of the first babies born there. His father, Asbjorn Moen, who passed away last year at age 93, had donated the land where the present Lutheran Church stands. My father and mother, Wm. E. and Ada Parker, owned the land next to the Moen farm, having moved there from Iowa in 1907 and moving to Oregon in 1927 with their four sons. We moved here also then and have a married son in business with my husband, Moen Machinery Co., also a daughter, married to a Navy commander and living in Japan

Thank you in advance.

Mrs. George (Hazel) Moen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## Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell of Leduc were Sunday afternoon and supper guests a week ago Sunday with Marjorie's mother, Mrs. N. L. Campbell. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were also Sunday dinner guests with Mrs. Campbell

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Beveridge motored to Edmonton on Thursday of last week, where they left by train for Vancouver, B.C. Mr. Beveridge returned home on Sunday to resume his duties at the Royal Bank, while Mrs. Beveridge was planning to stay for a further two weeks holiday visiting with her father and other relatives and friends.

John Baranuik was fishing over the Dominion holiday, and we hear that he was lucky in catching a 7-lb. jackfish.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Morris motored from Viking on Monday of last week, and then went on to Edmonton, taking Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, Mr. and Mrs. Morris returned home later in the day, while Mrs. Barlow entered the University Hospital that afternoon for several days to receive treatments. Mr. Barlow was staying with sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Thieme, while Mrs. Barlow is in hospital

Elwood Wilan, of Bruce, and John Faryna attended, as delegates the Convention of Rural Electrification Associations which was held in Red Deer at the Capri Motor Hotel, Saturday, June 26th.

Hans Huseby left by plane on Sunday, June 20, on a six weeks' trip and holiday in Norway, visiting with old-time friends and relatives

Steve Komarnisky of Edmonton was visiting around Holden Wednesday of last week, and also looking after his farming interests

Lars Olson has left for Edmonton where he will spend the next few weeks marking departmental examination papers.

Visiting with Peter Lumbiad and son are his brother from Grande Prairie and his sister from [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Buss Bohnsh of St. Paul were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kaluzny and family. Barabara visited with the Kaluzny's until Sunday while the family drove to Edmonton returning Sunday to pick her up

**Mr. and Mrs. Philip Liodi and family of Ryley have purchased the Dave Bell residence, and were moving down this week. The Liodi's lived in Holden for a while a year ago.**

Pastor Osborne Olson from White Rock, B.C. and Pastor Strand from Saskatoon, Sask. visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Olson and Linda recently. They had both attended the Lutheran Convention recently held at Camrose. Pastor Olson is a local young man, being raised in Holden, and is a brother of Helmer Olson. He was renewing friendships with some of the old-time residents in Holden.

Pastor M. Aalen and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stechmek from Bittmil, B.C., also attending the recently held convention in Camrose, spent a day visiting with the Hillmer Olson family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chapka spent Thursday (Dominion Day) in Edmonton, and visited with several friends, patients in the University Hospital.

Loeth Shkora and Earl Hardy left the beginning of the week for Edmonton, where they will enroll for summer school at the University of Alberta for the next six weeks. Mrs. Hardy also went along with her husband, and will be staying in the city while Earl is at summer school

Douglas Hardy of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children were Sunday visitors and dinner guests with Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor

Sam Sroka of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his mother, Mrs. Tekla Sroka

On Sunday, June 27, a surprise birthday party was held for Mr. Chris Hovland, who was celebrating his eighteenth birthday

Mrs. Arthur Story returned home last week from her trip to various points in British Columbia, where she was visiting with relatives

Mrs. J. Giebelhaus and Mrs. N. L. Campbell spent last Friday visiting in Camrose, calling on Mrs. Giebelhaus' family, the Albert Pedersons. Mr. and Mrs. Len Sawers, all former Holden residents, and then called on Mrs. Forsyth, who is a patient at Rosehaven. Mrs. Forsyth was the agent for AGT many years ago and her daughter, Mrs. Walter Greer, was a recent visitor with friends in Holden.


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# THE RYLEY TIMES

**She loves music**

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## Around the town . . .

Mrs. Rudy Regehr and children, Valerie and Duane of Winnipeg, Man., are here on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Boese and other relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Burchard of Kelowna, B.C., are visiting friends in the district and staying with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Jacobs. They were here for the July 1st sports day.

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**OLDTIMER VISITS HERE**

Charlie Morden of Manitoulan Island, Ontario, an oldtimer of the Tofield district, is renewing acquaintances in the district. He made the trip west alone by automobile.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stinson returned home on Sunday, June 27th, from their trip to Kelowna, B.C., and on the Hart Highway to Prince George from there to Prince Rupert and returned via Dawson Creek, Peace River and Valleyview.

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Dr. John Morrison, Mrs. Morrison and little son, Graham, of Edmonton, were at the Stinson home on July 1st, prior to leaving to make their new home in Portsmouth, England, where Dr. Morrison is a professor in pharmacy

Mrs. G. S. Packham of Burnaby, B.C., sister of Mrs. Stinson, is spending two weeks of her holidays at the Stinson home.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsay and Mr. and Mrs. Carman Lindsay from Neepawa, Man., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Elston Lindsay.

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Shirley and Frank Heintz and family from Glenella, Man., arrived Friday night to spend two weeks with Shirley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tod Gray.

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Mrs. Norman Willmore and Mrs. Vera Hay of Edmonton visited at the Edna Kendall home on July 1st.


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## 'Clean-up bee' Friday night

The FUA at their final meeting for the season, reported a not too busy season due to the cold weather all winter. It was arranged to hold a clean-up bee on Friday, July 9th, at 7 p.m., around the buildings of Herb McAdoo's home to help get him settled. Bring your hoes, scythes, etc.

Over the years Herb has always been the first to volunteer when wanted. Let's show our appreciation.

## W. B. Rudy passes suddenly in B.C.

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — William B. Ruddy passed away suddenly on June 29th at his summer cottage at Vanderhoof, B.C. He leaves to mourn his loss, his loving wife, Harriet, and two daughters, Jacqueline, Mrs. Ino Jenson of Ryley, and Donna, Mrs. D Kading of Edmonton; and four grandchildren, and his mother in Ontario. Funeral services were held in the United Church at Ryley on Tuesday, July 6th, at 2 p.m.

## Mrs. Cora Young to leave Ryley

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY.—Mrs. Martha Whitson entertained at the tea hour on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Cora Young who is leaving the Ryley district to make her home at Fort Saskatchewan. On behalf of the Rebecca Lodge, of which Mrs. Young is a charter member, Mrs. Whitson presented the honored guest with the traditional silver spoon.. Other old time lodge members present were Mrs. Bertha Hay, Mrs Ruth Graftaas, Mrs Amanda Mehus and Mrs Orbeck.


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## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

Everyone is busy getting ready for the Social Credit picnic on Saturday, July 10th, at the hall grounds. Lloyd Baker, MLA, will be in attendance

The Ladies' Club is again catering so there will be plenty to eat. They will be serving cold plates at $1.00 for dinner and supper at 50c per plate, besides different things that go to make a picnic. There will be races for all ages and several ball games throughout the day There also will be a dance in the evening

The whist drive of Saturday, July 3rd, was well attended. Winners were, ladies' high, Mrs. Gill; low, Mrs. B. Gladue, gents' high, Frank Dunham, low, Collin Peterson.

R. Donald and Eddy were visitors on Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. M. Gladue.


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10:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, July 11th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

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Sunday, July 11th
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.

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First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:00 a.m
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

## Holden news

Mrs. James, Mrs. Carrie Olson, Mrs. Mabel Sizer and Mrs. Jack Keith were afternoon coffee guests at the home of Mrs. N. L. Campbell on Dominion Day.

John Thieme and Percy Barlow drove down from Edmonton on Wednesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs Percy Barlow are still staying in the city for a few more days.

**HERE FROM CALIFORNIA**

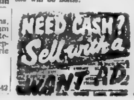
Mrs. Gordon Hafso and children, of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived Friday of last week and are visiting with her family, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden, and other relatives. Her husband has gone on a trip to Norway.

Geo. H. Taylor was a business caller in Viking on Friday of last week.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Elna Parson is a patient in Tofield Hospital again, having treatments for her wrist which she hurt after a fall.

Mrs. Lars Ritland is still a patient in Tofield Hospital, having treatments on her leg. We were pleased to hear that one of her legs is healed, and hope that the other will soon be better and she will be home.




## Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Harold and Irlene Sieb and two children, of Ladner, B.C., arrived on July 1st, and are spending their holidays on the farm, as guests of Harold's sister, Eleanor and Ernie Runser.

Thursday evening (July 1st) visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann were their daughter, Yvonne and Peter Brown, of Ketchamoot, Emil's brother Bill and Mary Tiedemann, and Mary's mother, Mrs Dunn Sr., all of Deville, David and Donald Bertsch of Edmonton, and Emil's niece, Bertha and Eric Sorrell and two children. A very enjoyable evening was spent visiting.

Mrs. Evie Halwa and son Doug, of Edmonton, arrived Saturday at noon and were visitors at the home of her parents, John and Mary Wood, from Saturday to Monday morning.

Harold and Irlene Sieb and children, Greg and Joan, called at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz on Thursday evening On Friday evening, Harold and Irlene and daughter Joan were coffee guests at the home of Irlene's brother, George and Ida Niemetz.

Gary Niemetz, who has been staying at the home of his parents, George and Ida Niemetz, for awhile, returned to work with the Peter Bawden drilling company, this time going to Slave Lake.

Mrs. Annie McGinitie, Miss Edith Turner, Mrs. Keitha Brown and Mrs. Yvonne Brown, all of Ketchamoot, Peter Nickle and children of Tofield and Sandy and Irene Scott and girls of Lindbrook were Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Yvonne's parents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann.

Don and Deanna Niemetz and baby son, of Edmonton, were Saturday visitors and dinner and supper guests, also overnight and Sunday guests at the home of Don's parents, George and Ida Niemetz. Miss Gail Niemetz, also of Edmonton, was a Saturday overnight guests at the home of her parents.

Bill and Mary Tiedemann and daughter Sharron and Mary's mother, Mrs. Dunn Sr., all of Deville, called at the home of Bill's brother, Emil and Martha Tiedemann, and took Martha with them on a motor trip around the district, and were afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peterson, Hastings Lake.

George and Ida Niemetz were Sunday evening visitors at the home of George's brother, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

**HERE FROM INDIANA**

Mrs. Emma Buesching and Mr. and Mrs. George Bruick, of Fort Wayne, Indiana, left for their home on Wednesday, June 30, after spending three weeks with Emma's brother, Elmer and Vi Geoglein.

Dede and Robert Goubault, of Drayton Valley, were Saturday overnight visitors at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood, on their way to visit friends at Estevan, Sask. Their daughter Judy spent the night at the home of her aunt Martha and Emil Tiedemann Judy's cousin, Mary Tiedemann, accompanied Judy on the trip to Estevan with Judy's parents, Dede and Robert.

Mrs. Johnny (Gloria) Wood left Monday morning with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Evie Halwa, for Onoway, where she will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, for a few days. Evie returned to her home in Edmonton.

**BIRTHDAY OBSERVED**

Carl and Mavis Jacobsen, Julius Jacobsen of Edmonton, Percy and Lillian Fairholme and daughter, Elmer and Vi Geoglein, Mrs. Moos Sr., her daughter, Mrs. Marguerет Myers and daughter, Vivian and Doug Murray, and two children, all of Tofield, Mrs. Ethel Wood and Mrs. Mary Wood were Sunday afternoon surprise visitors at the home of Ollie and Verlyn Moos, helping Ollie celebrate her birthday.

## Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, July 5th — Callers at the Gary Acres home on June 23rd to wish Mrs. Acres a happy birthday were Mrs. E. Schmidt, Miss Mabel Simonson, Mrs. E Wruck, Mrs. Roy Ovelson and Mrs. A. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Palmer of Minnesota were overnight guests recently with Mrs. E. Schmidt en route to N.W.T. to fish and hunt for two months.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawson and Richard and David of Calgary spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Lawson's parents, the Alex Asps.

Mr and Mrs. Art Hanson and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the Wm. Bjorgum home

Richard Gunderson and Ronnie Nordin spent three days at Banff last week.

Joan Hutchinson is babysitting during the holiday at the John Marcisyzn home while Mrs. Marcisyzn is employed at the bank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**Making peace**

After shooting up the town with black powder guns, this Indian Chief tries making peace with the RCMP constable on July 1st. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Showcase '65 . . .

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The parade was certainly one of Tofield's better efforts. Floats, cars, bicycles, costumed pedestrians, horseback riders with their beautiful mounts, made the parade one to be remembered. One of its chief aspects was a surprisingly tall man—about ten feet tall. Tofield's Horace McHeffey on stilts enlivened both the parade and the grounds during the remainder of the day.

The parade judges, Mr H. H Pike, Mrs. Ethel Packham and Mr George McFadzean, found their task very difficult because of the many excellent entries. Their decisions as to cups and prizes were as follows:

Commercial Float (Mercury Cup)—1, Tofield Co-op Centre; 2, Aurora's Beauty Shop; 3, Alberta Wheat Pool. Special mention, Ryley Trojans.

Church or Youth Group (Cup)—1, Tofield Junior High School; 2, United Church Explorers; 3, Tofield Cub Pack. Special mention, Andrew Schoolboys' Band.

Town Organization Float (Cup)—1, Tofield Library; 2, Community League; 3, Tofield Fire Department.

Decorated Bicycle—1, Heather Bauer; 2, Debbie Beisel; 3, Adele Kozak and Allan Wadynowski, tie.

Children's Costume—1, Marilyn Davison; 2, Gordon Grover; 3, Brendan Roberge.

Commercial Car — 1, Pontiac Dealer (J. Fisher); 2, Arnett Motors.

Best Ridden Horse or Group of Horses—1, Pat Weslake Group; 2, Regehr Group; 3, Bill and Karen Davison.

Outstanding or Unusual Entries—1, Horace McHeffey; 2, Allan Warner; 3, Hill Billies.

When the parade entered the Exhibition Grounds, it formed up to await the judges decision while the band played "O Canada". The Tall Man, Horace McHeffey, welcomed the crowd to Tofield's annual Dominion Day celebration; John Baergen, president of the Community League, presented Donna Jacobsen, winner of the Best Actress award in the Zone Drama Festival, with the League's scholarship, which will enable her to attend the Drama Seminar at Drumheller in August. Then Mayor W. H. Freebury declared Tofield Showcase '65 to be open and, after H. A. Pike announced the winners of the parade trophies and ribbons, the crowd dispersed to enjoy the many attractions of the day. John Baergen, League President, estimates that 2,000 - 2,500 people were present on the Exhibition Grounds during the day.

As always, baseball was a prime feature of the sports' day. In the first game, Round Hill defeated Bardo 10-4. Tofield won from Holden 24-0. Round Hill lost to Ryley by a score of 8-10. In the final game, Tofield won the tournament by defeating Ryley 16-5.

In the Pony League games, Chipman defeated Tofield 6-3, and then defeated Ryley 10-4.

In the Little League division, Ryley defeated Tofield 11-6.

Umpires were Jack Lampitt and Don Coutre. The sports' commentator was Mr. Lehman; and the roving sound car was manned by C. F. Annis.

In the Curling Rink, 115 Old-Timers of the Tofield area were

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# Ross Creek news

(Iris Ellen)

**FAREWELL PARTY**

Friends gathered at the home of Grant Cossey Saturday night to honor Dwayne Shultz with a farewell party before he leaves Ross Creek to take up residence with his parents in Edmonton.

**VISITORS FROM SEATTLE**

Guests of honor at a smorgasbord supper held at the home of Maurice and Lill Van Buskirk Saturday evening were Maurice's cousin and wife, Marvin and Maxine Van Buskirk of Seattle, Wash., who are here visiting with relatives. Other guests present included Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carlisle of Tofield, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Foyde and daughter, June, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cossey and Mrs B., Van Buskirk of Edmonton.

Sunday visitors at the home of Bill and Olga Eglenski were Olga's father and mother of Two Hills, and brothers, Nick and Mike. Dinner guests were Olga's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs Boyko and family of Vegreville.

## Skudesnes LCW meets

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, July 2nd—The Skudesnes LCW met at the church kitchen June 30th for their monthly meeting. Mrs. Ed Knudson read a poem, and the sixth Bible study, "Maturing in Love" was taken by Mrs. Joe Knudson, during Mrs. Beattie's absence in Saskatchewan. It was decided to divide the offering received at the Bowlf convention May 1st and send half to the CLC, and half to CLBI. Mrs. Ed Knudson served a nice lunch to ten who were present. Offering for lunch was [illegible].

Next meeting will be on Wednesday, July 28th at the kitchen when the Bible study will be taken by Mrs. Myrtle Aspenes and the server will be Mrs. Karen Pederson. The vice-president, Mrs. Lewis Forre, will preside.

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**Capturing the audience**

No, this isn't the Big Friendly Giant but he proved very friendly and very entertaining. Capturing the audience as he led the parade to the sports grounds on July 1st, he continued amusing the audience in this get-up for the whole day. Take away these clothes, makeup and stilts and you will see Tofield's own Horace McHeffy, a professional travelling entertainer. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

## Mrs. Kristina Reum passes at 80 years

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER - EARLING, July 2nd — Mrs. Kristina Reum, pioneer mother, and resident in Earling the past 46 years, passed away Sunday, June 27th, at the hospital in Grande Prairie after a lingering illness. Although being hospitalized only three days, she had spent the past two months at a Home in Grande Prairie.

Born in Norway 80 years ago and Nov 30th, 1902, she married Martin Reum. They resided in Harvey, N. Dakota, until 1919, when they came to the Earling district, south of Ryley.

She leaves to mourn her passing, one daughter, Mrs. Henry Stenerud (Helga); and seven sons, Melvin, Peter, Alf, Harold, Daniel, Herman and Arnold; 30 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Augusta Bjerkseth of Camrose.

She was predeceased by her husband in March, 1960, and two sons, Oscar in 1964, and Andrew a month ago.

Friends and relatives from this area attended the funeral services and burial in Camrose on Friday. Hoveland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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# Showcase '65 . . .

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welcomed and registered by Nell Phillips, Dolina Blake, Grace Phillips, Conrad Patterson, Stan Dunham, and were served free coffee by the ladies of the Ketchamoot district.

In the Skating Rink, Jim Francis and Willie McHeffey presided over the Tofield Historical Society's exhibits of antique furniture, loaned by Jake King, Herman Lawson, Mrs. Stinson, Mrs. Rempel Sr., Mrs. Bill Mitchell and Mr and Mrs. J. R. Francis. Here, too, was Miss Davison demonstrating spinning and the finished products of her industry. Miss Davison was accompanied by her small niece, Marilyn, who wore a replica of her aunt's pioneer costume.

Mrs. Hazel Patterson, Mrs. Mabel Boyles, Mrs. Eileen Pike, Mrs. Vi Bererton and Mrs. Ingrid Jacobs were hostesses at the handicraft display. This is a new feature of Showcase '65, which aroused a great deal of interest. 500 people signed the guest book after viewing the entries of the following exhibitors: Larry Willson, Al and Eileen Pike, Dale and Bobby Christensen, Bernie Wilkie, Mr. Burkholder Sr., Mrs. Vi Bererton, Mrs. Worton, Mrs. Rose Dodds, Mrs. Roberta Bates, Mrs. Jessie Rogers, Edmonton, Mrs. Bulet, Edmonton, Mrs. Chubaty, Mrs. Polly Spilsted, Mrs. Dorothea Freebury, Mrs. Adams, Edmonton, Mrs. D. W. Jacobs, Mr. D. W. Jacobs, Mrs. Jewell Tiedemann, Mrs. Hazel Patterson, Wendy Arnett, Mrs. Lars Olson, Holden, Mr. and Mrs Reid [illegible], Mrs. Patterson Sr., Mrs. Rempel Sr., Miss Helen Rempel, Mrs. Bekker, Ryley, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Gladys McKer[illegible] [illegible] and Mrs. Mabel Boyles.

The school display was also of great interest, especially to the proud winners of the red, blue and white ribbons and their

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WEANER PIGS [illegible] and LIGHT FEEDERS sold to 32.00 each.
PIGGY SOWS, 80.00; GILTS 75.00 and BOARS, 30.00 to 50.00 each.
**Special Listings for Saturday, July 10th:**
A good listing of miscellaneous items — furniture and tools. One tractor mount weed sprayer. Another consignment of paint. A good assortment of household appliances; a good listing of Dairy Cows, Heifers and Calves; Some good Stock Cows with Calves at foot; Several parcels of good Mixed Feeder Cattle; a good listing of Weaner and Feeder Pigs; Heavy Sows; Gilts and Boars.
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equally proud parents. The winners were as follows:

**Grade I**

Writing—1, Robert Jansen; 2, Jackie Louis, 3, Arthur Poetticker.

Art — 1 Arthur Poetticker, 2, Beth Klassen; 3, Rosemary Shewchuk.

Stories—1, Denise Eastlick, 2, Heather Appleby, 3, Michael Warner.

**Grade II**

Writing—1, Joan Clark; 2, Phyllis Lee, 3, Elaine Jones.

Art—1, Phyllis Lee, 2, Donna McMann; 3, Colleen Walker.

Stories—1, Grant McKernan, 2, Grant Baergen, 3, Francis Darnburger.

**Grade III**

Writing—1, Ivy Mosby, 2, Debra Hopf, 3, Lois Rude.

Art—1, Sharon Haugen, 2, Ivy Mosby, 3, Kelly Blacklock.

Essay—1, Melvin Thiessen, 2, Sharon Haugen, 3, Elwin Wiens.

**Grade IV**

Writing — 1, Alice Baerg, 2, Irene Schmidt, 3, Cheryl Francis.

Art—1, Irene Schmidt 2, Eileen Fairbrother, 3, Daniel Warkentin.

Essays—1, Eileen Fairbrother, 2, Margaret Wenger, 3, Joanne Riediger.

**Grade V**

Writing—1 Kathy Reil, 2, Gayleen Neufeld, 3, Glenda Mosby.

Art—1, Linda Neufeld, 2, Janice Murray, 3 Kathy Reil.

Essays—1, Barbara Clark; 2, Kim Eastlick 3, Kathy Reil.

**Grade VI**

Writing—1, Donna Schmidt; 2, Esther Poetticker, 3, Margaret Koop.

Art—1, Eleanor Warkentin; 2, Janice Halvorson, 3, Richard Hardy.

Essays—1, Lyle Jacobsen, 2, Pat Kallal; 3, Kathy Regehr.

**Grade VII**

Writing—1, Nette Appleby; 2, Evelyn Schmidt; 3, Dorothy Baerg.

Art—1, Marilyn Price; 2, Richard Walker; 3, Jim Dodds.

Essays—1, Marilyn Price; 2, Ruth Fairbrother; 3, Dorothy Baerg.

**Grade VIII**

Writing — 1, Gwen Sears, 2, Leona Thiessen; 3, Erna Thiessen.

Art—1, Laura Tiedemann, 2, Wilfried Meyer, 3, Betty Gray.

Essays—1, Gwen Sears; 2, Dennis Murray, 3, John Sears.

**Grade IX**

Writing—1, Elaine Baergen; 2, Louella Schacker; 3, Iola Wideman.

Art—1, Gail Tiedemann.

Essays—1, Gerry Hardy, 2, Dianne Ferguson, 3, Karen Davison.

All day long, Wally Ursaleak's rides kept the "small fry" happy. The booths, both the hot-dog booth under the management of John Baergen, and the ladies' booth convened by Georgia Christensen, Winnie Christensen, Beryl Lampitt and staffed by the ladies of the community, fed the hungry spectators.

The horses, as always, proved a major attraction.

The winner of the League trophy in the Cutting Horse contest was Vic Patrick, riding "Silver Sport".

In the Tofield Jumping Sweepstakes, the winner of the TCL trophy was Mrs Tony Nobles, mounted on "Dark Secret".

The cattle for the cutting horse contest were supplied by Stan Schacker and Charlie Sears.

The Community League is grateful to George Golden who, as an official of the Canadian Cutting Horse Association, is director of the Tofield Cutting Horse Contest, and to Don Macdonald, director of the Western Canada Jumping Association, who made it possible to have these beautiful horses at "Showcase '65".

At 5:00 o'clock, the barbecue was ready to serve. Vince Bates was in charge of cooking the meat and Bill Davison the supper. A long line of hungry people moved past the serving centre and dispersed to enjoy their meal in groups on the grounds.

The Lions Club raffled their beautiful playhouse for the benefit of the League, and the lucky holder of the winning ticket was Harold Parsons of Ryley.

During the afternoon, the show in the Community Centre was well patronized, as was the dance at night, with music supplied by the Schwill Bros. orchestra.

"Showcase '65" is over. Both financially and socially it was a successful event. The Tofield Community League, through its president, John Baergen, wishes to thank the many organizations and individuals who worked so hard and so well to ensure the success of Showcase '65.

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## Earl Hardy named outstanding teacher

HOLDEN, June 28.—Earl Hardy has been named the outstanding teacher for 1965 by the County of Beaver school committee. Mr Hardy, who is a most conscientious teacher, is in charge of grade nine. For many years he taught "shop", travelling to the various schools in the former school division and later the County, Holden, Ryley and Tofield. The last few years he has been grade nine teacher.

Mr. Hardy excels in all kinds of handiwork, wood, copper and leather, and is an ardent Radio "Ham", building his own set. He also was MLA for the Bruce constituency for several years.

## Historical Society has entry in July 1st parade

Mr Charlie Morden from Ontario, Mr. and Mrs Reid Burchard from B.C., were among the many former residents of the Tofield area who were welcomed by the Tofield Historical Society on July 1st. In all, 115 oldtimers registered in the Society's guest book for 1965.

Many of the copies of the map of the Tofield district compiled by R Francis showing the names of the original owners of the land in this area, were sold on July 1st to interested parties. The original map was completed by Mr. Francis during Tofield's Jubilee Year and has just now been duplicated in a smaller size. It is of real historic value and of great interest to both old and new residents. Copies of this map may still be purchased from Mr Francis for 50c. Any member of the executive of the Historical Society would be glad to make arrangements for prospective buyers to secure a copy.

Several oldtimers were on a float driven by Herman Tiedemann. It was a return to former happy days to be driven behind a team of frisky horses.

The foamite tank of 1900 vintage was the Society's entry in the parade. It contrasted sharply with Tofield's modern fire fighting equipment.

The furniture display was of great interest to many. To old timers it brought a nostalgic mood, to the youth, it was a glimpse into the past.

## Around the Town

Miss Sandra Phillips, student nurse at the Royal Alex, spent a few days this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Phillips.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Conquest also spent an evening with Mrs. Conquest's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips before leaving for a motor trip across Canada. They were accompanied on their visit to the Phillips' home by Mrs. Conquest Sr., of Edmonton.

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Mrs. Eleanor Campbell and Mrs. Marjorie Astley of the Tofield school staff are attending the summer session of the University of Alberta.

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Jack Lampitt, vice-principal of Tofield school, is marking departmental exams in Edmonton.

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The Rev W. L. and Mrs. Hammett have returned from a holiday spent visiting relatives and friends in British Columbia, and Seattle, Wash.

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**AFRICAN MINISTER HERE**

The Rev. Anstoal Katamuru, an Anglican clergyman from the Diocese of Ruenzori, Uganda, Africa, was a guest at the Anglican rectory during the week and spoke to several meetings giving an account of the work in his diocese. Mr Katamuru is spending the summer in the Diocese of Edmonton, returning in the fall to resume his studies at Wycliffe College, Toronto.

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Lorette Ross of St. Albert and Emily Carlisle of Edmonton were July 1st visitors in town.

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**AT UNCLE'S FUNERAL**

John and Evelyn Moore left on Friday afternoon by Air Canada to attend the funeral of their uncle, Leslie Moore, in Vancouver. They spent Sunday at White Rock, B.C., visiting Bert and Louise Lovell, returning home Monday morning.

Visitors with Mrs. Stockton last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. Stewart of Irma and Donna and Garth Franklin and girls of Bruderheim. They also visited with Donna's father, who is a patient in the Tofield hospital.

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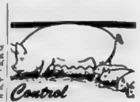
Shirley and Archie MacGillivary and Randy of Rimbey spent the weekend with Shirley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay.

Murray Lindsay left last Sunday for Norway where he is employed with Peter Baden Drilling.

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# Council Grants $24,250 in building permits for June

The meeting of Council of the Town of Tofield was held on Monday, July 5th, with Mayor Dr Freebury and Councillors Allan, Boese, Everitt, Jefferson, Patterson and Swift present, and visitor Axel Rasmussen.

Building permits for the following were approved: E M Christensen garage, for $750, Walter Neufeld, garage, $400, Watson (Tofield) Ltd., dwelling $12,500, Jake Neufeld, garage, $600, Readibuilt Homes Ltd., dwelling, $10,000—for a total for June of $24,250.

Correspondence was read from Strathcona Fuels & Asphalts quoting a bid for 20,000 square yards of M C. Asphalt delivered, supplied and applied for $1,350, with the areas to benefit left to the decision of the Committee. Council accepted this bid.

Axel Rasmussen was present to ask permission to lower a culvert to facilitate better drainage of his property, which council agreed to.

Much discussion took place regarding the condition of the Grade east of the Trailer Court. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to contact Jacobsen Construction, Ryley, asking them to refrain from using this Grade with their heavy trucks.

**MACHINE SHOP**

Correspondence was read from the Council of Beaver No. 9 accepting the Town's offer of $500. Bylaw No. 583, being a bylaw authorizing the purchase of the Machine Shop, received first, second and third readings, and was finally passed.

Clarification of Section 330 (3) of the Town and Village Act was received, with the information that a bread salesman's annual license could not exceed $25. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to contact the Town of Viking regarding its rate of assessment for hawkers and pedlars licenses.

**CIVIC HOLIDAY**

Clr Everitt resolved that Monday, Aug. 2, be declared a Civic Holiday for the Town of Tofield. Thus the August council meeting will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 3.

H. Nachtigal requested permission to operate a business from a garage location on Lots 14 and 15, Block 13, Plan 9200 S. Permission was refused by council because of this being zoned residential property.

The Police Committee reported the hiring of Const. H. Shanks as relief policeman at $85 per week including car, which action council approved.

Complaints received regarding the care of the Cemetery were discussed. Clr Allan of the Town Property Committee volunteered to bring this to the attention of the caretaker, and arrange for assistance in keeping the grass cut.

A request to have the Town Office open on Mondays and closed all day Saturday was granted.

**A washout**

Resulting from the recent torrential rains, is the above scene which shows part of the washout located six miles north and two and one half miles west of Tofield. Part of the culvert was washed about 200 feet downstream while 25 feet of the road was washed away eight feet deep.
—Photo by Peter Nickel.

## Rain damages local graves

One of the most distressing results of the recent heavy rains is the damage done at the Tofield Cemetery.

The earth on a large number of graves has caved in, leaving huge, ugly holes, often two or three feet deep. Many monuments are tilted, and some have toppled over completely. It is not only the newer graves which are affected, but many which have been there for years.

Anyone who has a personal interest in a plot in the cemetery is strongly urged to inspect it soon.

## S. C. Powers, DA, moves to Morinville

The Hon. H. E. Strom, minister of agriculture, has announced the transfer of Stanley C. Powers from Ryley to the district agriculturist's office at Morinville, effective July 15th. The Sturgeon area was formerly served from North Edmonton by J. M. Fontaine.

STANLEY C. POWERS

The district agriculturist's office for Sturgeon will now be located in the County Office Building at Morinville.

Mr Powers has been the district agriculturist at Ryley for the past five years. Prior to that he was the district agriculturist at Lac La Biche, after having been assistant D.A. at St. Paul for two years. Mr. Powers obtained his B.Sc. degree in agriculture from the University of Alberta in 1950. He is also a graduate of the Vermilion School of Agriculture and has a practical farm background. Mr Powers served in the Canadian Army for five years. He is married and has five children.

## Olga Shewchuk travels to USSR

Miss Olga Shewchuk, daughter of Mike Shewchuk of Tofield, has returned to her home and office duties in Montreal after a six-week tour of Russia.

Olga, who, over the past six summers, has travelled extensively, declares the experiences of the past weeks to be the highlight of her travels thus far.

From Montreal she travelled by KLM to Hamburg, Germany. Then from Berlin, a Russian jet flew her to Moscow. She stayed there five days sightseeing and visiting architectural and historical monuments. Other stops and sightseeing tours were taken in Volograd, Rostav, the lovely resort city of Sochi, on the Black Sea, Kiev, the most beautiful of all Russian cities, Leningrad and the famous Hermitage Museum.

The highlight of the whole trip was the meeting and visiting in the homes of the many relatives in Lvov and Rovna in the Ukraine. Brothers, sisters, cousins and friends of Olga's father and mother, the late Mrs Pearl Shewchuk, gathered together for a most glorious meeting.

Making the trip even more memorable was the fact Olga converses readily in both Ukrainian and Russian.

One sad event of the trip was the news Grandfather Shewchuk, who at 103, died April 13th. This was disappointing as Olga and her grandfather had both anticipated their meeting.

Olga arrived in Montreal June 20th via Vienna, Czechoslovakia and Paris.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Some people would do little for God, if the devil were dead.
—J.W.B.

## ASB hears report on brucellosis program

The County of Beaver Agricultural Service Board meeting was held in the council chambers, Ryley, on June 22.

The Chairman called on Dr. Brisbane for his comments regarding the brucellosis vaccination program.

Dr Brisbane outlined the program to date and the plans of the Provincial Department of Agriculture regarding future vaccination as follows.

The Alberta department of agriculture had an order in council passed, establishing a Brucellosis Restricted Area after receiving petitions signed by two-thirds of the cattle owners in favor of compulsory vaccination. Departmental policy was to maintain compulsory vaccination of all heifer calves for a number of years to be followed by blood testing of all animals. In March, 1957, the Federal Department of Agriculture announced that they would conduct the Area blood testing program. Municipalities were gazetted as federal brucellosis restricted areas, and the blood testing of eligible animals commenced with all reactors being identified, slaughtered at Federal abattoirs, and compensation paid to the owners.

**IN BEAVER**

In the County of Beaver No. 9 the blood testing under the federal health of animals branch commenced October 5, 1960. The policy of the Alberta department of agriculture has been to continue the compulsory vaccination of heifer calves for five years after blood testing commenced, and then return the municipality to voluntary vaccination. Therefore, the County of Beaver No. 9 will revert to voluntary calfhood

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# Guest Editorial— Rigid contemporary world

(Guest editorial from The Montreal Star)

Cardinal Leger's talk to the graduating class of the University of Toronto was a worthwhile reminder of the words of Pope John. We live in a rigid world, and this rigidity has cost us over many years great agony and millions of lives. Pope John's "Encyclical Pacem in Terris" caused the world to stop and listen. The bells rang out and there was for a moment an answer in the hearts of men.

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Pope John's warning to those in mass media was well taken. There is a tendency in a part of this particular trade — press, radio, television — to act faster than prudence dictates, to over-simplify, to rely on the cliche and to respond both irrationally and violently. Few in this business would deny in their more rational moments what the Pope had to say, but time presses on this trade in a way that it presses on few others, and while it may not be a good excuse it is

On racialism Cardinal Leger made a the best that circumstances permit us to offer. point which bears repetition. Peacemongers are subject always to the charge of being extremists or fellow-travellers, or dreamy-eyed liberals. Those who seek for peace are indeed likely to be so described by the practical men, but human values are not such, as he pointed out, that they can be solved by denying our principles.

"We cannot solve our problems by throwing bombs at people — and this applies to little home-made affairs as well as atom and hydrogen bombs".

When we get to this stage, as the Cardinal pointed out, we have stopped thinking of each other as human beings. We consider each others as abstractions — Communists, Fascists, Socialists or Capitalists, French-speaking Canadians, or English-speaking Canadians. "Beings to be mistrusted, hated and if possible destroyed".

We have had something of that in this province already, and in world politics we are guilty of it on a mass basis, but what Pope John, and, in his turn, Cardinal Leger, are calling for is something quite different: that we look not at people, but at persons; that we avoid the rigidity which in 1917 forced those in charge of our affairs to disregard the appeal of Pope Benedict, made "in the voice of humanity and reason" to stop the first World War. It was clear at that time, as Cardinal Leger said, that on both sides "there was an attitude which made negotiation impossible, and each side sincerely believed the other to be dangerous and untrustworthy".

We have reached that stage in our affairs today. Cardinal Leger did not say so, nor indeed Pope John, but once we begin to regard the other side in these iron clad and unchangeable terms, we are reaching a position where we imperil the future of millions.

# MacDuff Ottawa report . . . Crime and politics

OTTAWA.—There is "a sinister and growing involvement of crime in politics" That statement was made by no headline-hunting political hotchotmon.

It was made by Prime Minister Pearson, following publication of the Dorion Report. He pledged his Government to a war on crime.

Not many months ago, Mr. Pearson, along with most Canadians, would have greeted that kind of statement with a certain incredulity. It would have been un-Canadian to believe that the tentacles of international crime, the Mafia, the Cosa Nostra, L'union Corse, were reaching into Government itself.

Some of that incredulity greeted Conservative MP Erik Nielsen last November 23, when he rose in the Commons to reveal charges of bribery and coercion in Government offices.

The course of the next few months, not only vindicated Mr. Nielsen, but opened the eyes of Mr. Pearson to what dangers lurk in the seemingly and familiar lagoons of politics.

Judge Frederic Dorion, Chief Justice of Quebec Superior court, was named to make a full inquiry into the charges. Before his tribunal trooped a savage and unsavory crew from the demimonde of crime and politics.

The Judge's report felled Justice Minister Favreau, not for any lack of honesty or honor, but for his failure to recognize the dangers and to deal with them adequately.

Gone too, and perhaps facing criminal charges, was Raymond Denis, former executive assistant to former Immigration Minister Tremblay Judge Dorion said there was no doubt Denis had offered a $20,000 bribe in an attempt to obtain bail for suspected dope smuggler Lucien Rivard.

Guy Rouleau, the personable young member of parliament from Montreal-Dollard who became embroiled in the affair, saw his career disintegrate almost overnight He lost successively his job as Parliamentary Secretary to the Prime Minister, Chairman of the Liberal caucus, and finally his seat in Parliament and his membership in the Liberal Party

A number of others on the fringes of the Liberal party had their careers abruptly terminated Some will have their day in court Others, if they are lucky, may live out their days in peace, content to have lightly escaped their brush with organized crime.

In the meantime, the men at the top have been made rudely aware of the power and influence of international criminals. They have been forced to consider how, in the scheme of things, the money paid out for an election poster could well be the same dollar that paid off the prostitute or the dope peddler.

For men like Mr. Pearson, this has always been a blind area. It did not behoove a political leader to pay much attention to the twilight zone between politics and crime. Only recently, when it became apparent that the criminal elements were boldly intruding on the political scene did the Government become alert to the dangers.

The danger, contrary to what some may think, does not come solely from old-line Quebec politics.

Consider the Harry Stonehill case. He was a wealthy immigrant who wanted to settle in Vancouver and become a Canadian. He found influential friends in British Columbia. It took a long time to get rid of him, in spite of his sordid background of [illegible] peddling, and the fact that he was wanted in the United States on several charges. One Vancouverite who made representations in Ottawa to keep Stonehill in Canada has been convicted of forgery for signing B.C. Premier Bennett's name to a letter.

Then there was the case of Nono Minaudo, a Windsor immigrant with alleged Mafia connections who managed to delay his deportation for several years. He, too, had the help of no doubt well-meaning friends. At one time he had the present External Affairs Minister, Paul Martin, as his lawyer.

The one heartening fact about all these cases—the Rivard affair, the Stonehill case, Minaudo—is that the pressure tactics didn't work The payoffs were rejected, the bribes turned down, the influence petered out at a certain point.

Lucien Rivard did not obtain bail He had to escape from jail instead Stonehill and Minaudo were both eventually forced to leave Canada.

But there are other disturbing questions raised by these incidents.

How is it that a man like Lucien Rivard, engaged in the international narcotics smuggling trade, was able to find so many diligent helpers in the ranks of and on the fringes of the Liberal Party?

Why was the easy assumption made by criminals that Government figures could be bought, that political influence could be diverted to thwart the course of justice?

These are the long, disturbing questions now being pondered by Mr. Pearson.

Their implications take him deep into the nature of the financing of political parties, the slush fund, the use and abuse of political power at every level, in short, the war on crime in politics.

At the moment, naturally enough, the personal consequences of the Dorion report — the resignations, the shattered careers—are getting most attention. The Government certainly has a duty to act on the report's conclusions

But it has a further duty, which Mr Pearson fortunately seems to recognize. It is to ensure that the same scenes are never played again, with nothing changed but the names of the actors.

# Humanitarian gesture

The conscience of Parliament should be disturbed by what happened to William E. Grant, former Yukon Indian agency superintendent. He was convicted on six counts of making false returns to the Indian affairs branch at Ottawa. His punishment: $10 on each count or one day in jail in default of payment.

The story that was unfolded in court is one of indictment of the manner in which Indian affairs in this country are managed by the Ottawa bureaucrats. Mr. Grant testified how he used money allocated for relief to provide other services for the people in his charge. He took these measures when he found it impossible to get important things done for Indian people through normal channels.

Mr. Grant was guilty under the law. But Mr. Justice Parker, who presided in the court and was required to pass sentence, had this to say: "Mr. Grant could have sat and watched the people in his agency die, could have said, 'I have only so much money to spend. This has to be, I've done what I can'."

Political "sweet talk" and the acceptance of feathered head-dresses as "honorary chiefs" of Indian tribes do not solve the problems of the Indians. The country can rightly salute a man with courage who will defy the bureaucrats and risk his career until changes are made in existing rules and regulations in respect to the Indian people.

—THE SUDBURY STAR.


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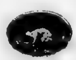

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# Ordination and anniversary held at Bawlf June 20th

Mrs. Joe Knudson

PALMER-EARLING, June 25—On June 20th the ordination service was held at Bawlf Lutheran Church when Harold Lovrud was ordained into the holy ministry by Rev. J. S. Stolee, former Pastor at Bawlf. The ordination sermon was given by Pastor Martin Knudson of Wynyard, Sask. The 27-year-old minister, son of Mr and Mrs. Jacob Lovrud of Bawlf, received his elementary and high school at Bawlf. After studying at the CLBI in Camrose he enrolled at the University of Saskatchewan where he received the Bachelor of Arts degree in 1962. He studied theology at Luther Seminary, Saskatoon interned in St. Olaf Lutheran Church under the direction of Pastor Gordon Hope and graduated with a BD degree May 21 this year from Lutheran Seminary

He will be pastoring in the Rabbit Lake, Sask., parish. His wife is the former Corine Knudson, elder daughter of Pastor and Mrs. Martin Knudson. A fellowship dinner for all and a brief program followed the service in the church parlors, honoring Pastor Harold Lovrud and his wife

**SILVER ANNIVERSARY**

Following the dinner relatives and friends gathered at the Bawlf Church parlors to celebrate the 25th wedding anniversary of Pastor and Mrs. Martin Knudson, former Earlingites, sponsored by the Zion and Skudesnes congregations.

Pastor Palmer Olson, Bawlf, a classmate at seminary with Martin Knudson, was master of ceremonies and chaired an hour-long program of songs, duets and readings

Mrs. H. Lovrud pinned on the corsages for her mother and dad. Seated at the decorated bridal table with Rev. and Mrs. Knudson were their family, Mr. and Mrs Harold Lovrud and Sharon Knudson of Saskatoon. Carol, their youngest daughter, was unable to be present.

The attendants at the wedding 25 years ago, Harry Mosby of Tofield, the bride's brother, and the groom's sister, Mrs. Chester Throndson, their mothers Mrs. Annie Mosby and Mrs. Ragna Knudson of Camrose. Pastor and Mrs. P Olson, Pastor and Mrs J. B. Stolee and Pastor and Mrs Arnold Hagen of CLBI were all present.

Centring the table was the three-tier anniversary cake made by Mrs. George Mosby and beautifully decorated by the groom's sisters, Mrs. Clifford Carlson and Mrs Chester Throndson

**PRESENTATIONS**

On behalf of the Knudson families, Rev. Lars Knudson of Elbow, Sask., presented a purse of money and a scrap book compiled by Alma and Judith. Edwin Mosby, Camrose also presented a purse of money and good wishes from the Mosby families.

Alvin Bratrud of Zion Church spoke briefly and presented a purse of money from the Zion and Skudesnes friends. Mrs. Joe Knudson presented a small gift from the Skudesnes LCW, Martin being a son of that congregation.

Sandra Throndson, their niece, was in charge of the guest book and Magdalene Knudson poured the coffee, when refreshments were served in closing.

Pastor and Mrs. Knudson both expressed their appreciation Their children had already presented their gift in March at the real date, at the family gathering then.

Martin Knudson and Constance Mosby were married in Ryley by Pastor Vinge March 30, 1940, and farmed in Earling until he entered CLBI and seminary. At present they are pastoring at Wynyard, Sask., going there from Calgary last January.

# Farewell party honors student

Mrs. Joe Knudson

PALMER-EARLING, June 25—A going-away party was held Saturday night at the Bill Winsness home, Ryley, in honor of their nephew, Dick Ogilvie of Edmonton, who has spent the past five years as a medical student at the University there, and will now depart for Montreal where he will continue his studies in Medicine Present for a social evening were his fiancee, Ernestine Taheni of Australia, and his uncle and aunt here, Mr. and Mrs Clarence Johnson and Tom and Ken, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Snortheim and Ian, and Harold and Ann.


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# Lutz - Kauffman wedding solemnized

A lovely evening wedding was solemnized in Salem Mennonite Church near Dodds at 6:30 on June 26, when Inez Mae Kauffman, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Loyal Kauffman of Tofield, became the bride of Walter Reinhold Lutz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reinhold Lutz of Holden. Bishop Boettger officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of silk organza. The lace jacket had lily-point sleeves. She carried a bouquet of red roses and stephanotis.

Miss Grace Kauffman, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Miss Eunice Sitler of Camrose was bridesmaid. They wore identical pink knee-length dresses of brocade, and carried crescent bouquets of white carnations.

The best men were Otto Frochlich of Edmonton, cousin of the groom, and Joseph Kauffman, brother of the bride. The ushers were Ben Lutz, brother of the groom, and Don Kauffman, brother of the bride.

During the ceremony, Paul Voegtlin gave the sermonette, and a quartet sang "Jesus Leads" and "Father Lead Us", and while kneeling a trio sang, "O Jesus, We Have Promised".

The bride's mother was dressed in navy with white accessories, and wore a pink rose corsage The groom's mother was dressed in a two-piece blue dress with white accessories, and her corsage was also a pink rose.

The reception was held in the church basement for approximately 200 guests. Master of ceremonies was Don Kauffman, and Newton Singrich from Ontario asked the blessing. The toast to the bride was proposed by Merlin Stauffer of Tofield, to which the groom ably responded. The bride's table was centred by a three-tiered wedding cake flanked by candles. Miss Gail Lauber was in charge of the guest book

For travelling to points at the West Coast, Spokane and Banff, Inez wore a light blue suit with tan accessories, and a pink sweetheart rose corsage.

Out of town guests came from British Columbia, Ontario, Edmonton, Holden, Viking, Red Deer, Carstairs and Vegreville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lutz will reside on a farm near Holden.


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# Shower honors Norma Huseby

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, July 9th Neighbors and friends from Holden gathered Sunday afternoon at the Henry Huseby home to honor their daughter, Norma, with a bridal shower

Mrs. Ken Sorgen, the emcee, made the presentation speech, and Mrs. Duane Huseby rendered two solos.

Murray Huseby, assisted by Norma's other nieces and nephews, pushed in a red railroad cart filled with lovely gifts and good wishes.

The bride-elect's sisters, Mrs. June Yarham of Edmonton, and Mrs. Florence Gabelhaus of Holden, assisted in opening the gifts, after which a nice lunch was served by the ladies. Norma expressed her sincere appreciation. Norma Huseby and Lorne Murdock of Edmonton, will be married Saturday, July 17th at the United Church in Edmonton.

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Cardinal Leger's talk to the graduating class of the University of Toronto was a worthwhile reminder of the words of Pope John. We live in a rigid world, and this rigidity has cost us over many years great agony and millions of lives. Pope John's "Encyclical Pacem in Terris" caused the world to stop and listen. The bells rang out and there was for a moment an answer in the hearts of men.

But we are back in the old predicament and "the extraordinary courage and simplicity of Pope John, and everyone's recognition that he meant what he said has been lost". Pope John made two points. He condemned racialism and he asked of those who were responsible for the very intricate modern means of mass communication to discard methods of information which fall short of the truth and by implication impair the reputation of this people or that.

Pope John's warning to those in mass media was well taken. There is a tendency in a part of this particular trade — press, radio, television — to act faster than prudence dictates, to over-simplify, to rely on the cliche and to respond both irrationally and violently. Few in this business would deny in their more rational moments what the Pope had to say, but time pressure on this trade in a way that it presses on few others, and while it may not be a good excuse it is the best that circumstances permit us to offer, point which bears repetition. Newspapers are subject always to the charge of being extremists or fellow-travellers, or dreamy-eyed liberals. Those who seek for peace are indeed likely to be so described by the practical man, but human values are not such, as he pointed out, that they can be solved by denying our principles.

"We cannot solve our problems by throwing bombs at people — and this applies to little home-made affairs as well as atom and hydrogen bombs".

When we get to the bombs, as the Cardinal pointed out, we have stopped thinking of each other as human beings. We consider each others as abstractions — Communists, Fascists, Socialists or Capitalists, French-speaking Canadians, or English-speaking Canadians. "Beings to be mistrusted, hated and if possible destroyed".

We have had something of that in this province already, and in world politics we are guilty of it on a mass basis, but what Pope John, and, in his turn, Cardinal Leger, are calling for is something quite different: that we look not at people, but at persons; that we avoid the rigidity which in 1917 forced those in charge of our affairs to disregard the appeal of Pope Benedict, made "in the voice of humanity and reason" to stop the first World War. It was clear at that time, as Cardinal Leger said, that on both sides "there was an attitude which made negotiation impossible, and each side sincerely believed the other to be dangerous and untrustworthy".

We have reached that stage in our affairs today. Cardinal Leger did not say so, nor indeed Pope John, but once we begin to regard the other side in these iron clad and unchangeable terms, we are reaching a position where we imperil the future of millions.

## MacDuff Ottawa report... Crime and politics

OTTAWA.—There is "a sinister and growing involvement of crime in politics". That statement was made by no headline-hunting political hatchetman.

It was made by Prime Minister Pearson following publication of the Dorion Report. He pledged his Government to a war on crime.

Not many months ago, Mr. Pearson, along with most Canadians, would have greeted that kind of statement with a certain incredulity. It would have been un-Canadian to believe that the tentacles of international crime, the Mafia, the Cosa Nostra, L'union Corse, were reaching into Government itself.

Some of that incredulity greeted Conservative MP Erik Nielsen last November 25, when he rose in the Commons to reveal charges of bribery and coercion in Government offices.

The course of the next few months, not only vindicated Mr. Nielsen, but opened the eyes of Mr Pearson to what dangers lurk in the seemingly and familiar lagoons of politics.

Judge Frederic Dorion, Chief Justice of Quebec Superior court, was named to make a full inquiry into the charges. Before his tribunal trooped a savage and unsavory crew from the demi-monde of crime and politics.

The Judge's report foiled Justice Minister Favreau, not for any lack of honesty or honor, but for his failure to recognize the dangers and to deal with them adequately.

Gone too, and perhaps facing criminal charges, was Raymond Dandi, former executive assistant to former Immigration Minister Tremblay. Judge Dorion said there was no doubt Dandi had offered a $30,000 bribe in an attempt to obtain bail for suspected dope smuggler Lucien Rivard.

Guy Rouleau, the personable young member of parliament from Montreal-Dollard who became embroiled in the affair, saw his career disintegrate almost overnight. He lost successively his job as Parliamentary Secretary to the Prime Minister, Chairman of the Liberal caucus, and finally his seat in Parliament and his membership in the Liberal Party.

A number of others on the fringes of the Liberal party had their careers abruptly terminated. Some will have their day in court. Others, if they are lucky, may live out their days in peace, content in the fully escaped their brush with organized crime.

In the meantime, the men at the top have been made acutely aware of the power and influence of international criminals. They have been forced to consider how, in the scheme of things, the money paid out for an election poster could well be the same dollar that paid off the prostitute or the dope peddler.

For men like Mr. Pearson, this has always been a blind area. It did not behoove a political leader to pay much attention to the twilight zone between politics and crime. Only recently, when it became apparent that the criminal elements were boldly intruding on the political scene did the Government become alert to the dangers.

The danger, contrary to what some may think, does not come solely from old-line Quebec politics.

Consider the Harry Stonehill case. He was a wealthy immigrant who wanted to settle in Vancouver and become a Canadian. He found influential friends in British Columbia. It took a long time to get rid of him, in spite of his sordid background of influence-peddling and the fact that he was wanted in the United States on several charges. One Vancouverite who made repeated intensive in Ottawa to keep Stonehill in Canada has been convicted of forgery for signing B.C. Premier Bennett's name to a letter.

Then there was the case of Nemo Minasio, a Windsor immigrant with alleged Mafia connections who managed to delay his deportation for several years. He, too, had the help of no doubt well - meaning friends. At one time he had the present External Affairs Minister, Paul Martin, as his lawyer.

The one heartening fact about all these cases—the Rivard affair, the Stonehill case, Minasio —is that the pressure tactics didn't work. The payoffs were rejected, the bribes turned down, the influence pedaled out at a certain point.

Lucien Rivard did not obtain bail. He had to escape from jail instead. Stonehill and Minasio were both eventually forced to leave Canada.

But there are other disturbing questions raised by these incidents.

How is it that a man like Lucien Rivard, engaged in the international narcotics smuggling trade, was able to find so many diligent helpers in the ranks of and on the fringes of the Liberal Party?

Why was the easy assumption made by criminals that Government favors could be bought, that political influence could be diverted to thwart the course of justice?

These are the long, disturbing questions now being pondered by Mr. Pearson.

Their implications take him deep into the heart of the financing of political parties, the slush fund, the use and abuse of political power at every level, in short, the war on crime in politics.

At the moment, naturally enough, the personal consequences of the Dorion report — the resignations, the shattered careers—are gaining most attention. The Government certainly has a duty to act on the report's conclusions.

But it has a further duty, which Mr. Pearson fortunately seems to recognize. It is to ensure that the same scenes are never played again, with nothing changed but the names of the actors.

## Humanitarian gesture

The conscience of Parliament should be disturbed by what happened to William E. Grant, former Yukon Indian agency superintendent. He was convicted on six counts of making false returns to the Indian affairs branch at Ottawa. His punishment: $10 on each count or one day in jail in default of payment.

The story that was unfolded in court in use of indictment of the manner in which Indian affairs in this country are managed by the Ottawa bureaucrats. Mr. Grant testified how he used money allocated for relief to provide other services for the people in his charge. He took these measures when he found it impossible to get important things done for Indian people through normal channels.

Mr. Grant was guilty under the law. But Mr. Justice Parker, who presided in the court and was required to pass sentence, had this to say: "Mr. Grant could have sat and watched the people in his agency die, could have said, 'I have only so much money to spend. This has to be, I've done what I can'."

Political "sweet talk" and the acceptance of feathered head-dresses as "honorary chiefs" of Indian tribes do not solve the problems of the Indians. The country can rightly salute a man with courage who will defy the bureaucrats and risk his career until changes are made in existing rules and regulations in respect to the Indian people.

—THE SUDBURY STAR.

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## Ordination and anniversary held at Bawlf June 20th

Mrs. Joe Knudson

PALMER-EARLING, June 25—On June 20th the ordination service was held at Bawlf Lutheran Church when Harold Lovrud was ordained into the holy ministry by Rev. J. S. Bloler, former Pastor at Bawlf. The ordination sermon was given by Pastor Martin Knudson of Wynyard, Sask. The 37-year-old minister, son of Mr and Mrs. Jacob Lovrud of Bawlf, received his elementary and high school at Bawlf. After studying at the CLBI in Camrose he enrolled at the University of Saskatchewan where he received the Bachelor of Arts degree in 1962. He studied theology at Luther Seminary, Saskatoon. Interned in St. Olaf Lutheran Church under the direction of Pastor Gordon Hope and graduated with a BD degree May 21 this year from Lutheran Seminary.

He will be pastoring in the Rabbit Lake, Sask., parish. His wife is the former Corine Knudson, elder daughter of Pastor and Mrs. Martin Knudson. A fellowship dinner for all and a brief program followed the service in the church parlors, honoring Pastor Harold Lovrud and his wife

### SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Following the dinner relatives and friends gathered at the Bawlf Church parlors to celebrate the 25th wedding anniversary of Pastor and Mrs. Martin Knudson, former Earlingites, observed by the Zion and Skudesnes congregations.

Pastor Palmer Olson, Bawlf, a classmate at seminary with Martin Knudson, was master of ceremonies and chaired an hour-long program of songs, duets and readings.

Mrs. H. Lovrud pinned on the corsages for her mother and dad. Seated at the decorated bridal table with Rev. and Mrs. Knudson were their family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lovrud and Sharon Knudson of Saskatoon. Carol, their youngest daughter, was unable to be present.

The attendants at the wedding 25 years ago, Harry Mosby of Tofield, the bride's brother, and the groom's sister, Mrs. Chester Throndson, their mothers Mrs. Annie Mosby and Mrs. Regina Knudson of Camrose. Pastor and Mrs. P. Olson, Pastor and Mrs. J. B. Stolee and Pastor and Mrs. Arnold Rogen of CLBI were all present.

Centering the table was the three-tier anniversary cake made by Mrs. George Mosby and beautifully decorated by the groom's sisters, Mrs. Clifford Carlson and Mrs. Chester Throndson.

### PRESENTATIONS

On behalf of the Knudson families, Rev. Lars Knudson of Estevan, Sask., presented a purse of money and a scrap book compiled by Alma and Judith Edwin Mosby. Camrose also presented a purse of money and good wishes from the Mosby families.

Alvin Bestrud of Zion Church spoke briefly and presented a purse of money from the Zion and Skudesnes friends. Mrs. Joe Knudson presented a small gift from the Skudesnes LCW. Martin being a son of that congregation.

Sandra Throndson, their niece, was in charge of the guest book and Magdalene Knudson poured the coffee, when refreshments were served in closing.

Pastor and Mrs. Knudson both expressed their appreciation. Their children had already presented their gift in March at the royal date, at the family gathering then.

Martin Knudson and Constance Mosby were married in Ryley by Pastor Vinge March 20, 1943, and farmed in Earling until he entered CLBI and seminary. At present they are pastoring at Wynyard, Sask., going there from Calgary last January.

## Lutz - Kauffman wedding solemnized

A lovely evening wedding was solemnized in Salem Mennonite Church near Dodds at 6:30 on June 26, when Inez Mae Kauffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Kauffman of Tofield, became the bride of Walter Reinhold Lutz, son of Mr and Mrs. Reinhold Lutz of Holden Bishop Boettger officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of silk organza. The lace jacket had ilfy-point sleeves She carried a bouquet of red roses and stephanotis.

Miss Grace Kauffman, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Miss Eunice Sitler of Camrose was bridesmaid. They wore identical pink knee-length dresses of brocade, and carried crescent bouquets of white carnations.

The best men were Otto Froehlich of Edmonton, cousin of the groom, and Joseph Kauffman, brother of the bride. The ushers were Ben Lutz, brother of the groom, and Don Kauffman, brother of the bride.

During the ceremony, Paul Voegtlin gave the sermonette, and a quartet sang "Jesus Leads" and "Father Lead I's" and while kneeling a trio sang, "O Jesus, We Have Promised".

The bride's mother was dressed in navy with white accessories, and wore a pink rose corsage. The groom's mother was dressed in a two-piece blue dress with white accessories, and her corsage was also a pink rose.

The reception was held in the church basement for approximately 200 guests. Master of ceremonies was Don Kauffman, and Vernon Singrich from Ontario asked the blessing. The toast to the bride was proposed by Merlin Stauffer of Tofield, to which the groom ably responded. The bride's table was centred by a three-tiered wedding cake flanked by candles. Miss Gail Lauber was in charge of the guest book.

For travelling to points at the West Coast, Rockies and Banff, Inez wore a light blue suit with tan accessories, and a pink sweetheart rose corsage.

Out of town guests came from British Columbia, Ontario, Edmonton, Holden, Viking, Red Deer, Carstairs and Vegreville. Mr. and Mrs. Lutz will reside on a farm near Holden.

## Shower honors Norma Huseby

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, July 8th Neighbors and friends from Holden gathered Sunday afternoon at the Henry Huseby home to honor their daughter, Norma, with a bridal shower.

Mrs. Ken Sorgen, the emcee, made the presentation speech, and Mrs. Duane Huseby rendered two solos

Murray Huseby, assisted by Norma's other nieces and nephews, pushed in a red railroad cart filled with lovely gifts and good wishes.

The bride-elect's sisters, Mrs. June Yarham of Edmonton, and Mrs. Florence Gabelman of Holden, assisted in opening the gifts, after which a nice lunch was served by the ladies. Norma expressed her sincere appreciation "Norma Huseby and Lorne Murdock of Edmonton, will be married Saturday, July 17th at the United Church in Edmonton

## Farewell party honors student

Mrs. Joe Knudson

PALMER-EARLING, June 25—A going-away party was held Saturday night at the Bill Wiens home, Ryley, in honor of their nephew, Dick Ogilvie of Edmonton, who has spent the past five years as a medical student at the University there, and will now depart for Montreal where he will continue his studies in Medicine. Present for a social evening were his fiancee, Ernestine Taberd of Australia, and his uncle and aunt here, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and Tren and Ken, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Snortheim and Ian, and Harold and Ann.

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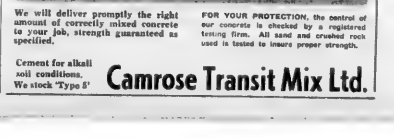
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THE TOFIELD MERCURY

Thursday, July 15th, 1965

## Holmes - Yoder wedding ceremony in Winnipeg

A double-ring ceremony was solemnized in the RCAF Protestant Chapel, Winnipeg, Man., on June 26th at 4:30 p.m., when Carol Ann, daughter of Wing Commander and Mrs. Stanley W. Yoder, 462 Sharpe Blvd., was united in marriage with Kenneth Gordon Holmes, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Killarney, Man., son of Mrs. Amy Holmes, and the late Joseph Holmes, London, Ontario. Padre Phillip D. Ross officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an empire-line gown of peau de soie with guipure lace bodice and elbow-length sleeves. The controlled A-line skirt was gathered into a gentle fullness at the back with a panel train appliqued at the hemline with guipure lace. The silk illusion bouffant veil was held in place by a floral head-piece, and she carried a bouquet of white orchids, stephanotis and ivy streamers in a teardrop cascade design.

Maid of honor, Miss Patricia Yoder, and bridesmaid, Miss Linda Epp, wore floor-length gowns of yellow organza fashioned on empire lines. The gowns featured softly puffed sleeves of white embroidery on yellow organza and a border of white embroidery at the skirt hem. A double flower with a butterfly veil formed the head-pieces, and they carried bouquets of white and yellow marguerites in cascade design with sheer ribbons.

The flower girl, Sandra Epp, wore a floor-length dress of yellow organza similar to those of the other attendants and she carried a flower "puff" of white tulle and yellow marguerites with tiny streamers.

Constable Patrick Hodgkinson, bestman, and ushers Constables Kit Gill and Gerald Ferguson wore RCMP full dress.

The bride's mother wore a gown of French imported lace in mushroom color with matching tiara hat and bag, on which she wore pink tea rose buds, also matching accessories.

The groom's mother wore a blue taffeta gown with matching lace overcoat, her accessories were blue and she wore a corsage of yellow tea roses.

Grandmother of the bride, Mrs. John Yoder, of Kitchener, Ont., wore a gown of beige brocade with matching hat and accessories her corsage was American beauty roses.

A reception was held at the Royal Alexander Hotel where Squadron Leader Patrick Thompson proposed the toast to the bride.

After a wedding trip to Maine, the couple will reside in Killarney, Man.

## Ryley and district news briefs

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Jim [redacted] Fish [redacted] family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fish, and Mrs. Sophie Budinski.

The Beaver Lake is a popular place for picnics and bathing this year, and there was a big crowd out there on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Booth accompanied their daughter, Marian and family when she returned to her home at Chilliwack, B.C., and will holiday on the West Coast for awhile before returning home.

**PLEASANT HOLIDAY**

Cards are being received by relatives and friends here from Ole and Agnes Hagen who are on holiday in Norway. They report having had a lovely flight over on CPA and thoroughly enjoyed meeting their old friends. Ole and Agnes started their trip in a novel way by going by boat from their house to the car on the road, as the heavy rainfall had turned their yard into a veritable lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Oslund will travel this week via Air Canada from the International Airport to spend an extended summer vacation in Ottawa visiting with their daughter, Mildred, and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Gordon [redacted] their grandchildren, Donald and Joan.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Nerassen are on holiday in Vancouver and Victoria, and expect to be away several weeks. Doug and Marvel Down and family of Athabasca were down for the weekend to see their parents before they left for B.C.

Johnny Jevning, an old-time resident of Ryley and now of Edmonton, was in town this week visiting old friends in the district.

Gordon and Johnny Booth went to Lacombe this week, where they will be employed for the summer at the Union College.

Mrs. Herbie Thomas of Nanaimo (the former Irene Young) has been in town visiting with her mother, Mrs. Cora Young.

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(W. E. Griffin)

SPILSTEAD — The pleasant social evenings of worship and song held every second Friday rotating in the homes of the congregation are conducted by Miss Helen Brown, student minister of St. Stephen's College, Edmonton. Mrs. Brown, a member of the congregation, leads the singing on her piano-accordian.

Up to date, July 9th, four of these happy gatherings have been held. The hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt, Mrs. Winder and Mr. and Mrs. Hoflin, in that order.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brown on July 23rd.

These home gatherings for praise and song are not exclusive, [illegible] there are present members of the Minnetka and Cooking Lake congregations.

Anyone wishing to attend will be heartily welcomed.

## 4-H Calf Club has 19th annual achievement day

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — Wednesday, July 7 was the 19th annual achievement day for the Ryley 4-H Dairy Calf Club, and because of the inclement weather the show was transferred from their outside show ring at the sports grounds to the new loafing barn on the farm of George Knudsen.

George is one of the original members of the club and a vote of thanks is extended to him from the members and the adult committee for the use of his barn.

F. Cole of Edmonton was the judge and there were six classes shown. The big winner of the day was Dale Winsnes, who swept the board in all classes. As this was Dale's final year in the club, it was a proud day for him to [redacted].

The following is a list of the placings:

**CALF CLASS**

Placing: 1st Dale Winsnes, 2nd Jean Booth, 3rd Bob Dueck.

Grooming: 1st Bob Dueck, 2nd Kenny Hillerud, 3rd Patty Woods.

Showmanship: 1st Dale Winsnes, 2nd Gail Kirkelund, 3rd Ian Smortheim.

**YEARLING CLASS**

Placing: 1st Dale Winsnes, 2nd Tom Annable, 3rd Patty Wood.

Grooming: 1st Gail Kirkelund, 2nd Kenny Hillerud, 3rd Ian Smortheim.

Showmanship: 1st Dale Winsnes, 2nd Gail Kirkelund, 3rd Ian Smortheim.

**TWO YEAR OLD CLASS**

Placing: 1st Dale Winsnes, 2nd Kenny Hillerud, 3rd Gary Patterson.

Grooming: 1st Patty Woods, 2nd Dale Winsnes, 3rd Gary Patterson.

Showmanship: 1st Dale Winsnes, 2nd Gail Kirkelund, 3rd Douglas Booth.

**HERD CLASS**

Placing: 1st Dale Winsnes, 2nd Gail Kirkelund, 3rd Patty Woods.

**PEE WEE CLASS**

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—Herb, Mary and Pat McAdoo.

PITHOUSE — We wish to express grateful thanks to our friends, neighbors and relatives for the many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, floral tributes and memorial gifts received during our recent bereavement, in the loss of our beloved Mother, Sister and Grandmother. Special thanks are extended to Dr. Freebury, Dr. Clark, and the Nurses and Staff at the Tofield Hospital, Hastings Lake Ladies' Club, and the members of the Hastings Lake Hall Board.
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July 26th-30th—Daily Vacation Bible School, 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, July 18th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
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RYLEY—
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Sunday Services
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**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, July 18th
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
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Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ... 10:30 a.m.
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MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The Lakeshore - McKenzie districts are holding a picnic and pot-luck dinner at the roadside picnic grounds on Highway 16, west of Bilan's Store at Ross Creek. This picnic is sponsored by the Lakeshore UCW and will be held on Sunday, July 18, with dinner at 12:30 noon, weather permitting. All those wishing to join in this picnic and help make it a success are cordially invited to come and bring their families.

Johnny Wood motored to Onoway early Friday morning to get his wife, Gloria, who had been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller. Mrs. Ethel Wood accompanied Johnny as far as Edmonton, where she was a breakfast guest at the home of her brother, Doug and Fran Baines.

Dede and Robert Goubault and daughter Judy, of Drayton Valley, and Robert's niece, Mary Tiedemann, returned at noon on Saturday from a motor trip to Estevan, Sask. Judy and Mary returned to the home of Mary's parents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann, where Judy is spending part of her holidays. Dede and Robert spent Saturday overnight and until after dinner Sunday at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood, before they returned home to Drayton.

**George Abernethy returned home last week from a motor trip to the United States. His sister, Mrs. Mildred Patch, and her grandson returned with him.**

Vernon Bethel and friend Sue Suttor from British Columbia were last Tuesday afternoon luncheon guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and family.

Vi and Elmer Geoglem were Saturday evening visitors at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood.

**IN HOSPITAL**

We were sorry to learn that Mrs. Ida Niemetz is once again a patient in the Tofield Hospital, where she underwent surgery on Wednesday last week. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Iriene and Harold Sieb and two children, of Ladner, B.C., were visitors at the home of Iriene's brother, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz, from Friday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lorenz of Medicine Hat arrived Saturday afternoon and were visitors and supper guests at the home of Ed's nephew, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz and family.

**B.C. VISITORS HERE**

Iriene and Harold Sieb and Harold Sieb and children of Ladner, B.C., were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Harold's sister, Eleanor and Erne Runzer. They visited Mrs. Ida Niemetz in the Tofield Hospital on their way to Edmonton, where they are guests of Iriene's sister, Erma and Fred Onyschuk, for a few days before returning to their home in B.C.

Donna and Frank Edwards, of Elk Point, were Saturday overnight and Sunday guests at the home of Donna's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson. They were also Saturday evening visitors at the home of Jim and Wally Fisher.

Jim and Wally Fisher of Tofield were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Howard and Mae Ferguson and family.

**THIRD ANNIVERSARY**

John and Mary Wood and Mrs. Ethel Wood were guests of Yvonne and Peter Brown at the home of Yvonne's parents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann, on Wednesday evening, July 7th, helping Yvonne and Peter celebrate their third wedding anniversary.

Doug Bains and children, Barbara, David and Tim, of Edmonton were Saturday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Doug's sister, Mrs. Ethel Wood, and family. Barb remained overnight and until Sunday evening with her aunt Ethel before returning home.

On Friday evening, Sandy and Irene Scott and two girls, of Lindbrook, Stanley and Keitha Brown and son Peter of Ketchamoot, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Fairbrother and daughter Marilyn of Spilstead, Eric and Bertha Sorrell and two children, and Mrs. Bertsch and three sons of Edmonton, were all guests at a wiener roast at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann and family.

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# THE RYLEY TIMES



## Holmes - Yoder wedding ceremony in Winnipeg

A double-ring ceremony was solemnized in the RCAF Protestant Chapel, Winnipeg, Man., on June 26th at 4:30 p.m. when Carol Ann, daughter of Wing Commander and Mrs. Stanley W. Yoder, 462 Sharpe Blvd., was united in marriage with Kenneth Gordon Holmes, Royal [illegible] Mounted Police, Killarney, Man., son of Mrs. Amy Holmes and the late Joseph Holmes, London, Ontario. [illegible] Phillip D. Ross officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an empire-line gown of peau de soie with guipure lace bodice and elbow-length sleeves. The controlled A-line skirt was gathered into a gentle fullness at the back with a panel train appliqued at the hemline with guipure lace. The silk illusion bouffant veil was held in place by a floral headpiece and she carried a bouquet of white orchids, stephanotis and ivy streamers in a teardrop cascade design.

Maid of honor Miss Patricia Yoder and bridesmaid Miss Linda Epp, wore floor-length gowns of yellow organza fashioned on empire lines. The gowns featured softly puffed sleeves of white embroidery on yellow organza and a border of white embroidery at the skirt hem. A [illegible] flower with a butterfly veil [illegible] the headpieces, and they carr[illegible] bouquets of white and yellow marguerites in cascade design with sheer ribbons.

The flower girl, Sandra Epp, wore a floor-length dress of yellow organza similar to those of the other attendants and she carried a flower "puff" of white tulle and yellow marquerites with tiny streamers.

Constable Patrick Hodgkinson bestman, and ushers Constables Kit Gill and Gerald Ferguson wore RCMP full dress.

The bride's mother wore a gown of French imported lace in mushroom color with matching tiara [illegible] and [illegible] she wore pink tea rose buds, also matching [illegible].

The groom's mother wore a blue taffeta gown with matching lace overcoat, [illegible] accessories were blue and she wore a corsage of yellow tea roses.

Grandmother of the bride, Mrs. John Yoder of Kitchener, Ont., wore a gown of beige brocade, with matching hat and accessories; her corsage was American beauty roses.

A reception was held at the Royal Alexander Hotel where Squadron Leader Patrick Thompson proposed the toast to the bride.

After a wedding trip to Maine, the couple will reside in Killarney, Man.

## Ryley and district news briefs

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Jim and Susan Fish and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with their parents, Mr and Mrs Johnny Fish, and Mrs. Sophie Budinski.

The Beaver Lake is a popular place for picnics and bathing this year and [illegible] a big crowd out there on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs S N Booth accompanied their daughter, Marian and family when she returned to her [illegible] at Chilliwack, B C., and will holiday on the West Coast for awhile before returning home.

**PLEASANT HOLIDAY**

Cards are being received by relatives and friends here from Ole and Agnes Hagen who are on holiday in Norway. They report having had a lovely flight over on CPA and thoroughly enjoyed meeting their old friends. Ole and Agnes started their [illegible] in a novel way by going by boat from their house to the car on the road, as the heavy rainfall had turned their yard into a veritable lake.

Mr and Mrs Olaf Oslund will travel this week via Air Canada from the International Airport to spend an ex[illegible] summer vacation in Ottawa visiting with their daughter, Mildred, and son-in-law Mr and Mrs D C Gordon and their grandchildren, Donald and Joan.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Nernason are on holiday in Vancouver and Victoria, and expect to be away several weeks. Doug and Marvel Down and family of Athabasca were down for the weekend to see their parents before they left for B C.

Johnny Jevning, an old-time resident of Ryley and now of Edmonton, was in town this week visiting old friends in the district.

Gordon and Johnny Booth went to Lacombe this week, where they will be employed for the summer at the Union College.

Mrs. Herbie Thomas of Nanaimo (the former Irene Young) has been in town visiting with her mother, Mrs. Cora Young.


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## All welcome at services

(W. E. Grattan)

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Up to date, July 9th, four of these happy gatherings have been held. The hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Bruer, Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt, Mrs. Winder and Mr. and Mrs. Hoflin, in that order.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruer on July 16th.

These home gatherings for praise and song are not exclusive [illegible] there are present members of the [illegible] and [illegible] congregations.

Anyone wishing to [illegible] will be heartily welcomed.

## 4-H Calf Club has 19th annual achievement day

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — Wednesday, July 7 was the 19th annual achievement day for the Ryley 4-H Dairy Calf Club, and because of the inclement weather the show was transferred from their outside show ring on the sports ground, to the new loafing barn on the farm of George Knudsen.

George is one of the original members of the club and a vote of thanks is extended to him from the members and the adult committee for the use of his barn.

E. [illegible] of Edmonton was the judge and there were six classes shown. The big winner of the day was Dale Wimmes, who swept the board in all classes. As this was Dale's final year in the club it was a proud day for him to remember.

The following is a list of the placings:

**CALF CLASS**

Placing: 1st Dale Wimmes, 2nd Jean Booth, 3rd Bob Dueck.

Grooming: 1st Bob Dueck, 2nd [illegible] Hoierud, 3rd Patty Woods.

Showmanship: 1st Dale Wimmes, 2nd Gail Kirkelund, 3rd Ian Sporthem.

**YEARLING CLASS**

Placing: 1st Dale Wimmes, 2nd Tom Annebo, 3rd Patty Wood.

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**TWO YEAR OLD CLASS**

Placing: 1st Dale Wimmes, 2nd Kenny Hoierud, 3rd Gary Patterson.

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Showmanship: 1st Dale Wimmes, 2nd [illegible] Kirkelund, 3rd Douglas Booth.

**HERD CLASS**

Placing: 1st Dale Wimmes, 2nd [illegible] Kirkelund, 3rd Patty Woods.

**PEE WEE CLASS**

1st [illegible] Booth, 2nd Bruce Booth, [illegible] Marvin Knudsen.

[illegible] Dale Wimmes. [illegible] Champion: Dale Wimmes. [illegible] Dale Wimmes. Progress of Dairy: Dale Wimmes.


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## Church notes

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
The Friendly Church on the Corner
Sunday, July 18th
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.
July 26th-30th—Daily Vacation Bible School, 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, July 18th
HOLDEN
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Anglican
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m. every Sunday—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. 1st Sunday of Month—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays—Morning Prayer.
O Come Let Us Worship.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, July 18th
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship

## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The Lakeshore - McKenzie districts are holding a picnic and pot-luck dinner at the roadside picnic grounds on Highway 16, west of Bilan's Store at Ross Creek. This picnic is sponsored by the Lakeshore UCW and will be held on Sunday, July 18, with dinner at 12.30 noon, weather permitting. All those wishing to join in this picnic and help make it a success are cordially invited to come and bring their families.

Johnny Wood motored to Onoway early Friday morning to get his wife Gloria, who had been spending a few days with her parents, Mr and Mrs John Miller. Mrs. Ethel Wood accompanied Johnny as far as Edmonton, where she was a breakfast guest at the home of her brother, Doug and Fran Baines.

Dede and Robert Goubault and daughter Judy, of Drayton Valley, and Robert's niece, Mary Tiedemann, returned at noon on Saturday from a motor trip to Estevan, Sask. Judy and Mary returned to the home of Mary's parents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann where Judy is spending part of her holidays. Dede and Robert spent Saturday overnight and until after dinner Sunday at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood, before they returned home to Drayton.

**George Abernethy returned home last week from a motor trip to the United States. His sister, Mrs. Mildred Patch, and her grandson returned with him.**

Vernon Bethel and friend Sue Suttor from British Columbia were last Tuesday afternoon luncheon guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and family.

Vi and Elmer Geoglein were Saturday evening visitors at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood.

**IN HOSPITAL**

We were sorry to learn that Mrs. Ida Niemetz is once again a patient in the Tofield Hospital, where she underwent surgery on Wednesday last week. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Irlene and Harold Sieb and two children, of Ladner, B.C., were visitors at the home of Irlene's brother, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz, from Friday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lorenz of Medicine Hat arrived Saturday afternoon and were visitors and supper guests at the home of Ed's nephew, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz and family.

**B.C. VISITORS HERE**

Irlene and Harold Sieb and Harold Sieb and children of Ladner, B.C., were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Harold's sister, Eleanor and Erne Rumzer. They visited Mrs. Ida Niemetz in the Tofield Hospital on their way to Edmonton, where they are guests of Irlene's niece, Erma and Fred Onyschuk, for a few days before returning to their home in B.C.

Donna and Frank Edwards, of Elk Point, were Saturday overnight and Sunday guests at the home of Donna's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson. They were also Saturday evening visitors at the home of Jim and Wally Fisher.

Jim and Wally Fisher of Tofield were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Howard and Mae Ferguson and family.

**THIRD ANNIVERSARY**

John and Mary Wood and Mrs. Ethel Wood were guests of Yvonne and Peter Brown at the home of Yvonne's parents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann, on Wednesday evening, July 7th, helping Yvonne and Peter celebrate their third wedding anniversary.

Doug Bains and children, Barbara, David and Tim, of Edmonton were Saturday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Doug's sister, Mrs. Ethel Wood, and family. Barb remained overnight and until Sunday evening with her aunt Ethel before returning home.

On Friday evening, Sandy and Irene Scott and two girls, of Lindbrook, Stanley and Keitha Brown and son Peter of Ketchamoot, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Fairbrother and daughter Marilyn of Spilstead, Eric and Bertha Sorrell and two children, and Mrs. Bertsch and three sons of Edmonton, were all guests at a wiener roast at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann and family.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 10.30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. Bill Kachman were visiting with friends in Vegreville for the day [illegible], July 4th.

FISHING TRIP

Joe Alexander rural mail carrier and Henry Oberg Henry's son Carl and some friends from Edmonton left Saturday July 3 to spend several days on a fishing trip at one of the lakes north of St Paul. Joe was hoping to be able to try out his new boat.

Gene Bilyk, postmaster is driving the rural mail routes 1 and 2 delivering mail while Joe Alexander is taking his holiday.

TRANSFERRED TO LETHBRIDGE

Hugh Chesbrowning accountant at the Royal Bank for the past [illegible] left for Lethbridge Thursday of last [illegible] being transferred to the branch of the Royal Bank there.

Mr and Mrs Milton Thaczyk and family of Edmonton have been spending their holidays [illegible] their respective families Mr and Mrs Peter A. Komarnisky and the Fred Thaczyks.

Marie Hetzle is away on four days visiting with relatives.

Russ Bohnah of St Paul and [illegible] were visitors at the Chris Hovland home on Sunday July 4th calling on Ray.

VISITS MOTHER

Mrs. Ken Campbell of Leduc and her brother Bill Campbell of Toronto, Ontario visited their mother Mrs N L Campbell on Tuesday July 6th. Bill stopped overnight at Leduc on his way home from Vancouver, where he and his family were spending their holidays visiting with relatives. Marjorie drove him over to see their mother before he continued his journey the next day. Mrs. Bill Campbell and children are spending another week or two at [illegible].

Mr and Mrs. McDougall (nee Connie Barlow) called on Connie's aunt, Mrs E Campbell, the early part of last week. They had been visiting with Connie's sister and family the Ernie Mertas of the Viking district [illegible] on their way back to [illegible] to visit with Mrs Percy [illegible], a patient in the University Hospital before returning home.

Visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs Lawrence Komarnisky a week ago Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Andie Lentz of Wetaskiwin, Mr and Mrs Joe Sroka and Mrs. Tekla Sroka.

Monday visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs Nick Fedick were William and Eric Krueger of Camrose. Mrs Diana Komarnisky, Charles Gibson and [illegible] Hovland.

Harry Shchinski has been staying [illegible] the farm this past [illegible].

Harry Dwernik with Mr and Mrs Harry Shchinski, of Edmonton were visitors at the Chris Hovland home on Sunday of last week.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Lars Ritland returned home from Tofield Hospital on Wednesday of last week, after being a patient there for three weeks having treatments on her leg. Mrs. Ernie Good drove up to the hospital to bring her home.

Mrs. Oscar Ruskeveld returned home the latter part of last week from Tofield Hospital, where she was a patient for several days having a check-up.

**Calgary Power Co. have been moving their equipment this past week from the old office into their new office building, across from Shack's Service Station, and are now established there.**

Mrs. Lindberg and children have been spending a [illegible] weeks' holiday at Lakeview [illegible]. Mr Lindberg was in [illegible] marking departmental [illegible] papers.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer [illegible] her daughter and [illegible] Mr and Mrs Hammer, in Viking on Friday of last [illegible].

Percy Barlow was visiting with his daughter Beth, and family, the Ernie Mertas, in Viking a week ago Wednesday, and then was going back to Edmonton to stay for a few days. Mrs Barlow who is a patient in the University Hospital was expected to undergo surgery on Friday morning.

Lynne Dorin, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Walter Dorin was visiting for a few days last week with her aunts, Mrs. Bertha Sanderson and Mrs. Clara Foran.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mr and Mrs. Wilfred Christianson of Edmonton brought their mother Mrs Laura Christianson home on Sunday July 4. Mrs. Christianson has been a patient in the University Hospital for two and a half weeks, having treatment, and is now convalescing at home. Wilfred and Olive stayed for two days, getting Mrs. Christianson settled, and returned to Edmonton Tuesday afternoon. Mrs Christianson is feeling better and friends hope it will not be too long before she is getting around again.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer visited with Mrs Elna Parsons last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Parsons came home from hospital a week ago after having treatment on her wrist which she fractured in a fall and now has it in a cast.

H A Pike superintendent of schools for County of Beaver No 9 was a business caller in Holden on Friday of last week.

Mr and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children of the Viking district were Sunday visitors and dinner guests with Robert's parents Mr and Mrs Geo H Taylor.

TO MARRY SOON

The engagement of Miss Carol Hurum to Mr Don Maxwell of Viking has been announced. The wedding is to take place at the Holden Lutheran Church on Saturday August 7th. Carol has been on the teaching staff of Viking school for the past year.

While spending a few days holidaying in Banff recently Mr and Mrs. Peter Stachy visited with Mr and Mrs. Fred Prosny who resided in Holden several years ago.

Mr and Mrs Joe Sharoy, Mr and Mrs Stanley Komarnisky and Mr and Mrs. Jim McLeod were guests at the Ordiko wedding in Tofield on Saturday evening.

NEW RESIDENT

Mrs. Malach and children arrived back in Holden Tuesday of last week and are residing in the Revelstoke Building Materials residence. Milton has been here for the past month and a half taking the yard over from Mr Tomchuk who was transferred back to the Vegreville branch.

Mr and Mrs. Joe Chamzuk left the early part of last week on a three week holiday.

Mr and Mrs Lars Olson were home over the weekend from Edmonton. Mr Olson has been marking departmental exam papers and Mrs. Olson spent the week visiting with her daughter Bernice and family, South Edmonton. Mr Olson returned on Monday to finish marking papers.

**We were pleased to hear from Mrs. Olson that her brother Mr Joplum, who has been a patient in the Colonel Mewburn Hospital Edmonton for the past several months, is [illegible] making good progress after surgery on his leg and is hoping before too long to be [illegible] on an artificial limb.**

## Ministik news

(Mrs. J. Reddish)

Michael Nasichuk recently spent a weekend at the home of Mr and Mrs. Sydney Wright at Mayerthorpe.

Gordon Kilfoyle has an old friend, Bill Ible staying with him for two weeks.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson was an Edmonton shopper on Friday.

Mrs R. Vandu Velde of Calgary (nee June Christenson) is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Christenson and other friends and relatives. Mr and Mrs R Vandu Velde and family are expecting to move to Toronto in the near future, where Mr Vandu [illegible] will be employed.

Mrs Christenson, June and family with Mrs. Mabel Sizer visited with Mrs. Sizer's daughter Gurene Mrs Hammer and family last Friday.

Mr and Mrs Don Manchur and small daughter left on holidays early last week. George Hunchuk is helping out at the Alberta Liquor store during Don's absence.

Mrs Elna Parsons and Chris Christenson were visiting with Mrs. Campbell last Saturday evening.

PIONEER GROUP MEETS

The Pioneer Group met for their regular monthly meeting on Thursday, July 8th, at the home of Mrs J Hooper, with nine ladies in attendance. The devotions were given by Mrs. Carrie Olson and the lesson from the study book was taken by Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

At the conclusion of the meeting a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.


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V. A. Wood,
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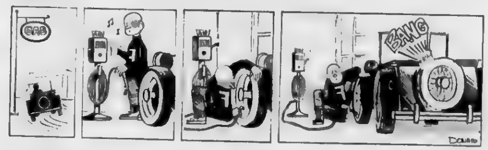


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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr and Mrs Martin Lawson were Sunday guests with Mr and Mrs Pete Korobko, enjoying a turkey supper there

Mrs McCrea of Camrose spent several days with her daughter, Joanie Pat and the grandchildren Their nephew Donnie Watt of Vancouver spent his holidays with them also

Henry McGinitie and Lionel Ferguson spent the weekend fishing at Boyne Lake

STRONG-INGRAM RITES

Several families of the district attended the wedding of Sharon Ingram and Richard Strong at the Tofield United Church on Saturday morning

Following the wedding of their daughter, Sharon on Saturday, Mr and Mrs. Jim Ingram held open house at their home for their guests

On Sunday afternoon, a number of families of the district attended the 40th wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs. J. E. Stinson in Tofield at the church parlors

'SURPRISE' PARTY

On Sunday, Mr and Mrs. Harold Schultz, Mr and Mrs Ronnie Georgiem and Clifford Appleby attended a surprise party for Col E. W. Cormack, who is retiring from the branch of the university. A picnic supper was held at the lovely home of Col. and Mrs Cormack of Ardrossan

Dick Hollings of Maple Creek, Sask., and Doris Hornibrook of Calgary were guests with Florence and Jimmy Ingram and daughter several days. Mr. Hollings is Florence's father, and Doris her sister.

Dorothy and Roy Whillans, Leroy and Barry, motored to Edmonton Sunday evening to visit with their son, Vernon, and family. Leroy remained there to attend part of the Edmonton Klondike Days

Frances Schultz accompanied Donna Jacobson to the Edmonton Exhibition on Monday.

AT CHURCH CAMP

Mary and Margret Kyle and Wendy Fleming left Wednesday morning to join a group of girls who will attend the Anglican Church girls' camp at Lake Jarvis. They will be gone for about ten days.

Johnny Sears and his cousin, Donnie Watt, left this morning to spend a few days camping at Gull Lake.

Patsy Sears spent the weekend at Rimbey visiting friends.

Gail Sears of Edmonton was home with her family over the weekend.

## Family re-union honors visitors

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

MINISTIK — Alex Penrice was pleasantly surprised recently when a cousin, Mrs. Janet Elliot of Paisley Scotland, and his sister, Mrs. Mary McEdward of Morriston Ont., come to visit him and his family

A family gathering was held at the home of Mr and Mrs. Gordon Thor and family on Sunday. These two ladies spent a few days at the Penrice farm and on Wednesday, Mrs. Robert Barker took Mrs Elliot, Mrs McEdward and Mr and Mrs. Penrice to Trochu where they visited with the George Penrice family. Mrs. Elliot and Mrs. McEdward remained their until Saturday when they returned to Edmonton to visit the Donald Penrice family

Sunday afternoon, July 4th, a family gathering enjoyed a picnic lunch at South Cooking Lake.

Monday was spent in Edmonton until train time when Mrs. Elliot and Mrs. McEdward boarded the train for Guelph, Ontario.

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

The congregation of the United Church was delighted to have Rev. Dwight Powell, superintendent of Home Missions, in their presence on Sunday Rev Powell read the scripture lesson and led in prayer. Next Sunday Henry Dunham will be preaching at both Ministik and South Cooking Lake Miss Helen Irwin will be one of the congregation at both services that day

IN HOSPITAL

Friends and neighbors wish Claude Leach a speedy recovery. He is at present a patient in Tofield hospital.

Mrs. Ivy Foster of Idaho Falls, Montana, and Mrs. Joe Atkinson of Edmonton were Friday evening guests of Mrs. S. George

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests of Mr and Mrs. Dick Nelson

SOCRED PICNIC

Several families from here attended the Social Credit picnic at Hastings Lake picnic grounds on Saturday afternoon and report a very enjoyable afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baker attended dressed in Klondike garb for Klondike Days now on in Edmonton

Many young couples attended the dance at Hastings Lake Hall on Saturday evening.

Some of the ladies in the district attended the strawberry tea sponsored by the UCW which was held in South Cooking Lake hall on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Loch attended the wedding of a friend at Elk Point on Saturday afternoon

**Miss Viola Kolb of Toronto, Ont., arrived Tuesday afternoon by train from Vancouver to spend two weeks with her cousin, Mrs. S. George.**

Steele Murdoch of Taylor, B.C., made a hasty trip from Edmonton on Saturday to say "hello" to his sister and brother-in-law, the Russell Rowlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harwart of Camrose were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Penrice Tuesday guests were Mr. and Mrs Roland Harris of Beverly, old friends from near Luseland, Sask

TWO BIRTHDAYS

A double birthday party was held at the home of Mrs. S George Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport, Phyllis, Doris and Lorraine were guests It was Phyllis and Mrs. George's birthday

The Don Messer show at the Gardens in Edmonton was enjoyed Wednesday evening at the Gardens by Mrs. Pat Paterson and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. George Kleinschroth and Elaine and Mr and Mrs. Lloyd Grummett and Mrs. Mary Gladue.

## Family week next at Hastings Lake camp

Beginning Sunday July 18th, through 25th, there will be Family Week at Hastings Lake Bible Camp. Pastor Harold Frostad of Armena will speak Sunday morning, and Pastor G. J. Ostrem of the Kingman Parish will speak in the afternoon and evening The theme for the week will be "Walking With The Lord"

Pastor Carl Johnson of Messiah Lutheran Church in Camrose will conduct Bible Study each morning during the week, centering on truths dealing with the end times Pastor Ostrem will bring the evening messages Families are invited to attend

This week the junior camp is in session. A second junior week will be held following the family week.

Next Wednesday the Bible Camp Association Annual Business meeting will be held Important matters regarding the future of the camp will be discussed

# Lakeshore-

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

On Monday evening Emil and Martha Tiedemann went to Lindbrook and took Martha's parents, Mr and Mrs Emil Gouhault, with them to visit at the home of Eddie and Nola Ferguson with Eddie's parents, Elmo and Annie Ferguson of Devon, who are at present visiting at Eddie's home. The Elmo Fergusons were former residents of the Lakeshore district A very enjoyable evening was spent visiting and renewing old acquaintances

Vi and Elmer Geoglein were Edmonton visitors on Monday, where they attended the Klondike Days' Parade, and also the exhibition in the afternoon and evening Mrs. Sybil Nelson and her sister, Mrs. Nettie Thomas, of Lacombe, motored to Tofield on Saturday afternoon and brought their sister, Mrs Ruth Wickenberg, home after she had spent a week visiting them, and also their other sister, Mrs. Ada Keaton, of Alix, and other relatives around the districts Sybil and Nettie spent Saturday overnight and Sunday with Ruth and Roy before returning home. Janet Wickenberg of Edmonton also spent the weekend with her parents

Mrs Mary Wood and Mrs. Johnny (Gloria) Wood were Monday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs A. W Holmes Sr., and her son, Jimmy and Delsie Holmes, and family, at Ministik.

VISITORS FROM ONTARIO

Visitors at the home of Johnny and Gloria Wood from Sunday afternoon until Monday afternoon were Gloria's brother and wife Mr and Mrs Gordon Miller, of Ontario and her mother, Mrs. John Miller, of Onoway

Don and Deanna Niemetz and little son of Edmonton motored here Sunday and visited Don's mother, Mrs Ida Niemetz, in the hospital, and also at the farm with his father, George Niemetz

## Shower fetes bride - elect

A miscellaneous shower was held on Saturday night in honor of Miss Marlene Ozubko, with 44 ladies present. Marlene received numerous useful gifts, for which she graciously expressed her thanks.

Marlene's marriage to Jim McKay took place on Saturday, July 10th, at St Francis of Azzizi Roman Catholic Church, Tofield

SHE'S A BEAUTY. The new Miss Dominion of Canada has trouble keeping her crown and her tears under control, but she'll have no such problem with her loyal subjects during the coming year. She's 18-year-old Carol Tidley, of Hamilton, Ont. She won out over a bevy of beauties from across the country.

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# Around town

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Langkaas are on a holiday trip to the United States, during which they will visit Disneyland .

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stinson left via CNR on Thursday for Winnipeg, where they will spend a short time with with the former's sister, Mrs. R. A Scott, after which they will travel by Air Canada to Toronto to visit with their family in that city, and in Milton, Ont. They expect to return by automobile with their daughter, Shirley, the end of July, as she is again taking up teaching in the nursing profession with the University of Alberta.

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and daughter, Edith Mary, of Edmonton, spent the weekend at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

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A LONG WALK!

Tall Man Horace McHeffey, who also appeared as a clown in the Klondike parade on Monday in Edmonton. He estimates he walked nearly seven miles from start to finish on his natural feet again.

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Joyce and Art Hardy and children are holidaying at Boyne Lake.

AT WEDDING

Evelyn and Leonard Stauffer attended the Holmes-Yoder wedding in Winnipeg on June 26th, leaving by CNR and returning by Air Canada.

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Bronk and Elsie Gray, Pearl and Oliver Thompson returned home on Sunday after a holiday to Minnesota, Wyoming and other parts of the U.S.

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BIG RHUBARB!

It has been reported that with all the moisture this year, causing rank growth of plants, Mrs. Sirdar has rhubarb stocks 26 inches in length, leaves 25 inches across, and the one that have gone to seed are seven feet tall.

Constable John Wall, Mrs. Wall, and daughters, Vickie and Anne, are on a holiday trip by car to Niagara on the Lake, Ontario, for three weeks. Constable Shanks of Edmonton is on duty in Tofield, relieving Constable Wall.

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Mrs. Gerald Skiels and two children are holidaying with relatives and friends at Rimbey this week.

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Mrs G. S. Packham of Burnaby, B C., left via CNR for Saskatoon to continue the remainder of her holidays, after visiting with her sister, Mrs. Stinson and Mr. Stinson for two weeks.

MRS. RUDE PASSES

The sympathy of the town and district goes out to Emil Rude and family in their recent bereavement of wife and mother.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Swift and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. English of Edmonton were callers for a few hours on Saturday last with Arnold and Joyce Swift.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Burchard returned to their home in Kelowna, on Tuesday of last week after visiting with friends for a few days.

Rev. W. H and Mrs. McDannold left on Sunday afternoon by car to visit their sons at Selkirk, Man., and Windsor, Ont. They will travel via CNR from Winnipeg to Windsor.

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Mr and Mrs Peter Eggen and daughter, Phyllis returned Friday afternoon from a ten-day holiday at Vancouver, travelling by CNR.

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Mrs. B. A. Everitt, Allan and Douglas are visiting relatives at Armstrong and White Rock, B.C.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dyer of Edmonton spent July 1st visiting with Mrs. Sears Sr. Mrs Sears' grandson, Ryan Dyer, won an air force flying scholarship and is now taking flying lessons before going to train at Namao Air Base.

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THE WINNERS!

Mrs. Pat Glover was the winner of the Community League $100.00 bill.

Toby Nomeland was the winner of the Legion Arf and Arf $50.00 bill.

## William E. Ruddy is laid to rest

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — Funeral services for the late William E. Ruddy were held on Tuesday afternoon, July 6th, at 2 p.m. from the Calvin United Church, with the Rev. C. K. Hessels officiating

Beautiful floral tributes were received, and many were the donations made in his memory to the different organizations

Pallbearers were L. Johnson, H. Heilensen, J. MacDonald, B Kirklund, S. Alex, and Z. Anderson. Interment was in the Ryley cemetery. Andrews-McLaughlin were in charge of arrangements

# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, July 6 — Axel and Nita Kindley's son-in-law and daughter and three grandchildren, the Wilf Fishers, arrived on Friday from Estevan, Sask., for a visit. On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Steen from Calgary were dinner guests, and on Sunday the Angus Mitchell family and Harold Kindley family from Edmonton and the Earl Kindleys from Viking, Axel and Nita and the Fishers gathered at Lake View for a family picnic. Earl Kindley leaves for Colorado this week, where he will attend summer school.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Lars Rude returned home from the Tofield Hospital on Monday, after undergoing a tonsillectomy on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Trygve Foshaug of La Glace are visiting friends and relatives in the district for a few days.

HERE FROM ONTARIO

Mrs John Yoder from Ontario is visiting her sisters, Petra Stauffer and Jenny Hankstad, and brothers, Pete and Julius Lerbekmo and Robert Berrecloth and her many nieces and nephews and their families.

Arnold and Mabel Johnson returned home on Friday, after enjoying a week's holiday at Medicine Hat, Calgary and Banff. Walter accompanied the Jim Johnsons to Calgary on Friday, where he will visit his sister Bertha and family.

6TH BIRTHDAY

Little Ilene Francis celebrated her sixth birthday on Friday, with Grandpa and Grandma Francis and Aunt Sharon as dinner guests. On Saturday her mother entertained in the afternoon, when guests were Olaf and Nora Anderson, Clarence and Borghild Rude, and Ilene's cousins, Lois, Brian, Darlene, Shirley and Barry Rude.

Leroy and Mary Finseth and family motored to Edmonton on Tuesday evening, and were supper guests at the Monrad Finseth home. At midnight they boarded the bus for Vancouver and Everson, Washington, where they will visit relatives and friends for two weeks. Glen and Iris Francis are doing the chores.

Visiting at the Leonard Stauffer home last week were the Simon Haakstads from La Glace, and at present Maynard Olson from Holden is visiting his cousins, Kenny and Warren.

## Palmer - Earling news items

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, July 9th —Mr. and Mrs. Evan Kvale, Arthur and Mabel were Sunday visitors at the Mike Wills home, Edmonton, to see their new grandson, Jay Walter

The Gideons, represented by Mr. and Mrs. Alton Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Don Kallevig and Ed Litke, all of Camrose, conducted the Sunday services at Skudesnes Church during Pastor Olson's absence in Toronto.

Philip Sorgen has purchased a small house from Daniel Reum and moved it to his farm, replacing the house he lost this spring by fire.

**The Paul Tomko family has moved to a farm at Grande Prairie.**

Mrs. Sam Lockhart and children of Strome spent two days this week assisting her parents, the Henry Stensrude.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holland of Victoria, B.C., motored here spending the week at the Lawrence Pearse home. It has been 19 years since they had seen their niece when they came to surprise them. Darlene Pearse of Edmonton also spent the week with the L. Pearses.

## ASB report.

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vaccination, effective October 1, 1965. The Alberta department of agriculture will continue to pay grants to the municipality to defray part of the cost of vaccinations under the voluntary program.

The continued vaccination of heifer calves is advocated, especially herd replacements. In this way you will be maintaining a herd with considerable resistance against Brucellosis. With your municipality tested and certified, it still remains the responsibility of the individual cattleman to protect and guard against Brucellosis gaining a foothold in his herd.

COMPULSORY

In reply to a question by George Robinson, Dr. Brisbane advised that eligible heifer calves would be vaccinated at stock yards on a compulsory basis and the cost would be borne by the provincial department of agriculture.

There was some discussion as to the methods of organization as the grant for this has been

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## Sheepman foils coyote menace

V. Bates has just completed another year of shearing with the total down a little from the record 2,000 of last year. The reason for the lower number is due to coyotes which preyed on the animals.

A friend of Vince, Tom Duggan of Camrose, who depends mainly on the income from over 300 sheep, had to choose between disposing of his flock or going after the killers. Deciding on the latter, he acquired two hounds, a couple of tracking dogs and what is known as a Skidoo—a single track machine capable of travelling over any depth of snow.

Favored by open country, Tom was very successful, accounting for 121 coyotes during last winter with the high for one day of ten. The hounds are capable of running 40 miles per hour when the going is good and are fierce fighters as the chewed ears and scars on the coyotes testify. Their objective is the coyote's throat, and few get away..

Tom finds the chase exciting, each trying to outwit the other. Coyotes will jump back and forth through railroad fences in an effort to gain ground, and one even hid in the woodbox of an empty house

Farmers in the district owe Tom a big thanks, even though some may only have poultry.

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# News items from Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)
(Intended for last week)

[illegible] and [illegible] and their [illegible] spent a few [illegible] Agnes McKenzie and [illegible] Tanner. They [illegible] for their farm [illegible] where they plan [illegible] the next two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Carlisle and family attended the 25th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson of Ross Creek on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kyle and family motored to Edmonton on Dominion Day [illegible] attended the Scottish Highland games.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dyer and son of Edmonton were Thursday visitors with Pat and Joanne Sears.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketchum and family, of Mulhurst, were guests at the home of Chester Coombes for several days last week.

Ruth Ellen Sears is attending the C G I T camp at Gull Lake for the next ten days.

Mrs. Dorothy Whillans motored to Edmonton on Thursday to see her new grandson Todd Adaire Whillans.

Saturday evening visitors with Ivan and Mary Mitchell were Harold, Isabel and Brian Sutton, Maryann McLeod and Judy Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingram and family were Edmonton visitors on Sunday.

# Ross Creek news

(Intended for last week)
(Iris Bilan)

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford and Wilfred and Shirley and girls spent the July 1st holiday at Elk Island Park.

Roy and Eileen Reinhardt and family spent July 1st at Mann Lake.

Howard Malcolm and sons Scott and Monte spent three days at Mann Lake leaving Wednesday and returning Friday.

George and Winnie McLachlan and their three younger children spent a five-day holiday at Sylvan Lake.

Joseph and Iris Bilan and sons Ronald, Gregory and Desmond spent July 1st fishing at Hastings Lake, and other points in the Tofield area. They called on Joe and Verna Sadoskie in the afternoon, when other visitors were Joe's daughter and husband, Art and Julia Lazette and family of Edmonton, and Joe's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Orkusz of Hilliard.

Graham and Elma Snider and son Stuart attended the wedding dance Saturday evening of Karen Hennig at Bruderheim.

**AT WEDDING**

Ivan and Florence Malcolm spent the weekend at Drayton Valley, attending the wedding on Saturday of Florence's sister, Sharon Haggerty.

The Tofield 4-H Club wound up the season with a wiener roast and ball games at Bardo School Saturday night.

# Ministik news briefs

(Intended for last week)
(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

Good attendances continue to [illegible] church services conducted by [illegible].

[illegible] at [illegible] Lake on Monday [illegible] This is a most [illegible] summer [illegible] These [illegible] continue for two weeks [illegible]

[illegible] be attending school for the retarded for the two summer months. She will be greatly missed at home but will be helped [illegible]

Pupils, teachers, bus drivers and janitors are enjoying a two month vacation.

# Bardo couple wed 25 years

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, July 5 — A large crowd of friends and relatives gathered for the silver wedding anniversary celebration of Lester and Gladys Severson at the Community Centre on Sunday afternoon. Leif Foshaug was emcee for the program of solos, readings and [illegible].

The honored guests were seated at the head table which was centred with the wedding cake. Others at the guest table were Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Ness, "Grandma" Ness, Pastor and Mrs. Ostrem and the honored guests' children, Patricia and Don Latwin and David Severson.

Little Brenton Heil presented Lester and Gladys with a lovely bouquet of flowers. Rev. Allan Severson made the presentation from the Seversons, Ingvald Ness from the Ness families, Patricia from the children and Norma Anderson from the choir of which Gladys is the leader. Leonard Stauffer, on behalf of the community, presented a purse of money, and little Gregory made a presentation to his Grandpa and Grandma.

Lester and Gladys both expressed their deepest thanks for the gifts and good wishes. A bountiful lunch was served to all.

In the evening many of the relatives dropped in at Severson's for a visit. Many from Lester's home community at Sedgewick were also present, as well as from Edmonton, Tofield, Ryley, Round Hill, Camrose, Viking and Kingman.

down through the United States, planning to take three months for the trip. Mr. and Mrs. Maglis will accompany them as far as Hinton where they will visit their daughter and family, the G. M. Vassers, and also their son and family, the Glen Maglis's who moved there just recently from Camrose.

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# Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. I would like to talk to you in regards to your insurance.
2. It says on the radio that the reason the game was postponed was because it rained.
3. He took his secondhanded car to the garage to be fixed.
4. We will try and stop them coming here before it is too late.
5. I never knew anyone like you before.
6. This book treats on the freedom of the press, and I'm very interested in it.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Comeliness.
8. Irrevocable.
9. Impious.
10. Candelabrum.
11. Pantomime.
12. Caduceus (physician's symbol).

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Eventually, eveness, evolutionary, erosion, erroneous, kennel, kerosene, kahki, kibitzer, k o w t o w, accomplice, promissory, treatice, premise, surcease, clandestine, cognizance, curriculum, camaraderie, concilliate, accumatory, accumen, acclimatize, accessory, accrual, muscatel, obelisk, damask, asterisk, tammarisk.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "I SHOULD like to talk WITH you in REGARD to your insurance". 2. Say, "I HEARD on the radio that the reason the game was postponed was THAT it rained". 3. Say, "He took his SECOND-HAND car to the garage to be REPAIRED". 4. Say, "We SHALL try TO stop them FROM coming here". 5. Say, "I HAVE NEVER BEFORE KNOWN anyone like you". 6. Say, "This book treats OF the freedom of the press, and I'm very MUCH interested in it".

7. Pronounce kum - li - ness, accent on first syllable; and not "kome - li - ness". 8. Accent SECOND syllable, not the third. 9. Pronounce both "i's" as in "it", and accent first syllable, not the second. 10. Pronounce kan-dee-lay-brum, principal accent on third syllable. 11. Pronounce last syllable as "mime", and not "mine", sometimes heard. 12. Pronounce ka-dyu-see-us, accent second syllable.

13. Evenness, k h a k i, treatise, conciliate, acumen, tamarisk.

**HISTORIC WEDDING.** Patricia and Keith Muller, above, are believed to be first people married in a Roman Catholic-Anglican church ceremony in Canada. The Toronto Roman Catholic priest, Rev. Michael Zolondek, however, performed the ceremony, assisted by Anglican Rev. John Rye, without official permission, and was reprimanded by his superiors.

# New DA for Strathcona

The Hon. H. E. Strom has announced the appointment of Howard Fulcher as district agriculturist in the County of Strathcona. Mr. Fulcher assumes the position recently vacated by Jack Kerns, who transferred to the chairmanship of the land utilization committee.

Mr. Fulcher has been the district agriculturist at Olds for the past 10 years. He is no stranger to the Edmonton area. He worked in the district as the assistant district agriculturist from May to August 1954.

Mr. Fulcher was born and raised on a farm in the Leduc area where he farmed with his father until July 1941, when he attended the University of Alberta, where he obtained his Bachelor of Science degree in agriculture in 1950. Mr. Fulcher is also a graduate from the Olds School of Agriculture, where he graduated in 1940. He is married and has two daughters. Mr. Fulcher will commence his duties at the Strathcona County Office on July 19th.

## THE WEATHER...

| July | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7 | 50 | 52 | 27.63 | .46" rain |
| 8 | 65 | 36 | 27.71 | .03" rain |
| 9 | 64 | 53 | 29.70 | .22" rain |
| 10 | 65 | 54 | 27.65 | .03" rain |
| 11 | 61 | 53 | 27.58 | .01" rain |
| 12 | 64 | 49 | 27.66 | .14" rain |
| 13 | 70 | 46 | 27.80 | —— |
| 14 | — | 47 | | —— |


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# Modern etiquette

Q. When a woman guest is leaving a party [illegible] are [illegible]ing nearby waiting for her to make her exit, and she is engaged in conversation with the hostess, should they remain standing or may they sit down?

A. They should remain standing so long as they are nearby. It would [illegible] all right, however, for them to sit down if they move to another part of the room.

Q. I'm planning to mail out 200 wedding invitations, and I wonder if it would be all right to use a metered stamp on the envelopes?

A. [illegible] lend a commercial or business like aspect to your wedding. Your stamps must be affixed by hand!

Q. When a girl is being introduced to a man whom she believes she has met previously, should she mention this to him?

A. If his memory seems not so good as hers, it would probably be better not to make mention of the former meeting, but merely to acknowledge this one as though it were the first.

Q. Would it be proper for me to give a birthday party for myself?

A. Not unless you want to give the impression that you are soliciting gifts. If you really want to give a party, extend your invitations without mentioning the fact that it is your birthday. Then later at the party you can make the big announcement.

Q. Is it acceptable now to send a typewritten note of condolence, signing it of course by hand?

A. While most social correspondence may now be typed, it still is considered more proper and more indicative of sincere sympathy to write letters of condolence by hand.

Q. Where do I put my olives and radishes served at a formal dinner, when there is no bread-and-butter plate?

A. Place them on the edge of the plate from which you are eating. Salt for the radishes goes there, too.

Q. When a man brings a business associate home and presents him to his wife, does she make the customary acknowledgment, "How do you do?"

A. In this case, the wife should exhibit a little more cordiality and pleasure over the meeting by adding some such expression as, "I'm very glad to see you", or, "I'm so happy you were able to come".

Q. When one is carrying a tray in a cafeteria, is one supposed to ask permission of a stranger to sit at his or her table?

A. This is not necessary.

# Ministik news

(Intended for last week)
(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

Mrs. S. George spent Wednesday afternoon, Thursday and Friday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe, in Tofield. She renewed old acquaintances at the July 1st sports day, which was enjoyed by hundreds of people.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kleinschroth and family attended the July 1st sports day at Tofield.

Mrs. Sydney Wright of Edmonton spent July 1st with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Nasichuk, also calling on the Jim Roddicks.

The Gordon Thor family were guests at the Alex Penrice home July 1st, with Gordon doing some boating at Cooking Lake.

Word received from Donald Grummett is that he is employed near Calgary, and each Sunday takes a side trip to Banff, Golden, etc.


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Special Listings for Saturday, July 17th:

A good listing of miscellaneous items — furniture and tools. One tractor mount weed sprayer. Another consignment of paint. A good assortment of household appliances; a good listing of Dairy Cows, Heifers and Calves; Some good Stock Cows with Calves at foot; Several parcels of good Mixed Feeder Cattle; a good listing of Weaner and Feeder Pigs; Heavy Sows: Gilts and Boars.

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**Ladder hinge rescue** A "patient" is "rescued" from the top storey of the local hotel during an EMO demonstration here on July 1st. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Service Board . . .

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reduced from 25 cents per head to 10 cents.

Dr. Brisbane suggested a meeting could be held with the veterinarians concerned to see how they would like to organize this program.

The Chairman thanked Dr. Brisbane for his attendance, and Dr. Brisbane retired.

After some further discussion on the organization of the Brucellosis program, it was agreed that it be organized the same as in the past for the next year.

In other business, Rex Boyles said he did not think he would be able to spray 30 acres in the Blackfoot pasture, as much of it is too rough to drive a vehicle over.

The board felt that any amount that could be done to show the feasibility and cost would be advantageous. The board also felt that the association should pay part of the cost of this project.

Mr. Boyles said he would contact some of the officers to get their opinion.

Mr. Boyles reported that 160 to 170 miles of roadside spraying has been done for weed and brush control. He said the cost is about $4 per completed mile.

Mr. Boyles reported that the ditches were too wet to seed this spring. Stan Powers said that unless these ditches could be seeded early in August it was better to leave them as late as possible in the fall.

Mr. Boyles reported a considerable interest in shelter belt spraying and that the 1016K unit was being rented out for this purpose. He said he had no part in this program except to arrange for the rental of the unit.

**REPORT**

In his field supervisor's report, Mr. Boyles said: "A total of 442 heifer calves were vaccinated during the Spring Bangs campaign by Drs. Stiles and Bildfell.

Some criticism has been received since compulsory vaccination will be discontinued this fall.

"A record number of trees were planted this spring. Wet ground prevented use of the tree planter in most areas. Six farmers used the planter this year.

"Six shelter-belt weed spraying demonstrations were completed, using Gramoxone chemical. Plot signs along highway 14 indicate locations.

"Weed control calls to date include weed identification, calibrating sprayers, recommendation for the use of carbyne, Kill-Mor, Gramoxone, mil diethanis and other new chemicals and their application. Seven patches of Toad flax have been reported.

"Complaints of insect damage in rape and shelterbelts have increased. Three farmers have used our sprayer unit.

"No poison has been released for coyote control. Five calls were received for information regarding pocket gopher poisoning.

"Brush and weed spraying was started on June 14. By combining weed and brush spraying around 160 miles have been sprayed to date and costs are being held to $4 per mile as planned.

"Two rural telephone companies have requested to have second growth sprayed under their lines. Easements have been obtained for this work".

**CHANGES**

Stan Powers read a letter from the department of agriculture outlining the organization of the Agricultural Service Board after January 1, 1966. It was stated this will be a committee of the council but will have an advisory committee made up of various interested persons outside the council. The number of persons on this committee would be set by the council. According to the department there could be representatives from organizations in a town or village on this committee as they are vitally interested in agriculture. He suggested the members bring in a list at the next meeting of the persons they feel would be good members on this committee and that a meeting be held with this committee before the end of this year to try and have a working organization prior to January 1.


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Norman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Arbon. His many friends wish him well and congratulate him for the courage he has displayed to come through so well.


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**TV ADDICT.** Gorillas in Canadian zoos have to rely on people-watching for their entertainment, but in the U.S., at the Bronx, N.Y. zoo, gorillas have been given a 16-inch television set to ease away their leisure hours.

## Slight hail, no damage

In his crop report for this week, H. B. Berke of Ryley reports that a "very slight" hail storm passed over the district last Thursday evening but no apparent damage resulted.

The weather in the Tofield-Ryley area has been warmer during the past week, with occasional showers, most of them at night. This morning, however, it was cloudy and light rain was falling.

"Crops are growing well, but we still need more warm weather", says C. H. Nolan of Tofield in his report.

Nonetheless, prospects are very good for an excellent crop all through the district. All wheat in the Tofield area has reached the shot blade stage and about 75 per cent of the wheat crops in the Ryley area have advanced this far. About half the wheat is headed at Tofield, while about 15 per cent is heading out at Ryley.

**A ROYAL INSPECTION.** Highlight of Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother's five-day visit to Toronto was presentation of new colors to the Toronto Scottish Regiment, of which she is colonel-in-chief. Other prominent part of her stay was presentation of prize to the winner of the Queen's Plate. This marked Her Majesty's fourth visit to Canada.

## 'Surprise' visitors here from California

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Visitors with Mrs. N. L. Campbell Wednesday of last week were Mr. and Mrs. Paul De Mange of Paradise, Calif. Mrs. De Mange is the former Mrs. Wilbur Daily (nee Doris Wear), and with her family resided for many years on a farm in the district, the Daily farm; being one of the pioneer families. Mr. and Mrs. De Mange were on a motor trip around various local points and on their way to Wainwright to visit with Mrs. De Mange's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wear and other relatives around Coronation.

Doris was telling that her sister-in-law, Mrs. Elsworth Dailey, the former Eva Coons of Orville, Calif., had passed away last June 18th. The funeral was held the following Friday, her three children, Emma, Bert and Cecil attending.

Mrs. Winnie Johnson visited with her mother, a patient in the Tofield hospital, Sunday afternoon.

## Mrs. Paradis passes in Edmonton at 85

On July 12th, Mrs. Rachel H. Paradis, age 85 years, of Edmonton and formerly of Tofield passed away. She was the widow of F. Paradis. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. James A. (Ruth) Duncan of Toronto, Mrs. H. (Alice) MacGillveray of Pocatello, Idaho; one son, E. F. (Ted) of Edmonton; five grandchildren; four great-grandchildren, one brother, James Logan of Calgary.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, July 15th, from Ward and McBride Chapel in Edmonton, with Dean T. W. Toops officiating.

## Around the town . . .

Mrs. K. King and little daughters, Christine and Bonnie, visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stockton.

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**ACCIDENT NOT SERIOUS**

Word has been received that the car accident in which A. R. Chatterbath was involved on his way to Tofield for the July 1st celebration, was not as serious as thought at first. He is feeling fine and we hope to see him next year.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Litke from Fawcett were recent visitors at the Walter Wilkan and Rose Knudsen homes.

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Mrs. Leona Webb of Edmonton spent a few days visiting in town.

## Oldtimer visits here

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — Mrs Lottie Dahl of Vancouver, mother of Mrs. Lucille Knudsen, and Mrs. Bill Jackson, the former Charlotte Dahl, also of Vancouver, B.C., arrived here to be present at Glen and Beverly's wedding on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Dahl, now 85 years of age, is an old timer of the Ryley district, and is enjoying her stay here, renewing old friendships. On Monday, approximately 45 old time residents gathered at the home of Mrs. Caroline Davick for a social afternoon in honor of Mrs. Dahl, and many pleasant memories were recalled. Mrs. Dahl will be returning this week to her home in Vancouver.

## Community picnic to be held Sunday

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE-McKENZIE, July 21. — The Lakeshore-McKenzie Community Picnic will be held on Sunday, July 25, at the roadside picnic grounds just west of the Bilan Store, Ross Creek, on Highway 16, weather permitting.

The picnic was to have been held on the 18th, but due to the bad storms of the weekend had to be postponed.

A pot-luck dinner will be held at 12:30, so try to be early if possible. Everybody welcome—come and bring your picnic luncheon and join in the picnic games.

## 4-H Club to enter float in parade

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — Members of the 4-H Dairy Calf Club, the adult committee, and the members' parents, have been busy this week preparing the float that the club will enter in the Vegreville Fair parade on Monday morning, July 26th.

In past years, the club has taken many prizes for their floats in the Vegreville Fair, and they hope this one will do the same.

The float is being assembled on the Bill Winsnes farm, under the supervision of Mrs. Bertha Winsnes, and the theme this year will be "Boost the Dairy Industry".

## Weatherill exhibits runner-up

The reserve champion steer carcass in the Klondike Days exhibition in Edmonton last week was one exhibited by Harold Weatherill of Tofield. It was sold to Burns for 65 cents a pound. The champion carcass in the interbreed steer competition was won by Stan Schellenberger of Spruce Grove, and it sold for 75 cents a pound to Canada Packers.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Always speak well of your friends and neighbors; and remember, when you are throwing mud you are losing ground.

—J.W.R.

## School committee meets July 6th

Following are minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee, held July 6th:

**Purchase Teacherage in Viking**

Concerning the purchase of a teacherage in Viking, motion 288-65, the secretary-treasurer reported that Title No. 86-A-194 was now issued in the name of the County for Lot 11 in Block 31, Plan 4869 MC, and that the purchase price of $14,000 had been paid, that the cost of registration of Title had been paid and that six months taxes in the amount of $145.12 would be paid.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In the matter of the building project at the Viking school, Mr. Pike reported that the second subdivision to the School Building Board had been turned down for various reasons and that a third submission had been made after consultation with Cr. Roddick and Mr. Allen and the representative from the School Building Board. This new statement of need was to be dealt with on Monday, July 5th, by the School Building Board.

Moved and carried that the Committee concurs in the third statement of need submitted, as reported by the Superintendent.

**Salary Negotiations**

In regards to the salary negotiations, the secretary-treasurer mentioned that reference to this matter, apart from motion 289-65, had been omitted from the minutes in the June 8th meeting.

Mr. Cross reported prior to adjournment on June 8th that he had calculated the increase, based on the last suggestion submitted by the bargaining agents on June 7th, would amount to 3.62% without increments; with increments 5.68%. The Committee decided to accept this proposal as it conformed fairly well with other settlements in the area. It was decided to call the bargaining agents and the chairman of the bargaining committees together on Wednesday, June 9th, to complete a memorandum of agreement.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and that the County Chairman be authorized to sign the agreement.

**Correspondence**

Letter from G. R. Storey ad-

(Continued on Page Seven)

# Disturbing situation

Latest development in the grain handlers' strike at Vancouver is a really disturbing situation, as whole crews of freight trains book off "sick" in order to avoid crossing picket lines with grain the railways order hauled to other elevators than the Alberta Wheat Pool, which has been struck by the workers.

In spite of union protests that the "sick routine" is not sanctioned by the union, nor had they any knowledge of it, the public is hardly naive enough to believe whole crews would simultaneously come down with some incapacitating illness . . . never having done so before. By its action, the railway union is mocking the whole process of union-management negotiations, which can in the end do nothing but work against their interests.

While Pool president G. W. Harrold stated this week there was no cause for alarm on the farms of Alberta, as there was ample storage available, farmers are still concerned over the ability of only a handful of men to hold up and make impossible delivery of the grain they so badly need to sell, to the customers we so dearly wish to cultivate.

The situation has to be resolved soon, for even the ample storage of the Pool can hardly hold all the grain likely to be delivered this fall. In any case, the insistence of the union on no settlement unless the Pool withdraws its court action implies they know they are on weak grounds legally, and cannot win this way. Their demand to win by methods that circumvent the courts of the land should be fought to a standstill.

# Astute timing

The timing and advance publicity given Ottawa's latest proposal, a medicare scheme, indicates that Lester Pearson is gaining an excellent sense of political timing and strategy, if, indeed, he did not have it when he went into office.

It seems remarkably well calculated to draw the heat and pressure away from the incredibly damaging implications of the Dorion report, with all its side ramifications, so that none of the citizens can watch what's going on all the time, any more than one can watch all three rings in a three-ring circus.

The stand of Mr. Manning . . . that help should be provided only for those who need it . . . is wisely taken, since there is no need and no wisdom in Ottawa undertaking to handle a great deal of administrative detail and red tape for people who do not need nor want to rely on the state. Mr. Manning also objects to elimination of private enterprise in the field, and points out there are other areas of concern which should be given priority in attention and legislation.

Unhappily, Mr. Manning seems an anachronism in this day and age, preaching the doctrine of self reliance, and as little interference in the life of the individual by the government as is possible. The bandwagon he's riding doesn't seem to attract very many passengers, but anyone who thinks he's on the wrong bandwagon should read Gibbons' story about Rome.

# Another dust bowl?

Farmers with short memories have Alberta government soil-conservation officers worried. Agricultural department sources say that after three relatively drought-free decades many of the province's farmers are letting their guard down and are reverting to practices which produced a grim harvest of dust-bowl soil-drifting back in the 1920's and 1930's. Although they concede statistical data is lacking, conservation officers report an "unfavorable trend" in land management in Alberta. And they believe this also applies to Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

One of the big factors, of course, is that many of today's farmers were too young to learn the lessons of the '30's, or farmed in some other areas where the dangers were not so great.

The danger signals as read by the Alberta department of agriculture: Overexploitation of crop land. Downgrading of windbreak planting. Excessive cultivation of land.

Under present legislation the Soil Conservation Act of 1961 municipal governments have the authority to set up conservation offices and to force farmers to reduce drifting by stripfarming and windbreak planting. Peter Jamieson of the department's Calgary office, and a leading authority on soil conservation, says, "Because of relatively good moisture conditions, local authorities have tended to be lenient. However, if the situation continues to worsen, the provincial government might be forced to take a hand, perhaps replacing the present permissive legislation with some provincially enforced regulations."

Mr. Jamieson's remarks reminded us of the opinion expressed nearly twenty years ago by a leading agriculturist of that time that it wouldn't be too many years before we would see the end of ideas to farm land, as we know them, and instead tenure based on "trusteeship" of the land. That is, a farmer could work the land as long as he didn't injure it, or farm to the detriment of the neighborhood, but the lease or tenure could be broken if it could be shown that numerous six or so inches of topsoil was not being conserved.

At that time we snorted at the idea. Today, we're beginning to think he was more farsighted than we.


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# Holden district news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Percy Barlow spent Wednesday of last week at Viking with his daughter, Beth, and family, the Ernie Mertas. He then went to Edmonton Thursday on the bus to visit for a few days with Mrs. Barlow who is a hospital patient after recent surgery. Mrs. Barlow is making excellent recovery and hopes to be home very soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pedersen of Camrose were visiting in Holden Wednesday of last week, Ruth attending the shower held for Miss Carol Hurum.

Mrs. Saunders of Andrew was visiting with her family Wednesday of last week and attended the shower held in the evening for her sister, Miss Carol Hurum.

Mrs. Campbell visited with Mrs. Laura Christianson Tuesday afternoon of last week. Both ladies called on Mrs. Nordstrom who had her mother from the United States and a sister visiting with her for a few days.

The many families of the Grosland "clan" held a family reunion a week ago Sunday at Elk Island Park. Other friends of the family also attended.

**Harry Hrabec was rushed to Viking hospital during the night, a week ago. He was very ill and had to placed in an oxygen tent. We hope that he will soon be feeling much better and able to return home.**

Constable Leroy Eaton has been taking his annual holiday for the past two weeks, and Geo. H. Taylor has been acting as relieving policeman during his absence. Mr. and Mrs. Eaton and children have been spending their holiday visiting with Mrs. Eaton's mother on the farm near Lavoy, where Leroy has been helping with the haying.

Alan Thedemann of Edmonton called home at the weekend, picking up his brother, David, and then drove to Manx Lake for a few days' fishing. Their father, Henry Thedemann, and son, Robert, drove up Sunday afternoon to do some fishing with the boys. Henry and sons returning home Wednesday.

**AT WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mlyk with Mr and Mrs. Deputan attended the wedding and reception of a cousin at Thorhild Saturday, July 17th. Mrs. Betty Koetke assisted Mrs. Semeniuk in the post office while Gene was away.

**COMMITTEE MEETS**

Members of the Cemetery Committee held their annual tea day Saturday, July 17th, the proceeds of which go towards the upkeep of the grounds. They wished to thank all who helped to make it a successful event. Saturday night, members met at the home of Mrs. N. L. Campbell to give reports and plan necessary work to be done on the cemetery grounds during the summer and fall months.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols were in Camrose Saturday evening attending the Pioneers' dance and get-together.

Ray Hovland was a business visitor in Camrose Friday afternoon and a business caller in Wetaskiwin on Saturday morning.

Joe Shanley returned home on Friday evening after spending the week in Edmonton having dental work done and also attending the circus.

Martin Heidel returned home Friday of last week after holidaying for a few weeks with his daughter and family in the United States.

Mr and Mrs. Tommey Chapka and family of Edmonton were visitors with relatives and friends in Holden and district this past weekend.

Mrs. Clara Armstrong spent a few days last week in Holden and returned to her work in Edmonton Tuesday morning.

Mike A. Konopitsky was a patient in Tofield hospital having check-ups, for a few days last week, going home for the weekend and expecting to return to the hospital the beginning of the week for further treatment.

Mrs. Mary James was a business visitor in Edmonton last Friday, having dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were in Edmonton Sunday and Monday of last week, visiting with their daughters, Betty and Patsy, and on business.

H. S. Beveridge motored to Edmonton Thursday evening of last week to take in the Klondike Days and Edmonton Exhibition.

Bruce Budd was a business visitor in Edmonton on Friday morning of last week.

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Services at the United Church were conducted Sunday by H. Dunham, with Miss Helen Irwin and friends being part of the congregation.

**A very successful two weeks of swimming instruction concluded on Friday at South Cooking Lake, with award winners to be announced later.**

Claude Leech was welcomed home Monday by his family and friends after a ten-day stay in Tofield hospital.

A weiner roast, sponsored by the Ministik Community Club, will be held at the Jimmie Holmes farm on Sunday evening, July 25th. Directions to the spot will be given by the Holmes family on arrival. A good time is assured all who attend.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilachi of Vancouver, who formerly owned the John Vandermeer farm, were calling on old neighbors on Friday afternoon. These included Mrs. Claude Leech and Chester, Mr. Annie Oliver and George Kleinschroth family and Mrs. S. George.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth's granddaughter, Barbara Kleinschroth of Edmonton, received an honors standing in piano from the Royal Conservatory of Music at Toronto. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kleinschroth.

Douglas Dunn of Lethbridge is spending a few days of his summer holidays with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Maslchuk.

While attending the Klondike Days in Edmonton Friday, Mrs. Andrew Ferguson met Miss Bella Ross who wishes to be remembered to all her friends at Ministik.

**FARM ACCIDENT**

Gordon Kilfoyle is a patient in the Tofield hospital, having met with an accident on his farm Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Verden Sears and big dog, Fang, enjoyed a week's holiday at Radium Hot Springs and other points in that area.

**FRIENDSHIP GROUP MEETS**

The Friendship Group met at the home of Mrs. Mary James, for their regular meeting Thursday, July 15th, with ten ladies present, several of the group being away on holiday. The devotions were taken by Mrs. Beth Campbell, who also read for their study a "Eulogy of Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt." The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. R. Raeder August 19th, with Mrs. Joe Hooper in charge of the devotions.


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## Locals . . .

Mrs. Sirdar recently received a long distance phone call from her sister Mary, in Seattle Mrs Sirdar spent a few days in Edmonton last week.

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**HERE FROM B.C.**

Dr Lorne Kendall from Vancouver visited with his mother, Mrs. Edna Kendall on Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Kendall returned to Edmonton with him, and spent part of the day at the Allen Collins home, also visiting Dr and Mrs Collins at the Allen Auxiliary Nursing Home. They were supper guests of Nettie and Floyd Kendall while in Edmonton

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Mrs. Teresa Moraz from Manitoba spent the weekend with her cousin, Mrs. Mary Kennedy and family

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Mr. and Mrs. Keith Borton and Den returned to B.C., after visiting with Lionel Borton and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Languak and family of Grande Prairie are visiting in Tofield this week

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen McDougall of Seattle visited in the district with his aunt, Mrs. Peter Lee, and cousins, Roy, Lorne and Howard Lee and Mrs. Keitha Brown

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At the beginning of the week Mr and Mrs J W. Robinson accompanied their daughter Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and granddaughter and Edith-Mary to Edmonton and while there, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson celebrated their wedding anniversary

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Mrs Ernie (Carol) Yurkowski and children from Ashcroft, B.C., and Mrs Evelyn Kay and family from Mayerthorpe are visiting at the Joe Yurkowski home and with other relatives while here Mrs. Obertos and her sister, Mrs John Warren from Winnipeg were Wednesday morning guests of Mrs Yurkowski

Photo by Langbell Studio

## Faryna - Jober wedding ceremony at Kopernick

Marriage vows were exchanged in a double-ring ceremony in the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church at Kopernick recently when Irene Olga youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Jober became the bride of Joseph Alexander, only son of Mr and Mrs. Alex Faryna Father Isador of Edmonton performed the wedding ceremony

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length cloud-mist taffeta wedding gown with a bell-shaped skirt folded into swagged back above a chapel train. Her waist-length veil was held in place by a dainty princess crown, and she carried a bouquet of red roses, white streamers and red rose buds

Miss Pat Skolney, friend of the bride, and cousin of the groom, was maid of honor, and Miss Audrey Gizoski and Miss Carol Soloway, friends of the bride, were the bridesmaids. The attendents were dressed in identical sky-blue knee-length sheath dresses, highlighted by organza over-skirts

Jerry Kushnerick, cousin of the groom, was bestman, while the groomsmen were David Jober, cousin of the bride, and Lonald Daze, friend of the groom. Orest Faryna, cousin of the groom, was the usher

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Jober chose a soft blue sheath brochue dress, complemented by white accessories and a corsage of pink roses The groom's mother also chose a broche sheath in pale pink, with white accessories and blue rose corsage.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at Holden Community Hall for over 400 guests Stan Jober, the bride's uncle, was master of ceremonies, and John Skolney, uncle of the groom, gave a toast to the bride, to which the groom responded

For going away, the bride changed to an Italian knit emerald green suit with deep brown accessories and yellow rose corsage

## Ryley news

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Roland Booth and Bob Westmancoat attended the Edmonton Exhibition on Thursday to watch the judging of the Holstein cattle classes.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mr. and Mrs. John Bowman and daughter, Marilyn, of New Westminster, B.C., were in town this week, coming by car and trailer to visit with Mrs. Amy Pope, who was their neighbor when she made her home at New Westminster. They visited Mrs. Pope, who was a patient in the Tofield hospital, and stayed a couple of days visiting with the rest of the Pope families.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Armand Ouelette, formerly of Ryley, now of Edmonton, is a patient in the Tofield hospital.

Mr. Thor Mahlum and Mrs. Olga Ranheim are both patients in the Tofield hospital.

## Ministik Ladies' Club has July meeting

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK — The July meeting of the Ministik Ladies' Club was held at the local camp site with 13 members present and two visitors, Mrs. W. F. Davenport and Miss Viola Kolb of Toronto.

Roll call was answered by "a summer dish". Roll call for August will be "a canning hint". After a brief business session a delicious picnic lunch was served by Mrs. Keith Williams, Mrs Les Whitford and Mrs Frank Swabey.


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Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.
July 26th-30th—Daily Vacation Bible School, 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, July 25th
HOLDEN
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m. Sunday School.
RYLEY
10:00 a.m.- Sunday School.
11:30 a.m. Divine Service.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, July 25th
11:00 a.m. Sunday School.
11:00 a.m Public Worship.

**REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Rev. E. Fox, Pastor
Redeemer Lutheran Church will hold church service on Sunday, July 25, at 2:30 p.m., in the Tofield United Church.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Anglican
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m. every Sunday—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. 1st Sunday of Month —Holy Communion
11:00 a.m. 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays—Morning Prayer
O Come Let Us Worship.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
TOFIELD
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month 10:30 a.m
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

## Ketchamoot news

(Mrs. Mitchell)

Frances Schultz left Sunday to attend camp at Gold-Eye Lake which the Tofield branch of the United Farm Women are sponsoring.

Chester Coombes is a patient in the University Hospital, Edmonton.

Last Wednesday evening, Reta and George Williams surprised Kay Coombes on her birthday. Reta made and brought her a lovely birthday cake

**TO MONTREAL**

Mr. and Mrs Donald Kyle of Kelowna B.C., spent a few days with Gordon and Louise Kyle and the grandchildren before leaving for Montreal where they plan to spend a month with their son, Robert, and family

Mrs. Holmes Sr., Delice, Jimmy and the family of Ministik were Sunday evening callers at the home of Delice's parents, Leila and Melton Ray.

**GARDEN PARTY**

Last Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Joe Brown entertained a number of ladies at a garden party at her home. A most enjoyable afternoon was spent viewing her lovely flower garden by Annie McGinitie Susie Froese Ada Turner and Marie Mitchell.

Janet and Dennis Lawson called on Ivan and Marie Mitchell on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell were guests at a chicken supper at the McLeods at Lindbrook on Sunday.


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## Pioneer woman of 1902 passes in 69th year

**HILDUR ALVIDA RUDE**

Hildur Alvida Rude (nee Eggen) was born at Bardo, Norway, on February 21st, 1897 She passed away at the Tofield hospital on Thursday afternoon, July 15th at the age of 68 years.

In 1902, she immigrated with her parents, three sisters and brother to Canada and they settled in the Bardo district, where she resided except for the last few years which were spent in the Amisk Creek district.

She was united in marriage to Emil Rude on December 22nd, 1924. To this union were born two daughters and four sons.

She leaves to mourn her departure, her husband, Emil; two daughters, Mrs. Harold Whidden (Wyone) of Amisk, Mrs. Edwin Klein (Carmen) of Viking; four sons, Charles of Tofield, Eugene at home, Dale of Inland, and Lawrence of Tofield; one brother, Pete Eggen of Tofield; Girls; Julius Jacobson; Lorimer of La Glace and Mrs. Sigrid Johnson of Peace River; and 15 grandchildren; and a host of relatives and friends.

Her weary hours and days of pain,
Her troubled nights are past
And in our aching hearts we know,
She's found sweet rest at last.
God saw her getting tired
So he did what He thought best,
He came and stood beside her
And whispered "Come and rest".
Blest be her memory.

Funeral services were held in Bardo Lutheran Church on Monday, July 11th at 2:00 p.m., Rev. G. Ostrem officiating.

Funeral services for Mrs. Hildur Rude: Prelude; Hymn, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"; Scripture reading and prayer; Ladies' Sextet, "Going Home"; Psalm 103, "The Lord is merciful and gracious to forgive to anyone who takes refuge in our Lord Jesus Christ"; Hymn, "Jesus Savior Pilot Me".

Greetings by Rev. O. H. Haugen on "Death is a parting, Heaven is our Hope". Greetings by Rev. H. Strand on "Blessed are Those who mourn for they shall be comforted."

Benediction.

Hoveland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Phillip Anderson, Leif Foshaug, Ivan Foshaug, Glen Francis, Eystein Heiberg, Andy Heiberg

**FLORAL TRIBUTES**

Loving Husband and Family; Grandchildren; Maria, Sigrid, Selmer.

**MEMORIALS**

To Bardo Lutheran Church — Karen, Bill and David Moore; Clara and John Nelson; Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter; Mr. and Mrs. George Undin; Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Undin; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Heiberg; Magda and George; Albin, Hazel, Randy and Audrey Anderson.

To Bardo Lutheran Church Memorial Fund — Geo. and Marge Foshaug and Family; Elmer and Alice Sitler and Harold; Sam and Selma Cinnamon; Mrs. W. R. Simonson; Al and Susie Innes, Clara Rogers; Alma Adams; Verlyn and Olie Moss; Albert and Agnes Haukedal; Arnold and Joyce Swift; Mikol and Borghild Erickson and Linda; Bjarne and Thelma and Family, Leif and Evelyn Foshaug, Larry and Robert, Arnold and Mable Johnson and Walter; Carl and Mavis Jacobson and Girls; Julius Jacobson; Lorimer and Bessie Hunter and Girls; Ragna and Eystein Heiberg; Homer and Donalda Schmidt and Denise; Petra Stauffer; Olaf and Clara Flotten; Hannah Sand; Pete and Hilda Korobko and Family, Ivan and Olive Foshaug and Family; Alma Foshaug; Harry and Beatrice Mosby and Family; Phillip and Norma Anderson and Family; Leonard, Evelyne Stauffer, Kenneth and Warren; Norman and Evelyn Stauffer and Family; Harold and Lil Schultz; Pete and Loulah Leibekalo; H. Sellers; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Klien; Agnes Hagen and Niel; Olaf Haugen; Maria Johnson; Graham and Gladys Fayne, Trygve and Hazel Foshaug; Selmer and Sigrid Johnson; Peggy, Pat and Family; Ila, Dave and Family; Olaf and Alice, Bob and Marlene; Mrs Helen Whidden, Gail and Laura; Mrs Ethel Knudson; Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Smith; Harold and Florence Whidden; Fred and Mabel Gotheridge; Keith, Ada and Girls; Jake and Ida King; Carl, Alma and Garry.

To Bethany Sunset Home — Gladys and Ingvald Ness; Mr. and Mrs. H. Boness; Palmer and Signe; Nora and Glen Olson.

To World Literature Crusade—Ingolf, Esther and Donnie.

To Bardo Cemetery Fund — Mrs. Anne Anderson; Nettie Moen; Mary Erickson; Marvin and Nina Moen; Carl and Edna Gjerde; Jack and Myrtle Murray; Noah and Edith Solberg; Jim Weir and Mrs. Weir; Helmer and Alice Sandahl; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ergo; Axel and Nita; Harold and Audrey; Wilf and Norma; Earl and Denny.

To Ryley Cemetery Fund — Mr. and Mrs. Ole Snortheim; Gladys Annebo and Boys; Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Helgeland; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Helgeland; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wiens; Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Bruce; Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Loudes.

To Canadian Evangelical Mission to the Indians — Glenn, Iris, David, Carol Ann and Ileno, Olaf and Nora.

To Cancer Fund — Ella May Roth; Lidia Wideman; Edith Wideman; Joe Lehman; Mary Roth; Mr. and Mrs. George Cline; Alf Anderson; Mr. and Mrs Harry Krasowski; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Voegtlin; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Stauffer; Mr. and Mrs. Vern Roth; Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Reil; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lundin; Mr. and Mrs. Art Anderson; Mr. and Mrs Alvin Lehman; Mr and Mrs. C Penner, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lehman, Mrs. Ed Jacobson, Denver, Ivan and Marvin; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bruha; Orval, Marian, David, Heather,

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Zane Bilyk and family were Edmonton visitors Monday, July 12, attending Klondike Days and the parade.

Harold Giebelhaus and two children were in Edmonton Tuesday of last week to attend the Edmonton Exhibition and the Guernsey livestock show.

Mr. and Mrs. John Komarnisky and family of Edmonton were travelling through the Banff area and spent the remainder of the past week visiting with Mrs. Komarnisky's mother, Mrs. Sharawara.

Mrs. Elna Parsons and her brother, Chris Christenson were Monday supper guests last week with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorenson and David.

Mr. and Mrs. John Semotuik and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, David and Robert were Edmonton visitors Monday last week, to see the Klondike parade, the midway, and the grandstand show in the evening.

Mrs. Schmidt of Olds was visiting her sister, Mrs. Ted Appleby and family for several days last week. Mrs. Appleby also had her father visiting with them.

David Good of Edmonton visited with his mother Mrs. Lars Ritland and Mr. Ritland for two days a week ago.

**Joe Alexander and Henry Oberg were on a fishing trip to Buffalo Lake, returning home last weekend. They reported the fishing was good.**

Mike Pasturyk of Edmonton was a business caller at Holden last week, and looked over his farm while here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McLennan and family of Vancouver were recent visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kennie McLennan of Poe.

**HOLIDAYING IN EAST**

Bennie Chamulke is in charge of the garage while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chamulke are holidaying in various points in Eastern Canada and visiting Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Nina Ritland of Vancouver and her two daughters, Dolores and Maxine from the USA, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ritland last Thursday and were staying with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Siser for a few days before returning to Vancouver. They had also attended Klondike Days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zwierschke and son Allan attended the Edmonton Exhibition Tuesday of last week, also taking in the livestock show.

**HONORS IN MUSIC**

Mrs. N. L. Campbell's grandson, Jimmie Campbell, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell of Leduc, passed his exams held by the Western Board of Music at the University of Alberta in Grade VII Clarinet with first class honors. He also passed his theory exam with first class honors.

David Sorenson with his aunt, Mrs. Mary Erickson of Camrose, and a friend left at the weekend for a trip to Oroville, Washington, to visit with David's brother Gary Sorenson, and Mrs. Sorensen.

Mrs. Marilyn Skybers is home and back at her duties at the Royal Bank, after spending a week's holiday at Radium Hot Springs.

**MOVE TO HOLDEN**

Mr. Adel of Calgary arrived a week ago Thursday to be the new accountant at the Royal Bank. Mrs. Adel joined her husband this past weekend and they are residing in the apartment above the bank.

Mrs. [illegible] Allan is [illegible] summer school at the U. of A. in Edmonton and when finished expects to attend sessions at Banff School of Fine Arts the latter part of August.

Mrs. John Story is visiting for a few weeks with her son and family, the Arthur Storys.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story visited in Edmonton for two days the early part of last week with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Koop Spannenburg, returning home Wednesday evening. They also met Koop's mother, Mrs. Spannenburg from Holland who is visiting for a few weeks with her son and family. Art and Doris also saw the Klondike parade and attended the Edmonton Exhibition.

Mrs. Olga Bilyk of the post office staff is taking her annual holiday and spent a few days last week in Edmonton. Mrs. Mary Semotuik is helping out in the post office.


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# Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Ruby Becker and Mrs. Margaret Miller, of [illegible] Creek, were last Thursday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Leroy and Shirley Eaton and [illegible] and Shirley's [illegible], Mrs. Vera Roper and son Allan, and Bill McCutcheon, all of Edmonton, were Monday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Leroy's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Mrs. Ethel Wood and her niece, Barbara Baines of Edmonton, motored to Stettler on Sunday to visit Ethel's mother, Mrs. (Granny) Baines there. On the way home they stopped at the home of Ethel's brother, Art and Dorothy Baines, at Nevis, and were coffee guests there.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg accompanied their daughter Janet to Edmonton on Monday evening to attend Klondike Days. They were guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Vivian Jones. Roy returned home Wednesday evening on the bus, and Ruth returned Friday evening with her grandson, Donald Jones.

# Ministik news

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Irving Liknes was a guest of his aunt, Mrs. Helen Hennessy, on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thor and family were Saturday afternoon visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Penrice, also doing some boating on the lake.

**HERE FROM ONTARIO**

A family gathering was held at the home of Mrs. S. George Sunday in honor of her cousin, Miss Viola Kolb of Toronto, Ontario.

Mrs. Gladys Roddick and granddaughters, Marilyn and Beverly McLoughlin of Edmonton, are spending some time at her home on the farm.

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# School committee meets July 6th

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vising that he has obtained his Class A driver's license on the suggestion of Cr. Gibson so that he would be available as a spare bus driver.

Moved and carried that G. R. Storey be appointed spare driver at Holden with retainer.

Letter from the Department of Agriculture concerning Alberta's Centennial Tree Planting Project was referred to the Committee. It was considered that little or any action through this project would be necessary as far as the school grounds were concerned, but that the regulations should be made public in case any organization within the County would wish to avail themselves of this project.

Moved that the letter be received and filed and that the [illegible] be circularized in the County's newspapers.

Moved and carried that the letter from Earl Hardy, expressing his thanks to the School Committee for having been chosen the outstanding teacher for the year, be received and filed.

Moved and carried that letter from Department of Education concerning a Workshop on "Education for Leisure" to be held at the Banff School of Fine Arts October 29, 30 and 31, 1965, be tabled to the next meeting of the School Committee.

Moved and carried that the Bus Supervisor's report for the month of June be accepted, that a number of items in the report be discussed when he attends the meeting and that the expense account in the amount of $53.28 be paid.

Moved and carried that resignations received from Elizabeth Crispin and Wm. Brookes be accepted as of August 31, 1965.

The Superintendent referred to the Committee the matter of teachers who had reached the retirement age of 65 but had not completed the 35 years of pensionable service, and he suggested that possibly some regulation whereby a teacher in this category could be hired under a temporary yearly contract would be in order. Mr. Pike specifically referred to Mrs. Margaret Gleeson who had indicated that she was prepared to continue on a temporary basis as she still requires five years of service to obtain a maximum pension.

It was moved and carried that teachers, who have reached the age of 65 but who have not reached full pensionable service (less than 35 years of teaching service) and who agree to teach on a temporary contract from year to year may, at the discretion of the School Committee, be hired to teach on a year to year basis until they reach the age of 68. Nothing in this regulation to in any way obligate the School Committee to hire any teacher over the age of 65.

It was moved and carried that the following appointments be approved as from September 1st, 1965: Edward Syrotchen, Viking; Ellen Syrotchen, Viking; Mrs. Margaret Gleeson (1 year contract), Viking; Norma Zwierschke, Tofield; T. B. Walker, Ryley; Z. Kahane, Viking; Frank Randall, Holden.

Moved and carried that transfer of Mrs. Irene Hafso to Grade 1 at Viking as from September 1st, 1965, be approved.

The tenders for petroleum requirements, motion 287/65, were now opened. Tenders were received from: Texaco Canada Limited, Imperial Oil Limited, S.L. Oil Refineries Limited (on oil only), B.A. Oil Company, Shell Company Limited.

Comparisons to some extent were made, especially in regards to the current price structure.

It was moved and carried that the Committee goes on record agreeing that the petroleum requirements be purchased under the tender set-up but that, in order that information may be obtained from other areas that operate under the same system, the decision as to acceptance of [illegible] tender be deferred to the August meeting.

Tenders for construction of 3-bedroom teacherages at Holden and Ryley were opened at this time. Tenders were received from: Watson (Tofield) Limited, Muttart Builders' Supplies, Imperial Lumber Company Limited, Otto Lucius Construction, Kuban Construction.

[illegible] had been no [illegible] Committee appointed for Ryley, it was moved and carried that Cr. Magneson and Mr. Nord and Mr. Pike be appointed the Building Committee for the Ryley area.

.. was then moved and carried that the members of the Building Committee at Ryley and Holden meet on Wednesday, July 7th, at 7:30 p.m. to consider the tenders received.

Mr. Stinson reported briefly on the course in School Administration at Banff, thanking the Committee for having had the chance to attend, and stated that he had enjoyed it very much and had derived a fair amount of benefit from it.

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# 'Shower' honors district couple

PALMER-EARLING, July 16th —The Skudesnes LCW sponsored a miscellaneous shower Saturday night at the church when Brenda Vamberg and Orval Kvale were honored.

Elmer Bruce was the emcee for an interesting program of amusing readings and a hymn by the ladies' group.

Following the program, Mrs. Sam Olsen made the presentation speech, and Virgie Sorensen and Alice Aker assisted the couple to open their many lovely gifts. Both Orval and Brenda expressed their appreciation. Refreshments were served in closing.

Brenda and Orval's wedding will take place at the Bawlf Lutheran Church on Saturday, July 24th. They will reside in Edmonton where both are employed.

# Churches to combine in outdoor worship

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Ryley and Holden Lutheran Church congregations will hold a joint outdoor worship service at the Holden Sports Grounds on Sunday, July 25th, at 11:00 a.m. Each family is requested to bring food for a picnic dinner and also if those having lawn chairs please bring those along too. Should the weather be inclement, the affair will be held in the Holden Lutheran Church. Anyone is welcome to attend.

# Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Ellenor Jones entertained some 21 ladies and 10 children at a farewell party and afternoon tea in honor of Mrs. Mary McAdoo on Thursday afternoon, July 15. Mary has left this district, but will still reside in another district out from Tofield. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent with contests and visiting, followed by a delicious luncheon served by the hostess and her helpers.

**Congratulations are extended to Johnny and Gloria Wood on the birth of their daughter on Tuesday, July 20. Congratulations also go to the proud grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wood of Lakeshore and Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Onoway.**

Emil and Martha Tiedemann, their daughter Mrs. Yvonne Brown of Ketchamoot, Daryl Bertsch of Edmonton, Elaine Sorrell of Lakeshore and Sandy and Irene Scott and girls of Lindbrook went on a motor sightseeing t.ip to Viking and district on Sunday, where they enjoyed a picnic dinner at Camp Lake. They report the weather there was lovely and warm, and a very enjoyable days was spent by all.

Mrs. Ellenor Jones was a Friday afternoon visitor and tea guest at the home of George and Ida Niemetz. Ida had just returned home after almost two weeks in the Tofield Hospital.

Don and Deanna Niemetz and son Sheldon, of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Don's parents, George and Ida Niemetz. Also there for Sunday [illegible] the evening were George's sister Erma and Fred Onyschuk and daughter Debbie, of Edmonton.

Dede and Robert Goubault, of Drayton Valley, arrived at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood, on Saturday, and are spending a few days' holidays visiting there and with other relatives and friends.

George and Ida Niemetz were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Ernie and Eleanor Rumzer.

**VISITOR FROM WASHINGTON**

George Abernethy and his sister, Mrs. Mildred Patch of Bellingham, Wash., were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of John and Mary Wood.

Jimmy and Donna MacDonald of Okotoks were Thursday supper guests at the home of Jimmy's aunt, Mary and John Wood. They were overnight guests at the home of his cousin, Johnny and Gloria Wood. They left again on Friday.

Jim and Lorene Francis and family, of Viking, were Saturday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Lorene's parents, John and Mary Wood, on their way home from attending the Edmonton Exhibition, or Klondike Days.


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# Bardo and district items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

Ingvald and Gladys Nesa of Kingman visited at the Severson home Sunday evening.

**AT BIBLE CAMP**

Phillip Foshaug, Fay Anderson and Grace and Lyle Heiberg were at Hastings Lake Bible Camp for Junior Week and this week Mrs Anne Anderson, Sandra Anderson, Linda Rude and Esther and Donna Brekken are at family week camp.

Mrs Evelyn Stauffer had a birthday on July 4. Harry Mosby the 7th Evelyn Foshaug the 11th, Gladys Rude the 16th and Borg Wild Rose the 17th. All had visitors helping them celebrate their special days.

**Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Klein of Viking have announced the birth of a son July 13th, a new grandson for Emil Rude.**

Mrs Inga Nesa who spent a few days in Edmonton with her daughter returned home Thursday.

Raymond and Betty Brooks and Ricky of Wetaskiwin spent from Monday to Wednesday at the Clarence Rude home. On Sunday the C. M. and Lars Rude families were dinner guests at the Brooks home.

Grandma Foshaug accompan and Mrs. Marie Johnson back to LaGlace on Friday for a two-week visit with her son, Talbert, and family and other relatives and friends.

**HERE FOR FUNERAL**

Rev and Mrs H Strand and Kenneth from Everson, Wash., Mrs Maria Johnson from Glace and Mr and Mrs Selmer Johnson of Peace River, who came to attend the funeral of Mrs. Emil Rude visited with friends and relatives for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mosby and Linda from Ryley and Mr and Mrs. Dick Blakely of Tofield were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Harry Mosby home.

The Glenn Francis family were dinner guests at the Peter Byrnson home in Edmonton on Sunday. David remained in the city and will go on a trip up the Alaska Highway with his grandparents.

David and Carol Anne Francis were among the many taking swimming lessons at Cooking Lake the past two weeks.

**100 AT REUNION**

On Sunday July 11th over 100 members of the Stauffer family gathered at Elk Island Park for a reunion. In the afternoon several members contributed to the program of which Leonard Stauffer was master of ceremonies.

**HERE FROM MONTREAL**

On Tuesday evening the Leonard Stauffer family was among the many who gathered at the L. Erga home in Kingman for a Lerbekmo family gathering in honor of Mr and Mrs. Jimmy Bruce and four children from Montreal. Jimmy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bruce (nee Dora Brown) who grew up in this district.

The Mosby girls, Glenda, Donna and Ivy, visited their aunt, Miss Jean Baptist and took in the Edmonton Fair over the weekend.

CASH WAR WITH CHINA. Following Chinese Premier Chou En-lai's visit to East Africa, announcement came of planned $45 million Chinese loan to Tanzania. This may mean Canada will end its aid to Tanzania, and country Chinese visit with one from a Canadian cabinet minister. Tanzania is eighth in our foreign aid list, last year receiving $3,21,468 in economic help.

# Rude obituary...

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Pete, Matilda and Phyllis, Mr. and Mrs. Art Haugen, Magda, Anne Patterson, Lillian Hayward Arthur Norman and Edith and Boys Hans and Martha, Glenn, Kay and Family, Erling, Olive and Family, Keith, Lou and Family, Bob, Edna and Family Mr and Mrs J A. Murray, Myrtle and Peter; Dennis, Carol and Family, Dale, Joan and Family, Lit Lawrence and Family, Alex Konrad and Family, Malcolm, Ruth and Family; Muriel, Loren and Family, Leroy, Mary and Family; Barbara, Fred and Family; Joanne, Ed and Family; Mrs M B Ness; Gladys and Lester Severson and David, Thelma and Otto Sorenson and Family, Pat and Dan Litwin and Greg; Conrad and Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. John Stauffer.

To "Lutheran Hour"— Harold and Viola Boettger.

To The Gideons—Mr. and Mrs Bill Simonson

To "Hour of Evangelism" at Wetaskiwin—Raymond, Betty and Ricky Brooks, Clarence, Borghild and Merlin

To Santal Mission—The Strands To A.L.C.W. Missionary Sponsorship—Bardo L.C.W

To Canadian L.B.I.—Art, Helen and Phil

To Camrose L.B.I. — Mr. and Mrs. H Krogen

To Mission Account of Bethel Lutheran Church, Ryley—Stanley Hisle

To United Church Memorial Fund, Minnitik—Lillian and Bob Berreveldt

To Building Fund of the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Coquitlam, B C —Ed. Joanne and Family

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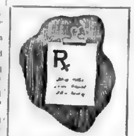


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# County council meet held July 8th

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Council of County of Beaver No. 9, held Thursday, July 8th, 1965.

It was moved and carried that the County does purchase Mr. MacDonell's house in the village of Holden located on Lot 6, Block 22, Plan 419 H.W. for $12,000.00 and that the tender from Kubin Construction for a standard Viscount house in the amount of $14,900.00 be accepted.

SPRAY DAMAGE

In regards to the damage claim by Mrs. Florence Rehill for trees and shrubs damaged by brush [illegible], the report from the committee, appointed to investigate this complaint, Crs. Kropielnicki and Roddick, was read to the council, also a letter from K. C. Powers, District Agriculturist, who had at the request of the council, accompanied Crs. Roddick and Kropielnicki. Both reports indicated that the opinion was that the County was not responsible, that the alleged dam[illegible] not caused by road side [illegible] operations. It was moved and carried that the reports be accepted and that Mrs. [illegible] Rehill be advised that the County does not accept any responsibility in this matter.

In the matter of fence damage, dealt with by motion 450/65, the sec.-treas. stated that he required some further information to forward to the Jubilee Insurance Agencies Ltd. in order that the insurance company could give proper attention to the matter. A letter from one of the complainants, Mr. L. Shewchuk, was also referred to the council. It was moved and carried that the necessary information be forwarded and that a letter of explana-

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# The mail must go through

Whatever happened to the old slogan "the mail must go through"? In the days of the pony express it was the watchword, like the theater's "show must go on" command. Has it gone the way of the pony express, or did someone forget to include it in the book so many of the postal employees want to work to?

There will be nearly unanimous concern that the strike is not yet over, in spite of appeals from senior members of the postal unions to return to the job while discussions continue.

The situation in the major centres grows increasingly serious as the strike . . . not sanctioned by the union . . . continues. When the workers have been off the job for seven days, the government may declare their job vacant, but this poses incredible problems. It would be bad enough to try to recruit a force as large as needed without the problem of picket lines, but this makes the job more difficult. And the problem of untrained, green help, trying to swing into action to clear up the mess is enough to dismay even the stoutest heart.

Yet the government must show that it, too, is strong in the existing situation. The entire nation cannot be left in the position of being dictated to by a few hundred workers who defy their union leaders to tie up the nation's mail. The government's promise of no reprisals if workers returned to the job was as far as the government should even consider yielding.

To the public generally, it doesn't make sense that raises of from $300 to $360 a year are so inadequate as to cause a nation-wide strike, especially when they raise maximum salaries for letter carriers to $4,680 and for inside mail sorters to $5,040.

We'll agree these may not be high figures in Toronto, Montreal or Vancouver, where living costs are probably as high as anywhere in the country. But we also know there are literally thousands of workers in areas like this who would willingly trade places . . . workers who have no hope of ever reaching the $90 a week level; workers who don't have anything like the average working conditions of the mailmen.

And there are thousands of workers across the country, too, who know that the minute they try the "work-by-the-book" routine, they'd be out on their ear. By and large, they're not too sympathetic, and they're growing increasingly more impatient. With ninety bucks in the pay envelope it's pretty hard to look like the miners John L. Lewis used to picture as starving for a crust of bread.

# By George!

Our family took a few days off the latter part of last week, loaded the car with camping gear and a couple of extra relatives, and headed for a reasonably close part of B.C.—Fairmont Hot Springs.

We had spent a week in a cabin at this mountain resort last year, and decided to try tenting this time. The weather was tops, the tenting was fun, and eating outdoors under pine trees was a real treat. Then there was the swimming facilities, with a choice of warm, warmer and hot water, and golfing on the interesting course at Radium. And my golf game was with another Camrosian holidaying in the area, Stu Bailey. Mike Sich advised me on our arrival back in Camrose that if we had been a bit earlier in arriving at the Radium course, we could have had the pleasure of golfing with him as well.

On the way to Fairmont, we spent one night tenting at Happy Valley, a fabulous family playground, swimming and camping spot west of Calgary, developed by one of those rich Calgarians. I'd recommend this spot to anyone with a family who wants a weekend of varied activity. The camping facilities are terrific, with showers provided along with the usual washroom facilities. And the washrooms were kept spotless at Happy Valley, which is something we cannot say, unfortunately, for Fairmont where the washrooms left quite a bit to be desired as far as cleanliness is concerned. However, the resort itself is so attractive we plan to return, but we'll hope the washroom situation will show some improvement by that time.

# Wheat heads for record

A potential wheat yield exceeding the 1963 record of 703 million bushels is a distinct possibility this year, according to informed spokesmen for the grain industry. "Barring a severe rust outbreak or early August frosts" says U.G.G.'s president A. M. Runciman, there is still prospect for an excellent crop, especially in Saskatchewan.

As it happens, the Peace River area and this region east of Edmonton seems to be about as poor as any in the country, and district agents are reporting prospects well above average in most points about Camrose.

## New stamp honors Churchill

Canada will issue a new 5 cent stamp on August 12 honoring Sir Winston Churchill. Printed by the Canadian Banknote Company, the stamp is the first Canadian stamp printed by the duotone offset process which is particularly suited to reproducing photographs.

It features the famous "roaring lion" portrait of Churchill taken by Yousuf Karsh, internationally famed Canadian photographer.

From 1959 to 1964 the value of natural gas exported from Canada to the U.S. increased from $16 million to $97 million.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

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# Dr. Spock gets award on new film

Benjamin Spock, MD, cited by the world's mothers as highest authority on baby care, was honored by the U.S. Public Health Service in February for his "continued and invaluable efforts in advancing the dental health of children". The occasion was the first showing of Dr. Spock's latest effort for children's dental health, narration of a new film on fluoridation "For children, because we care".

Presentation of the award was made by Dr. Donald J. Galagan, Assistant Surgeon General, at the Cleveland Health Museum.

Dr. Spock's long-time endorsement of fluoridation and his contribution of "the prestige of his name and reputation to films and printed material in the campaign for fluoridation" was cited by Dr. Maynard K. Hine, president-elect of the American Dental Association, who participated in the ceremony.

By reassuring parents of the safety and efficacy of fluoridation, Dr. Spock has done much to win acceptance for the public health measure. Coming from him, it meant more to these people than from anybody else, Dr. Hine added.

"For children, because we care" is the new 13-minute color film narrated by Dr. Spock which explains the effectiveness and safety of fluoridation in the prevention of tooth decay in children.

Community groups may obtain the film for meetings or television use through local and state health departments.

# The tower of Babey

Alberta Farmers Union president Paul Babey merely adds to the confusion with a recent statement voicing concern over Mr. Manning's objection to the national health scheme proposed by the Pearson administration at Ottawa. "Every advanced country in the world has some form of health service" piously points out Mr. Babey with the added admonition that the Alberta government would have to recognize that a majority of Canadians have accepted the need for medicare.

Mr. Babey continued that it was the farm organizations' conviction that no one living in Canada should lack medical service because of low income.

All of which is nice and pat, but it completely ignores the objections raised by Mr. Manning to Ottawa's proposal. Surely Mr. Babey can't reason that the Manning administration is opposed to health care after Alberta introduced its own voluntary scheme a couple of years ago . . . a scheme, incidentally, good enough for Premier Bennett of British Columbia to use as his own model.

It's the universal aspect and the compulsion which are objectionable to Mr. Manning, and which should be unwelcome to us all. But we suppose these arguments wouldn't be understood by Mr. Babey, who represents an organization dedicated to compulsory uniform marketing procedures, and conformity on the part of all those engaged in agriculture.

Co-operation on a voluntary basis, by all means; but forced and compulsory advance in lock-step fashion, no. It may be efficient, but there's enough regulation already in this country without racing headlong into more of it. You should look at some other areas before you subscribe too readily to the forced welfare state, and see if they are really better off than you are, all things taken into consideration. The odds are better than even that you wouldn't trade.

# Second power rate cut for Alberta farmers

Farmers in the Camrose area and all Alberta farmers will receive the second power rate cut in two years as a result of voluntary reductions now being offered by the investor-owned public utilities in Alberta. "Farmers will notice their first reduction in billings after Sept. 1st this year", Frank Batshaw, local manager, told The Canadian.

Canadian Utilities Limited, Calgary Power Ltd., and Northland Utilities Limited have announced the rate reduction to the Union of Rural Electrification Associations through President Clyde Stauffer.

The proposed rate schedule provides a new incentive rate with an end step of 1¼ cents per kilowatt hour and will result in a saving in excess of $300,000 per year to Alberta farmers. About one-half of the farm customers will benefit immediately; the rest will benefit as their consumption increases.

Power companies officials point out that incentive rates were introduced in 1963 in the hope that use of electric power on the farm and broader use of off-peak power would increase. The results have been encouraging. It is hoped that the new rates will encourage even greater use of off-peak power.

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# Establishing sport as 'a cult of violence'

## Claims rec. school director in opening address Monday

While outlining the purpose of the Recreation Leadership Training School which opened in Camrose Monday morning, the school director, Miss Elsie McFarland, supervisor of community programs for the province, expressed a growing fear that people in responsible positions are becoming more inclined to "use" other people to further their own endeavors.

This sort of thing occurs in many organized activities, she said, but to illustrate her point she chose the world of sport. Referring to some of the spectacles seen on the television screen, as well as one Memorial Cup hockey game in Edmonton last winter, Miss McFarland commented, "Some coaches are using young people to further themselves and make themselves the 'big 'am'."

**"CULT OF VIOLENCE"**

"I got pretty concerned about playing the game to win", Miss McFarland stated, "with no regard for sportsmanship. People who use others to improve their own positions are establishing sport as a cult of violence".

Miss McFarland said she had no doubt that many of her listeners had come to the recreation leadership school to become better performers and better skilled, and promised that likely this dream would be realized, "but this is the least part of it. You'll also learn the techniques of imparting those skills to other members of your communities".

She went on to say, "We cannot have a learning experience without some change in ourselves. Let's hope it's a change for the better when you leave this school a month from now".

Referring again to sport as a cult of violence, and people using others as a means to an end, Miss McFarland said, "I hope you'll think about this and consider it your duty to do something about it. I have used sport as an example, but it applies also to drama, crafts, music and other activities. These things are meant to make life more meaningful. In participating in them, let us put people first".

**LARGEST REGISTRATION**

The school has attracted the largest registration ever this year, as about 150 students, representing 75 communities from Alberta as well as centres from outside this province, registered Sunday. There is a staff of 17 instructors this year, including Bill Fayter of Calgary as assistant director; Mrs. Isabel Seaman of Edmonton as dean of women, and Bob White, Edmonton, dean of men.

[illegible] Corrinne Vanderman, who has been stenographer for Miss McFarland the past few years, will be replaced this [illegible] by Miss Natalia Alexan-

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# County council meet

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tion be written to Mr. Shewchuk advising him that the insurance company will deal with his claim.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

A letter from the sec.-treas. of Spilstead Ladies' Society inquiring if an annual grant for sports equipment was available from the County. The sec.-treas. stated that he had informed the sec.-treas. of the society that no such grant was in operation in the county but that he would refer the letter to the council.

Moved and carried that no grant be approved for sports equipment to any organizations in the County.

Letter from the Mundare Fish and Game Association advising of the official opening of Beaverhill Lake Beach on Sunday, July 11, 1965, was referred to the Council. Since the beach is situated on the boundary of the County of Beaver, it was requested that a representative from the County be prepared to make a short address at the opening ceremony. It was also hoped that the Council as a whole would attend.

Moved and carried that the Reeve and Deputy Reeve and any other Councillors, who are able to, attend this official opening.

Letter from the Canadian National Railways advising that they intended to apply to the Board of Transport Commissioners for authority to retire the passing track and elevator at Philips was referred to the Council. It was stated that the tracks in question serve no useful purpose and were not used at any time.

Moved and carried that the Canadian National Railways be advised that the County has no objection to the proposed trackage retirement at Philips.

The secretary-treasurer reported that he had submitted statements of cost concerning the improvements made by the County at Camp Lake and Nugget Lake and that the improvements were to be inspected by a member of the field staff of the Provincial Parks Division. As soon as his report is handed in to the Department, payment would be made.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Moved and carried that the requisition from Viking Municipal Hospital No. 16, as referred to the Council at this time, in the amount of $6,034.39, be paid.

Moved and carried that Bridge Authorizations concerning 72-inch culverts at WNW 9-51-19-W4 and SSE 16-51-19-W4, to be installed by the County, and for a 20-foot treated timber span on treated timber substructure at WNW.

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# THE RYLEY TIMES

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## Wm. B. Ruddy passes suddenly while in B.C.

William B. Ruddy, 62, of Ryley, passed away very suddenly June 29th while on a combined fishing and business trip at Pinchi Lake, B.C.

Born in Golden Lake, Ont., Mr. Ruddy became one of Canada's youngest diamond drillers working in most of Ontario's and Quebec's hard rock mines. In 1930 he came west and contracted as diamond driller for Eldorado Mines at Port Radium, Great Bear Lake. Three years later he transferred to the Negus Mines of Yellowknife, N.W.T.

In 1941 he married Harriet [illegible] of Edmonton. [illegible] stricken with diabetes Mr. Ruddy retired from diamond drilling and moved to Ryley where he purchased the Ryley Butcher Shop and Grocery Store. A few years later he took over the two rural mail routes and purchased a school bus which he operated for 11 years, retiring from all business in 1961 due to ill health.

In 1964 he leased land on Pinchi Lake, B.C., where at the time of his death he was making preparations for building a summer home for the family. The lumber he had ready for this home will now be used, with the co-operation of the Valkjar family, owners of the Pinchi Lake Tourist Resort, to erect two kitchens on the camping grounds in his memory. Memorial plaques will be placed on these buildings by Bjarne Kirkelund.

Funeral services for Mr. Ruddy were held on July 6th from Calvin United Church, Ryley, with C. K. [illegible] officiating. Interment was in the family plot of the Ryley Cemetery. Pallbearers were Bjarne Kirkelund, J. D. McDonald, Sam Alex, Hugo Heilesen, Elmer Anderson, and Bud Johnson.

Mr. Ruddy leaves to mourn his loss, his loving wife, Harriet; two daughters, Jacqueline, Mrs. Aino Jensen of Ryley, and Donna, Mrs. Daniel Kading of Edmonton, four grandchildren, Billy and Michael [illegible] and Jeff and Nora Kading; his mother, Mrs. William Ruddy of Golden Lake, Ont., four brothers and three sisters, all of Ontario.

Beautiful floral tributes were received from his wife, Hattie; Jackie, Aino, Billy, and Michael, Donna, Dan, Jeff and Nora; Mary, Gerry and Murray Birch; Stuart and Margaret Birch; Aunt Kate, Miriam, and Luan, Edith, Lester, Allan, Jerry and Ethel Pepper; Sam, J. D. and Hazel; Elvi, Verner, and family; Bette Butler and Gordie, Mable Johnson and Kitty Umphrey, Olga, Art, and RuElle Annebo, Graham and Peggy Lock; The Richardsons; Ruth Graftaas, Amanda Mehus, Bertha Hay, Mable Johnson, Martha Whitson, the Local of the ATA; the Viking Teaching Staff, Ryley Teaching Staff, Cavell Rebekah Lodge, Friends of the Bathgate District, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Nerassen, Doug and Marvel Down and Family, Murray and Ev Lyons and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lyons and Family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kathan; Mr. and Mrs. Kropelnicki, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jacobson and Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Baker; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pepper and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pepper and Allan; Mr. and Mrs. Brian Westmancoat; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Romaniuk; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kozack and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Munkedahl; Charlie and Norah Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Booth, Ben and Ruth Jacobson, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Young, Mrs. Edwin Jacobson, Denver, Ivan, and Marvin; Ole, Agnes and Bobby Hagen, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Pope; Eric and Alice Munkedal and Family, Anton and [illegible]le Knudslien and Family; Eddie and Muriel Lyons and family; Bob and Marg Westmancoat; Willie and Annie Pope, Emil and Madeline Budinski.

Donations to the Ryley Cemetery Fund in memory of Bill Ruddy were received from Ellen and Hugo Heilesen, Edna and Bob Hammer, Mr. and Mrs. S. Booth, Alma Adams, Clara and Theodore Bendiksen, Rosalie and Pat, Mr. and Mrs. W. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Gunner Oslund, Gladys and Bill Steffen, Alice and Ed. Albrecht, June and Arnold Wayne, Bob and Mildred Rokos, Mrs. Bess Goodall, Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Helgeland, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Booth, Sigvert Helgeland, Sylvia Zowitski, J. Dueck, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Harris and Dave, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stumbo, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Loades, Mrs. Martha Lillo, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nordwoski, Mr. and Mrs. G. Fisk, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Magneson, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Halberg, Mr. and Mrs. John Zazebeda, Mr. and Mrs. W. Norton, Mrs. L. C. Umphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Helgeland, Mr. and Mrs. Jerold Helgeland, C. Nord and Delores, Mr. and Mrs. S. Kolodychuk, Mr. and Mrs. P. Wiens, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Budinski, Mr. and Mrs. William Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Dueck, Mrs. Nellie Geddis, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lundin, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Munkedal, Johnny Knudslien, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Manderson, Mr. and Mrs. D. Manderson, Jim Manderson, Mr. and Mrs.

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## Ryley news

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Joyce and Elmer Patrick and children of Hinton spent the weekend with Joyce's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fish. Donna and Darcy will continue to stay here for the remainder of the week, and then go to Camrose to stay for a while with their paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Duliba (nee Lorraine Zwierschke) of St. Paul were in town over the weekend visiting their many friends in the district. Lorraine stayed overnight with Marguerite Fish and went with her to the Tofield hospital to visit Mrs. Amy Pope who is a patient there.

Visiting in Ryley and district last week were Ted and Edna Gjerde of Camrose, and they brought their guests, Charles and Marie Plumb of Bellingham, Wash., with them. Marie is the former Marie Gjerde, Ted's sister.

**Lloyd and Dot Thorsley of London, Ont., and their son, Blaine, and his wife of Edmonton, were in town this week visiting friends.**

Val and Lorna Grieg and family of Jasper are on holidays and visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hay, and Bob Greig.

Mrs. Odin Eikeland of Edmonton drove here last week and left her sons, Gordon and Mark, and their friend, Jeff, for a week's holiday with Mrs. Tillie Branes. Mrs. Annie Eikeland, the boys' paternal grandmother, also of Edmonton, joined them later in the week.

**Miss Diane Hanchiriuk, who for the past year has made her home with Willie and Annie Pope, left this week for training at the Deere Home at Red Deer.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomas of Portland, Oregon, have been visiting with their niece, Mrs. Willie Pope and her family, when they left, Annie accompanied them as far as Calgary to her mother's home, and stayed for two days to visit with her father, who is a patient in a Calgary hospital.

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### LEGAL NOTICES

**NOTICE to Creditors and Claimants**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOSEPH MARTIN HELGELAND, late of the District of Dodds, in the Province of Alberta, deceased, who died on or about the 9th day of July A.D. 1965.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above-named must file with the undersigned by the 31st day of August, A.D. 1965, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them.

SIGURD LEFSRUD,
Solicitor for the Executrix,
Viking, Alberta.

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## Church notes

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
*The Friendly Church on the Corner*
**Sunday, August 1st**
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study
July 26th-30th—Daily Vacation Bible School, 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
**Sunday, August 1st**
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
**Sunday, August 1st**
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Anglican
Sunday Services
8:30 a.m. every Sunday—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. 1st Sunday of Month—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays—Morning Prayer.
O Come Let Us Worship.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month .......... 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month .......... 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month .......... 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month .......... 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**FINE CANADIAN MENU IMPORTED FROM TEXAS**

(The Sudbury Star)

There was a mix-up over the Ottawa dinners for the visiting shah of Iran. It seems he was given roast lamb two nights running . . . but it was fine with him because lamb is the festive thing in Iran.

But the shah did want to try some typically Canadian foods, he said—so they gave him roast lamb again. The news story reporting all of this noted the lamb was specially imported from Fort Worth, Texas . . . what could be more typically Canadian than that!

## John Ness passes at age of 81

John Ness was born in Malangen, Norway, on October 12, 1883. He passed away at St. Mary's Hospital on Sunday, June 13, at the age of 81 years. Immigrating to the United States in 1907 Mr. Ness came to Alberta in 1908. In 1915 he was united in marriage to Ingrid Haugen.

Mr. Ness had lived in Alberta from 1908 until the time of his passing, except for the years from 1923 to 1930, when he lived in Bellingham, Washington, and the years from 1948 to 1953, when he lived at Kelowna, B.C. For the past 2 years he has made his home in the Camrose district.

He was predeceased by his wife Ingrid in 1957. He leaves to mourn one sister, Anna Olson, in Butte, Montana, as well as a large number of nieces and nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, June 15, from the Bardo Lutheran Church, with Rev. G. Ostrem officiating. Interment followed in the church cemetery, with Messrs. Ingvald Ness, Lester Severson, Pete Ness, Edwin Mathison, Vern Horte and Pete Mathison serving as pallbearers. Burgar's Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**Floral Tributes**

Martha Lille, Clara Myers; Martin Sundlie, Nellie Akerlund, Borghild Sundlie; Edna Burns, Peter and Margaret Mathison, Dagny and Walter Helland, Lloyd and Minnie Rude; Edwin and Bertha Mathison, Irene and Lloyd Hamilton, Vivian and Clifford Simonson, Vernon and Thelma Horte; Jenny and Ing Lefsrud, Alvin and Ethel Ness, Helen and Ed Kerry, Pete and Phil Ness, Ingvald and Gladys Ness, Marge and Pat Williams, Esther and Ingolf Brekhew; Alice and Ralph Dahl, Gladys and Lester Severson, David Sorenson, Patricia, Don and Gregory Litwin, Murial and Howard Irving, Sylvia and Garth Evans, Betty and Walter Scott; Mervin and Norma Ness, Darrel and Nikki Ness, Emil Solheim.

**Memorials**

To Bardo Memorial Fund—Leonard and Evelyne Stauffer; Mr. and Mrs. Hans Nerasser, Agnes Hagen, Emma Sjulstad, Mr. and Mrs. A. Helberg and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hendrickson, Mary Johnson, Mikal and Borghild Erickson and Linda; Arnold and Mabel Johnson and Walter, Mrs. Helberg and Eystein, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hillerud, Alma Foshaug, Petra Stauffer, Albert and Agnes Haukedal, Pete and Loolah Lertekmo, Leif and Evelyn Foshaug and Family, Ivan and Olive Foshaug and Family; Olaf and Alice Stokkan, Elwood, Thelma and Family.

To Bardo Lutheran Church Building Fund — Pauline, Charles and Family.

To Bardo Cemetery Fund — Carl and Alma Nelson; Fred and Mabel Gotheridge.

To Bardo WCTU Memorial Fund—Clarence, Borghild and Merlin Rude.

To Chaplaincy Service at Bethany Home—Mr. and Mrs. Philip Anderson, Mrs. Anne Anderson.

To Kingman Cemetery Fund—Mrs. J. A. Helle.

To Cancer Fund—Emil and Hildur Rude.

To Three Hills Bible Institute—Mr. Emil Solheim.

To Bethany Home and Hospital—Nels and Nettie Prestlien, The Steen Families, Axel and Nita Kindley, Nettie Moen, Albin, Hazel, Randy and Audrey Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simonson, Mrs. Olga Lee and Family, Marit Horte, Marie Qualley; Amanda Haugen, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hough and Family; Sivert and Alvin Ness; Mr. B. Ness; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Berreclotn; The Nieces and Nephews.

To First Baptist Church—Mr. and Mrs. David Anderson.

To Camrose Lutheran College—Ovel and Mary Bjorgum and Family.

To Canadian Lutheran Bible Institute—Alice and Elmer Stiller; Selma and Sam Cinnamon.

To "Evening Gospel Hour"—Mr. and Mrs. Tony Broen.

To Trondhjem Lutheran Church—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bruce; Mrs. B. Burnstad; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wade; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Quall.

To Salem Lutheran Church—Mr. and Mrs. E. Seljehaug, Mabel Simonson.

To Salem Lutheran Church Concordia Fund—Mr. and Mrs. William Bjorgum.

To Northern Canada Evangelical Mission to the Indian Leroy, Mary and Family; Olaf and Nora.

To Crippled Children's Fund—Wilbur and Grethe McBain and Boys, Mrs. McBain Sr.; Ed, Bertha and Family.

To Heart Fund—Thos and Margaret Cunningham; Mrs. W. Simonson and Family.

To Camrose Lutheran College Alumni Mr. and Mrs. George Osness; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Osness.

To Canadian Bible Society—The Nieces and Nephews.

**Card of Thanks**

To those who expressed their sympathy in so many beautiful and practical ways during our recent bereavement, we extend our heartfelt thanks.

—Relatives of the late Mr. Ness.

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## Better English . . .

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. I will be back inside of half an hour.
2. Whom did you say was with you when it begun to rain?
3. Such statements are nothing else but absurd.
4. I have got to see him right away.
5. It is absolutely correct that we saw two twins enter into the church.
6. She only saw him for a moment, but she readily perceived that he was six foot tall and weighed around 170 pounds.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Petite. 10. Parabola.
8. Precedence. 11. Bequest.
9. Soiree. 12. Apparatus.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Serpentine, calcimine, pantomine, kerosene, pristine, tapestry, tailess, tantamount, tarantula, tangerine, fusilage, fusible, fusillade, furtherance, franchize, mesmerize, deign, maline, supine, canine, pessimism, potrefy, liquefy, pertinacious, putrifaction, hypnotize, cauterize, minimize, franchise, mesmerize.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "I SHALL RETURN WITHIN a HALF-HOUR". 2. Say, "WHO did you say was with you when it BEGAN to rain?" 3. Say, "Such statements are nothing else THAN absurd". 4. Say, "I MUST see him AT ONCE (or, IMMEDIATELY)". 5. Omit the three words, "absolutely", "two", and "into". 6. Say, "She saw him ONLY for a moment, but she readily perceived that he was six FEET tall and weighed ABOUT 170 pounds".
7. Pronounce peh-teet, accent second syllable. 8. Pronounce pree-seed-ens, accent second syllable. 9. Pronounce swah-ray, accent second syllabel. 10. Pronounce pa-rabb-oh-la, accent on second syllable. 11. Accent SECOND syllable, not the first. 12. Pronounce ap-a-ray-tuss, accent on third syllable.
13. Pantomime, tailless, fuselage, malign, petrify, franchise.


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# Wm. B. Ruddy passes

(Continued from Page Four)

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To The Holden Cemetery Fund —Reinold and Jean Grinde

To The Cancer Fund — Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Barnstad

To Ohaton United Church Fund —Grace and Clifford Pepper and Girls.

Donations to the Heart Fund in memory of Mr. Ruddy were received from Mr and Mrs. Conrad Patterson, Mrs. E. H. Brown and Patricia, Mr and Mrs. Geo Knudslien, Mrs. Alma Steffen, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Wideman, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ninkovich, Mr and Mrs Vernon Roth, Ray Rokos, Mrs. Mary Roth, Mr. and Mrs. Art Anderson and Robert, Mr and Mrs Clarence Lauber, Mrs. Chaplain, Mr and Mrs Norman Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vougtlin, Vernon and Joan Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Cline, Mr. and Mrs. Pat James and Family, Mr. and Mrs Stan Kondrowski and Family

Donations to the Ryley Bethel Lutheran Church were received from Mrs. Tillie Brunes, Mr. and Mrs. N Kushnir and Family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bugge, Mr. C. Bugge, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Oslund Mr and Mrs. Ed Magneson, Borghild Sundfie, Mr and Mrs. O H Orbeck, Mr and Mrs. H Hillerud, Mrs Pete Davick, Mr and Mrs Gust Oslund and Malfred, Mr. and Mrs W Oslund and Family, Mr and Mrs Stan Gardeski and Boys, Mr. and Mrs. W. Klawitter, Mr. and Mrs. E. Klawitter and Family

Donations to the Ryley United Church Memorial Fund were received from Mrs. Cora Young, Mr. and Mrs Herb Thomas, Mr H. J. Hill, Mr. C. I. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hay, Mr. and Mrs. W. Norton, Mr. and Mrs. S. Helgeland, Mr and Mrs T. Graftaas, Mr and Mrs O. Monsson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Willans, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jacobson and Shirley, Miss Carol Olson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Vergette and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Bray, Mr and Mrs H B Stearns, Mr and Mrs. F. G. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cross, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Jorgen Davick, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dobson, Mrs. Amy Pope, Miss Faye Olsenburg, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pike and Family, Norman and Esther Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Munkedal

# Spilstead news briefs

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

The Spilstead Ladies' Society held their regular meeting on July 7th at the home of Mrs. Louise Winder where a very enjoyable afternoon was spent. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Gladys Anderson's home, in August

**Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Erickson have announced the birth of a daughter, a sister for Marcy.**

Mr and Mrs Loyd Raine and family are visiting with Mrs. Louise Winder. They are on furlough as missionaries from India, after spending six years there.

The Spilstead junior and senior ball teams have been very busy practicing these days

The Spilstead annual picnic on July 4th was enjoyed by all who attended

Ruth and Ellee Fairbrother spent a week recently visiting with their aunt and uncle, the John Fosters, at Vegreville.

Boyd Fairbrother of Edmonton has been spending his holidays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fairbrother—also with his aunt and uncle, Lois and Harold Ray.

Gary Fairbrother spent two weeks with his sister and brother-in-law, Lois & Harold Ray.

Debbie Sware is holidaying with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Sware of Camrose while Darrel Sware is holidaying with his aunt and uncle, the Harvey Hovelsons, at Kingman.

Marilyn Fairbrother spent a week in Edmonton with her aunt and cousins, Mrs. J. C. Bertsch, Don and Dave.

Mrs. Allan Barnhard has returned home from the Tofield Hospital, and we hope she is feeling better

Monday overnight guests at the T. W. Fairbrother home were Cliff Fairbrother and Durward Valentine of Edmonton. Oscar Sware visited there during the evening

The district welcomes Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davies, who are preparing to move a cabin onto their property in the Spilstead district

Mr. and Mrs. Ingram and family have moved into the house formerly owned by the Kuipers.

TO KEEP THE PEACE. In the preamble to the charter of the United Nations, there is stated a free world's determination to "save succeeding generations from the scourge of war". To achieve this end, the U-N has been called many times to deploy peace-keeping troops in the trouble-spots of the world. Above, a U-N soldier stands sentry beneath a flag pledged to peace.


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STICKY SPACE PROBLEM. Success of Gemini astronaut Edward White in walking in space paves way to next step, where astronauts may carry out work tasks in outer space. Problem is, however, that in space vacuum, metal tools stick together, as depicted above. Question is being studied at Marshall Centre in Alabama.

# Ross Creek district news briefs

(Iris Bilen)

Howard and Nell Malcolm attended the wedding of Howard's niece, Jean Vickery, when she was united in marriage to Dwane Alde, on Saturday, in an evening ceremony held at the Gold Bar Baptist Church in Edmonton

Cameron Malcolm, Ray Cossey and Dennis Bailey spent last week at the United Church Camp Agape in Elk Island Park while Blair Malcolm, Clifford McLachlan, Garry McLachlan and Ross Cossey are spending this week at the camp

Ian and Florence Malcolm attended the stampede at Bruce on [illegible].

Craig Snider, along with his uncle, Milton and aunt, Rita, attended the cattle shows held at Wetaskiwin and Red Deer fairs last week, while this week Brock accompanied his uncle and aunt to the cattle show at Vegreville fair

Winnie McLachlan's father, Mr. Duncan of Wetaskiwin, is holidaying at the home of George and Winnie

Bruce Elaniak of Vegreville has been spending a few days at the home of Ralph and Alice Cossey. Ralph, Alice and children took him home on Tuesday and attended the fair while in Vegreville.

Maurice and Lill Van Buskirk and family spent four days of last week holidaying at Banff

**At the Sports Day held at Chipman on Sunday, the [illegible] man baseball pee wee [illegible] defeated Mundare, and [illegible] lost out to Vegreville. The Ponies defeated both the Mundare and Vegreville teams.**

Russ and Doris Kushniruk of Vegreville spent Saturday at the home of George and Winnie McLachlan.

Mrs Bessie Pederson spent the first week of her two weeks' holiday with her sister, Leafie, at Prince Albert, Sask., and at Lake Waskesiu She was accompanied by her daughter, Freda, and husband, Robert. The second week Bessie spent visiting with her son, Kenneth, and wife and family, and other relatives in Ross Creek, also spending a few days with her daughter, Doris and husband at Vegreville.

Saturday overnight guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Polaway were their daughter, Janet, and husband, Don Meade, and daughters Georgina and Cindy of Edmonton.

SPORTS DAY

The Ross Creek Athletic Club will hold a sports day on Saturday, July 31st, at Ross Creek ball park with the first ball game to be played at 12 noon. There will be baseball and softball games and horseshoe tournaments with bingo being played through the day. There will be a special platform entertainment from 3 to 4 o'clock, comprised of local talent and refreshments will be served at the booth all through the day. A dance will be held in the evening at the Ross Creek Community Centre

ADDITIONAL MEMORIAL TO HILDUR RUDE OBITUARY

To Bethany Home and Hospital —Bardo Congregation.


**NOTICE**

**Town of Tofield**

MONDAY, AUGUST 2nd, 1965

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—Rita Halverson, Sec.-Treas.

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# Holden district news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Ted Anderson (nee Muriel [illegible]) and children drove back from Calgary a week ago Sunday and then went up to Edmonton on the Monday to bring home her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow. Mrs. Barlow had been a patient in the University Hospital for a kidney operation, and is feeling much improved. Muriel and children were planning to stay for a week to help her mother until she felt stronger.

Miss Emma Giebelhaus of [illegible] has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Lester Nordstrom and Mr Nordstrom for several days this past week, also visiting with other relatives.

Mr and Mrs. Marshall Slywka of Edmonton have been visitors with his mother, Mrs. William Slywka, this past week.

Mr and Mrs J. Lindberg and children have returned home—Mrs Lindberg and the children from holidaying at Lakeview, while Mr Lindberg was in Edmonton marking papers for departmental exams

**Martin Moedahl passed away at St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose, on July 19th, after a lengthy illness. The funeral was held in Camrose on Thursday, July 22nd, from Messiah Lutheran Church, with interment in the Camrose cemetery.**

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Zayonce and family, who have been residing in Mrs. William Hladilo's house for the past several months, left Holden last weekend.

Mr and Mrs. Joe Charnulke returned home last week from a two week holiday trip, visiting various points in Eastern Canada.

Miss [illegible] Clark and Mrs. Ida Mason left early Friday morning by car on a trip to the [illegible] River district to visit for a few days with a friend of Miss Clark's

Mr and Mrs. Nick Laskoski and their two daughters attended the wedding and reception of friends at Mundare on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta and family, of the Viking district, were visiting for the day, Thursday of last week, with Beth's parents, Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow, and to see her sister, Mrs. Ted Anderson and children, who were visitors for several days.

HEART ATTTACK

Oscar Ruskenveld was taken to Tofield Hospital early Thursday morning in the ambulance, suffering from a heart attack.

Mrs. Carrie Olson spent a few days in Edmonton last week, going by bus on the Monday, visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Alice Jones, and other relatives, and on business

Mrs Mary James was a business visitor in Edmonton on Monday of last week, having dental work done.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell was a dinner guest and visited for the day last Wednesday with Mr and Mrs. Percy Barlow and her niece, Muriel, and children, who were visitors for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy were home this past weekend from Edmonton, where Earl is attending summer school at the University of Alberta.

Bruce Budd's brother and family from Brandon, Manitoba, have been visiting here for several days this past week. On Wednesday the families spent the afternoon at Elk Island Park.

David Good of Edmonton was a visitor for two days this past week with his mother, Mrs Lars Ritland, and Mr Ritland, also visiting with his brother and family, the Ernie Goods.

HOME FROM U.S.A.

Mr. and Mrs. J Ruxton and children returned home last Thursday after their weeks' trip to the United States, where they were visiting with relatives.

A number of friends met at the home of Mr and Mrs Hans Brekstad on Wednesday afternoon of last week, to help Ethel celebrate her birthday

Mrs Olaf Chetney has been holidaying for several days this past week around Banff Olaf has been "batching" and working on renovations they are doing to their house

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson left a week ago by car for a two weeks' holiday, planning to go to Calgary to visit for two or three days with their son Glen and family From there they planned to motor to Vernon, B C , to visit with their son Jimmie, and his wife and family, also calling on other relatives in B C

The William Kachmans are having an addition built onto their house, and planning to install plumbing.

Sam Sroka of Edmonton has been visiting with his mother, Mrs. Tekla Sroka, the past two weeks, for his annual holiday

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Soley of Lacombe were visiting with friends for a few days last week with the Lidens Thursday afternoon Mrs. T. A Liden entertained several friends at tea for Mrs Soley.

Mrs. John Lemko and children are visiting for several days with her parents and family at Radford Sask

GOES TO B.C.

Mrs Helen Tiedemann left on the CNR Sunday for a week's stay in Vancouver, B C , where she will visit with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison. Mrs. Morrison has not been well for the past several months, and has been a hospital patient for some weeks.

Ray Hovland was a Thursday supper guest with Mrs. N. L. Campbell, later taking her by car to Leduc where she will visit her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs Ken Campbell for a few days. Mrs Campbell with her daughter and son-in-law and grandson Billie were planning to drive to Calgary on Friday to attend a concert at which their younger son, Jimmie, was participating. Jimmie had been attending a scholarship music course in Calgary, and was fortunate in winning a further two-week scholarship course


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WEANER PIGS $10.00 to $13.00, and Light Feeders sold up to $29.00 each.
PIGGY SOWS $75.00, and Gilts sold up to $63.00 each.
BOARS brought from $30.00 to $50.00 each.

**SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, July 31:**

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# Joseph Helgeland passes at early age of 45 years

Joseph Martin Helgeland, son of the late Knut and Laura Helgeland born near Dodds, Alberta on September 19 1919, passed away in the Tofield Hospital on July 9, 1965, at the age of 45 years 9 months and 20 days.

In May, 1940, he was united in marriage to Brenda Cross, to which union three children were born Douglas of Edmonton and Andrew and Elida at home.

Joseph had not enjoyed good health for a number of years, but bore it all with patience. He was predeceased by his mother in 1933, his father in 1950, brother John in 1918, sister Adeline in 1920, and brothers Marvin in December 1942, and Alfred, who was killed in action overseas in 1945.

He leaves to mourn his wife, Brenda, and three children, Douglas, Andrew and Elida, also many nieces, nephews, uncles and aunts and other relatives, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held at Ryley Bethel Lutheran Church on July 12, with interment following in the Ryley Cemetery. Pallbearers were Howard Reil, Gerald Helgeland, Wilfred Helgeland, Lawrence Anderson, Lornie Anderson and Carl Hjelter. Hoveland Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

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Loving Wife and Children; Brothers, Sisters and Family

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To Ryley Bethel Lutheran Church Memorial Fund—Mr and Mrs. N Kushnir and Family, Mrs. Tillie Branes, Mr and Mrs Hans Hillerud, Mrs. Pete Davick, Mrs Alma Adams; Mrs. Anna Patterson; Mr and Mrs. Olaf Oslund, Mr and Mrs Ed Magneson, Mr J Knudslein, Lillian Patterson, Raymond Patterson, Hazel and Conrad Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bugge, Mr C Bugge, Mr Carl Nord; Mrs. Ed Jacobson and Boys, Mr. and Mrs Gust Oslund and Milford, Mr and Mrs. W Oslund and Family, Mrs Borghild Sundlie and Gordon, Mr and Mrs. Hans Nerasson, Mr. and Mrs. O H Orbeck; Mr and Mrs. Ole Hagen and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs W Klawitter, Ryley 4-H Clothing Club, Mr and Mrs. E. Klawitter and Family; Mr. and Mrs Gunnar Oslund and Family; J R Zook; Mr and Mrs Carl Sorensen.

To Ryley Bethel Lutheran Church Building Fund—Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hammer.

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To The Family — Joe, Fannie, Blaine and Robert; Mr and Mrs Ernest Anderson, Mr and Mrs Hjalmar Johansen, Harold and Orvel, Kenneth and Elsie Zook, Reinold, Joan and Family, Martha Lauber and Ben; Charles Reinert; Gerald, Lucie and Family; Mr and Mrs. Oliver Lehman and Family, Mr and Mrs Bert Kirklund and Family, George, Audrey K. and Family; George and Irene Campbell and Family, Mr and Mrs Dan Campbell and Girls; Mr and Mrs John Stauffer, Ole and Lena, Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Oslund; Mr. and Mrs Noah Wideman, Mr and Mrs Carl Sorenson; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davison, Mrs Annie Verzette; Mrs. Mary Roth, Stan and Hilda Powers; Mrs. Alma Steffen; Mrs Mary Dragon; Joe Lehman, Mr and Mrs Vernon Roth, Mr and Mrs C Penner, Mr and Mrs Ted Jacobsen, Mr and Mrs Elmer Lundin, Clarence, Martha and Robert Johnson; Mr. and Mrs Palmer Snortheim and Darcy; Mr. and Mrs. Art Anderson and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Wm Heinig, Mr and Mrs Alvin Lehman, Mr. and Mrs Harold Lauber, Mr. and Mrs Melvin Lehman, Mr and Mrs. Geo Cline; Mr and Mrs Lou Stefura, Mr. and Mrs Ray Magneson, Mr and Mrs. Pete Hunka; Mr. and Mrs Orval Hjelter, Mr and Mrs Roy Davick, Mr. and Mrs T. Harris and Dave, Mr and Mrs Harold Vergette and Family, Mr and Mrs Clarence Lauber; Mr. and Mrs P James, Selmer and Marie; Wilfred and Carol, Gerald and Millie, Elmer and Kay; Dentel and Sylvia, Laurence; Stan and Ida, Howard and Inez, Elizabeth Beitz, Maynard and Erma Stauffer and Family; Mr and Mrs John Reil; Leonard and Violet Helgeland; Robert and Elva Anderson, Ann and Stella Stauffer; Ann and Stella Stauffer; Stan and Ida; Earl and Marilyn; Fred and Levina Londes; Earl and Mary Hardy; Ted and Edna Gjerde and Family, Mr and Mrs Channel and Bob; Arnold and Lorraine; Edmer and Norma Boettger and Family, Jimmie and Irene and Girls and Darrell; Harold and Viola Boettger and Family; Johnny and Myrna Petryshen and Family; Helen and Emma; Sharon James; Mary Roth; Salem Mennonite Church; Ezra and Lena Reil, Inez and Norman; Edith Wideman, Lydia Wideman; Ella May Roth; Kay, Jim and Family; [illegible] and Margaret, [illegible] Marian, Bettie and Patty; Bill, Gladys, Ron and Kevin; Mr and Mrs. Pete Hunka, Mr and Mrs. R Wiseness and Dale.

To Ryley Cemetery Fund—Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gjerde, Mr and Mrs. Bob Wiklun, Mr and Mrs. Noah Solberg, Mr. and Mrs George Sandstrom; Mr. and Mrs. Ole Snortheim, Mrs. Gladys

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# County council meet held July 8th

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[illegible]-48-16-W4, to be installed by the bridge crew, be accepted.

The secretary-treasurer reported that the application for grant under the Extension of the Recreational Facilities Grant Program for Adams Community Centre had been approved and the amount of grant, [illegible], had been received.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Moved and carried that report from the the P F A in regards to townships dealt with by the Board of Review at meeting No 11, June 21, 1965, be received and filed.

Information concerning the new procedure to be followed in regards to application for assistance under Section 3 of the P F A Act was referred to the Council.

After some discussion, it was moved and carried that this matter be deferred to the August meeting of the Council.

Preliminary Agreement for backsloping road on the east side of 2-49-19-W4, land owner E. Korobko, was referred to the Council. It was noted that no provisions for fence moving were listed in the agreement, and it was decided that Mr. Korobko would have to move and replace the fence at his own expense.

Some considerable discussion took place in the matter of backsloping, and it was finally moved and carried that request for backsloping on 66-foot road allowances may be undertaken by the individual Councillors in an amount not to exceed $5,000 in each division, and that all requests for backsloping must be referred to the Council for approval. Land owner to be responsible for fences and brush.

It was then moved and carried that the Preliminary Agreement concerning backsloping on the east side of S.E. 2-49-19-W4 be approved with the proviso that the land owner, E Korobko, move and replace the fence at his own expense.

Tenders for wiring the new grader shed at Tofield were referred to the Council. Tenders were received from Watson (Tofield) Ltd in the amount of $425, and Stauffer Electric at Tofield in the amount of $435.

Moved and carried that the tender submitted by Watson (Tofield) Ltd., in the amount of $425, for wiring of the grader shed at Tofield, be accepted.

Cr. Johnston stated that the survey stakes in the Lake Olivia Cemetery had been removed and that a resurvey of the various plots would be necessary.

Moved and carried that this matter be referred to the surveyors when they have other work for the County in the area.

Cr. Weatherill mentioned that beaver dams had been dynamited in the creek within Elk Island National Park and that, as a result water had inundated hay fields in the County. Cr Weatherill also mentioned that a beaver dam had been blown up on the N½ of Sec. 28-52-18 W4th, but that the job had not been good enough and it was still holding back the flow of water in the creek.

Moved and carried that inquiries be made if some action could be taken for damage to the hay fields; also that the matter of the partly dynamited dam be reported to the Wildlife Officer.

The Secretary-Treasurer reported that he had received a number of survey plans and inquired if the Council wanted payment for the land made on the unregistered survey or if the registered survey should be obtained before payment.

Moved and carried that we pay for land taken for road widening on the unregistered survey.

Cr Johnston presented a petition from the ratepayers in the Hamlet of Kinsella requesting the County to proceed with a sewerage system as proposed in a report of the Associated Engineering Services submitted to the Council at this time. The report indicated that the total cost would be $40,000.00 and the manner in which this could be financed was outlined in the proposal. After some considerable discussion it was decided to give first reading to a by-law in this connection and By-Law No. 190 concerning sewerage system in the Hamlet of Kinsella was referred to the Council.

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# Modern etiquette

Q. Is it considered the proper thing always to repeat the name of a person to whom you are being [illegible]?

A. This is not a social requirement—but a practical thing to do. Many people fail to remember names of persons to whom they are introduced. Repeating the name, as, "How do you do, Mr Gordon", has a way of imprinting the name in your memory—and it also seems to add sincerity to your acknowledgement of the introduction.

Q. I have been invited to a wedding and reception, and the bride says I may bring my boy friend with me. Should he send a gift, or would it be proper for him to share the cost of mine?

A. He is not expected to do either of these.

Q. When are the children at a table served, before the adults, after the adults, or in regular rotation?

A. Serve the children in the same rotation as the adults.

Q. When a man must wait in line at the box office for his theatre tickets, should the girl he is with stand in line with him?

A. There is no set rule governing this. She may keep him company if she wishes, or she may wait in the lobby for him.

Q. When cake is served, and no forks are provided, how should one eat it?

A. Break it into individual pieces, much as you would a slice of bread or a bun, and lift them to your mouth with your fingers.

## Joseph Helgeland

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Annebo, Mrs. Anna [illegible], Mrs. Nettie Moen; Mr and Mrs Jack Murray, Mrs. Edwin Jacobsen, Denver, Ivan and Marvin; Mr. and Mrs Bill Steffen; Ezra and Lena Reil, Mr Jake Dueck; Sigvert Helgeland and Sylvia; Mr. and Mrs. Olie Wiens; Mr. and Mrs Bergie Helgeland, Mr. Donald Law; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Davick, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wiens, Mr. and Mrs O. G. Bruce; Mr. and Mrs. T. Harris and Dave; Mr. and Mrs. T. Graftaas, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pepper; Mr and Mrs. S. G. Halberg; Mr. and Mrs. J Stumbo; Mr. and Mrs S. N Booth; Mrs. Bess Goodall, Mr and Mrs. Garnet Burnstad; Mr. [illegible] Mrs. Lud Lysio, Mr. and Mrs. L. Olstad.

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To Heart Fund—Hjalmer and Helma Hjelter.

To Trondhjem Church — Mrs. Beulah Burnstad.

**Card of Thanks**

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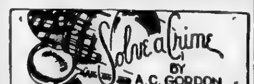


**YOU ARE THE DETECTIVE**

You gaze sympathetically at the attractive red-haired woman who sits in one corner of the huge sofa at one end of the massive living room. "I know how difficult it must be for you to talk about this, Mrs. Kenton", you say, "but naturally the sooner we know all the details leading up to this tragedy, the sooner we can go into the investigation. Can you tell me just what happened before you phoned us?"

Marie Kenton nervously stubs out her cigarette in the ashtray on the coffee table before her, then begins: "Well, Philip . . . Mr Kenton, that is . . . was a free-lance writer, and a successful one, as you doubtless know. I worked for him as his secretary before we were married two years ago, and I have continued since then to type some of his manuscripts for him. He was in his study this evening dictating some of his material on the tape recorder and I was sitting here in the living room reading."

"You two were alone in the house?" you break in.

"Oh, yes . . . we have a maid during the day, but she goes home after the evening meal". Marie Kenton pauses as if to collect her thoughts. "I could hear Philip's voice droning on and on as he spoke into his tape recorder . . . and then suddenly that steady murmur of his voice was cut off by the sound of a shot . . . and then complete silence. Then when I ran to the door of the study, there was Philip . . ." She breaks into a fit of sobs.

You take the opportunity to walk into the study next to the living room, and look down at the body of Philip Kenton, still [illegible] over the polished mahogany desk. The team of police technicians will be here any minute now. You gaze for a few seconds at the red stain on the grey shirt between the dead man's shoulders. The microphone dangles from its cord over the arm of the victim's chair. You step over to the tape recorder on the little table next to the desk, flip it on, wait for it to warm up, and then pushing the "Play" button, you hear the sound of the late writer's voice outlining the plot of his new story, then the sharp sound of the gunshot, a low groan, a dull thud, and silence. You take a quick look at the open window nearby, then walk back into the living room where Mrs Kenton seems now to have regained her composure.

"Did you attempt to do anything for your husband?" you ask [illegible].

"Oh, no . . . I could see from the door that he . . . that there was nothing I could do for him . . . so as soon as I was able to move, I hurried out into the hallway and phoned you from there. I just couldn't bear to go into that room! I'm sure the shot must have been fired through the window into the study. But who? Philip wasn't the most friendly person in the world, but I can't for the life of me think of anyone who disliked or hated him enough to . . ."

"Tell me", you break in, "how much life insurance did your husband carry?"

"Oh, about $125,000, I think". She suddenly stiffens, then darts a look at you. "But why do you ask that?"

"Because something about your story has made me suspicious. I'll have to question you a bit more about this".

What has aroused your suspicions about Marie Kenton?

**SOLUTION**

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OUCH! I THINK I'LL TRY SWIMMING
YOU FORGOT ABOUT MY DIET!
AH WELL— TWO POUNDS IS A GOOD WEIGHT FOR A MAN MY SIZE.

## FLUNKO

## CYNTHIA

## OUR TOWN

ACTUALLY, JAY, I'M ATTEMPTING TO COME TO TERMS WITH AUTOMATION.
I HAVE READ THAT IT WON'T BE TOO LONG BEFORE THE HUMAN BEING WILL BE AS OUTDATED AS THE CABOOSE
THAT MEANS THE MONT-WORDS WILL BE THE SOCIAL ELITE OF TO-MORROW.
I DON'T THINK I'LL HAVE DIFFICULTY IN ADJUSTING.

## SMALL WORLD

## FLUNKO

# Stashko - Pozerniuk vows exchanged on June 26th

The Greek Catholic Church, decorated with giant yellow chrysanthemums, provided the setting for a mid-morning wedding on June 26th, when Miss Emily Pozerniuk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Pozerniuk of Holden, exchanged vows with Boris Alex Stashko, son of Mrs. Karolina Stashko of Vegreville. Rev. Fr B. Lozynsky officiated at the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of pure silk organza with a controlled train and lily-point sleeves. The slim bodice was styled with a neckline of lace applique. Her bouffant chapel veil of silk illusion was held in place by a crystal crown. She carried a bouquet of velvet red roses. Her jewellery consisted of crystal earrings and necklace, a gift from the groom.

The bride's sister, Miss Margaret Pozerniuk, was the maid of honor. Miss Elizabeth Lynch Miss Maxine Hrabec, and Miss Gladys Fee were bridesmaids. All the bride's attendants were identical medium-blue knee length peau de soie frocks with rose headpieces. They carried bouquets of white carnations outlined with medium-blue rose buds. Their jewellery was a crystal droplet, a gift of the bride.

The groomsman was Edwin Stashko, brother of the groom. Ushers were Julian Dwehar, Ken Lorenz, and Joe Pozerniuk.

Following the ceremony, the reception was held in the Holden Community Hall where approximately 350 guests were received by the parents of the bride and groom. At the reception, William Ogrodnick, the master of ceremonies, proposed a toast to the bride to which the groom ably replied.

The bride's table was centred with an all white, round, three-tiered wedding cake and was flanked with decorated candles, and white peonies.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Pozerniuk chose a navy, two-piece, Italian knit suit, with white and navy accessories, and a corsage of deep red roses. The groom's mother, Mrs. Stashko, chose a light green and white sheath with white accessories, and a corsage of deep red roses.

For the six-week honeymoon tour of British Columbia and the United States, the bride donned a navy double knit suit with red accessories, and red roses en corsage. Mr. and Mrs. Stashko will reside in Ryley where both will be employed on the teaching staff.

Out-of-town guests were from Vegreville, Edmonton, Viking, Mundare, Mannville, Ryley, Calgary, Innisfree, Kinsella, New Battleford, Sask., and Lac La Biche.

## Holden news

Ray Hovland attended the funeral of Martin Mendahl, which was held in Camrose last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Svensen left on holiday Sunday, July 18, planning to visit various points in the northern part of the province.

Mrs. Margaret Olson and Mrs. Alice Mulock left at the weekend for a holiday in Vancouver, B.C.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Brown, who was a patient in Tofield Hospital for two weeks, returned home a weekago.

Douglas Hardy of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy.

**O.O.R.P. CONVENTION**

Mr. and Mrs. John Semeniuk and Mr. and Mrs. Ezine Bilyk left Sunday morning for Lethbridge, where they will attend the Supreme Lodge conventions of the B.P.O. Elks, and Mrs. Semeniuk and Mrs. Bilyk are the official delegates to the O.O.R.P. Supreme Lodge convention, being held July 23, 26, 27 and 28. This is the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Royal Purple Lodge, and special events will be held to commemorate the event.

# Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Myrtle and Jim MacDonald of Okotoks were Friday overnight and Saturday morning guests at the home of Myrtle's sister, Mary and John Winz, en route home from Bontyville.

Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of John and Mary Wood were their daughter, Dede and Robert Gosbault and son Jack, also Gloria Erickson, all of Drayton Valley. Another daughter, Evie and Vic Halwa and children, of Edmonton, and Mrs. John Miller and daughter Linda, of Onoway. Judy Gosbault, who had been visiting her cousin, Mary Tiedemann, returned home to Drayton Valley with her parents on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Johnny (Gloria) Wood and baby Catherine Margaret returned home on Monday morning from the Tofield Hospital.

**30TH ANNIVERSARY**

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Sunday visitors at the home of Stanley and Kaitha Brown, at Ketchamont, helping them celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary. Supper was served to the guests on the lawn.

Al and Susie Innis and Mrs. Clara Rogers of Tofield were Sunday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of John and Mary Wood. Sunday luncheon guests there also were Mrs. Ethel Wood and daughter, Mrs. Marg Berreckh and busy son David.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Pat and Jessie Gladue of Trail, B.C., who are visiting relatives and friends in Tofield and district, were Monday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Mary and John Wood. En route to Tofield, they visited Pat's brother, Jerome and family, at Hondu. They will also be visiting relatives in Edmonton before returning to B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmalzbauer and their daughter, Mrs. Peggy Bauer, and two girls Maureen and Colleen, all of Edmonton, and Mrs. Emil Goubault of Lindbrook were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Goubault's daughter Martha and Ernst Tiedemann.

**HOLIDAY IN MOUNTAINS**

Mrs. Ellen Eaton accompanied Roy and Ruth Wickenberg of Tofield and their two daughters, Janet Wickenberg and Mrs. Vivian Jones and son Donald, all of Edmonton, and Ruth's two sisters Mrs. Sybil Nelson and Mrs. Nellie Thomas, both of Lacombe, on Saturday on a motor trip to Jasper. They went via Lake Louise to Banff. On the way, they stopped off at many places of interest, one of which was Peyto Glacier and Peak and Peyto Lake, a very beautiful place. Sunday night was spent in Banff, and on Monday all went on sight-seeing tours, the last, Monday evening, to Sun Valley Canyon, where all enjoyed a picnic supper before leaving for home via Calgary. Nellie and Sybil stopped at their home in Lacombe; Vivian and Janet went on to Edmonton, Roy and Ruth and Ellen all returned to Tofield Monday night. The weather was perfect during the entire trip, and everyone reported having a wonderful trip.

Ted and Vi Krentscher and daughter Janet and Ted's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jones, all of Edmonton, were visitors at the home of Vi's sister, Ida and George Niemetz, and spent the day. Wednesday of last week, Harold and Clara Ulrich and four children of Calgary were Saturday afternoon and evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Harold's sister, Ida and George Niemetz. Gail Niemetz of Edmonton also spent the week-end at home with her parents.

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**LUTZ - KAUFFMAN**

In a ceremony at Salem Mennonite Church on June 25th, Rev. Harold Boettger officiated at the wedding uniting Inez Kauffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Kauffman and Walter Lutz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reinhold Lutz. Following a trip to the west coast, the newlyweds will reside at Holden.
—Photo by Langbell Studio.

## Spilstead home services resume

The fortnightly home-service of worship in song and story returned Friday evening, July 16th to where it began its cycle in May at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Broen and Ricky.

The evening began, as usual, with an enjoyable sing-song of favorite hymns, Mrs. Broen accompanying at the organ. When student-minister, Miss Irwin rose to open the worship service proper with prayer, a capacity congregation was present, including members from Ministik and South Cooking Lake and notably Missionary Raine, on furlough from Bombay, India.

A happy social hour followed the worship service, an hour made all the more enjoyable by the timely and delicious lunch served by hostess, Mrs. Broen, and her lady helpers.

The next evening worship will be on Friday, July 30th, the home to be announced later.


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# Locals

Bill and Georgia Christensen returned home from Kalispell, Montana, and Vernon, B.C., where they were holidaying.

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**RETURN TO ONTARIO**

Mr. and Mrs. John Black and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kellar and baby, Kathy, from Oshawa, Ont., returned home after spending three weeks with Pat and Norman Glover and Mary and Jack Whyte.

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Diana Pittet is holidaying with Glaudette Oulette at Wetaskiwin.

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Mrs. Taylor an girls are spending some time visiting at Faust.

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Mrs. W. E. Pocock from Vancouver is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Georgia McKay.

Sharon Obertas is taking a business course in Calgary.

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Pete and Annie Kuc left on Tuesday night for a holiday at Winnipeg.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberge are holidaying at Cold Lake.

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**MRS. KNUTSON PASSES**

The sympathy of the district is extended to the Knutson family in the death of Mrs. Knutson

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Mr. and Mrs. Peter Erickson and Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter of Tofield attended the silver wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Hans Boness of Camrose, held at the Trondhjem Church in Round Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick MacKintosh from B.C., visited around town last week.

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Jack and Inga Hardy and Marion returned home on Monday after a week's holiday at Jasper.

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Mr. and Mrs. Melford Wiklun of Sherwood Park visited at the Walter Wiklun home on Sunday and in the afternoon they all went to the Shaw Community picnic.

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Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schmautz have had two of their grandchildren visiting them for a week.

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Miss Dorothy Thompson of Edmonton is spending two weeks' holiday at her parental home in Tofield.

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Mrs. Gertie Yoder of Kitchener, Ont., who has been visiting relatives and friends in Tofield and district, left for her home this morning.

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Orland Lehman of Ryley is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter in Tofield, and is attending Bible School at the Baptist Church.

## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Sunday services at the United Church were conducted by Miss Helen Irwin, with Mrs. Jill Roe of South Cooking Lake presiding at the organ. Mrs. Roe is the alternate organist at South Cooking Lake.

**82ND BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. Ralph Leach and Mrs. Joe Davenport were hostesses at a birthday party last Tuesday in honor of Mrs. W. F. Davenport, who celebrated her 82nd birthday.

There will be a dance on Saturday evening, July 31, at the hall, sponsored by the Ministik Community League. Everyone welcome, and a good time assured.

**HERE FROM CALIFORNIA**

Mrs. Frank Keding of Edmonton and her daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Schaffer and Bianca, of North Hollywood, California, U.S.A., have been spending the last week at the Keding farm home. Bianca was a Thursday afternoon guests of Patricia Holmes.

Gary McLaughlin of Edmonton joined his sisters, Beverly and Marilyn, and his grandmother, Mrs. Gladys Roddick, at the farm on Tuesday evening.

Ruby Blackburn of Edmonton is a guest at the home of her uncle, aunt and cousins, the Joe Davenport family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horricks and Clifford and Keith returned Saturday evening from a very enjoyable motor trip through the mountains and to Kelowna, B.C. Russell Rowland is enjoying a two-week holiday at his home here on the farm. Over the weekend he helped Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Kehn of Coutts, Alberta, move their household effects to Edmonton, where they will be making their home for awhile.

**BIG BONFIRE**

The bonfire held at the Jimmie Holmes' farm Sunday evening was enjoyed by over 70 adults and children. Music was provided for entertainment throughout the evening by George and Jean Kleinschroth, Rita Ridsdale, Glenn Ferguson and Richard Heitman.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy was an Edmonton shopper on Friday.

Barbara Mortenson of Alix is enjoying a holiday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wilson, and cousin Matthew.

Alex Kleinschroth is building an addition onto the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Nettrouer at South Cooking Lake.

Alphonse and Melvin Loch are enlarging their school bus garage to be used as a workshop.

Mrs. Irene Williams of Edmonton is enjoying a few days at the home of her son Keith and family.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and Glenn and Gary were guests at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Campbell and family last Sunday at Pigeon Lake. The boys enjoyed water skiing while there.

Bradley Clement of Vancouver was a two-day guest last week of Dolly and Jim Roddick.

**RETURNS TO ONTARIO**

Miss Viola Kolb returned by train Monday to her home in Toronto, Ontario, after a two-week stay with her cousin, Mrs. S. George

Mrs. George Weslake, of Hastings Lake, is a patient in the Leduc Hospital

Mrs. Russell Rowland attended the funeral of Mrs. Lucy McDonald, at Hainstock's Funeral Chapel in Edmonton, last Friday.

Farmers are being favored with lovely hot weather to finish their haying.

## Lakeshore -

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Loretta Weir and daughter Wanda, of Edmonton, were weekend visitors at the home of Loretta's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson. Wanda remained with her grandparents for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunther Peotroski, of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of George and Ida Niemetz. Later, Audrey and Willard McHeffey of Tofield were evening visitors and coffee guests there.

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## Long-awaited sunshine finally floods district

The warm weather and sunshine so direly needed in the Tofield-Ryley district for the past few weeks has finally arrived and as a result crops have come along very rapidly. There has been little or no precipitation.

At last farmers have been able to get into their hay fields and, as the old cliche suggests, are "making hay while the sun shines".

Even more warm, dry weather will be welcomed because crops are later than usual, says Wheat Pool Agent C. H. Nolan of Tofield.

H. B. Berke, Wheat Pool grain buyer at Ryley, reports the occasional afternoon or evening shower, but adds that crops "continue to look good".

**PICNIC AT THE FAIR!** The Don Carlisle and Calvin Wilson families of Tofield have the right idea for a pleasant meal despite a hot day at the Camrose Fair Monday, when one report said the mercury reached 94 in the shade. The two families spread out the picnic cloth and enjoyed a snack in the shade of their truck, following the parade which opened the annual agricultural fair.

## International delegate is guest of local Lions

(By Peter Nickel)

The return of the cooks (Mrs. Ed Regehr and Mrs. John Wall) from holidays brought an increase in attendance at the last regular supper meeting of the local Lions club last week.

This was the first supper meeting since the new officers were installed and members thoroughly tested out the new tailtwister to see just how far they could go. Many of them found themselves fined to the maximum.

No report was available regarding the Japanese exchange student, expected here about July 23rd.

A work party was organized for last Thursday to prepare the playgrounds for the seeding of grass.

Adding to the new business was the naming of new committees and appointing Bob Nehrebeski to attend the leadership training conference

This was followed by report of the Lions International convention held in Los Angeles in July by guest Lion Rudy Rippel of Fort Saskatchewan. Lion Rudy is the special representative of Lions International.

## The weather

| Date | Max | Min | Bar | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| July 28 | 85 | 60 | 27.78 | —— |
| July 29 | 79 | 65 | 27.80 | —— |
| July 30 | 82 | 53 | 27.96 | —— |
| July 31 | 82 | 56 | | —— |
| Aug. 1 | 87 | 56 | | —— |
| Aug. 2 | 90 | 55 | 27.62 | —— |
| Aug. 3 | 82 | 50 | 27.56 | —— |
| Aug. 4 | | 62 | 27.58 | —— |

NON CONFORMIST. Everyone knows a duck loves rain ... everyone, that is, except this duck, who's equipped himself with an umbrella. Actually, this water-hating duck's only a decoy, left on a pond by a prankster.

# Locals

Recent visitors with their mother, Mrs. Annie Sirdar, were her daughters, Jennie, Tillie and Alice, Tillie spending a week and Alice three days.

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Mrs. Vera Hay of Edmonton visited on Friday with Mrs. Edna Kendall. Floyd and Nettie Kendall and Kenny of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Floyd's mother, Mrs. Edna Kendall.

Frank Sirdar spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother, and daughter, Rose, and husband from Mundare were Sunday visitors there.

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Mildred Dunlop, Darlene and Lynn Ann and Betty Pilger spent the weekend at Cadomin.

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Bob Lee and son, Calvin, of Calmar were recent visitors with Bob's aunt, Mrs. Peter Lee.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. Pittet and family spent the weekend at Rocky Mountain House.

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Graham and Ella Allen and family are holidaying at Jasper.

On Monday, Mike Sirdar of Red Deer and Emily Mills of Edmonton were visitors with their mother. Dennis Zober and Stanley Sirdar have also been recent visitors with their grandmother, Mrs. Annie Sirdar.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson were Edmonton visitors last week.

## Shower honors district couple

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, July 30th —The Skudesnes Church was the setting for a miscellaneous shower Sunday afternoon when Virginia Sorensen and her fiance, David Nelson, were honored. Mrs. Joe Knudson was the emcee for a program of amusing and suitable readings, and the ladies' group sang two selections.

Betty Olsen was in charge of an interesting contest — the winners being Mrs. Linea Sorensen and Mrs. R. Vassberg who received prizes.

Edna Aker made the presentation speech, and Linea and Denise Sorensen assisted the couple to open their many lovely gifts.

Both Virgie and David expressed their gracious thanks for everything.

The wedding of Virgie and David took place at the Camrose United Church on July 31st. They will reside in Edmonton where Virgie will teach and David will be attending university.

Last Monday night, a shower was held in Edmonton for Virgie. Her mother, Mrs. E. Sorensen, and her cousin, Denise Sorensen, attended from this district

## Women re-unite after 40 years

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE— Mrs. Mary (Bethel) Wood, Mrs. Vera (Kendall) Hay, Mrs. Mildred (Abernethy) Patch, and Mrs. Mabel (Ferguson) Bailey, friends of 50 years ago when girls in the Lakeshore district, got together for dinner at Mabel's home in Tofield on Thursday. This was the first time in 40 years all had been together. Both Vera and Mildred make their homes in the U.S., Vera in California and Mildred in Oregon and are at present visiting here. After dinner, Mary took the other ladies on a motor tour of the Lakeshore district where their former home was. In the afternoon, they were all coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and family before Mary took them back to Tofield.

## 4-H-'ers say goodbye to DA

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — The 4-H clubs in the County of Beaver held a wiener roast on the Ryley Sports Grounds on Sunday evening, August 1st. It was a joint gathering to bid farewell to Stan Powers, District Agriculturist, who is leaving to take his new posting at Morinville

There were approximately 200 4-H members present, together with their parents and club leaders. The first part of the evening was spent playing baseball. After the wiener roast, Eileen Stuart of the Holden Beef Club, on behalf of all the clubs, presented Mr. Powers with gifts of remembrance, a desk set and a leather bound cattleman's "guest book", with burnt-on replicas of all the western brands.

Mrs. Powers, who has worked as a club leader in the girls' club, was presented with a beautifully wrapped gift by Yvonne Vergette on behalf of the girls' club.

The evening broke up with the whole gang singing a rousing chorus of "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows", and a final, "Hip, Hip".

MacDuff Ottawa report

# Dress rehearsal

OTTAWA — Premiers who attended the federal-provincial conference in Ottawa went away from the capital convinced that the Liberal government is planning an autumn election.

The premiers talked about it frequently. Some even named dates—Oct 10th or 25th. One or two said they had been told it was possible the government would hold off until Nov 15th.

Premier Bennett of British Columbia said there was no doubt in his mind that the program placed before the conference by the government was its way of preparing for a general election. He predicted the election would end up in another minority government headed by either Prime Minister Pearson or Mr. Diefenbaker. He also forecast that if Mr. Diefenbaker again became Prime Minister the Conservative national leader would only stay on for a year and then retire declaring that he had been vindicated.

Premier Robins of Manitoba said the conference indicated the stage had been set for an election. He said the "medicare" program as it had been presented was in a sense a "political" program. It would be a good plank for the Liberals, he suggested.

**STAGE ALL SET**

Revenue Minister Eric Kierans of Quebec described the conference as a "dress rehearsal" for an autumn election. Other members of the Quebec contingent echoed his sentiments. The same views were voiced by members of the Ontario delegation.

However, the Ontario group was chuckling the second night of the conference because they believed that Premier John Robarts's ready acceptance of the medicare proposals had spiked the guns of the Liberals. The Ontario Conservatives were confident they had upset the federal Liberal's election strategy.

But the Liberals laughed off the Tory contention that the Ontario premier had wrecked any plans the Ottawa party might have had for using the conference as a springboard for a national vote. They pointed out that with the conference so successful, the prestige of Prime Minister Pearson had been enhanced and the Liberal government could now enter a campaign pointing out that a vote for the Liberals meant medicare in 1967.

**TIME IS RIPE**

There is no doubt that there are an increasing number of influential Liberals in and outside Ottawa who are coming around to the view that a fall election should be held. They point out that the economy is booming and that there is no guarantee that it will be in such good shape a year of two years from now.

The recapture of Lucien Rivard has offset to some extent the adverse publicity the government received from the straining criticism of the Dorion Royal Commission report. By the fall, the Liberals hope that the public will have forgotten the Dorion report and the Rivard affair. They would like to have the election before the trial of Raymond Denis and others takes place this winter.

Liberals argue effectively that to go to the country this fall would mean that their chief opponents the Conservatives would be badly divided behind the leadership of Mr. Diefenbaker.

**SHORT TERM SAVING**

In addition this fall the Canadian taxpayer is benefiting from the reduction in the income tax. Next year he will be making contributions to the new Canada Pension Plan and the reduction in the income tax will be offset by the deduction for the pension scheme.

To those who worry that the reaction in Western Canada to the B and B commission and to the seeming concessions granted to Quebec, the Liberals waiting an early election say it would do no good to wait until next year. By next year the B and B commission would be making its report and the reaction in the West might be worse, or have the election new they say.

The man who has the final say is Prime Minister Pearson. And to all intents and purposes he has not yet made up his mind. He is carefully surveying the situation this summer and studying reports from Liberal listening posts across the country.

One thing is certain; the Prime Minister came out of the federal-provincial conference with his political stock higher than when he went into the meeting. His medicare proposals took the wind out of the sails of many of the premiers. They had arrived in Ottawa prepared to needle the federal Liberals for not acting with greater speed on the Hall Royal Commission report on medical services.

The Prime Minister's proposal to split the costs 50-50 with the provinces that set up their own medicare programs, provided those programs met certain criteria laid down by Ottawa was a master stroke of strategy. It left it to the provinces to do the organizing of their own programs. Then it did not interfere with their autonomy. It also incidentally left it to the provinces to do the haggling or wrangling with the doctors, something Ottawa is happy to stay away from after watching Saskatchewan's experience.

**LET GEORGE DO IT**

The Liberal party in the federal field can now talk about its proposals for medicare and it won't have to put up any money until the plans go into operation on July 1st, 1967. That was the target date suggested by the federal government for the joint federal-provincial medicare programs becoming operative.

When the conference wound up and the premiers headed home the sea-aboard appeared to indicate that provinces ready to go along with medicare were: Newfoundland, Quebec, New Brunswick, Ontario and Saskatchewan. The provinces that are reluctant by indicating an interest are, British Columbia, Manitoba, Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia. The strongest opposition came from Premier E. C. Manning of Alberta.

But the federal government holds the whip hand. The federal treasury is to kick in 50 per cent of the cost of the medicare program and any province that refuses to participate would not get money from the federal treasury. This would mean that the premiers staying out of the program would be open to the charge by political opponents that they were denying their people half the cost of their medicare bills. It would be a pretty potent weapon for a political opponent to use in bludgeoning any premier who refused to join in the scheme.

Under such circumstances what provincial premier would dare to stay out of the medicare program, asked one non-Liberal premier who was by no means an enthusiast for the plan. It appeared to be the "carrot and the club" technique. The carrot was the federal offer to pay half the cost. The club was Ottawa's insistence that if a province did not participate it did not get the money it would otherwise receive.

# Let's get down to business

What's so much better about Montreal than the rest of Canada?

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It seems the time has past when the government really cares about the greater good for the greater number . . . instead, it's interested only in the greatest vote gathering or the least vote losing form of action.

And, illogically enough, The Edmonton Journal added this bit of twaddle to the debate recently: "reasonable men asking for a reasonable increase in a reasonable manner."

Is it reasonable to put mailmen above the salary levels paid to school teachers with a year of training and a lot more experience? Is it reasonable to lift them above the level of scores of thousands of other workers with probably equal abilities or working conditions, except skilled craftsmen?

Is it reasonable to say that thousands of workers who pour out on strike in defiance of their own union leaders are acting in a reasonable manner?

Nonsense! They want to use a show of strength in arguing their case . . . why shouldn't and why doesn't the government show that it, too, is fairly good at twisting wrists?

# Not best reason

We're solidly behind Edmonton's city council in hoping the provincial government will again establish a government house, as a residence for the lieutenant governor. But Alderman Morris Weinlos's reason that an official residence "would enhance the dignity and stature of the city" is just about the poorest possible argument, in our books.

After all, when and if a government house is established it would be supported by taxpayers in every community and region. If it's chief purpose is to enhance Edmonton's dignity and stature, then let's by all means suggest that it be paid for by Edmonton.

# Crop outlook excellent

Although crops in the area are a bit later than usual they're generally reported to be doing very well, with no damage whatever from lack of moisture in recent days, and the high heat. "The best crop in years" is the forecast of one district man, and his feeling is borne out by many other spokesmen for the industry.

Most farmers report there's still lots of moisture right up near the surface . . . so much that the plants haven't yet built any depth in their root system, because they haven't needed to. "The crop is so thick the sun can't get down that low" reported another.

There's always another side to the coin, of course, and what's good for crops is also good for weeds. Nonetheless, it looks as though granaries should be full this fall, barring a little trouble with the weather. So cross your fingers for the farmer's sake, and hope for the best.


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## Quick Canadian Quiz

1 Name the two Canadians who were co-discoverers of insulin.
2 In the House of Commons only who may introduce a bill involving the spending of the public's money?
3 On the average, how many persons are there in a Canadian family?
4 What was Canada's first radio broadcasting station?
5 How many mills are there in Canada's primary textile industry—1st, 2nd or 7th?

ANSWERS. 1. Over 700, and they employ about 84,000 workers 2 National average is 3.3 persons. 3. Sir Frederick Banting and Dr C. H. Best. 4 Station XWA, now CFCF, Montreal. 5. Only by a member of the cabinet.

## Holden news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Jimmie Komarnisky was visiting with his family over the weekend. He is now working in Edmonton for a transport company, driving a large truck to Yellowknife each week.

Mrs Sam Black, Lana and Milton, are staying at their cottage at Lakeview, enjoying the warm weather.

The Marshall Slywkas of Edmonton were visitors during the week and part of the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Wm. Slywka.

Mrs. Olaf Chelney returned home Friday after holidaying for two weeks.

Mrs. Ruskeveld reports that her husband, Oscar, a patient in Tofield hospital, is making very satisfactory progress.

Mrs. Melvin Carlson, daughter Vivian and young son returned home the end of last week after holidaying and visiting with her parents and other relatives at Penticton, B.C., for the past two weeks.

Mr and Mrs. Earl Hardy were home over the weekend from Edmonton, where Earl is attending summer school at the University of Alberta.

Oleh Shykora was also home over the weekend from Edmonton and is also at summer school.

## CATHOLIC CHURCHES

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# THE RYLEY TIMES

WHEREVER HE GOES, she'll follow. While politicians, police and lawyers were engaged in a tug-of-war to decide whether to immediately extradite Lucien Rivard, handcuffed at left, to face dope-smuggling charges in Texas, his wife Marie comforted him with a promise that wherever he is taken, she would stand at his side. "I go where you go," she told the captured fugitive from Bordeaux jail.

## Ryley and district news briefs

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Halberg and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Halberg and family, all of Edmonton, and Mrs. Mary Tiedemann and girls of Calgary, Mrs. Free Loades and Mr. and Mrs. S. Halberg spent a very enjoyable day at Camp Lake on Sunday.

Miss Kathleen Halberg of Edmonton spent a week with her grandparents here, Mr. and Mrs. S. Halberg.

HERE FROM IOWA

Visiting from Kensit, Iowa, U.S.A., at the Orvil Bray home were Ole Bratrud, Dick Bratrud and Jean Haugrud, all cousins of Orvil Bray. This was their first visit to Canada and they were impressed with the good roads, fine motels and scenery.

Mrs. Minnie Hutchinson of Kneyford, is visiting with her relatives in the district, and staying a week with her sister, Mrs. Tillie Branes.

TO EASTERN CANADA

Gary Winanes and Randy Ness are away for a two-week vacation in Eastern Canada. They are travelling by car, and have been to Ottawa, Niagara Falls, Montreal, and Toronto, visiting in Toronto with Garry's aunt, Mrs. Gina Ogilvie.

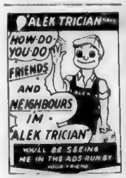
Jim and Susan Fish and family of Edmonton were in town over the long weekend visiting with their respective parents.

Jack and Leona Stumbo and family are away for a week's vacation at Waterton Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Weiss and Gladys left at the weekend for a two-week vacation through British Columbia, where they will be visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stearns have moved to Edmonton. Mrs. Stearns will be holidaying with her daughter and family at Bloomington, Indiana, U.S.A.

Beginning September 1st, Mrs. Stearns will be teaching at the [illegible] Centre for Girls in Edmonton.

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## Bardo news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO July 27—Services at Bardo Lutheran Church on Sunday Aug 1st, will be held at 8:00 p.m.

The LCW will meet at the home of Mrs. Mabel Johnson on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 4th, at 2:00 p.m.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Ivan Foshaug is a patient in the Tofield Hospital.

Mrs. Alice Sitler and Mrs. Selma Cannamon were visitors at the Clarence Rude home on Monday afternoon, and Mrs. Iris Francis and girls on Tuesday afternoon.

Lois Rude celebrated her birthday on Thursday when visitors were Mr. and Mrs. George Francis and Sharon, Emil Rude, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Francis and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Anderson, Miss Colleen Whidden and Mrs. Leroy Finseth and children.

HERE FROM BOSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stauffer and boys attended a family gathering at the Grand Forks Community Centre on Sunday afternoon, held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stauffer, who are here from Boston visiting friends and relatives.

Visitors at the Leif Foshaug home on Saturday evening in celebration of Leif's birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Boergen and Mr. and Mrs. George Niemetz from Tofield, and several local visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Bjarne Erickson and children of Edson are holidaying at the home of their parents, the M. Ericksons. Linda also spent the weekend at home.

25TH ANNIVERSARY

Several people from the district attended open house at Trondhjem Church in Round Hill on Sunday, when Mr. and Mrs. Hans Boness of Camrose were celebrating their silver wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Look and girls from Edmonton left on a trip Sunday and brought the baby to the Elmer Sitler home, where she will be cared for by her grandparents while her parents are away.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stokkan accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rude and boys to Miquelon Lake on Sunday, where the Haugens held a family gathering. Ivan Foshaug and Ronny and Phyllis were also there.

The Glenn Francis family spent Sunday at Elk Island Park, with the Dennis and Dale Bjornson families.

Miss Jean Baptist of Edmonton spent the weekend at the Harry Mosby home.

## Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

Howard and Nell Malcolm and family visited with the Van Gaza family Sunday evening.

Visitors at the home of Roy and Eileen Reinhardt last week were Eileen's aunt from the United States.

Peter and Lill Stadnick were Thursday evening visitors at the home of Graham and Elma Sander, while Monday dinner guests with Elma were her mother, Mrs. Hennig and Elma's sister, Rita.

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Mrs. Olga Lee is holding an open house for Albert Lee and his bride, Judy, on Sunday Aug. 15th, from 1:30 to 5:00 p.m. at 4918 - 57th Street, Camrose. 50p-2551

Open house will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Aug. 22nd at Round Hill School Auditorium in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cambpell's 50th wedding anniversary. Everyone welcome. 49c-2553

### IN MEMORIAM

VERGETTE—In loving memory of Herbert Milton Vergette who passed away, Aug. 6th, 1956.

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How long it seems
But in our hearts
His face still beams
But we who loved him only [illegible]
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Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, August 8th
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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
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11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. N. Taylor)

Mrs. Ida Mason and Miss Maggie Clark returned home a week ago Sunday after a trip to Peace River where they visited for a few days with a friend.

Mrs. Joe Alexander was visiting with her husband, Joe, last week, coming from the city on Tuesday and returning home Friday.

**HOME FROM COAST**

Mrs. Beveridge returned home last week after spending a three-week holiday at the coast visiting with her father and other relatives, also calling on friends who were former Holdenites.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Manchur and small son are back from their holiday and Donnie is back at his duties at the Alberta Liquor Store.

Ray Hovland and Geo. H. Taylor attended the Bruce Stampede on July 20th with the ambulance to take care of any accidents. However no one was hurt badly, with only one minor accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Eaton and children returned home from their holiday a week ago Sunday. They were visiting with relatives at various points and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Russ Bohush, former Holden residents who now reside at St. Paul.

Bob and Anne Tkaczyk of Edmonton were recent weekend visitors with relatives in the district.

Alan Tiedemann of Edmonton was home during the weekend, visiting with his father and brothers.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Mamie MacAtee of Edmonton, a former resident of Holden has been a hospital patient in the University Hospital for over three weeks after suffering a slight stroke, but she is making excellent recovery and was to be home the end of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barlow, with their daughter, Muriel and children, attended the Vegreville Fair July 26th. Mr. Barlow had several entries in the vegetable section at the fair, and was fortunate in winning eight prizes. They also attended the fair on the Wednesday with the Ernie Mertas of Viking. Mrs. Mertas (Beth) received two prizes in the baking section. Mr. and Mrs. Barlow were overnight visitors with their daughter and family.

**HOLIDAY VISIT**

Mrs. Ted Anderson and children who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow for the past week, left Tuesday morning for Spirit River to visit for a few days with her sister, Connie, and family, the MacDougalls. She was also to meet her husband, Ted, who has been working in the north for the past few weeks, and they were all flying on a company plane to look over the new oil fields at Rainbow Valley where Ted's firm is located. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and children were then weekend visitors with Muriel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow before returning to Calgary Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wright and family are home from a few days' visit in southern Alberta and around Drumheller with relatives and friends. Chester was saying that the crops in those areas of the province are exceptionally good.

George Valan of Edmonton, a former south Holden district farmer, was a business visitor in Holden Tuesday of last week, also calling on relatives here. We are sorry to hear from him that Mrs. Valan was not feeling well but hope she will soon im-

*Mr. and Mrs. Bruce MacDonell are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son,* **David Gordon, at the Viking hospital on July 29th.**

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Laustsen and children left Friday of last week on their annual holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chupka and small son of Edmonton were visitors over the weekend with relatives in the district, coming down to pick up their eldest son who had been staying here for a while. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow went to Camrose Saturday afternoon of last week and picked up their granddaughter, Marilyn MacDougall of Spirit River who had been taking a provincial leadership course at the high school in Camrose. Mr. and Mrs. Barlow took her to Viking to visit with her aunt and uncle and cousins, the Ernie Mertas, for a few days, before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bilyk and children were at the Vegreville Fair Monday afternoon, July 26.

**LETHBRIDGE CONVENTION**

Mr. and Mrs. Zane Bilyk and Mr. and Mrs. John Semotuik returned home Friday night after spending last week in Lethbridge, as delegates attending sessions of the Dominion conventions of the BPO Elks and the OORP. They reported a wonderful time. Mr. and Mrs. Semotuik also went to Medicine Hat to visit relatives before returning home.

Arthur and Brian Micklich have left for a two-week holiday in the Grande Prairie district, visiting with their grandfather and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shehinski of Edmonton were recent weekend visitors with Harry's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. John Shehinski.

**FAREWELL PARTY**

A farewell party was held on Sunday, July 25th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fediuk to bid them farewell and wish them happiness in their new home. Mr. Fediuk recently disposed of his farm and equipment and they will be making their future home in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hovland and family of Hillsdown were Sunday visitors a week ago at the home of his father, Chris Hovland, and brothers, Reuben and Ray. Harold Hovland of Camrose was also a visitor.

Mrs. Nancy Laskoski is home again after spending a few days in Edmonton a week ago with her daughter and family.

Mrs. Jack Keith, with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker of Red Deer motored to Calgary recently to visit with Mrs. Larry Thygesen who is a patient in a Calgary hospital after surgery on her legs. One of the grandsons is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Keith, and the other children are staying with their aunt and family, the Charlie Walkers until their mother is out of hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruxton and children spent a few days last week at Miquelon Lake.

Mrs. Lillie Gronland, who spent several weeks visiting with her daughter and family, the Sid Handleys, at Medicine Hat, returned home July 24th.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer was a luncheon guest with Mrs. Laura Christianson Friday of last week.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell had Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow for dinner guests Friday of last week, and Mrs. Elna Parsons and Chris visited her Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Zacharchuk and daughters of Edmonton visited with relatives and friends in Holden and district last week.

Joe Alexander left Saturday morning after delivering the rural mail, for the weekend on a fishing trip in the north.

**HOME FROM B.C.**

Judy Good returned home last Wednesday after a trip to Ladysmith, B.C., where she took her cousins, children of David Good of Edmonton to spend a holiday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Torrie.

**TO CALIFORNIA**

Mrs. Christina Hecht of Los Angeles, who has been visiting with relatives in Camrose and district and her brother, Chris Hovland, left by plane from Nisku airport Friday morning of last week. En route home, they were stopping off at Vancouver to visit her cousin Mrs. Jennie Jorgenson for a short time, before flying on to California. A farewell party was held at the home of Mrs. Albert Roth in Camrose on the Thursday evening to bid Mrs. Hecht a pleasant journey.

**AT WEDDING**

Mrs. Mabel Sizer attended the wedding and reception of her granddaughter, Donna Henderson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earling Henderson of Taber, held in Edmonton Monday, Aug. 2nd. Mr. and Mrs. Henderson motored from Taber Sunday to attend the wedding rehearsal. Donna has been working in Edmonton since she finished high school and a business course.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests with their son, Robert, and his wife and children, near Viking.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Withhold no sacrifice, grudge no toil, seek no sordid gain, fear no foe, all will be well.
—Sir Winston Churchill.
—JWR.


## NOTICE
### TOWN OF TOFIELD

**The Town Office will be closed from August 9th, 1965 to August 24th, 1965.**

RITA HALVERSON,
**Secretary-Treasurer.** (48)



## TOWN OF TOFIELD
## Notice Of Completion Of Voters' List

Notice is hereby given under the provisions of the Town and Village Act, that the Voters' List of the Town of Tofield has been prepared and that a copy of the said Voters' List is posted in the office of the secretary-treasurer.

The posted list is open to inspection during business hours.

Any qualified elector may make application for the correction of any error or omission in the said Voters' List by serving notice upon the secretary-treasurer in writing on or before the seventh day of September, 1965.

DATED at Tofield, Alberta this fourth day of August, 1965.

RITA HALVERSON,
Secretary-Treasurer.
(49-50-51)

# News items from Ketchamoot

Intended for Last Week

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Hibmer Anderson of Camrose were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Don Carlisle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kutash of Willingdon, spent Sunday with Lelia and Milton Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ray and family.

Frances Schultz returned from a short holiday at the Gold Eye Camp. While there, she gained many new friends and won a scholarship, to be used for next summer's term.

Betsy-Ann Schultz has been staying in Edmonton for the past two weeks with her cousins, Caroline and Dianne.

Visitors for the past week with Mrs. Brown in Holden were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mitchell, Mrs. Janet McCawan, Mrs. Vennah Appleby, Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly McGinitie, Annie McGinitie, and Edith Turner.

Walter Janzen attended camp the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug. George and family of Edmonton, spent the weekend with the Harold Schultz family. Later, they all spent some time boating on Miquelon Lake.

Philip Austin and his friend, [illegible] Beamish of Ranfurly were callers at the Harold Schultz home last Tuesday afternoon.

**HERE FROM WINNIPEG**

Billie and Brenda Tipper of Winnipeg are holidaying with their grandmother Annie McGinitie, and Aunt Edith.

Last Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. J. McCowan and Mrs. Vosslin of Tofield called on Yvonne Brown.

Sunday callers at the Stanley Wanger home were Mr. & Mrs. Ray Robins and family of Ryley, and Mr. and Mrs. John Shikinski of Daysland.

**30TH. ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown were surprised on Sunday by some 75 guests who gathered for a pot luck dinner and to help Keitha and Stanley celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary. Mrs. Annie Lee, Keitha's mother, made the anniversary cake. Guests were present from Edmonton, Tofield and New Sarepta.

Mrs. Jimmy Ingram and Beth spent the weekend with Doris Hornibrook. They enjoyed an afternoon with a number of friends hiking in the mountains near Banff.

**Mrs. Albert Sutton accidentally fell and fractured her arm last week, and spent a day in the hospital.**

Mrs. Nick Runka and her two sons spent a few days last week visiting with the Harold Schultz family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wood and David and Daniel of Donalda were Sunday evening callers at the Harold Schultz home. Daniel remained to spend the week with Brian and David Schultz.

**HERE FROM ENGLAND**

On holidays from England is Bill Paddon, who is staying with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sears and family for the next month.

Lorraine and Vernon Whillans and children of Edmonton spent Monday with Dorothy and Roy Whillans and the boys.

MEMORIAL CAMPAIGN. Group of Dallas Texas, residents has launched a campaign to have "suitable memorial" erected at the site of President Kennedy's assassination, above. Committee headed by Martina Langley of Richardson, Texas, asks in petition that President Johnson preserve site for history, as was done with Ford theatre in Washington, where President Lincoln was killed.

# Native of Hay Lakes, Hurum Grundberg dies

Hurum Grundberg passed away at the age of 61 in the Tofield Hospital on July 18th. He was born at Hay Lakes on March 27, 1904, where he remained until 1929. He married Bertha Sorell and moved to the Kingman district, where he remained until his passing.

Besides his beloved wife, Bertha, he leaves to mourn: six daughters, five sons, 27 grandchildren, and two sisters, Sunny Tingstand of Golden, B.C., and Olga Larson of Kulm, North Dakota, and a host of friends.

Funeral services were held at Tofield United Church on Wednesday, July 21st, Rev. Swedberg officiating. Interment followed in the Tofield cemetery. Pallbearers were Lawrence Lindberg, Edwin Lindberg, Bob Norman, Wilfred Damburger, Larry Sutton and Reggie Fairbrother. Hoveland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Floral Tributes

The Family; Sans and Elmer; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goede, M. Baron.

Memorials

To The Family — Ingrid and Thomas, Clarence, Mather and Lawrence, Mary Anderson, Jim, Florence and Family, Eric, Bertha and Family, Louise and Family, Grandma Winder and Esther, Ed, Ruby and Sharon Heiner, Ray and Joyce Grahn and Family, Albert and [illegible] Sutton, Mrs. Erickson, Irene and Bill Wiens, Mary and Darlene Fairbrother, Oscar and Signe Broen, Mrs. S. Shank, Art Gosling, Betty Bright, Pete and Ruby Meers, Mrs. Lekine, Walter Repine, Gene and Kay Doonst, Mr. and Mrs. Beck with, Harvey Wade, Hatt's, Donald Jack and Jean Gitzinger, Bob and Edna Meers, Bill and Grace Fountain, Florence Sargeant and Family, Ralph and Mable Hopf and Family, Arch, Jeanette and Francis Damburger, Harvey, Gale and Troy.

To Heart Fund: Ed, Ruby and Sharon Heiner, Mrs. Kitchen, Bill and Irene Wiens.

To Splintead Building Fund—Mr. and Mrs. R. Paulsen, Mr. and Mrs. E. Boicourt and Family.

To Bethel Lutheran Church: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grundberg.

Card of Thanks

Our recent sad loss leaves us with grateful hearts towards our friends and neighbors. May we take this opportunity of thanking them for their many kindnesses and neighborly offerings which were shown.
—Mrs. Grundberg and Family
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1. How do the boundaries of Alberta and Saskatchewan differ from those of the other eight provinces and the two territories?
2. Is the birthrate in Canada rising or falling?
3. Postage stamps up to the five-cent denomination normally change their design when?
4. Tax payments into the universal old age pension fund will total what amount in the 1965-66 fiscal year?
5. Immigration to Canada totalled 112,606 in 1964. What was the total of population lost in the year through emigration?

ANSWERS: 5. Emigration in 1964 is estimated at 82,000. 3. Only when a new monarch comes to the throne. 1. Only those two provinces do not border on salt water. 4. Tax payments into the old age security pension fund will be $1,145,000,000 in the current year. 2. In 1964 the birthrate dropped to 21.8 per 1,000 of population, the seventh consecutive drop since 1957 when the rate stood [illegible].

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## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ella Eaton)

Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Joey and Eva McLennan and son Jamie, and Eva's parents Mr and Mrs Whiting of Calgary. Mr and Mrs. Whiting visited their daughter for nine days before returning home.

Yvonne and Peter Brown and Daryl Bertsch of Ketchamoot were also visiting Yvonne's parents, Martha and Emil Tiedemann, Thursday evening.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Martha's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Gonbault of Lindbrook. Also there for the afternoon were Mr. & Mrs. Will Lancaster and Mrs. Richardson of Tofield, and Charlie Morden from Ontario, a former Lindbrook district resident. Hans Jacobsen and son Freddie and his two boys, of Edmonton, were Monday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Hans' son and Fred's brother Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and family.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Sharron Rudecki is a patient in the University Hospital, Edmonton where she underwent surgery last Thursday. She will be a patient there for some time yet.

Janet Wickenberg of Edmonton is spending part of her holidays with her parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg, in Tofield. Their other daughter and grandson Vivian Jones and son Donald of Edmonton, also spent the long weekend with them.

Doug and Fran. Baines and family of Edmonton were visitors at the home of Doug's sister, Mrs. Ethel Wood and family over the long weekend.

Mrs. Mabel Hannan and daughter Mrs Carol Young and three girls, all of Edmonton, and Mabel's sister, Mrs. Minnie Blanchard of Redding, California were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein. Mabel and Minnie are the daughters of the late Will Wood, old-time resident of Tofield, and cousins of John Wood.

Vi and Elmer Geoglein; Mrs. Mabel Hannan and daughter, Mrs Carol Young and three girls of Edmonton, and Mabel's sister, Mrs Minnie Blanchard of Redding, California; John and Mary Wood, their son and daughter-in-law, Johnny and Gloria Wood and baby Catherine and Gloria's sister, Linda Miller of Onoway were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and family.

Mrs. Gloria Wood and baby Cathy Gloria's mother and sister, Mrs. John Miller and daughter Linda of Onoway were Friday afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and family.

Jimmy and Donna MacDonald of Okotoks were Thursday overnight visitors at the home of Jimmy's aunt Mary and John Wood on their way home to Okotoks, following a visit north of St. Paul.

Gary Niemetz returned to the home of his parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz for a few days holiday, from near Slave Lake where he was employed by the Peter Bawden Drilling Co. They had just completed the work there, and Gary had holidays between jobs.

Gail Niemetz of Edmonton also spent the long holiday weekend at home with her parents.

Erma and Fred Onyschuk of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Erma's brother George and Ida Niemetz.

Vic and Evie Halwa and children of Edmonton were Wednesday afternoon and evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Evie's parents, John and Mary Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller returned to their home at Onoway on Saturday morning, after having visited with their daughter Gloria and Johnny Wood, where they made the acquaintance of their new granddaughter, Catherine Margaret.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Sunday visitors with Harold, Isabel and Brian Sutton were Bessie and Ralph Barnes from Red Deer, and Winnie and Albeit Liefke of Edmonton. Bessie and Ralph stayed overnight.

**Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Ray, a daughter on Wednesday, July 28th, at Tofield Municipal Hospital.**

Chester Coombes returned home on Saturday from his stay in the University Hospital, Edmonton.

Frances Schultz left Wednesday for Edmonton where she planned to accompany Mr. and Mrs. Nick Runka and two boys on a trip to the west coast and south to Corvallis, Oregon, to visit with other relatives for two weeks.

Susan and Greg McLeod of Lindbrook are staying with their grandchildren, Ivan and Mary Mitchell while their parents are holidaying in the Okanagan.

Florence and Jimmy Ingram returned Monday from a trip to Dawson Creek, Manning, and other points in the north.

Dorothy Whillans and Barry spent the weekend with some of her grandchildren in Edmonton at the home of her son Vernon.

On Sunday, Mike Buchak of Vernon, B.C., and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buchak and children of Calmar, were guests of Ivan and Mary Mitchell.

AND THE TUB WAS DRY! Parts of eastern Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick are experiencing their worst drought in many years, and this little gal is an unhappy victim of the water shortage! Spotting this inviting tub on a hot day, she made a bee-line to cool off, but when she got there, 4-year-old Cindy Calvert found not a drop to splash in. P.S. — dad filled the tub after the picture was taken.

## Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. All of the men were outside of the house when I returned back there.
2. What do you think he did that for?
3. One distinctive feature of the book is the fact that its data is correct.
4. We shall most certainly co-operate together until this work is entirely completed.
5. Each of us have got to exercise more patience.
6. If I was him, I would not give heed to those remarks.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Pergola.
8. Excess.
9. Inopportune.
10. Surcease.
11. Verbiage.
12. Amicable.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Talisman, tamborine, tarantula, tantamount, tachometer, menagerie, mnemonics, miscellaneous, millennium, millieu, imaginary, iliterate, idolatrous, itinerant, iconoclast, erroneous, erruption, erratic, eradication, ersatz, animosity, anonymous, annullment, analysis, analogous, domination, dominoes, Doberman pincher, dogmatic, doctrinaire.

**ANSWERS**

1. Omit both "of's" and "back". 2. Say, "Why do you think he did that?" 3. Say, "One DISTINCT feature of the book is the fact that its data ARE correct". 4. Omit the three words, "most", "together", and "entirely". 5. Say, "Each of us MUST exercise more patience". 6. Say, "If I WERE HE, I SHOULD not TAKE heed to these remarks".

7. Accent FIRST syllable, not the second. 8. Accent second syllable, not the first. 9. Pronounce last syllable as "tyun", and not as "toon". 10. Pronounce sur-sees, accent second syllable. 11. Pronounce vur-bi-ij, accent first syllable. 12. Pronounce am-i-ka-b'l, accent first syllable.

13. Tambourine, milieu, illiterate, eruption, annulment, Doberman pinscher.

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BIGAMY TRIAL. Sophia Loren, Italian actress, will go on trial in Rome Oct. 21 on bigamy charges brought by anonymous persons. She wed movie producer Carlo Ponti in Mexican proxy marriage. Italian law does not recognize divorce. Both were previously married.

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## To study uniform traffic act

Hon. Gordon E. Taylor, Alberta Minister of Highways, has announced that a committee has now been set up for the purpose of studying the Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act and Town and Village and City legislation to see if a uniform traffic act is practical and possible.

Earlier this year the Alberta Motor Association made representations to the government in which it was shown that there is little uniformity between bylaws dealing with traffic in towns, villages and cities, as compared with the Vehicles and Traffic Act. The Alberta Motor Association asked that a committee to study the possibility of a uniform traffic act be set up.

Gene S. Syska, departmental solicitor for the department of highways, will be chairman of the committee, while members will include the following:

Alan MacDonald, solicitor for the City of Edmonton representing the Union of Alberta Municipalities; D. J. Tompkins, solicitor for the Alberta Motor Association; and R. F. Tait, deputy registrar of the Motor Vehicle Branch.

The committee expects to go to work later this month. All members have volunteered their services to the committee.

## 20 YEARS AGO THIS MONTH

MUSHROOM CLOUD. The world's first nuclear explosion was set off on the desert flats near Alamogordo, New Mexico, on July 16, 1945, proving the feasibility of the atomic bomb. The dropping of two A-bombs on Japan the next month hastened the end of World War II in the Pacific. In the 20 years since, Great Britain, the Soviet Union, France and China have developed their own nuclear weapons. Several other countries are said to be capable of doing likewise in the next few years.

## Showers fete bride-elect

Two showers were held in Edmonton last week to honor Miss Gail Sears.

On Wednesday evening, the girls from the Royal Bank where Gail works, held a shower for her; and on Tuesday evening the friends of the McGinnis family honored her.

Gail will be married to Laurence McGinnis on Saturday, Aug. 14th, at the Tofield United Church.

## Mrs. John Story visits pioneer meet

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN—The Pioneer Group held its regular monthly meeting August 5th, at the home of Mrs. Arthur Story with 12 ladies present. They also renewed friendships with Mrs. John Story who is spending a few weeks visiting with her son, Arthur and family. Mrs. Story is over [illegible] years of age and unable to get around very well as she is badly crippled with arthritis. She was showing the ladies some very exquisite crochet work she had just finished and was most pleased to meet with old time friends.

This being the centennial year for the Salvation Army, an interesting article was read about this organization by Mrs. Campbell instead of the regular study book being taken. The next meeting of the group will be at the home of Mrs. Lars Olson.

## Around the town . . .

Mrs. Edith Rogers spent a few days at the home of Mrs. J. W. Chapman in Edmonton, after enjoying a lovely holiday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Max Rogers and family at Lansing, Michigan, U.S.A. She returned to Tofield last Sunday. Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. J. W. Chapman were Sunday guests at the home of Mr and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

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Weekend visitors at the homes of George and Jim Francis were Mr. and Mrs Harris Bulson of Mitchell, Ont., and Mr and Mrs. Robert Blackstock of Dawson Creek, B.C.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Francis and family of Edmonton called on relatives here after a holiday in Saskatchewan.

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Miss Heather Hayler of Winnipeg spent the past week as a guest of the Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Hammett. Other Winnipeg guests at the rectory were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Jones.

Archdeacon and Mrs. G. W. Wilson, Canon and Mrs. G. A. Crawley and Miss Margaret Crawley were visitors at the Anglican rectory recently.

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Jack and Inga Hardy and Helen Grover left on Monday for a two-week holiday in Oregon.

Christine King returned to Edmonton after spending a week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stockton. Kathleen and Bonnie were home for the long weekend.

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Recent visitors with the Stocktons were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawson and family of Irma, Mr. and Mrs Bill Lane and girls of Czar, and Mrs. Dorothy Seath and Francis of Provost.

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Warren Watson was winner of the Community League $100 bill.

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Carol and George Oslund and baby son from Edmonton spent a few days at the J. Oslund home.

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Mrs. Rutherford left on Thursday for her home in Tisdale, Sask., after visiting for the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Marg Haworth and family.

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TRIP TO EAST

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Young and family left on Saturday by CNR for a holiday in Montreal and Detroit.

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Mildred and Findley Dunlop left on Saturday night by train for a holiday at Vancouver.

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Eddie and Jean Williams and family are holidaying at South Cooking Lake.

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Beve and Ron Brown of Stettler are visiting with Carol and Betty Swanson.

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Mrs. Frank Kortzman spent five days recently in hospital.

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Mrs. Norman Chandler and Mrs. Vi Yates stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kortzman last weekend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gladue of Trail, B.C., were visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs. Frank Kortzman last week.

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Betty Gray and Laura Tiedeman are visiting in Calgary with Evie Gray and Betty Lindsay.

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HOME FROM EAST

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stinson returned last Wednesday from Toronto by car with their daughter, Miss Shirley Stinson, who is soon taking up duties as associate professor of nursing with the University of Alberta. On the trip home, they saw a County of Camrose school bus at least five times, being ferried to Camrose between Orillia, Ont., and west to Brandon, Man.

FIRST THINGS FIRST. It's all very well to toil in the fields, bringing in the harvest to feed a nation, but gosh . . . a fellow has to take time out to feed himself as well! This hungry harvester takes a break to stoke up with a sandwich.

## Oakhill Boys' Ranch is united project

Rev. W. L. Hammett and Mrs. Hammett were visitors at the Oakhill Boys' Ranch at Bon Accord. The first unit of this project, containing bedrooms for eight boys, kitchen, living room and matron's rooms, has already been erected.

The small chapel has been beautifully finished and furnished by various denominations, including Anglican, Presbyterian, Pentecostal, Roman Catholic, United Church and others. Work on the acreage is being done by the boys in residence, under the direction of the Rev. Ramsay Stewart, whose untiring effort has made this project possible.

Besides the ranch proper, the Rev. Mr. Stewart has under his care between 80 and 90 children whom he has placed in foster homes. The Rotary Club of Edmonton is one of the organizations which is interested in this work.

## Teachers to attend Banff conference

Mrs. Grace Appleby of Holden will attend the 17th annual conference of the ATA which will be held at the Banff School of Fine Arts during the week of August 15th.

Mrs. Appleby is being sent as a delegate of the Beaver Local to make a study of the policies and administration of the provincial Alberta Teachers' Association. The course will feature a close examination of organization of the ATA, the policy and bylaws governing it, professional development programs, specialist councils, short courses and seminars sponsored by the ATA.

Mrs. Appleby's special group of 35 will also join in general sessions with the rest of the 225 teachers who are spending this week of their vacation at the Banff conference. The other groups are studying professional development, ATA leadership, and economic welfare.

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

No distance of place or lapse of time can lessen the friendship of those who are thoroughly persuaded of each other's worth. —R. Southey

—JWR

## R. H. Chandler passes at 68 yrs.

On August 3rd, 1965, Rosewell Herbert Chandler of Wetaskiwin passed away at thee age of 68 years.

He is survived by two sons, Bernard and Norman of Edmonton, one sister, Mrs. Mildred Horne of Edmonton, five brothers, Stanley, Victor and Howard of Vancouver, Richard of Victoria, Edward of Albany, Oregon, and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the United Church in Wetaskiwin on Friday, August 6th.

Mr. Chandler was formerly connected with the Co-op Store in Tofield. He loved music and was leader of the Tofield band and various other musical activities while he resided here. He was always interested in people and had a ready smile for everyone.

# New model needed

The Good Samaritan is out of style, today (if indeed he ever was in vogue) so something else should be invented to fill the need.

You'll remember the story told by Jesus about the man who fell among thieves and was left badly injured at the side of the road to die. Two travellers, from his own country and "important" citizens passed by but refused to have anything to do with him. And then finally, a man from Samaria, despised as one of the "lesser breeds", stepped in to help things out.

All we need do is change the story slightly, rewrite the characters and places, and we'd have one of hundreds of news reports of today . . . until we get to the part about the Samaritan. Today, we can't find this character in the news. We read about thugs attacking women and old citizens, gangs jumping sturdy men and gang wars where crowds of people look on and witness violence, but won't take any action in the situation in order to avoid "becoming involved". So-called wolf packs in Edmonton beat up on unsuspecting pedestrians and even motorists.

But the doctrine of non-involvement grips too many people. Ultra cynical, people look at each other and ask why they should take any chances . . . isn't that what the police are for? Yet when the police forces come, they're openly insulted and jeered.

We take the attitude that it's smart to keep out of trouble. We look at the percentages, and figure the game isn't worth what it costs. We shrug our shoulders with a "what's it to us?" attitude.

That is, we do until it hits close to our own home. And then we raise howls to the rooftop indignantly denouncing the community disinterest and the lack of any feeling of public responsibility.

But, of course, it's already too late by then. The damage has been done. We have to get in and dig right now to build up any sense of community safety . . . else we shall disintegrate into a savage jungle far worse than any equatorial area, because it will be a jungle with all the aids and advantages of twentieth century technology.

If the doctrine of the good Samaritan has gone out of fashion, there's a pressing need for something to replace it. Right now.

STRANGE PETS. Strollers cast a wary eye on the two friends of pretty Edith Weidmann when she took them for a walk in Amsterdam, Holland. Edith travels with a West German circus and the two full-grown leopards are part of the animal act. They're well behaved, but just the same, morning strollers kept their distance.

# Eat sugar, stay slim

This is the heading on a recent publicity report to cross our desk, which carries on to say that country eating is back in style.

The statement was made by a home economist, in front of, (just imagine) The Canadian Sugar Institute.

The home economist, who decried all the fad diets and pointed out why they are faulty said there are only two secrets to staying slim on so-called country diets. Eat sensibly! Exercise more!

Part of the trouble, of course, is that many people have no idea of what is meant by eating sensibly. And the idea of exercise is repugnant in a society which needs the car to pick up cigarettes from a store a couple of hundred yards away.

Most of us are all too willing to warmly endorse the idea of eating country style again, but forget the idea of working country style that went with it.

# By George!

Ever since the descendants of Noah tried to build a tower that would reach to heaven, one man's language has been another man's noise.

It was a severe punishment for the arrogance of man, who today is confronted with more than 2,700 spoken languages, not to mention dialects, according to World Book Encyclopedia.

Along with problems of communication, the glut of languages has provided another instrument for expressing national pride, and even hostility. The ancient Greeks, for example, called all non-Greek speakers "barbaroi," or "babblers" — an unhappy ending for the word "Babel," which originally meant "gate of God." After the French Revolution, which created a wave of nationalism in France, letters addressed in Breton, the old language of the northwestern tip of France, were returned to the sender. Sinhala is the official language of Ceylon; but when the government tried to enforce its use in 1961, some two million people who speak Tamil revolted.

Some countries have tried to solve the language problem by having more than one official language. Canadians use both French and English. Switzerland, which has been at peace longer than most countries, has three official tongues, German, French and Italian, and recognizes Romansh as a fourth national language.

To put an end to the babble, some persons have suggested that one existing language be made universal, but then there's the problem of which one. The French philosopher Descartes had an admirable idea when he proposed that an artificial language be created to serve as an international tongue. He may only have complicated things, however, for several hundred artificial languages, including Volapuk, Interlingua, Spelin and Nepo, have been nominated for the honor.

# Modern marvel

What could turn out to be one of the miracles of this century is a clue in the fight against the common cold. While medical science deals disabling or lethal blows one by one to the worst diseases, the common cold carries on.

A virus has long been incriminated but a team of four researchers in Bombay, India, writes in the British medical journal, The Lancet, that this virus could be just a passenger and not the driver.

"We suggest that man to some extent owes his common cold to the consumption of common salt . . . two adults and two children with recurrent common colds have obtained complete and sustained relief for the past 6 to 14 months taking a salt-free diet," writes the team. They continue by pointing out that the common cold can be induced at will in children by administering a salted diet.

The implications are almost beyond belief. While the common cold is not rated highly as a killer, it probably weakens thousands to the point they succumb to other diseases they might resist if their strength had not been sapped. And thousands among us must have wished at times we could die if we couldn't get over that pesky cold.

The impact on the salt business may be dreadful, but imagine what would happen to the sales of drug companies if no more nostrums were needed for safety or relief from colds . . . if all that were necessary were to cut down on salt or eliminate it. Just imagine the millions of dollars in sales of every imaginable item from simple cough candies through the whole gamut of patent remedies and on to such modern innovations as "cold shots".

# Palmer - Earling notes

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Aug 8th —Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Lien will observe their 50th wedding anniversary at the Zion Church Sunday, Aug. 22nd, at 2:30 p.m.

**HERE FROM CALIFORNIA**

Mrs. Olive Attebury of Happy Camp, Calif., spent the week with friends in Camrose and the Gladstone district.

Many people from the Lakeness district attended the funeral of Mrs. E. Christian, 77 years, the mother of Mrs. Sam Olsen, held Monday at the Camrose United Church, with Rev. Brundage officiating.

Ludwig Hoveland accompanied his [illegible], Mrs. [illegible], as far as Seattle, when she returned to California. Mr. Hoveland is visiting relatives and friends in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Huseby have named their chosen son, Wesley James.

Guests during the week at the Bob Beattie home were Mrs. Ellert Dyrland of White Bear, Saskatchewan, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Dyrland and family of Swift Current, Sask.

Myrtle Oslund of Ryley spent the week at the Lawrence Pearse home.

**Hans Huseby has returned home from a six-week visit in Norway, travelling by plane.**

Mr. and Mrs. Edor Wiklun and Mrs. Mavis Fjelstad of Edmonton were recent visitors with Mrs. Alma Steffen.

Mrs. Bill Pederson of Edmonton has been a visitor with the Liens and Lawrence Hovlands.

Richard Vassberg, Evan Kvale, Dennis Huseby, [illegible] and Harry Johnson are having breaking done.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Dorin, Cheryl and Karen of Calgary were recent visitors with the Gordon Teskes.


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# Holden and district news items

Mrs. G. H. Taylor

Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus is taking her holiday from M & M Store, and she and her daughter are spending some time at the lake and visiting with relatives. Mrs. Florence Giebelhaus is clerking at the store while Dorothy is away.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson spent the past weekend on a fishing trip at Monn Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sawers and daughters of Vermilion were visitors the end of last week with Deanna's parents Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong and picked up their youngest daughter who had been staying with her grandmother while her parents and older sisters were away on a two weeks' holiday.

**HOME FROM B.C.**

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson returned home Wednesday evening of last week from their holiday which they spent at Vernon, B.C., with their son Jimmie and wife Dorothy. They had been there only two days when their son became ill and had to go to hospital where he underwent an appendectomy. While in Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Olson also called on two nieces of Lars who reside there. En route home, they were overnight visitors with their son Glen and his family in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children, and Melvin Lund were Sunday visitors and supper guests with Robert's parents, the Geo. H. Taylors.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were weekend visitors in Edmonton a week ago and drove to Nisku airport on August 1st to meet their daughter Patsy who was returning from a holiday spent in and around Spokane, Washington.

Betty Chupka, who has been a nurse-in-training for the past three years, was busy writing her final exams last week.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann returned home on Monday of last week from a week's holiday in Vancouver, B.C., visiting with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison. She also visited other relatives and old friends.

**40 AT VBS**

The Vacation Bible School held at the Lutheran Church the past week was brought to a close Friday evening when the children who had been attending, held a concert which was enjoyed by all present. The classes had been well attended, with over 40 children taking part.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pederson of Camrose visited in Holden on Friday of last week and attended the funeral of Mrs. Nahowich in the Lutheran Church.

A Vacation Bible School for children was held this week in the United Church, in conjunction with the Mennonite church and in charge of Mrs. Voegtlin of Ryley. Mrs. Campbell is also assisting as one of the teachers.

Mrs. Bruce MacDonell and infant son came home from Viking Hospital last Sunday.

Mrs. Winnie Johnson of the Holden Drug staff is taking her annual holidays.


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## Notice Of Completion Of Voters' List

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The posted list is open to inspection during business hours.

Any qualified elector may make application for the correction of any error or omission in the said Voters' List by serving notice upon the secretary-treasurer in writing on or before the seventh day of September, 1965.

DATED at Tofield, Alberta this fourth day of August, 1965.

RITA HALVERSON,
Secretary-Treasurer.

(49-50-51)

# Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGinitie, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thompson, and Esther Henderson joined others on Tuesday for the clean-up day at the Baptist Bible Camp at Miquelon Lake, which will open soon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dave Nickel (nee Shirley Lee), a daughter, "Sandra Joy", on July 29th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davidson (nee Betty Foyd), a son on August 7th, in Calgary. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Foyd motored to Calgary over the weekend to get acquainted with their new grandson.

Betsy-Ann Schultz spent the weekend at home with her parents and brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carlisle entertained a number of guests to Sunday dinner. They were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Van Buskirk of Everitt, Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hyslop and Mrs. Van Buskirk of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Van Buskirk of Ross Creek.

Esther and Harry Ketchum and family of Willingdon Green were weekend guests of Chester and Harold Coombes. Lyle and Casey of Edmonton were Sunday callers.

**25TH ANNIVERSARY**

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz and David were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Woods on their 25th wedding anniversary at their home at Donalda.

Raymond McGinitie of Red Deer, and Willie Nashman were Tuesday overnight guests of Agnes and Henry McGinitie.

Agnes and Henry McGinitie were Sunday evening callers at the home of their daughter, Alice Munksdahl and family of Ryley.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whillans attended the funeral of Robert Rasmussen in Camrose, Tuesday afternoon.

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

A lovely bridal shower was held for Miss Gail Sears on Saturday evening at the United Church parlor. A large number of guests enjoyed a pleasant evening of games and the lunch served by local ladies. The bride-elect received many beautiful gifts.

Clara May Larson of Lindbrook spent the week with Wanda Sutton.

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## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Allan Bray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Bray has been promoted to manager of the Treasury Branch in Drumheller, and will take over his new position for the next two years.

Visiting with Mrs. Alma Adams during the past week have been her cousin, Geo. Benson from Crosby, North Dakota, U.S.A., Miss Laura Benson of Edmonton, and Mrs. Agda Annebo and her daughter, Mrs. Wicks of Killam.

Brian and Jeanette Johnson and family of Crossfield were visiting their parents over the weekend, and left the three children with Jeanette's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bugge, while Brian and Jeanette went to the United States for a two-week vacation.

Peter and Willie Munkedal and family made a quick trip to Athabasca recently to visit with Doug and Marvel Down and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pepper and Mrs. Bob Westmancoat visited with Mrs. W. Pepper in Ohaton on Sunday, who is home again after a four-week stay in St. Mary's Hospital in Camrose.

Ronnie Pepper has been at Ohaton during the school holidays helping his cousin, Percy, on the farm.

Mrs. Winnie Johnson, who is on holiday from the Holden Drug Store, will be staying over here in the Fish home while her sister is away.

**4-H WINNERS**

The winners of the final three classes of the Ryley 4-H Dairy Club have been announced this week, they are: for judging, Gordon Kirkelund, who receives the trophy donated by Roland Booth; for records kept during the year, Ken Hillerud, who receives the Treasury Branch trophy. Ken was also the efficiency winner for the year's work and will receive for this the Kenvale desk set trophy given by club leader, Bob Westmancoat.

Miss Hennie Annebo is in town visiting with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Gladys Annebo and family.

Marguerite Fish is accompanying her son, Jim, and daughter-in-law, Susan, and their family on a holiday this week. They will go to Hinton, and visit two days with Joyce and Elmer Patrick, then go on to Jasper and the Columbia Ice Fields, Banff and Lake Louise and Calgary. They expect to be away about a week.

Aino and Jackie Jensen and Billy spent a pleasant Sunday at Miquelon Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Westmancoat were in Edmonton on Monday on business. Mrs. Harriet Ruddy accompanied them there and stayed until the end of the week with her daughter, Donna, Mrs. Dan Kading, to finish her course of lessons with a driving school.

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## Lakeshore-

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg accompanied their daughter Janet Wickenberg on a motor trip to Ma-Me-O Beach at Pigeon Lake where they joined with other members of the family and relatives of both Roy and Ruth's families, making 67 persons in all, to enjoy a picnic dinner and annual get-together. Weather was ideal and a very enjoyable time was had by all.

Mrs. Edna Bowick spent Wednesday afternoon of last week visiting with her friend Mrs. Ethel Wood.

The Lakeshore UCW will hold their next meeting Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 18 at the home of Mrs. Theone (Glen) Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Annis and son David, and Lorimer and Bessie Hunter and girls, all of Tofield, were Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and girls.

**DRAMA SEMINAR**

Donna Jacobsen, daughter of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Cal Annis to Drumheller on Sunday, where both she and Mr. Annis will spend the next two weeks attending the drama seminar.

Mrs. Lylla Laqua and family of Foremost, were guests of Lylla's brother Neil and Violet Bailey for a few days last week. Mrs. Laqua and girls, and Mrs. Bailey and girls were Thursday afternoon callers at the home of Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen and girls.

John and Irene Warner motored to Edmonton on Sunday and were afternoon visitors and guests at a barbecue supper at the home of Irene's sister, Muriel and Dennis Thesson.

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

On Friday evening, Emil and Martha Tiedemann of Lakeshore, their daughter Yvonne, Peter Brown and Daryl Bertsch, all of Ketchamoot, Eric and Bertha Sorrell and family of Lakeshore, and Sandy and Irene Scott and girls of Lindbrook motored to Deville to pay a surprise visit to the home of Bill and Mary Tiedemann. The occasion was Mary's birthday.

Thursday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of John and Mary Wood were their daughter Mrs. Ernie Wood and son Dougie, and John's sister Mrs. Esther Majakey, all of Edmonton.

## Ross Creek Sports was a big success

(Iris Bilan)

ROSS CREEK—The Ross Creek Sports Day was quite successful with the first game of baseball being played by the Stadnik Bearcats vs. Cossey Wildcats.

The Chipman Ponies defeated the Ross Creek Juniors, while the Fort Saskatchewan Oldtimers and Ross Creek Oldtimers tied, five all.

Elk Island Park won over Lindbrook in the softball game. Winners of the horseshoe tournament were: first, Orville Hofp and Peter Stadnik; second, Geo. McLalchlan and Mac Haines.

A big vote of thanks goes to Horace Helleffney of Tofield for his enjoyable entertainment, and to Joe Mazurek for his good job as sports commentator.

The district ladies would like to thank the athletic club for the lovely new booth built for them this year. They really enjoyed working in the new structure, and thank all the men who helped build it.

The dance in the evening was greatly enjoyed with music supplied by Bert Tiedemann of Tofield.

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### CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends, neighbors and relatives for their acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, and floral tributes received during our recent bereavement. Special thanks to Dr. Freebury and the nursing staff of Tofield hospital, the kitchen and laundry staff, the Mennonite Young People, Mrs. Schmautz, members of the Baptist Church and the Tiedemann family.
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TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above-named must file with the undersigned by the 10th day of September A.D. 1965 a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them.

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Solicitor for the Administrator
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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, August 15th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m. Divine Service.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnell, B.A., B.D., [illegible]
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# Former Ryley resident dies in Grande Prairie

MRS. CHRISTINE REUM

Mrs. Christine Reum was born in Vanvikan, Trondhjem, Norway, on May 9, 1885 and passed away in the Grande Prairie Hospital on June 27, 1965 at the age of 80 years, one month and 18 days. In 1902 she emigrated to the United States where she married Martin Reum in Moorhead, Minnesota, on November 20th of the same year. They moved to Harvey, North Dakota where they resided until moving to Ryley, Alberta in 1919.

She was predeceased by her husband in March, 1958, and by two sons, Oscar in June, 1964 and Andrew in May, 1965.

Left to mourn her loss are: one daughter, Helga (Mrs. Henry Stensrud) of Ryley; seven sons, Melvin of Belloy, Alta., Peter, Alf, Harold and Daniel of Ryley, Herman of Wanham, and Arnold of Penticton, B.C.; 28 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Gusta Bjerkseth of Camrose, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral service was held on July 2nd at 3 p.m. in Hoveland's Chapel with Rev. Holomis officiating. Interment was in the Camrose Cemetery. Pallbearers were six of her grandsons. Hoveland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Revenues of the unemployment insurance fund last year were $372.9 million and expenditures were $333.8 million.

The federal government's contribution to the shared federal-provincial hospital insurance program will be $484 million in the current year.

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## Locals . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bailey and family from Nova Scotia are visiting with Ralph's mother, Mrs. Edith Bailey.

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# Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford, Wilfred and Shirley and family, and Wilma and children are at present visiting with the Hutchinson family at Idaho, U.S.A.

Visitors with Arthur and Mary Ferrel last week were Mary's niece, June, and husband of British Columbia, Ralph and Catherine McColeman of Red Deer, and Roy and Gloria Borstad.

Sunday supper guests at the home of Howard and Nell Malcolm were Howard's sister, Marion, and husband, Henry Webb.

Graham and Elma Snider entered a showing of Aberdeen Angus cattle in the Willingdon Fair and brought home three winning awards.

Joseph McLachlan of Edmonton visited in Ross Creek last week, spending a while with each of his three sons.

Joseph and Isabel McLachlan and family had to shorten their holiday at Sylvan Lake and return home last week due to a back injury suffered by Joe. He is feeling a little better now, but is still taking treatments.

Paul and Eleanor Huzar of Edmonton helped Eleanor's father, John Ferrel, with haying operations last week.

Visitors with Anton and Annie Poloway last week were Anton's cousin, Joe Poloway and wife of British Columbia.

On Saturday, Raymond McLachlan and sons visited with his wife, Frances's sister in Willingdon, leaving son, Randy there to spend a holiday, while on Sunday, Raymond and Frances visited with Frances's brother, Paul, and son, Allen, visited for a week with uncle Art McLachlan in Edmonton. Barry McLachlan of Fort Saskatchewan has been a two-week visitor with Raymond.

Robert and Freda Olsen of Edmonton were Friday visitors with George and Winnie McLachlan, taking home their daughter, Robin, after she holidayed for a week with Georgina.

Mrs. Beth Lauder and son, Jimmie, of Edmonton, are spending a week visiting with Beth's sister in Vermilion.

## THE WEATHER . . .

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# Hay Lakes pioneer, August Rost passes

August Rost was born on July 26, 1892 in the rural district of Fassorva, Rudnia, near the city of Zhitomir in Volhynia, Russia. He received his education in Volhynia and came to Canada in 1912, coming directly to the Hay Lakes district where he worked until 1920 when he married Augusta Mittelstadt. He continued farming until 1950 when he retired to the village of Hay Lakes.

August Rost was a great lover of music and was an active member of the first community band organized in the Hay Lakes district. At various times he was active on the board of the St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, school board, telephone company, and registrar of vital statistics for this area.

He passed away at his home on July 14th, at the age of 73 years. Funeral services were held from Our Savior Lutheran Church on July 20, at 2 p.m., with Rev. Paul Klatt officiating. South Side Memorial was in charge of arrangements. Interment took place in the church cemetery.

He leaves to mourn: his wife, Mrs. Augusta Rost; one son Donald, of Rolly View; three daughters, Bertha (Mrs. George Roper) and Ruby (Mrs. William Yoner) both of Hay Lakes, Eileen (Mrs. Len Lachman) of Chilliwack, B.C.; two stepsons, Arthur Middlestead of Torrington, Alberta and Reinold Mittelstadt of Hay Lakes; two step-daughters, Lydia (Mrs. Gus Lachman) of Hay Lakes, and Martha (Mrs. T. R. Dodson) of Vancouver, B.C.; 28 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Gottlieb of Hay Lakes and Ralph of Sooke, B.C.; three sisters, Mathilda (Mrs. Ed Pl..t) of Leduc, Bertha (Mrs. L. Krieger) of Chilliwack, B.C., and Johanne (Mrs. R. Schmidek) of Edson.

Floral Tributes

The Family, Mr. and Mrs. L. Krieger, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rost, Mr. and Mrs. R. Schmidek, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Schmidek

Memorials

To Crippled Children's Fund — Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baier

To Heart Fund — Mr. and Mrs. Eric Lofgren and Family; Mrs. Geo Grams; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Galenza; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce These; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Kreamer, Mr. and Mrs. George Rost; Art Rost; Betty Rost; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rost and Family.

To Cancer Fund — Mr. and Mrs. Herb Henshell and Ronald, Mrs. Wilhelmina Mittlestadt and Otto; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schlulta and Trudy

To Camrose Lutheran College — Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Handke

To Wilhelmina Church — Mr. and Mrs. Thor Johnson.

To Good Samaritan Hospital — Mrs. Emma Mittlestadt; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Borchert; Mr. and Mrs. Lorn Mittlestadt; Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Mittlestadt.

To Tuberculosis Fund — Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henschell; Mr. and Mrs. August Huebner.

To Bethany Children's Home — Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Grams and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Otto These and Family, Mr. and Mrs. M. Moren; Mr. Norman Welda, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schweitzer and Girls.

To Retarded Children — Mr. and Mrs. John Miedke.

To Our Savior Lutheran Building Fund — Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lachman and Girls, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mallae; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Plitt; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zucht, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Selin and Family; Mr. and Mrs. M. Aspell; Albert and Barbara Selin; Mr. and Mrs. R. Berry and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Grahn and Family; Mrs. Antonia Brunken; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nordin and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Vern Nordin; Mr. and Mrs. A. Arntsen; Mr. and Mrs. Gus Whal; Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Wahl; Ruth and Julius Radawetz and Family.

To Our Savior Organ Fund — Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lachman.

To Our Savior Sunday School — Mrs. Rosina Sagert.

Card of Thanks

Words cannot adequately express our deep appreciation for the many kind and sympathetic acts that came to us at the time of our recent bereavement. —The Family. 37-2251

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# Native of Hay Lakes, Hurum Grundberg dies

Hurum Grundberg passed away at the age of 61 in the Tofield Hospital on July 18th. He was born at Hay Lakes on March 27, 1904, where he remained until 1929. He married Bertha Sorell and moved to the Kingman district, where he remained until his passing.

Besides his beloved wife, Bertha, he leaves to mourn: six daughters, five sons, 27 grandchildren, and two sisters, Sunny Tingstead of Golden, B.C., and Olga Larson of Kulm, North Dakota, and a host of friends.

Funeral services were held at Tofield United Church on Wednesday, July 21st, Rev. Swedberg officiating. Interment followed in the Tofield cemetery. Pallbearers were Lawrence Lindberg, Edwin Lindberg, Bob Norman, Wilfred Damburger, Larry Sutton and Reggie Fairbrother. Hoveland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

A "bee" gathered Thursday at the Alphonse Loch home to assist son, Melvin Loch to pour cement for the basement of his new home.

Ruby Blackburn of Edmonton returned to her home after spending two weeks with her aunt and uncle and cousins, the Joe Davenport family.

**Dick Wilson was recently injured in a tractor mishap on his farm, but is fine now.**

Mr. and Mrs. Mac McIntyre from the local store is at present a patient in the Tofield hospital.

Mrs. Doreen McLaughlin of Edmonton joined her family and her mother, Mrs Gladys Roddick Tuesday and enjoyed the day and a picnic lunch at the local resort of Lakeview.

Gordon Kilfoyle left by train Monday afternoon for Brandon where he will spend a few days before driving back a car.

Carol George of Edmonton is spending a week with her grandmother, Mrs S. George on the farm.

Mrs Henry Heitman of Tofield has been spending some time on the farm helping her son, Richard with the hay.

Alex Boss Sr. and Alex Jr were Edmonton shoppers on Thursday.

**5000 TURKEYS**

Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Jesko find hauling water for 5000 young turkeys a large chore these days as they take two trips a day hauling water from Gordon Kilfoyle's farm.

(Intended for last week)

Services continue at the United Church each Sunday with Miss Helen Irwin conducting. Attendance at Sunday School still remains good despite the hot weather.

**TEACHERS VISIT**

Two school teacher sisters pair a visit last week to the old school of Ministik where they taught almost a half century ago. They were Mrs. Marjorie McInnes of Orillia, Ont., and Mrs Christine McKnight of Edmonton. They were visiting with Mrs. Annie Oliver and Mrs Pat Paterson and drove over to take some pictures of their school when they were young teachers.

Gordon Kilfoyle returned to his home after spending over two weeks in the Tofield hospital. He gets around with the aid of a crutch and a cane.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick, Brenda, Darrell and Leona spent four days visiting their cousins in Lethbridge and with Mr and Mrs. Syd Whitford in Calgary.

The dance held at the hall and sponsored by the Community League was well attended.

Madame Martha Rouyler has been confined to bed for several days with a painful back. Her friends all hope she will be up and around soon.

**Word received by Joe and Eva Davenport is that Doris is progressing very well in Edmonton. She is responding well to therapy and learning new words each day.**

Miss Peggi Rowland is now employed by Fibreglas Ltd. and commutes daily to work with her father.

Alex Penrice was an Edmonton shopper on Saturday.

Miss Helen Irwin has been making several visits to the district recently and was a dinner guest of Mrs. Helen Hennessy on Tuesday.

Rev. Howard Munro of Valleyview sends his greetings to all his friends at Ministik. He spent two summers on this field and is now enjoying a well deserved holiday in Toronto with Mrs. Munro's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Paterson and girls, Mr. and Mrs. George Kleinschroth and family and Mrs Tomlinson enjoyed the Camrose Fair on Monday. The many exxhibits especially were a big attraction to them.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thor and family were Sunday guests at the Alex Penrice home.

Mrs. Norman Wismore of Edmonton spent three days with Mrs. S. George last week.

**COINCIDENCE**

By sheer coincidence, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Clarke of Edmonton (Mrs. Clarke being the eldest daughter of Mrs. W. C. Barnes) on their return from a holiday trip to Vancouver, met at a campsite in the interior of B.C., Mr. and Mrs. John Witschi of Vancouver who were returning from a trip to Edmonton and Ministik.

Mrs. Irene Williams returned to her home in Edmonton Tuesday after spending a few days with her son, Keith, Betty and family.

Margaret and Edna Roddick and Douglas Embree of Edmonton spent the long weekend at the Jim Roddick home. They also gave assitance with the hay crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson, Gary and Glenn enjoyed Sunday at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Campbell at Pigeon Lake.

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. N. L. Campbell entertained at tea Tuesday, Aug. 3rd, for Mrs Gordon Hafso and children who are visiting from California. Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus and children and grandmothers, Mrs. T A. Liden and Mrs J. A. Giebelhaus, Mrs Ruxton and children were also present this being a party for the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen returned home Monday of last week from their two-week holiday.

Mrs. Joe Hooper visited with Mrs Lars Ritland last Thursday evening.

Mr and Mrs. Ruxton have had friends from Saskatchewan visiting with them for several days.

Mrs. Ernie Merta with two children, and her niece, Marilyn McDougall, who has been visiting with them for a few days, after attending a leadership course recently held at the College in Camrose, motored to Holden Friday. They, along with Beth's parents, Mr. and Mrs Percy Barlow, left Friday morning for Spirit River to visit with the Barlows' eldest daughter, Connie, and family, the MacDougalls, for several days. Marilyn was also to return home with them.

Miss Edna Giebelhaus was visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus over the weekend. Edna, who is on the teaching staff of the school at Jasper, has been attending summer school at the University of Alberta.

Mrs. Elsie Clark visited her family Saturday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs J A Giebelhaus their daughter, Edna, and John's sister, Miss Emma Giebelhaus, were supper guests with Mrs N. L. Campbell on Saturday evening.

Mrs Carrie Olson has an old time friend, Mrs. Nelson of Edmonton, visiting with her for several days. Mrs Nelson was a former Holden resident several years ago, and she was also calling on other old friends.

**MOVE TO DAYSLAND**

Mr. and Mrs Tony Basaraba and children left Holden August 2nd, after residing for several years. Tony has been the driver of Ernie Good's transport truck, and is going to Daysland where he intends to start a transport business of his own. Mrs. Basaraba and two children are staying for the present with her parents on the farm until suitable accommodation is found in Daysland.

Mrs Geo. Albrecht, who has not been well for the past several months, had been taken to Vegreville hospital for treatments.

Milton Peterson of Edmonton was a business visitor in Holden Monday of last week.

**John Hnybida purchased the pool hall and barber shop from Milton Peterson last week and is planning to do some needed repairs, and also to install inside plumbing.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason and three children of Welaskawin were visitors here for two days the end of last week. Ralph was helping at the service station while his father was in Saskatchewan the past few days doing hail adjusting.

**SEA CADET CAMP**

Eugene Bilyk left August 1st for Comox, B.C., for two weeks' training with the Sea Cadets. Lt Bilyk is in charge of 40 cadets from Camrose, Edmonton, Viking and Holden, and is the only officer accompanying the boys. They will return Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Semotiuk has been assisting Mr Bilyk in the post office while Gene has been taking his holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huseby and family and Hans Huseby attended the wedding of Henry's niece at Coronation on July 31st.

Lawrence Komarnisky was a business visitor in Camrose on Thursday of last week. Chris Hovland accompanied him and called on friends.

Mrs. Alice Hludilo and family of Wainwright were Friday business callers in Holden, driving here Thursday evening. They were overnight guests with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Elkowich.

Geo. H. Taylor was a caller at Viking and Ryley this past week on EMO business, checking and delivering EMO supplies.

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# Lakeshore –

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Ellen Eaton and Mervin Ross motored to Holden on Sunday afternoon and were supper guests at the home of Ellen's son Leroy and Shirley Eaton. Margie Eaton returned home with her grandmother for a few days visit on the farm.

Floyd and Louise Norton of Rocky Rapids, who are spending a few days visiting relatives and friends around Tofield were Tuesday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton. After dinner, Ellen and little granddaughter Margie Eaton accompanied them on a motor trip to Lavoy where they visited Ellen's brother-in-law Guy Weetman for a few hours, then later were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Ellen's niece Grace and Floyd Hubbard. En route home they called on another niece, Mrs. Vera Roper and family.

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# Patrige chairs CWNA annual convention

Ken Patrige is in Edmonton this week guiding deliberations of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association which is holding its annual convention at the Macdonald Hotel today, tomorrow and Friday. Nearly 400 members and visitors registered for the big affair.

President of the national association for the past year, Mr. Patrige heads a committee which has arranged a heavy agenda for the three-day meeting. Matters to be dealt with will include the future of an associated bureau for selling and handling national advertising, changes in association by-laws and technical discussions on new aspects of the publishing business.

Two associates in The Mercury, George Meyer and Chuck MacLean are also attending most of the sessions, while ad salesmen Angus Barlow and Gene Thirsk took in Wednesday afternoon's session dealing with advertising.

KEN PATRIGE

**THE WEATHER...**

| Aug. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 11 | 81 | 56 | 27.58 | ——— |
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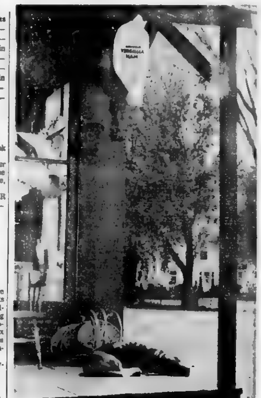
| 14 | 71 | 50 | 27.73 | ——— |
| 15 | 73 | 53 | —— | ——— |
| 16 | 63 | 49 | 27.71 | tr. rain |
| 17 | 70 | 51 | 27.86 | ——— |
| 18 | — | 51 | 27.75 | ——— |

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

To be humble is not to think meanly of one's self.

To be humble is knowing your character and abilities, to be willing to take a lower place, and perform a menial service.

—Lyman Abbott. JWR



LAZY DAYS OF SUMMER. This scene on the porch of a corner store could be recaptured in almost any small Canadian town on a hot summer day. Is there any town that doesn't have a pooch lazing somewhere under the hot afternoon sun, with time on its paws, preaching to townsfolk that patience is a virtue?

# DA stresses need for ASB advisory board

Stan Powers again stressed to the July 29th meeting of the County of Beaver Agricultural Service Board the importance of organizing the advisory committee for the board as soon as possible so that a working organization will be ready when the new board takes over on January 1st, 1966. He mentioned that Wm. Lobay and Charles Cheshire should be asked to attend the first meeting of this organization.

**TOUR**

An Agricultural Service Board tour was discussed and it was agreed that a tour be held on August 11th.

The secretary read a letter from the livestock branch of the department of agriculture regarding the purchase of weigh scales for the performance testing of beef cattle. There is a grant of one half of the cost of a scale up to $800 available if the County would purchase one for rental to beef cattle breeders.

Stan Powers said there are some farmers who are on this performance testing and there would be several more if these scales were avalaible.

The board felt that the County could perform a good service by making these scales available but the cost should be looked into first.

It was agreed the secretary write for costs and rental rates on a set of scales.

**NO NEW DA**

As it appears there has been no appointment of a district agriculturist to replace Stan Powers, it was moved by George Robinson and carried that the secretary write the department of agriculture requesting the appointment of a DA to this district as soon as possible.

The field supervisor's report revealed that weed control problems have increased this spring and summer due to wet ground conditions. However, most farmers are taking advantage of gaps in the wet weather pattern and are getting weeds under control. Problem farms are our main problem at present. Twenty-five farm calls were made re calliberating sprayers and assisting in chemical recommendations, 15 persistant perennial patches were treated. All weed complaints were checked and will be recorded till the end of the growing season. Farmers have been cooperative in reporting toad-flax patches. Nine weed samples were brought in for identification.

Three shelter-belts were spray-

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# See little damage from hail

Hail activity in this region is running well below normal for early August reports the Alberta Hail Studies group.

Located at the RCAF station at Penhold, the group has been using radar in conjunction with several other modern technical devices to try to gain more information on the activity of hail storms, and on the way in which storms build up.

Hail was observed within the project area on only six days during the first half of the month, with less than 100 hail reports mailed in by farmers. The average number of reports usually received during this period, based on the last eight years, is over [illegible]

# Stiffer fines for hunting infractions

Changes this year in the Alberta Game Act provide for much stiffer fines.

Minimum fines for carrying a loaded gun in a vehicle, shooting from a vehicle or improper scarlet clothing are now $50. Previously the minimum fine was $10.

Conviction also carries with it loss of hunting privileges for one year.

# Where is he?

(By Peter Nickel)

Something has gone wrong and the local Lions Club is beginning to wonder what.

The Japanese exchange student, expected to arrive here July 23rd, to be a guest of the Lions Club for one week, has still not arrived nor has there been any explanation as to his whereabouts. Lion Regehr also reported, at last week's supper meeting, of not having received any further information from the student since learning of his coming.

A report from the playground committee that the playgrounds have been worked up and grass seeded, was received with hurrahs from the 13 members present.

President Duguid, reporting on the leadership training convention, which Lion Nebrebeski and himself had attended, stated that there was a total of 1186 new Lions Clubs formed during the past year.

A flag discussion took place but, not having a Diefenbaker present, it ended briefly with flying banners in a unanimous decision that the club purchase a flag for their own use.

The Tailtwister once more stole the show but wondered whether it was worth it when members got the best of him, and he seriously and sadly volunteered paying a fine for the return of his wallet which he carelessly left behind while making his rounds. He got the wallet back, reporting that it was the neatest trick he had seen other than Houdini. Thus ended the case of the missing wallet and found one Tailtwister who does pay fines (a very rare occasion).

# Around the Town

**'FAREWELL' PARTY**

Eight friends of Chris Knutson gathered at Hoover's Beach last Friday night to hold a farewell weiner roast for him. Chris left on Sunday for Estevan, Sask., where he will reside with his sister.

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Out-of-town visitors at the T. Gray home on the weekend were Evie Gray, Allen Fair and Ken Raby of Calgary, and Deed and Robert Goubault and Jackie of Drayton Valley.

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**AT SON'S WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Patterson returned on Saturday evening from attending the wedding of their son, Neal, in Montreal on August 7th. Miss Glenda Patterson went by air to Montreal to be present also, and returned with her parents to Banff. Glenda will return to Tofield from Banff soon.

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**HERE FROM CALIFORNIA**

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Macura and family of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Dobrikovich of Eveleth, Minn., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sharun for a week. Dan Macura is a cousin of Wm. Sharun.

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Weekend visitors with Pete and Oliva Erickson were their daughter and son-in-law, Muriel and Bill Kleinschroth and family. Roger returned home with his parents after spending three weeks with his grandparents. A Sunday evening visitor was Parnell Lee of Round Hill.

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**RETURN TO PA.**

Dr. and Mrs. W. James Brickman of Philadelphia have returned home after visiting Edmonton. They were the guests of Mrs. Brickman's sister, Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and their niece, Edith Mary Smith. They were also guests of Mrs Brickman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson of Tofield. Dr. Brickman is a graduate of the University of Alberta and McGill University in Montreal. At present, he is the senior research leader of the Research Division International Airport, Philadelphia, Penn.

**BELTS IN MILWAUKEE**

Only two out of 29 drivers or front-seat passengers killed in Milwaukee traffic accidents last year were wearing seat belts at the time of the accident, according to the Milwaukee Safety Commission. Of the 27 victims not wearing belts, 12 were in cars equipped with belts. The remaining 15 had no seat belts available.

—Highway Safety News.

# 'Peace with honor'

Those who remember the famous comment of Britain's Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain as he returned from dealing with Hitler at Munich, must have recalled it again last weekend as prairie grain companies settled with the striking union grain handlers at the West Coast.

As pointed out by senior spokesmen for the companies, the settlement hardly makes sense from an economic point of view, and it becomes pretty clear reading between the lines that the government, through mediary Dr. Hardy, was holding a gun at their heads. Especially in the face of the announcement that Russia had agreed to purchase 187,000,000 bushels of wheat, nothing could be allowed to stand in the way of getting grain moving again, even though the Russian shipments will go through Eastern ports. After all, strikes have a way of spreading.

Unfortunately, the Alberta Wheat Pool was forced to yield eventually on the court action it instituted against the union for an illegal work stoppage. Hinging any part of the strike settlement on withdrawal of a legal action is definitely denying justice . . . regardless of whether the company would have won or lost the case.

However, the Pool's general manager, A. T. Baker, won at least a moral victory when he succeeded in gaining agreement to inclusion of a clause specifically prohibiting the union from illegal shutdowns during the life of the contract. It's just barely possible he will more highly prize the moral victory than any damages awarded through successful prosecution of the court action.

# Take off the pressure

Recent announcement that the course in dentistry in Alberta is to be increased from five to six years highlights a great deal of publicity the faculty has been getting recently. Much of it is mistaken, pointing out that Alberta annually has to import dentists from overseas or other areas to fill the needs of the province, but not pointing out why.

A lot of nonsense is being talked about modern methods of selection, choosing only the best applicants from among the 120 or so who annually seek to take up the profession.

The word selection should be changed to elimination, for the plain and simple fact is that the university must eliminate several candidates from the larger classes of earlier years, and cut the number to fifty, for this is all they can handle in the later years. There is not space enough, nor equipment enough, nor facilities for more than fifty, no matter how high are the qualifications of the students coming up.

If the Pearson administration were to accept Manning's proposition of setting up priorities, then surely education would come high on the list, and it would take only the diversion of a little bit of money to provide the extra facilities needed by the dental branch of the university to turn out more of these capable and qualified young people.

# Too simple?

Seems so simple it's hardly worth mentioning, really.

We were asked during the week why the new City Hall couldn't be built on the present site. After all, pointed out our questioner, the City owns eight full lots there . . . how many do they want? And they paid plenty for some of them, too. And the story of an old slough bed didn't worry our citizen friend, who pointed out that proper building techniques permit construction of buildings almost in a running river. Nice and central, too.

Probably so simple the architects hadn't even thought of it.

# Carnage in California

Race riots in Los Angeles this past week conjure up images that we can hardly conceive of in this country, and yet maybe we shouldn't be quite so detached.

While our treatment of the Canadian Indian has been abominable, there's little likelihood of a race explosion there because of the Indian's basic nature.

But what's the outlook so far as Quebec is concerned? Will we be able to hold in check the forces that seem to be breaking the country apart at the seams? Can we allay development of hate and tension on a level equal to that of the Los Angeles negro? Can French or non-French bring themselves to yield sufficiently to avoid the headlong collision which seems inevitable?

Or is the opinion held by some correct, that the French Canadians are now only biding their time until the 1967 World's Fair when they will launch an uprising and rebellion that would make Los Angeles look pale by comparison?

Seems incredible, but maybe wisdom dictates that you not be too positive.

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# By George!

With fewer than the usual number of football games scheduled to be televised this year, there no doubt has been, and will continue to be, a considerable drop in the number of TV viewers this year.

But oddly enough, this apparently is not the only thing drawing people away from the idiot box. There seems to be a definite trend toward less television viewing, according to the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation. Nevertheless, watching TV remains second only to sleeping as the nation's most popular activity, reports the CBC's research department.

During the first three months of 1965 the average Canadian had his TV set on for fewer hours than in the comparable period of 1964 and 1963. The report adds, however, that this will "require more basic data for confirmation".

Who knows? In a few years we Canadians may get back to living normal lives again.

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I'm just waiting for the day when some bright fellow takes a pair of skateboards or land surfers, or whatever they are called, and straps one to each foot. He will no doubt find that he can propell himself over cement sidewalks or wooden floors, much as is done with ice skates. And no doubt he will call this new fad "roller-skating".

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A school teacher noticed one of her first graders [illegible] in his chair with his stomach exposed.

"What's wrong, Bobby?" she asked. "Why are you showing us your tummy?"

"The principal told me to", answered Bobby.

"The principal?" asked the teacher. "Are you sure?"

"Yes, ma'am" replied Bobby, "Before school when I told him my stomach was hurting, he said to try to stick it out until noon".

# "If I wear gloves, I cannot see"

We are indebted to G. H. Cooper, Safety Director of Canada Packers Limited, for the following article a copy of which he had distributed to plant members earlier in the year. Its message of safety is well worth taking to heart.

Alan Guest, better known to his fellow employees as "Mickey", has worked in our electrical department for eight years. During this time he has never suffered a lost time or medical aid injury. The electricians' trade is considered a more hazardous than normal occupation.

Mickey spends most of his time in the electrical shop repairing faulty motors, electric saws, switchboxes, heaters etc. In his day to day work he has established the following routine:

1. His work area and work bench is kept tidy and clean all the time.
2. His tools are kept in good condition and in their proper place.
3. Every piece of equipment is cleaned before he dismantles it.
4. In addition to his safety helmet and safety shoes, he wears hockey shin guards.
5. When a motor or other piece of equipment is brought down to the shop for repair, Mickey always asks where it was used, what it was used for and how it acted before it failed.
6. Before he [illegible] anything, Mickey pauses and considers all the possibilities.

His insight into how to work safely is remarkable. He makes every effort to avoid burns, bruises and cuts to his hands and fingers. He detests the feel of grease and dirt on them, yet Mickey does not wear gloves, because, as he puts it . . . "If I wear gloves, I cannot see".

Yes, Mickey is blind, yet he is probably the safest worker in the Edmonton plant.

His fellow workers in the shop watch over him like a mother hen. When he goes out into the plant they guide him around or remove obstacles from his path. They warn him of steps, projecting pipes, etc., before he comes to them.

# From the mail bag

## Unlimited gall

Edmonton, Alta.
August 11, 1965.

Editor The Mercury,
Dear Sir:

Regarding your editorial "The Tower of Babey" and Mr. Babey's objections to God's Chief Justice for the Province of Alberta, Premier Manning, regarding our National Health Scheme.

First let me say you have unlimited gall in criticizing our farm organization policy while your own bread and butter comes from the goodwill of the farm community. Is it not an old adage "woe to him that bites the hand that feeds him"?

You say the policy of the farm organization is compulsory—such statement is preposterous in the extreme. We have a compulsory grain board which was brought about as a wartime measure by the Federal Government in the interests of wartime economy, without any consultation of our farm organization. Our farm policy is one of voluntary co-operation, for instance our wheat pool, dairy pool, livestock co-operative, machinery pool, co-op stores, etc. All of which operate upon a voluntary basis and are fostered by our farm organization, therefore when you charge our organization is autocratic and compulsive in action you are inviting libel action, from which even the great God Manning could not help you.

It is surprising in one of apparently limited capabilities and an editor of a farm publication, would be so presumptuous as to criticize a farm organization with a record of a half century of beneficial action to all agrarian people throughout all of Canada.

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TWO LOYALTIES. The flags of Quebec and Canada flying above Eskimo children at play near a Fort Chimo, Que. federal day school illustrates the position of Eskimos, caught in the middle of a tug-of-war as the Quebec Government manoeuvres to gain administrative control over them in Quebec, though they have previously been in Ottawa's hands.

# Modern Etiquette

(By ROBERTA LEE)

Q. Is it all right to use printed cards of thanks when acknowledging flowers, mass cards and donations sent during one's bereavement?

A. As always, it is better to send a note rather than a commercial card, but if a great many must be sent, it is permissible to send the printed cards, since friends understand the stress you are under at such a time. These acknowledgements should be mailed out as soon as possible.

Q. Would it be all right for me to telephone, instead of writing notes and cards, to all the good friends who sent me flowers and gifts while I was in the hospital.

A. Yes, this is perfectly proper.

Q. Should the used silver be left on the platter when it is being removed from the dinner table?

A. Yes.

Q. Where should one's return address be properly placed on the envelope of a letter?

A. The preferred position is in the upper lefthand corner of the face of the envelope — although when the envelope is too small for this, the return address is sometimes written on the back flap.

Q. My husband always insists on smoking his cigars at social functions, despite the fact that all the other guests are smoking cigarettes. Isn't this improper of him?

A. Not at all. There is nothing at all wrong with a cigar at any affair where other people are smoking.

Q. Are the guests at a wedding reception supposed to wait until the bridal party dances the first dance?

A. Not necessarily. If the floor has been cleared for dancing, and the orchestra is playing the guests are expected to dance.

Q. When chicken pie or something of that sort is served in an individual baking dish in a public eating place, how should it be eaten?

A. Usually these individual dishes are placed beside your plate and you help yourself to half the contents at a time, allowing the remaining half to keep hot in the baking dish.

Q. If a funeral notice states "Funeral private", what does it mean?

A. Exactly what it says. Relatives and close friends are notified by phone or handwritten notes by the person helping out as to the time of the rites. Only they attend.

Q. My husband has invited one of his business associates and his wife to dine in our home. I have met the man, but not his wife. Should I phone her and confirm the invitation?

A. This would be a cordial and courteous thing to do.

Q. When one is attending a banquet and doesn't drink coffee, is it proper to indicate this fact to the waiter by turning one's cup over?

A. No. It is much better to indicate the fact by a slight shake of the head and a "No, thank you" to the waiter who is about to serve you.

# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

Philip and Norma Anderson and girls, Anne Anderson, Chas. and Pauline Rude, Linda, Lois and Brian and Emil Rude returned home on Sunday evening from a holiday at Banff.

Grandma Foshaug was a dinner guest with the Arnold Johnsons on Sunday. In the afternoon they visited at the George and Ralph Undin homes, in celebration of Cathy's birthday.

Visitors at the Clarence Rude home on Saturday evening for Merlin's birthday were Ivan and Olive Foshaug, Leif and Evelyn Foshaug, and Joanne and Gail Lauber.

LCW MEETS

The LCW met at the home of Mrs. Mabel Johnson on Wednesday afternoon. In the absence of the president, Mary Finseth led the meeting and also gave the devotion. Gladys Severson led the Bible study, and Beatrice Mosby was in charge of the offering meditation. Mabel Johnson and Mary Finseth served lunch. Mrs. Nita Kindley will be hostess for the September meeting.

Visitors at the Arnold Johnson home on Arnold's birthday Wednesday evening were Grandma Foshaug, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haukedal, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Baergen, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stauffer and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mosby and Berry, Mrs. Olive Foshaug, Mrs. Evelyn Foshaug and David Strand.

# Kingman news

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Aug. 9th. - Mr. Carlson of Provost, an old acquaintance of Albanus Johnson, spent Sunday and Monday at the Brith Johnson home visiting with the A. Johnsons who spent the weekend there.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Heie and daughter Norma left Friday on a holiday to Prince Rupert and other points in B.C.

Brian Simonson and Arne Skoglund are spending a week at Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hovelson, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hovelson left Saturday on a trip to Prince George, B.C., and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Bjarne Erickson and children of Edson were Friday evening visitors at the Lewis Erga home. The Ericksons were camping at Miquelon Lake Provincial Park.

Miss Audrey Anderson, employed at the AGT in Wetaskiwin, was a weekend visitor with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ovelson, Peggy and Beverly, left on Sunday for a 10-day holiday to New Westminster, B.C., to visit relatives and friends.

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Maid of honor was Miss Joanne Lauber, sister of the bride, and Miss Norma Wells and Miss Phyllis Lauber, cousin of the bride were bridesmaids. They wore identical floor-length gowns of [illegible] nylon sheer over taffeta with bow and train and carried cascades of creamy yellow carnations with blue bows. They wore matching headpieces of flower and nylon net. [illegible] girl was Lynn Lauber, sister [illegible] the bride, who wore a dress [illegible] yellow nylon sheer over taffeta. Her headpiece was white and yellow floral with yellow ribbons. She carried a [illegible] of [illegible] of shasta daisies.

Bestmen were Robert Knudslien brother of the groom, and Gary [illegible] and Jim Chappell, friends of the groom. Ushers were Jim Lauber brother of the [illegible], Derrill Albrecht and Geo Bekker friends of the groom.

The bride's mother wore a two-piece [illegible] bone-colored accessories. Her corsage [illegible]. The groom's mother wore a two-piece dark green dress with white accessories with a pink carnation corsage.

During the signing of the register, the Lauber brothers sang "The Lord's Prayer".

A reception was held in the Legion Hall for 200 guests. A lovely three-tiered cake, decorated by the bride's grandmother, centred the bride's table, surrounded with yellow and white gladioli. Miss Sylvia Yoder was in charge of the guest book. Garnet Burnstad was master of ceremonies and Harold Parsons proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom capably responded.

For travelling to Jasper the bride wore a light blue two-piece suit with white accessories.

Mr and Mrs Glen Knudslien will reside on the farm north of Ryley.

[illegible] guests [illegible] Vancouver, Calgary, Edmonton, Holden, Viking [illegible] Tofield.

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## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Westmanaent)

[illegible] Davick were in Calgary over the weekend.

### FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr and Mrs. Leslie Brock of Loma Linda, Calif., are visiting at the S. N. Booth home. Mrs. Brock and Mrs. Booth are sisters. The visitors are travelling by car and trailer.

Visitors at the Bob Rohne home are Mr. and Mrs. Dave Meineve of Whittier, Calif. They came by truck and trailer. Mrs. Meineve is a cousin of Bob. On Sunday they held a family reunion picnic.

Patients in the Tofield hospital this week are Mrs. Amy Pope, Mrs. Beulah Oslund, S. Powers, H. Parsons, H. Hillerud, H. Podrezny and R. Dyer.

A number of local district residents were in Calgary on Saturday for Marvin Jacobsen's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Neraasen returned home over the weekend from their extended holiday in and around the West Coast cities of Vancouver and Victoria.

### HOME FROM GERMANY

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hagen have returned from their six-week holiday in Norway. They travelled by air both ways and had a wonderful time renewing old friendships and visiting old familiar places.

Aino and Jackie Jensen, and Eric and Effie Larson spent the weekend at Sylvan Lake.

## 45 at family get - together

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE — On Sunday, Aug 15th, some 45 adults and children of the Wood family and relatives gathered for their annual get-together and picnic dinner on the [illegible] at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and family. Among those attending were Horace Rollans and son, David, and [illegible] Dougie Davies, also a friend of David, Elaine, two other sons and [illegible] families Bill and Marie Rollans and five children Don and Betty Rollans and da[illegible], Shelly, Joe and Esther Majakey and Mrs Iva Logan, all of Edmonton, John and Mary Wood and their family, namely, Johnnie and Gloria Wood and baby, Cathy, Lorene and Jim Francis and three children of Viking, Dode and Robert Goubault and son and daughter, Jack and Judy of Drayton Valley, Evie and Vic Halwa [illegible] of Edmonton Mrs Ethel Wood and son, [illegible], [illegible] daughter, [illegible] and Lorne Berrecloth and baby, David, Ethel's niece, Barbara Baines, George Abernethy and sister, Mrs M[illegible] Patch, and a friend of the family, Miss Loretta Ross of St Albert.

## Lakeshore -

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs [illegible] Olson of Holden was a Tuesday afternoon visitor and supper guest at the home of Roy [illegible] Ruth Wickenberg last week.

On Tuesday afternoon of last week, Earl and Bueala Cundiff of [illegible]ottsford B C and Mrs Nettie Thomas of Lacombe arrived at the [illegible] of Earl and Nettie's sister Ruth and Roy Wickenberg and were guests there until noon Thursday when they left on a motor trip to Swan Hills and other points into the north, along the Alaska Highway.

On August 7th George and Ida Niemets motored to Calgary where they were weekend [illegible] at the [illegible] of Ida's brother, Harold and Clara Ulrich. They returned home Monday [illegible].

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Maid of honor was Miss Joanne Lauber sister of the bride and Miss Norma Wells and Miss Phyllis Lauber, cousin of the bride were bridesmaids They wore identical floor-length gowns of base nylon sheer over taffeta with bow and train and carried cascades of creamy yellow carnations with blue bows They wore matching headpieces of flower and nylon net. Flower girl was Lynn Lauber, sister of the bride, who wore a dress of yellow nylon sheer over taffeta. Her headpiece was white and yellow floral with yellow ribbons. She carried a basket effect of shasta daisies

Bestmen were Robert Knudslien, brother of the groom, and Gary Scabar and Jim Chappell, friends of the groom Ushers were Jim Lauber, brother of the bride, Derrill Albrecht and Geo Bekker friends of the groom

The bride's mother wore a two-piece dark pink dress with bone-colored accessories. Her corsage was pink carnations. The groom's mother wore a two-piece dark green dress with white accessories with a pink carnation corsage

During the signing of the register, the Lauber brothers sang "The Lord's Prayer"

A reception was held in the Logan Hall for 200 guests. A lovely three-tiered cake, decorated by the bride's grandmother centred the bride's table, surrounded with yellow and white gladioli Miss Sylvia Yoder was in charge of the guest book. Gar-

net Burnstad was master of ceremonies and Harold Parsons proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom capably responded.

For travelling to Jasper the bride wore a light blue two-piece suit with white accessories

Mr and Mrs. Glen Knudslien will reside on the farm north of Ryley.

Out-of-town guests were from Vancouver, Calgary, Edmonton, Holden, Viking and Tofield

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## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Rennie Jensen and Jimmie Davick were in Calgary over the weekend.

### 45 at family get - together

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE — On Sunday, Aug 15th, some 45 adults and children of the Wood family and relatives gathered for their annual get-together and picnic dinner on the lawn at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and family Among those attending were Horace Rollans and son, David, and grandson, Dougie Davies, also a friend of David, Elaine, two other sons and their families, Bill and Marie Rollans and five children Don and Betty Rollans and daughter, Shelly, Joe and Esther Majakey and Mrs. Iva Logan, all of Edmonton, John and Mary Wood and their family, namely, Johnnie and Gloria Wood and baby, Cathy, Lorene and Jim Francis and three children of Viking, Dode and Robert Goubault and son and daughter, Jack and Judy of Drayton Valley, Evie and Vic Halwa and three children of Edmonton, Mrs. Ethel Wood and son, Donald, and daughter, Marg and Lorne Berrecloth and baby, David, Ethel's niece, Barbara Baines, George Abernethy and sister, Mrs Mildred Patch, and a friend of the family, Miss Loretta Ross of St. Albert.

### Lakeshore -

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Blanche Olson of Holden was a Tuesday afternoon visitor and supper guest at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg last week.

On Tuesday afternoon of last week, Earl and Buesla Cundiff of Abbottsford, B.C., and Mrs. Nettie Thomas of Lacombe arrived at the home of Earl and Nettie's sister, Ruth, and Roy Wickenberg and were guests there until noon Thursday when they left on a motor trip to Swan Hills and other points into the north, along the Alaska Highway

On August 7th, George and Ida Niemetz motored to Calgary where they were weekend guests at the home of Ida's brother, Harold and Clara Ulrich They returned home Monday evening.

FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brock of Loma Linda, Calif., are visiting at the S. N. Booth home. Mrs. Brock and Mrs. Booth are sisters. The visitors are travelling by car and trailer.

Visitors at the Bob Rohos home are Mr and Mrs. Dave Moiseve of Whittier, Calif. They came by truck and trailer. Mrs. Moiseve is a cousin of Bob. On Sunday they held a family reunion picnic.

Patients in the Tofield hospital this week are Mrs. Amy Pope, Mrs. Beulah Oslund, S. Powers, H. Parsons, H. Hillerud, H. Pedreany and R. Dyer.

A number of local district residents were in Calgary on Saturday for Marvin Jacobson's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Nerassen returned home over the weekend from their extended holiday in and around the West Coast cities of Vancouver and Victoria.

HOME FROM GERMANY

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hagen have returned from their six-week holiday in Norway. They travelled by air both ways and had a wonderful time renewing old friendships and visiting old familiar places.

Arno and Jackie Jensen, and Eric and Effie Larson spent the weekend at Sylvan Lake.

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# Holden news briefs

Visitors last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ritland were Mr. Ritland's sister, Mrs. Tom Bratrud, of Camrose, and her eldest daughter Connie, who was visiting from Seattle, U.S.A. Mrs. Bratrud and Connie were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden.

**HOUSE CHANGES**

Mr and Mrs Armand Wellman moved the end of this past week into the living quarters at the Alberta Marketers' building from the residence of Reinhold Lotz, where they have been living since coming to Holden this spring. Mr. and Mrs. Lotz are moving soon into their house to make their home there.

Mr. Ranton is presently conducting classes for intended communicants of the Ryley and Holden United Church.

A recent visitor for a weekend with Mr and Mrs. Alex Tymchuk was Mrs. Tymchuk's sister, Mrs. Josie Swansen, of Edmonton.

Ray Howland was a business visitor in Edmonton last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Malick of Strome, who attended the funeral in Holden of Mrs. Nahonaswich on August 6th, were callers later with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Malick and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby motored to Banff Saturday afternoon, where Mrs. Appleby is attending as a delegate from the Beaver A.Y.A. the A.Y.A. Conference being held there from August 13th to 22nd. Mrs. Pearl Allen, who has been at summer school at the University of Alberta, was to attend the conference later in the week after writing exams.

Rev. and Mrs. Lozynski, with Mr. and Mrs. William Ogrodnick, were recent visitors for a day with friends at St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barton were visitors with Mrs. N. L. Campbell on Sunday after church also dinner and supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Laustsen and children returned home the end of the week from a two weeks' holiday.

## Pardon me, I'm on fire

Aldermen and spectators at Camrose city council meeting had a good laugh when Ald. Glenn Smith, who had been called to the telephone earlier in the meeting, stood up and asked, "May I be excused for a few minutes, Your Worship? That telephone call I received about an hour ago was to tell me my warehouse is on fire".

As the laughter died down, Mr. Smith who is agent for Royalite Bulk Oil and Gasoline service in Camrose, explained that he had been advised the fire had been extinguished, but that he would be wise to check it again in about an hour's time.

"I guess we can excuse you by all means", replied the mayor.

The fire was actually a smouldering mop in a closet at the warehouse, not too close to oil and gasoline supplies. It was discovered by Mr. Smith's assistant, Al Sayce, who went into the closet quite by chance. "Had he been a few minutes later no doubt the warehouse would have gone up in flames", commented Mr Smith later.


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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

On August 8th, Elmer and Vi Geoglein motored to Hanna where they were overnight guests at the home of Vi's brother, Bill, and Eileen Taylor. They also visited Bill and Vi's father, Tom Taylor, in the Sunshine Chimes' Home there, returning home Monday. Mr. T. Taylor was an oldtime resident of Tofield and former owner of the Red and White Store, known as Taylor's Store for many years. Vi reports him well and happy in his new home.

Charlie and Mickey Niemetz and son, Doug, their daughter, Mrs. Patsy Loxton and baby, Cheryl, were Friday evening visitors at the home of Charlie's brother, George, and Ida Niemetz.

Don and Deanna Niemetz and little son, Sheldon, of Edmonton, were weekend visitors at the home of Don's parents, George and Ida Niemetz.

Wayne Rodway and friend, Shirley, of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Wayne's grandfather, Jack Johnston.

Mrs. Bertha Seale of Edmonton arrived Monday at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein for a few days' visit.

Charlie and Mickey Niemetz and son, Doug, and little granddaughter, Cheryl Loxton, also George and Ida Niemetz were all Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Eleanor and Ernie Runner.

Barbara and Patty Raines of Edmonton arrived Friday evening and were overnight guests at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Ethel Wood and family. On Saturday, Ethel's brother, Doug, and Fran and two little boys and their friend, a little boy from Imerik, were afternoon visitors and supper guests there. Patty returned home with them and Barb remained until Sunday evening when she returned home.

Mrs. Vi Geoglein, Mrs. Bertha Seale of Edmonton and Mrs. Mary Wood were Monday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mary's daughter-in-law, Mrs. (Johnny) Gloria Wood.

**RETURNS TO WASHINGTON**

George Abernethy, his sister, Mrs. Mildred Paich of Bellingham, Wash., Mrs. Bessie Hunter, Mrs. Mabel Bailey and Mrs. Ethel Wood motored to Edmonton on Monday morning where Mildred boarded the train in the afternoon to return to her home in the United States, after having spent some time here with her brother, George.

Little Margie Eaton left for her home in Holden on Friday afternoon, after having spent from Sunday to Friday with her grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton, on the farm.

**REAR TRANSFERS**

Sunday visitors, dinner and late afternoon luncheon guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton were her niece, Mrs. Vera Roper and small children, Allan and Edith, also her elder son, Walter and his wife, Bernice, and Bill McCutcheon, all of Lavoy. Walter and Bernice are spending Walter's leave from the air force with his mother. They are being transferred from Sioux Lookout in Ontario to Prince George, B.C., and will leave for his new posting on Thursday of this week.

Larry and Liz Wickenberg and two small daughters, Sandra and Gail of Edmonton were homeay visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Liz's grandparents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg in Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiltshire, their daughter, Mrs. Liz Wickenberg and two small daughters, Sandra and Gail of Edmonton, were Monday evening visitors and [illegible] of the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wickenberg, Sandra and Gail remained overnight with their great-grandparents. Their parents, Larry and Liz, came down Tuesday night and took them back home.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

We are very pleased to be able to report that Sharron Rudzki came home Wednesday of last week after her stay in the University Hospital. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Doug and Vivian Murray of Tofield were Sunday afternoon callers and coffee guests at the home of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen.

Verlyn and Ollie Moss motored to Calgary and spent the weekend of August 7th with their daughter, Marilyn, and Don Langille and two sons. Verlyn was making the acquaintance of his new grandson, Trevor Todd.

Bob Moss spent last weekend in Calgary at the home of his sister, Marilyn, and Don Langille and children. He was getting acquainted with his new nephew, Trevor.


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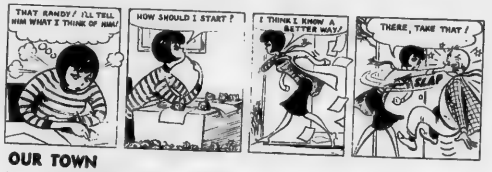


## OUR TOWN

## SMALL WORLD

# Spilstead church news

(Wm. E. Griffin)

The fortnightly service of worship was held on Friday evening Aug 6th. at the home of Mr and Mrs. Schn all host and hostess for the occasion, who welcomed each guest with friendly warmth.

Service began when Mrs. Dorothy Brown accompanied both by her piano accordian and led in the choir singing of favorite hymns.

Harold Dunham conducted the service proper. Student minister Miss Irwin was present, but Mr Dunham was relieving her for the evening, for, since her arrival on this mission field in mid May, Miss Irwin has been constantly active in her daily ministry in the area, including Minnehik, Cooking Lake and Spilstead

Mr Dunham's message was based on a need we all have—that our God is never far from us, but very, very near if only we will believe.

A social hour followed the service, and hostess, Mrs. Schmidt, assisted by other ladies of the congregation, served a delicious lunch, making the social hour more enjoyable still

These home gatherings for worship are most happy occasions, not only for community singing and worship, but also for the warmth of the friendships we form, not as prominent in larger congregations. All will find a hearty welcome awaiting you on August 20th in the home to be announced later

**Correction:** Miss Helen Irwin is not a theological student at St. Stephen's College, Edmonton, as formerly reported by this writer, but of Emmanuel College, Toronto.

# Kingman district notes

**FAMILY RE-UNION**

A family re-union was held at the Cecil Simpson home on Sunday Aug 1st when 41 members of the Roy Phillip family and in-laws children were present It is the first time in 21 years the family had all been together In the gathering were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillip Mr and Mrs Gene Phillip of Victoria, B.C Mr and Mrs. Gilbert Phillip and Mr. and Mrs Bob Phillip of Edmonton and families, Mr and Mrs Pat Phillip of Dewalt, Mr and Mrs Hercules and Karen, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Leskanich of Holden, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis of Edmonton

Miss Jeanette Heie nurse-in-training at the Misericordia Hospital in Edmonton, spent two days at her home here.

Misses Mabel and Alice Simonson and Mrs John Bible visited with Oscar Puglem at Hughenden on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Norman Hovelson and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hovelson returned Saturday evening from a week's holiday in Valhalla Centre, in northern Alberta. Prince George and Kamloops, B.C., where they visited with relatives They returned home via Lake Louise and Jasper

Mr and Mrs Ray Hasson and boys returned to Edmonton on Sunday night after spending two weeks on the farm with Mrs. Hasson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P Osirus

Saturday dinner guests at the Terkel tameas home were Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Omess from Chicago, Mr and Mrs. Don Kalisky and Sonja of North Surrey, B.C. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hansen, Erik, Cheryl and Brenda Hansen, and Jim Holton of Edmonton

Friday a storm did considerable damage to crops and gardens in this district

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Wruck and family were Edmonton visitors with relatives and friends

Mrs. Marg Dalby of Edmonton spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. E. Brewer, and the Ralph Urquharts

L. R Flemming is enjoying a visit from his brother, George Flemming of Truro, Nova Scotia

Eddy and Tony Kosak and Leslie Coykendall left Saturday on a trip to B.C., travelling via the Hart Highway

Hugo Hovelson and Ove Jessos of Edmonton spent the week-end fishing at Faverett Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Byergum and family were Sunday visitors at Tofield with the Gabe Tarkemas.

# DA stresses

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ed for insect damage

Roadside spraying is proceeding very well, around 700 miles have been sprayed. We are being accused of contaminating Parkside grass with chemicals There is no danger whatever in cutting this grass for hay. 2-4-D is not a poison and deteriorates after application

Seven shelter belt weed control demonstrations were put out Brush control and pasture improvement demonstrations were done in the Blackfoot community pasture. A total of 160 acres were sprayed by aircraft

One hundred and ten pellets and strychnine cubes were re-issued for coyote control Three Norway rat reports were checked and found to be pocket gophers. Four farmers have made use of the magpie traps

Tree lists were sent out for 1966 planting, some varieties are scarce and farmers are reminded to get their applications in early

Roadside seeding will be delayed till the first of September due to excessive water in ditches, said the field supervisor

**WEED INSPECTION**

Charles Sears reported that he had covered the south half of the county as weed inspector The main problem is that due to the wet weather, spraying was not done when it should have been and in some cases not at all Also some farmers are pasturing summerfallow and the weeds are going to seed. He reported that there is a large increase of white cockle in some areas. As this is an annual weed the only way to get rid of it is by summerfallow Weed chemicals have no effect

# Church notes

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
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Sunday Services

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11:00 a.m. 1st Sunday of Month —Holy Communion
11 00 a.m. 2nd. 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays—Morning Prayer.

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Summer Schedule

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Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ..... 10.30 a.m.

MINISTER—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

# Ross Creek district news briefs

(Iris Dillon)

Lorraine Lappenbusch of Mayerthorpe was a guest for a week at the home of Graham and Elma Snider

Ivan and Florence Malcolm and family spent the weekend visiting with Florence's sister Hazel and family, at Stettler

John and Irene Warner and family and Ralph and Alice Cosgrey and family spent Sunday at Beaver Lake Beach

George and Rose McLachlan visited Margaret Hogg on Wednesday at the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton, where Margaret is a patient

**AIR CADETS HOME**

Air Cadets Scott McLellan, Wally Malkewich, Jim Eglenski and Gregory Bilan, all of Ross Creek, arrived home Friday evening, after spending a most enjoyable two weeks at Air Force Summer Camp at Namao Stuart Snider, who attended Camp Jarvis Survival Training at Jasper, has also returned home

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore were Wednesday evening visitors at the home of George and Winnie McLachlan

Raymond and Frances McLachlan spent the weekend at Pigeon Lake with their daughter Gayele who is spending the summer there baby-sitting Mr and Mrs Grant Becker Sr. and their two grandsons, Garry and Kevin, were also weekend vacationers at Pigeon Lake

Frances McLachlan's sister Mary and her husband, of Willingdon, were the weekend guests at the home of Raymond and Frances, bringing Randy home from his holiday

**VISIT TO FAIRVIEW**

Ernest and Beatrice Ferrel and daughter Ruth and her husband Doug, and family, were visitors from Thursday of last week to Sunday with daughter Joan and husband, at Fairview.

**AT GRADUATION**

Howard and Nell Malcolm and Ivan and Florence Malcolm attended the graduation of their niece, Nurse Claudia Malcolm, held at the Oliver Institute, Alberta Hospital The reception was held at the Nurses' Residence

Howard and Nell Malcolm and family were Friday evening visitors at the home of Ralph and Alice Cosasy

Dr. Elmer Van Buskirk and his wife from the United States visited with relatives and friends in Ross Creek last week

Robert and Freda Olsen and daughter Robin, and Freda's mother, Mrs Bessie Pederson, were visitors with Kenneth and Betty Pederson on Sunday.

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# ROBINSON STORES
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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. S. K. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. Lars Olson left for Banff on Sunday to attend the Alberta Teachers' Association Workshop conference being held there to the end of the week.

Mrs Carrie Olson was a visitor in Vegreville Tuesday of last week

**AT CADET CAMP**

Gene Pilyk returned home Saturday afternoon after spending the past two weeks training at Cumen, B.C He was in charge of cadets from Edmonton, Camrose, Holden and Viking Mr Bilyk and the Holden Sea Cadets came home on the transcontinental, which let them off at Holden

Mr and Mrs. J. Lindberg and children are home after spending a week holidaying at Miquelon Lake.

Mrs Marian Tkaczyk returned home, after spending a week at Drayton Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow returned home Wednesday night of last week, after spending several days visiting with their daughter Connie and family, Mr and Mrs MacDougall, and taking home their granddaughter Marilyn Their daughter Beth, Mrs. Ernie Merta, and two children who also made the trip, returned with them

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

The Vacational Bible study school held last week in the United church parlors was very successful, with several children comes from Bruce with Mrs. Ken Stambaugh to take part. The sessions were under the leadership of Mr Vosgilin of Ryley and the teachers were Mrs Ken Stambaugh and K. L. and from Bruce Miss Ethel Brown and Mrs N. L. Campbell At the conclusion of the week's classes the pupils and teachers presented a gift of appreciation to Mr. Vosgilin

Mrs Carrie Olson spent three days last week in Edmonton on business and visiting She returned home Friday evening accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Alice Jones, of Edmonton, who spent the weekend visiting here

Mrs Nelson, a former old time Holden resident who has been visiting with many of her old friends in the village and district left Holden on Saturday evening for Lac Park to visit with her son before returning home.

**FALLS FROM HORSE**

Jaqueline Rankovich, young daughter of Mr and Mrs Maurice Rankovich, had the misfortune to fall from her horse when it reared. The mishap occurred on Wednesday of last week and she was taken to hospital for treatment and observation Reports say she was not hurt except for a badly swollen lip. Her mother brought her home Thursday morning

Mr and Mrs Leroy Eaton and young son were visitors Tuesday of last week with Leroy's mother, Mrs Ellen Eaton, at Tofield, and picked up their young daughter Margie who had been spending a few days with her grandmother

Mr and Mrs John Lemke and children returned home the end of last week from holidaying and fishing at Lake Wabamun, Sask.

**Mrs. George Albrecht returned home after spending a few days receiving treatments in the Vegreville Hospital, but is still not feeling well.**

Mike Pastuyk of Edmonton was a business caller in Holden on Tuesday of last week, and looking over the crops on the farm

Mrs Sophie Chaplin spent two days last week at the farm home of her sister, Mrs. Cherney, assisting with canning garden produce and helping with the chores

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chaplin are presently to leave on holidays the beginning of the week. They hoped to drive to points around Banff and Radium Hot Springs and then drive on to Kelowna to visit Mr and Mrs Ted Sim, former Holden district residents They will possibly drive on to Vancouver to visit with relatives there Their daughter Betty will be looking after the store while her parents are away.

Mrs N L. Campbell heard from her grandson, Jimmie Campbell, of Lacha, that he was going to play with the RCAF Band which was giving a concert in Borden Park, Edmonton, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Renton were visitors in Viking on Friday of last week.

**AT WEDDING**

Out-of-town guests at the wedding of Miss Carol Hurum of Holden and Mr. Maxwell of Viking, on August 7th. were Mrs. Ken Brandon and David Evenson of Dawson Creek, B.C., Mr. and Mrs. George Rausch of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Burkholz of Hay Lakes and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pedersen of Camrose

Alan Thedersman of Edmonton visited during the weekend with his family, Mr and Mrs Henry Thedemann, David and Robert

Mr and Mrs. George H Taylor spent Sunday visiting in Edmonton, and were dinner and supper guests with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mair.

Bruce Appleby of Edmonton was visiting part of the weekend with his family, the Bert Applebys.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Armitage and children, of Manning, were visitors with Ardenna's parents, Mr and Mrs Clint Armstrong, over the weekend, and meeting Bruce's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Armitage, who were expected from Saskatchewan.

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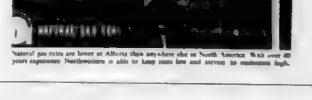

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# Palmer - Earling notes

(Mrs. J. Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING, Aug. 13th —Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tough of Seattle, Wash., have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Carrie Bratrud in Camrose and relatives here.

Sunday guests at the Lawrence Pearse home were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pearse, Paul, Scott, Kelly and Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pickrel and Corey, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pearse, Wendy and Darlene, all of Edmonton.

The Zion LCW met Wednesday at the church when the Bible Study was given by Mrs. Haakon Ronsberg.

Anton Peter is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose.

The George Moshys entertained many relatives Sunday afternoon. On Saturday evening many were callers at the Alvin Bratrud home to celebrate Selma's birthday.

### 82nd BIRTHDAY

On Sunday, the Knudson families will assemble at the Chester Throndson home in honor of their mother, Mrs. Ragna Knudson, who will mark her 82nd birthday.

Mrs. Alma Steffen, Edof Wikhm, Hans Huseby, the Clarence Johnsons and Jacob Lovrods of Bawlf, were recent visitors with the Joe Knudsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Knudsen have returned from a motor holiday to Vancouver Island.

Janice and Darlene Watland of Armena spent the week with their aunt, Mrs. Ed Knudson.


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# Increase assistance for dugout

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Yet it is just in these years, when there is so much water, that wise farmers will look ahead and prepare storage for the dry years that may come again, says L. J. Kroeger of Vegreville, who is associated with PFRA.

During the dry years just past, it was found by many farmers and ranchers, that what they did not like about dugouts was only that there were not enough of them—and that they should have been made even bigger.

The bigger and deeper the hole, the less chance there is of running out of water if a year or two of very light snowfall comes our way. A big dugout is cheap water supply insurance.

To help farmers and ranchers make larger holes, the Canada Department of Agriculture, through PFRA, has increased maximum financial assistance for a dugout to $300.

The grant, as in the past, is based on the cubic yards excavated. Payment is made at the rate of 7c per cubic yard up to a maximum of $300.

On a typical project, to obtain full assistance, the dugout must be almost 4300 cubic yards in [illegible].

A dugout 200 feet long, 70 feet wide, and 14 feet deep, with 1½ to 1 side slopes and 4 to 1 end slopes, is almost 4300 cubic yards.

In this area many people prefer to make a shorter, wider hole. If so, then a dugout 180 feet long, 85 feet wide, 12 feet deep with side slopes 1½ to 1 and end slopes 4 to 1, is also about 4300 cubic yards in size.

This increase in size will give an additional 60,000 gallons of water in the dugout. The largest size dugout should be particularly appealing to farmers who are considering a modern water supply and sewage system and will require a more adequate and dependable water supply. In order to obtain further information regarding your dugout program apply as in the past to your Municipal Secretary-Treasurer, your District Agriculturist, or you may write directly to the PFRA District Office in Vegreville.

# Lakeshore-

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle of Kelowna, B.C., were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of their daughter, Isabel and Rod Rudacki.

Mrs. Bessie Hunter of Tofield and Mrs. Kay Walker and children were Tuesday afternoon visitors, and Rev. McDannold was an afternoon caller at the home of Isabel and Rod Rudacki and family.

Elmer and Vi Geoglein and Mrs. Bertha Seale motored to Killam on Tuesday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chevreaux for the day. Mrs. Chevreaux is the former Marion Foreman and resided immediately west of Tofield. Vi, Bertha and Marion were schoolmates and friends for many years.

### SASKATCHEWAN HOLIDAY

Emil and Martha Tiedemann, their daughter, Yvonne, and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot, Sandy and Irene Scott and daughter, Gloria of Lindbrook, and Mrs. Bertsch and sons, David and Daryl of Edmonton went on a motor tour to Saskatchewan. They left on Saturday evening travelling on Highway 14 to near the Alberta-Saskatchewan border where they spent the night at a campsite. On Sunday morning, they motored to Battleford and later North Battleford. They visited the museums at both places. On the return trip, they came home on Highway 13 and stopped at the museum at Czar. They arrived home Sunday evening and report a very enjoyable trip throughout.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg were Monday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.


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The posted list is open to inspection during business hours.

Any qualified elector may make application for the correc ion of any error or omission in the said Voters' List by serving notice upon the secretary-treasurer in writing on or before the seventh day of September, 1965.

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# Double - ring ceremony for Murdoch - Huseby wedding

Strathcarn United church, Edmonton, was the setting for a lovely summer wedding on Saturday July 17th, at 1:30 p.m., when Norma Jeanne Marina, daughter of Henry N. Huseby of Holden, became the bride of Lorne Ian Murdoch, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Murdoch of Edmonton. Rev. Ray Leppard performed the ceremony. Mrs. Haythorne was organist, and Mrs. Don Bishop was soloist for the occasion.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiant in a long white gown of silk organza, with scooped neckline, applique of French lace on the waistline and skirt, lily-point sleeves and cape train of French lace with seeded pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of red roses.

Bridesmaids were Miss Janet Standing and Miss Colleen Murdoch. Their identical dresses were of turquoise green organza over taffeta with an overskirt. Their headpieces were miniature tiaras of rhinestone and pearl, and they carried cascade bouquets of white carnations.

The bestmen were Wayne Murdoch and Terrence Huseby. Ushers were Al Scott and Raymond Franceeur.

Mrs. Huseby wore a navy suit white accessories and pink carnations en corsage, while Mrs. Murdoch wore a printed

# Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

### FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ronning of Pasadena, Calif., and Rev. and Mrs. Julius Hanson of Oakland, Calif., were Wednesday evening guests at the Ingvald Ness home.

Derald Johnson of Princess, in southern Alberta, spent the weekend with his mother and sister, Mrs. Edith Johnson and Gail.

Larry Neilson of Camrose, is spending the summer at the Lloyd Bjorrum home.

Miss Lois Simonson spent a few days last week with Anne Bjorgum.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Ness spent the weekend at Banff. Mrs. Ness went on to Edmonton, to visit relatives for a few days.

The Norman Wideman family spent a few days last week at Nanton with Mrs. Wideman's parents, and with Mr. Wideman's brother Glen and family on the Rocking P. Ranch.

# Bardo

BARDO, Aug 11th. Don and Patricia Litwin have moved their house to the acreage which they purchased recently from Lester Severson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kindley and children of Edmonton, and Mrs. Petra Stauffer were Sunday supper guests at the Axel Kindley home. Audrey and Richard remained to spend a week with their grandparents.

### BAPTISM

Pastor G. Ostrem was the officiating clergyman for the baptism of Colin Neil, infant son of Dale and Arlene Rude of Inland, at the morning services, Sunday. Lawrence and Diane Rude were sponsors. After the services a dinner was held at the Olaf Stokkan home, in honor of the occasion, when guests were Pastor and Mrs. Ostrem, Lawrence and Diane Rude, and Olaf Haugen.

Ivan, Leif, Ronny and Robert Foshaug spent two days last week fishing at Moose Lake, and report a good catch.

Miss Pauline Stuckert from Vancouver, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Siegfried from Tulsa, Oklahoma, were last week visitors at the Don Litwin home. The visitors are Don's uncle and aunts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dahl of Camrose, who had just returned [illegible], were visitors at the Ness and Severson homes on Monday.

Mervin and Diane Krogen and Caroline Foshaug of Edmonton were home over the weekend. In the evening, the Leif Foshaugs joined the group for a barbecue supper.

### VICTIMS OF MUMPS

Little Cheryl Finseth is a victim of mumps, and David Francis who accompanied his grandparents, the Peter Bjornsons, on a trip over the Alaska Highway was detained for three days at Dawson when he came down with mumps.

### HERE FROM NORTH DAKOTA

Mrs. Myrtle Paulsrud, from BARDO CONT.
Fargo, N. Dak., is visiting with relatives. She was met at Nisku airport on Friday evening by Glenn and Iris Francis, and Clarence Rude. On Sunday, the Rude families, numbering approximately 40, gathered at Elk Island Park for a family reunion. Mrs. Paulsrud is a niece of Clarence and Emil Rude and Mrs. Nora Anderson. She was very thrilled over her first visit to Canada.

# Spilstead news briefs

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

The regular meeting of the Spilstead Ladies' Society was [illegible] August 4th at the home of Mrs. Gladys Anderson when a very enjoyable afternoon was spent. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Kim Erickson's [illegible] in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Belcourt attended their niece's wedding recently at Spruce Grove.

Ernest Belcourt had his sister, Mrs. Robert Hays of Tennessee, U.S.A., visiting them recently.

### AT NIECE'S WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Art Hoflin and Mr. and Mrs. Lenoord Ferguson attended the wedding of Mrs Hoflin's niece on July 31st, at Forestburg. En route home, they visited a niece at Donalda.

Rodger and Ellen Hoflin and Lenoord and Dorothy Ferguson took Mr. and Mrs. Art Hoflin to a picnic at Lakeview recently.

Mrs. Louise Winder had her daughter, Elsie Swirhun's children visiting her recently.

Gus Schmidt and family had his brother, Carl, from Kelowna, B.C., to visit them.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldie Ray were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ray. Gail and Robert stayed with them for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fairbrother visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Fairbrother and Mr. and Mrs. Burris in Edmonton recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones and Mrs. Allen Barnhard visited Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fairbrother on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmuth Fester and family and Myrtle Stauffer of Edmonton were recent visitors with the Ernest Fairbrother family.

Sharon and Shirley Fairbrother have been spending their holidays with relatives in Edmonton.

### LOSE GAMES

The Spilstead softball juniors were on the losing end of a game with Lindbrook, 11 to 10.

On Sunday, the senior softball team lost to Lindbrook 14 to 24.


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# News briefs from Kingman district

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Aug. 16th—A family gathering was held at Jubilee Park in Camrose on Sunday, Aug. 8th, in honor of Mrs. Oesberg's birthday. Attending the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kellerig of North Surrey, B.C., Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Oaness and Janet of Chicago, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson and family of Bawlf, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hansen and boys of Edmonton, Miss Judith Johnson, Theresa Lowry and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Oaness and family, all of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bratrud and family of Ryley, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Roberts of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Oaness and boys of Kingman.

Mrs. Alex Asp and David and the Urquhart children are attending Bible Camp at Miquelon Lake this week.

Sunday supper guests at the T. Oaness home were Rev. and Mrs. Sterling Johnson, Daniel, Carol and Gloria, of Minneapolis. Rev. and Mrs. L. Oaness and Janet of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hanson, Douglas and Darryl, of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bratrud, Dale and Ricky, Mrs. Severina Glesberg and Mrs. Ana Anderson.

FROM NOVA SCOTIA HERE FROM KANSAS

Dr. Harry T. Hardin and sons, Joey, Danny and Frank of Topeka, Kansas, were Monday afternoon visitors with old friends in Kingman. Many will remember his parents, the Frank Hardins, who managed the Farmers' Supply Store here. Friends they called on were Mr. and Mrs. Albin Anderson, Mabel and Alice Simonson and Bert Asp. It is 25 years since the Hardins left Kingman to reside in Edmonton.

Mrs. Edna Brewer left for Beaverlodge on Monday evening to spend two weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs. Sam Wideman.

Mrs. Mary Erickson and Donald of Camrose were Sunday evening visitors with Mrs. J. A. Holte.


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# From the mail bag

(Continued from Page 1)

Of course as a Manning disciple, we understand your presumptuousness to dictate to our Canadian farm organization.

This writer can get along without medicare—thanks to his native Scotch sagacity which enabled him to secure enough "manala" to live comfortably throughout his SENILE years. It means progressive deterioration —some young have it— it fits those like yourself whose mind lives in the past, who live in a static state Such state is an illusion even great God Manning cannot stop evolutionary progress, consequently bodily health is a first of a progressive state European state arising out of the chaos of the past two world wars, realize full medicare as essential in rebuilding their economy. Nor could they afford to allow insurance brokers to pile up profit at the expense of the people, such as you, Sir, advocate.

This writer is of the opinion that the editor of The Mercury got his lines crossed regarding the "Tower of Babey" instead of the Tower of Babel. Babey's tower could lead to a haven of security and comfort were it not for the false god Manning and his minion confusing the tongue of the builders.

In conclusion, this writer has visited every continent on the globe and soon will be compelled to explore those beyond, if such there be, yet he hopes not in the company of the disciples of the Great God Manning.

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# Harvest under way in Tofield district

Harvesting of the 1965 crops in the Tofield and Ryley districts got under way toward the end of last week, and swathing is expected to be general by Sept. 1st.

According to reports from Wheat Pool Agents C. A. Nolan of Tofield and H. B. Berke of Ryley, threshing is expected to be general about Sept. 8th.

By last Friday only about two per cent of the cutting of wheat had been completed in the Tofield area and about five per cent of the barley. At Ryley no wheat had been cut, and barley was the only grain on which farmers had made a start.

"Ideal conditions have prevailed for ripening the earlier crops", reports Mr. Berke "The late crops could use additional moisture".

Mr Nolan says he has received reports of rust in the wheat, though the extent of the damage is not known to date. "There has also been some wind damage to wheat, oats and barley, and some lodging in the oats and barley", says Mr. Nolan. "Harvesting will start this week in the early crops, while some late sown crops are still quite green".

Both grain buyers estimate wheat will yield 30 bushels to the acre and barley about 40 bushels.

Mr. Nolan looks for a 75-bushel crop of oats around Tofield, while Mr. Berke has submitted a more conservative estimate of 50 bushels for the Ryley area.

There has been no hail at all in either the Ryley or Tofield districts.

## Sleeping sickness strikes Alberta horse population

An illness among horses has been reported from various parts of Alberta during the last three weeks, and there appears to have been a concentration of cases in the areas around Edmonton and St. Paul.

The nature of the illness has not yet been confirmed, but equine encephalitis is suspected, and serum samples from a number of animals have been submitted to the Provincial Laboratory of Public Health.

Two human cases of suspected encephalitis have also been reported—one from a few miles north of Edmonton and one from a few miles northwest of St. Paul.

The virus of equine encephalitis is known to be carried by birds. It is transmitted from birds to both horses and humans by a certain type of mosquito. Sick horses do not themselves present any danger for humans, but they do provide a useful warning of the presence of infected mosquitoes.

Since there is no vaccine against equine encephalitis that is suitable for human use, it is up to people to protect themselves against mosquitoes by the use of effective screens on windows and doors, the application of insect repellent to the skin, and the wearing of long-sleeved clothing out of doors during the hours when mosquitoes are prevalent.

### Theatre to re-open

The Tofield Community Theatre will re-open on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 3rd and 4th, and will have regular shows each Friday and Saturday nights thereafter.

Due to increased operating costs there will be a slight increase in the admission prices for adults and students. Children's prices will remain the same.

Show time both nights will be 8.00 p.m.

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

There are two days about which n o b o d y should ever worry, and these are yesterday and tomorrow. Yesterday is gone beyond recall, and tomorrow never comes.

—J.W.R.

## William Fraser passes at 61

William D. Fraser of Tofield passed away on Tuesday, Aug. 17th, at the age of 61 years.

He leaves his wife, Kathleen; one son, William, of Edmonton; two daughters, Mrs. L. (Joan) Schacker of Edmonton and Mrs. R. (Betty) Lotz of Viking; three grandchildren; two b r o t h e r s, John of Westlock and Norman of Edmonton, and one sister, Mrs. Teresa Dietrich of Calgary.

Funeral services were held on August 20th at St. Francis of Assisi Church in Tofield, with interment in the Tofield Cemetery.

## P.M. to taxi in antique Edmonton car

Prime Minister Pearson will arrive in Edmonton on Saturday for a public gathering at Borden Park Picnic grounds. Arriving at the International Airport, he will be picked up in the antique auto shown here, and driven to Borden Park.

The ancient vehicle is a 1929 Whippet Touring Car, owned by J. Benkie, of Edmonton's Antique Car Club, and is in excellent running order.

A crowd of 15,000 is anticipated at the gathering, which runs from 3:15 to 5 p.m. A free "grubstake" will be served, accompanied by many other forms of Klondike entertainment.

The Edmonton visit is one leg of a tour Mr. Pearson began in Vancouver, and which he will terminate in Banff with an address at a conference discussing "Canada as a Middle Power".

SCHOOL STYLES. Carefree cottons in rich colors with adult sophisticated lines are big in teen-age back-to-school wear this fall. The ruffled dickey gives a charming Tyrolean touch to this Canadian-designed outfit, called "Sound Of Music," featured in red cotton.

## Ryley 4-H Clothing Club has eventful summer

(M. K. Westmancoat)

This summer has been an eventful season for the Ryley Clothing Club girls. Besides taking part in the 4-H Fashion Review at the Edmonton Exhibition, three of the girls have taken award trips for their hard work during the year.

Sharon Mizera, one of the club's third-year members, was chosen as Club Week delegate and attended Club Week at the Olds School of Agriculture, July 11th to 17th. Her efficient work and willing participation in the club were the basis from which she was chosen.

From the Vegreville district, both Peggy Fisk and Geraldine Kozack were chosen to attend Provincial Eliminations at the Olds School of Agriculture, Aug. 3rd to 6th. This was Peggy's first year at the school, and Geraldine's third year. Both girls came in on alternate positions.

Chosen from the Vegreville district in the Clothing competitions, Peggy attended the week of Aug. 16th to 21st, at the second annual Junior Leadership camp. The Edmonton Journal and Calgary Herald help in sponsoring this camp for Junior Leaders all over the province

It is sincerely hoped that the club will reorganize this fall, and any new members will be welcomed.

## New surface rates for foreign mail

An increase in postage rates to certain countries effective 1st January 1966, is necessary to compensate for additional transportation charges and mail handling costs in the international service.

There will be no change in the rates on letters and postcards to the United States, its territories and possessions, other countries of North, Central and South America, the West Indies, Great Britain and the Commonwealth, R e p u b l i c of Ireland, France and Spain.

To all other countries, letters sent by surface means will be subject to a new rate of 10 cents for the first ounce and 6 cents for each additional ounce or fraction thereof. The rate for postcards will be 6 cents each.

In addition, surface parcel post rates undergo an adjustment and a significant change in structure.

The Postmaster General said plans are underway for a new uniform air postcard rate of 10 cents each to all countries, effective January 1st next. For example, a postcard to Australia or Japan which now requires 25 cents in postage will be prepaid only 10 cents. He emphasized that the present 8 cent air mail rate for cards to the United States and its possessions will continue.

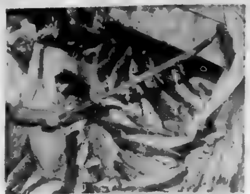
# Lest we forget

As is customary at the construction of handsome new buildings, there is a sign in front of one of the fabulous new structures going up on the university campus in Edmonton, explaining who is doing what on the job and finishing up with the information that it is being provided by the Government of Alberta.

It's really refreshing to find that some wag has crossed out the word Government and painted above it the word People.

Very often we need to remind ourselves it's the People of Alberta doing all these things, or being asked to do them. Or the People of Canada. There is no mysterious "they" who do these things, or who pay for these things . . . it's "we".

The fact should be pointed out frequently . . . lest we forget.



SALMON DISPUTE. Japanese determination to continue fishing for northern Pacific salmon on the high seas, intercepting red salmon returning to North American shores, is threatening to deplete the salmon resources of the west coast. The U.S. is especially concerned, and Alaska Gov. William A. Egan has asked for an economic sanction on Japan to keep Japanese fishermen from their "unwarranted harvesting" of northern Pacific salmon.

# Success lies in the diesel

The diesel locomotive, and the critical days before freeze-up on the Great Lakes, hold the key to a successful rail movement of Russia's big purchase of Canadian wheat, according to experts of both railways.

In the past, it has always been felt that box cars were the big concern in moving the crop. But when the last big sale was made to Russia in 1963 it became apparent to the railways as they went all out to handle the move that the key to success lay with the diesel.

Naturally, both companies will employ such modern concepts as electronic computers and push-button freight yards, but nonetheless the vital item will be diesel power. In 1963, both companies had to lease several diesels from roads in the United States, but this year, with heavy shipping on their account, these firms are loath to part with any.

During the past couple of years, Canadian rail companies have both launched impressive programs of stepping up their capacity through modernizing and increasing the hauling capacity of their units.

Surprisingly, however, dramatic increases in freight handling, in such other export items as potash and sulphur, to mention only two, have kept step with every move made by the rail companies, so they haven't made any net gain on heavy workload ahead.

Some estimate of the worth of one diesel locomotive can be seen in the fact that between now and anticipated freeze-up time of the Lakes in mid-December, it can haul close to a million bushels of prairie grain from the heart of the grain belt to the head of the lakes.

But to meet the pace set by the Canadian Wheat Board, well over 225,000,000 bushels will have to reach there by freeze-up.

After the lakes freeze over, the same engine can haul about three quarters of a million bushels from the Lake area to the Atlantic Coast, while next spring, before the Russian's July 31 deadline, it would have to haul another three quarter million bushels to the head of the lakes again.

Prairie farmers, as well as every other Canadian, for that matter, will be watching the success or lack of it with keen and personal interest.

# Crisis averted

Probably few of us realize that only a month ago the strength of Canada's central banking system, governed by the Bank of Canada, faced a severe test, and came out with flying colors.

Only now coming to light is the story of how crisis, panic and possibly a stock market crash was averted recently, after the insolvency of Atlantic Acceptance Corporation.

Fearing a run on all finance companies, the Bank of Canada ordered chartered banks to back them to the hilt. When it was seen they didn't need to be saved from Atlantic's fate, guarded but wary confidence returned to the money markets. However, a sequitur to Atlantic's demise was the heavy loss of an Ontario trust company, British Mortgage and Trust, which held heavy investments in Atlantic shares and notes. When the news hit the stock market, British share plummeted more than seventy-five percent. Even more suspect than the finance houses were the numbers of small trust companies which have mushroomed so rapidly in recent years. Investors were really concerned, until the Ontario provincial government moved in with a guarantee of up to $3,000,000 in loan if necessary.

Experts declare nothing else could have saved British from collapse, which would have been followed by a run on the assets of every other trust, which could easily have developed into a general financial panic

The knowledge that both the governments and the Bank of Canada are determined to prevent the system from cracking wide open has done wonderful things to maintain confidence. At the same time, useful lessons are being learned by all concerned, both in preventing future crises from similar catastrophes, and in managing the money system for the welfare of the nation

# By George!

Did you ever stop to consider that a very small percentage of the things you may worry about today will ever come to pass?

A perfect example occurred just this week.

Cliff and Bernice Giles, as you may know, now have a family of three children instead of two, as of yesterday morning.

Cliff confesses that for the past several months he and Bernice have been burning the midnight oil looking for a suitable name for a girl. "We had a boy's name picked long ago, but we just couldn't seem to find a girl's name we liked", said Cliff yesterday. "Even up to the night before the baby arrived, after taking Bernice to the hospital, I pored over books far into the night in an effort to settle the question of a name for our little girl. I don't know why, but months ago I had just decided in my own mind that the new arrival would be a girl"

Well, HE arrived yesterday morning, weighing in at eight pounds. Mother and son are doing well Father is expected back at work in about two weeks' (He is taking his annual vacation)

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It's quite apparent the days are getting shorter. There isn't much yard work that can be done outdoors after 8 00 p m these days.

I swear that the weeks and months are getting shorter, as well. I can recall that as a school boy, especially in the elementary grades, I was sure the end of the two-month summer holidays would never come. They seemed to last forever Now that two-month period of summer seems to be gone almost before I realize summer has arrived

Nevertheless, it has been a most enjoyable summer, and what's more, there's still plenty of lovely late summer and fall weather ahead of us

# Increase arants on farm water dua-outs

"You never miss the water till the well runs dry" is a folklore saying that does not come to mind often in years of abundant run-off and rainfall such as this year

Yet it is just in these years, when there is so much water, that wise farmers will look ahead and prepare storage for the dry years that may come again

During the dry years just past, many farmers found that what they did not like about dug-outs was only that there was not enough of them, and that they should have been made even bigger

The bigger and deeper the hole, the less chance there is of running out of water if a year or two of very light snowfall comes our way. A big dug-out is cheap water supply insurance

To help farmers and ranchers make larger holes, P.F.R.A. has increased maximum financial assistance for a dug-out to $300. The grant is based on the cubic yards excavated. Payment is made at the rate of 7c per cubic yard up to a maximum of $300

On a typical project, to obtain full assistance, the dug-out must be almost 4300 cubic yards in size

A dug-out 200 feet long, 70 feet wide and 14 feet deep, with 1½ to 1 side slopes and 4 to 1 end slopes, is almost 4300 cubic yards

In this area many people prefer to make a [illegible] wider hole. If so, then a dug-out 180 feet long, 85 feet wide, 12 feet deep with side slopes 1½ to 1 and end slopes 4 to 1, is also about 4300 cubic yards in size

This increase in size will give an additional 60,000 gallons of water in the dug-out. The largest size dug-out should be particularly appealing to farmers who are considering a modern water supply and sewage system and will require a more adequate and dependable water supply. To obtain further information regarding your dug-out program apply as in the past to your Municipal Secretary-Treasurer, your District Agriculturist, or directly to the P.F.R.A. District Office in Vegreville.

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## THE WEATHER . . .

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| 21 | 84 | 51 | 27.72 | ——— |
| 22 | 83 | 52 | 27.72 | ——— |
| 23 | 77 | 54 | 27.61 | ——— |
| 24 | 86 | 55 | 27.56 | ——— |
| 25 | — | 50 | 27.52 | ——— |

## Young children overcome by monoxide gas

An incident which could have ended in tragedy for the children of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hultholm, caused grave concern for a few hours on Sunday, when Kevin, aged seven years, and Brenda, aged five, were overcome by deadly monoxide gas. The family were motoring from Camrose to Irma in an older car, which apparently had a leak in the exhaust pipe. The children were sleeping in the back seat, and when the Hultholms stopped at Viking for dinner, they could not rouse Kevin, who was unconscious. Brenda, though not unconscious, staggered badly when she tried to walk, and Mr. and Mrs. Hultholm also had severe headaches.

The children were taken immediately to the Viking Hospital, where they responded to treatment, and were cleared in a few hours.

The insidious nature of monoxide gas is that it is odorless, and one is not usually aware of its presence in the car.

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## Soady-Kozak wedding solemnized August 7th

(Mrs. J .A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Aug 20th. -- St. Francis of Assisi Roman Catholic church in Tofield was the scene of a beautiful wedding on Saturday, August 7, when Sharon Eleanor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kozak of Kingman became the bride of Richard Soady, son of Mrs. Marie Soady of White Rock, B.C. The nuptial ceremony was officiated by Rev. Father McCarthy.

The bride looked charming in a floor-length gown of organza over satin with rows of white organza set in skirt, and featuring a pearl embroidered bodice and lily-point sleeves. Her shoulder-length veil was held in place by a peau de soie white rose, and she carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Attending the bride were Bonnie Lee Zarski, cousin of the bride and Elaine Rindahl friend of the bride. They wore cocktail-length gowns of yellow and pink and carried white carnation nosegays

The groom's attendants were Gerald Rindahl and Dennis Ray friends of the groom. Ushers were Danny Anhill and Larry Kozak

The bride's mother wore a blue linen dress with lace jacket and white accessories with pink rose corsage. Mrs. Soady, grandmother of the groom who acted on behalf of the groom's mother, wore a beige dress with white accessories and a corsage of pink roses

A reception was held at the Kingman Community Hall for 00 guests. Alec Shawley of Edmonton was master of ceremonies and proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom ably responded. The three-tiered wedding cake was baked and decorated by the bride's mother

After a short honeymoon, the couple will reside in Edmonton where the groom is employed.

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Hunting certificates and stamps are available at appropriate vendor sites in your district. You are advised to purchase early and avoid last minute days. Most vendors operate during standard business hours only.

A relative or companion may purchase your hunting certificate and stamps for you. He or she will be required to provide the vender with your name, address, sex, age, weight and height. Be sure that this information is made available to the vendor.

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## RECEPTION FOR NEWLYWEDS

Mrs. Olga Lee and her daughter, Mrs. Allan Hultholm, were co-hostesses at an open-house reception at the former's home on Sunday, Aug 15, in honor of Mrs. Lee's son Albert, of Calgary, and his bride, the former Judy Anderson. Albert and Judy were married in Calgary on June 19th, and it was to mark the occasion that the reception was held. Over 100 friends and relatives from Grande Prairie, Edmonton, Wetaskiwin, Ryley, Viking and Camrose called during the day to extend congratulations and best wishes to the young couple. Several gifts and a sum of money were received by Mr. and Mrs. Lee. They returned to their home in Calgary after spending the week-end here.

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# THE RYLEY TIMES



## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Westmannsef)

Stan Powers moved his family on Tuesday of this week to their new home at St Albert. Jack's Transport handled the move.

**Dale Winoness, 4-H Dairy Club member, took part in the provincial 4-H eliminations at Olds Agriculture College this month, and was chosen to represent Alberta at the State 4-H Conservation Camp in July, 1966.**

Mrs Tommy Harris has arrived home from her six-week trip to Wales, and reports having had a wonderful holiday, and enjoying every minute of it.

**LOTS OF BERRIES**

A number of ladies are taking advantage of the good crop of blueberries to be had in the Andrew district, and are coming home after a day's picking with their full share.

Mrs. Ed Werling of Calgary, and a former resident of Ryley, has been visiting with Mrs. Alma Adams.

Mrs. Martha Lillo of Edmonton was in town over the weekend visiting relatives and friends.

**HOME FROM ENGLAND**

Charlie and Nora Edwards are back from their holiday in England, and Nora's brother, Fred, held a party for them on Saturday evening at his farm home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Manly of Loma Linda, California, U.S.A., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Booth. Mrs. Manly is Mr. Booth's sister.

**DISTRICT VISITORS**

Doug and Marvel Down and family, of Athabasca, were here for a long weekend with Marvel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Neraasen. They came especially to meet two of Doug's relatives from Toronto who are visiting in Edmonton. The Toronto ladies, Mrs Markham and Mrs. Connedy, were vistors at the Hans Neraasen home on Sunday.

Mrs. Harold Neraasen and sons Kenny Raymond and Albert and daughter Margaret and a friend, Mrs. Sylvia Romberg, all of Pierce, Colorado, U.S.A., are visiting this week at the Hans Neraasen home, also Robert and Barbara Neraasen and family of Edgewater, B.C.

**Mrs. S. G. Halberg and Mrs. A. Pedrasky are patients in the Tofield Hospital.**

**FAREWELL SOCIAL**

A farewell social evening was held in the Legion Hall on Friday, Aug. 18th, for Mr and Mrs. Stan Powers. Garnet Burnstad made the presentation of a floor lamp to Stan on behalf of the Curling Club, and Bob Westmancoat presented a pair of table lamps from Ryley friends.

Larry has returned, and has re-opened his Beauty Parlor.

Peter Munkedal has now moved his house, and the family are getting settled at their new home site.


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## Notice Of Completion Of Voters' List

Notice is hereby given under the provisions of the Town and Village Act, that the Voters' List of the Village of Ryley has been prepared and that a copy of the said Voters' List is posted in the office of the secretary-treasurer.

The posted list is open to inspection during business hours.

Any qualified elector may make application for the correction of any error or omission in the said Voters' List by serving notice upon the secretary-treasurer in writing on or before the seventh day of September, 1965.

DATED at Ryley, Alberta this fourth day of August, 1965.

GARNET BURNSTAD,
Secretary-Treasurer.

(50-51)

## Holden news

**TO CALIFORNIA**

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hafso and children left for Edmonton on their way to Los Angeles, California. Mrs Hafso and children have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Laden, and other relatives for the past six weeks, while Gordon took a plane trip to Norway to visit relatives there. Mr. and Mrs Hafso attended the funeral Saturday of the husband of Gordon's sister in Edmonton, who had died very suddenly. They left for California on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Fedluk and sons have returned from Calgary, and are staying on the farm for a while. Mr. and Mrs. Fedluk have purchased a home in Calgary and will be getting settled there before school starts.

**FRIENDSHIP GROUP**

The Friendship Group met on Thursday afternoon, Aug. 19th, at the home of Mrs. R. Haeder, with only seven ladies present as some members were away. After devotions were taken by the president and reports by the secretary, the ladies spent a social hour when the hostess, Mrs. Haeder, served a delicious lunch.

Jimmie Komarnisky spent the weekend at home with his family. Mr. and Mrs. Komarnisky and family will be leaving the end of the month to make their home in Edmonton. Jimmie has employment with a Transport company there.

Mrs. Louise Christianson has had relatives from Saskatchewan visiting this past week, arriving Thursday and spending several days with her.

**Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sanders of High Prairie, former Holden residents, have been receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Ian Murray—a brother for Mark, Lynne and Leslie.**

Mrs. Blanche Olson was a recent visitor and overnight guest with Mrs. A. Richardson at Tofield.


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Mrs. Ella Aston

Bill and Eileen Taylor from Hanna were Tuesday overnight and Wednesday forenoon guests at the home of Bill's sister, Vi and Elmer Geoglein. Bertha Seale of Edmonton who had been visiting Vi for several days also left for her home on Wednesday evening.

**FROM COLORADO**

Gene Geoglein and Bob Hansen of Yuma, Colorado, were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Elmer and Vi Geoglein. Gene is a distant cousin of Elmer's.

**TO WEDDING**

Lorne and Marg. Berrecloth left Thursday on a motor trip to Vancouver, to attend the wedding of Lorne's brother, Kenneth. Lorne and Ken's sister, Theone and Glenn Jones and family accompanied Lorne and Marg. They expected to return either Tuesday or Wednesday of this week.

Mr and Mrs. Leif Foshaug, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Foshaug, and Mr and Mrs. Arnold Johnson, all of Bardo, Mr and Mrs. Schultz of Kitscoty and Mr and Mrs. Johanne Baergen of Tofield were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of George and Ida Niemetz, helping George celebrate his birthday.

Howard Ferguson and son Gordon motored to Elk Point, where they were guests from Friday until Sunday at the home of Howard's daughter Donna and Frank Edwards.

**85 AT GATHERING**

Some 85 people including relatives, neighbors and friends gathered at the farm home of Mr and Mrs. Emil Goubault at Lindbrook with a surprise farewell pot luck supper to honour the Goubaults who are leaving the farm and moving into Tofield to reside.

## Locals . . .

**MRS. LIBBY PASSES**

Mrs. E. Libby of North Cooking Lake passed away in Tofield Hospital on August 23rd. Funeral services and burial will be held in Edmonton.

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Mr and Mrs. Carl Nelson and granddaughter, Gail Johnstone, of Provost, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Stockton.

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**TO MANITOBA**

Jack and Gloria Grover and Peg and Bob Nahiebeski spent from Friday night till Sunday in Dauphin and Glenella, Manitoba.

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Betty Swanson is visiting in Winnipeg with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Penner, and family.


**County of Beaver No. 9**

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Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed and action concurred in.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. W. Hladilo of Wainwright be advised, in response to her letter, that the County is not interested in purchasing her house in Holden.

A letter of appreciation from Mrs. Ethel Pepper for having been given the opportunity to attend the Leadership Course for Co-operating Teachers in Edmonton from July 5th to 9th was referred to the Committee.

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In regards to the teacherage rentals the Secretary-Treasurer stated that he had not had the time to compile a list of the rents of the various teacherages but, if acceptable by the Committee, he would use the same method as in previous years. He also felt that some provisions for damage caused by the occupants should be contained in the regulations as well as regulation that the occupants of the teacherages should be responsible for the lawns, shrubs, and weeds, etc., during the period of occupancy.

Moved and carried that the Secretary - Treasurer's recommendations be approved and that the rentals of the various units be based on the same conditions as in previous years.

The Committee was advised that the motor mechanic, Derek Tiedemann, would be attending the first year apprentice course May 2nd to June 24th as his first choice and if he could not be accommodated at that course his second choice is from September 7th to October 29th and the Secretary-Treasurer inquired what allowance, if any, the Committee wished to make.

Moved and carried that the policy in regards to allowance used with the other apprentices be continued in this case.

The Secretary-Treasurer advised that the agreement with the contract bus operators were not renewable and he inquired if any changes were contemplate.

Moved and carried that we offer the bus operators the same rate of pay as is now in effect.

The Superintendent stated that Mr. Ivan Johnston who had been appointed to the County's teaching staff had been offered a professorship at a university in Wisconsin and that inasmuch as it had been possible to obtain a teacher to take his place it would be quite in order to release Mr. Johnson from his contract.

Moved and carried that Ivan Johnson be released from his contract with the County.

The Superintendent brought up the need for gravel at the parking lots at the Ryley school and possibly at some of the other schools and Cr. Roddick brought up the possibility of having the bus loading area at Viking paved if the street on the west side of the school was being paved this year. The maximum estimated cost was $3,000 for the paving.

Moved and carried that the paving of the bus loading area at Viking be authorized as well as necessary gravelling of parking areas at Ryley as well as bus loading areas where required.

The members were reminded of the Bus Driver School, Janitor School and Principals meeting on Tuesday, August 31st and it was suggested that one School Committee member should attend the Principals Association meeting.

Moved and carried that Cr. Heathcoll attend this meeting.

The Teachers Institute on September 1st was also mentioned and that presentation of the awards to the outstanding teacher for the year and the beginning teacher would be made prior to the lunch break.

Moved and carried that Cr. Gibson make the presentation to Earl Hardy and that Mr. Stinson made the presentation to Miss Susie Komarnisky.

**BREAK-IN AT BRUCE**

The Superintendent mentioned that a break-in had taken place at the Bruce school on August 8th and that the following equipment had been stolen: 3 typewriters, 1 16 MM movie projector, 1 loudspeaker for above projector, 1 Soundmaster amplifier, 1 Seabreeze record player, with a replacement value of $1,147. Mr. Pike reported that the police had all particulars and it was hoped that at least some of the articles could be recovered.

Moved and carried that bursary applications from Edward Whyte, Joyce Lampitt, David Penner, Linda Budd and Dwight Mauer be accepted, subject to approval of the Bursary Committee.

The Committee was advised that the graduation ceremonies, with a banquet preceding the ceremonies would be held on Saturday, September 11th at the Tofield Community Hall and that regular invitations would be in the mail shortly.

Mr. Pike stated that Ginn and Company would conduct a Reading Institute sometime in the fall and he suggested that this would be of great advantage and help to teachers in Grades 1 to 6 as new readers were coming into use this year.

Moved and carried that authorization be given to teachers in Grades 1 to 6 in the various schools to attend this Reading Institute.

In regards to the house purchased from Mr. Bruce MacDonell in Holden Mr. Pike informed the Committee that some renovations were required with one suite being provided in the basement. He stated that Nick Shihinski and his crew would be doing this work.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and suggestions concurred in.

A motion at 5:35 p.m. that this meeting now adjourns, was carried.

# Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

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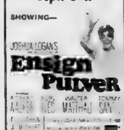


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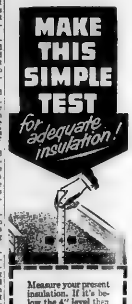


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Moved and carried that Morris Erickson's resignation as regular bus driver be accepted, and that he be appointed as spare bus driver for the County

It was moved and carried that letter of appreciation from C. F. Annis, Principal at the Tofield School, for making it possible to attend the Principal Leadership Course be received and filed.

A letter from Black's Sales and Service advising that they were unable to supply a 1965 1/2-ton truck as per order placed earlier in the year and advising that, if the County wished to obtain a 1966 truck, they should re-order. The secretary-treasurer stated that this had been done.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed and action concurred in.

It was moved and carried that Mrs W Hladilo of Wainwright be advised, in response to her letter, that the County is not interested in purchasing her house in Holden.

A letter of appreciation from Mrs. Ethel Pepper for having been given the opportunity to attend the Leadership Course for Co-operating Teachers in Edmonton from July 5th to 9th was referred to the Committee.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed.

In regards to the teacherage rentals the Secretary-Treasurer stated that he had not had the time to compile a list of the rents of the various teacherages but, if acceptable by the Committee, he would use the same method as in previous years. He also felt that some provisions for damage caused by the occupants should be contained in the regulations as well as regulation that the occupants of the teacherages should be responsible for the lawns, shrubs, and weeds, etc., during the period of occupancy.

Moved and carried that the Secretary-Treasurer's recommendations be approved and that the rentals of the various units be based on the same conditions as in previous years.

The Committee was advised that the motor mechanic, Derek Tiedemann, would be attending the first year apprentice course May 2nd to June 24th as his first choice and if he could not be accommodated at that course his second choice is from September 7th to October 29th and the Secretary-Treasurer inquired what allowance, if any, the Committee wished to make.

Moved and carried that the policy in regards to allowance used with the other apprentices be continued in this case.

The Secretary-Treasurer advised that the agreement with the contract bus operators were not renewable and he inquired if any changes were contemplate.

Moved and carried that we offer the bus operators the same rate of pay as is now in effect

The Superintendent stated that Mr. Ivan Johnston who had been appointed to the County's teaching staff had been offered a professorship at a university in Wisconsin and that inasmuch as it had been possible to obtain a teacher to take his place it would be quite in order to release Mr. Johnson from his contract.

Moved and carried that Ivan Johnson be released from his contract with the County

The Superintendent brought up the need for gravel at the parking lots at the Ryley school and possibly at some of the other schools and Cr Roddick brought up the possibility of having the bus loading area at Viking paved if the street on the west side of the school was being paved this year The maximum estimated cost was $3,000 for the paving

Moved and carried that the paving of the bus loading area at Viking be authorized as well as necessary gravelling of parking areas at Ryley as well as bus loading areas where required.

The members were reminded of the Bus Driver School Janitor School and Principals meeting on Tuesday August 31st and it was suggested that one School Committee member should attend the Principals Association meeting

Moved and carried that Cr Featherill attend this meeting

The Teachers Institute on September 1st was also mentioned and that presentation of the awards to the outstanding teacher for the year and the beginning teacher would be made prior to the lunch break.

Moved and carried that Cr. Gibson make the presentation to Earl Hardy and that Mr. Stinson made the presentation to Miss Susie Komarnisky

**BREAK-IN AT BRUCE**

The Superintendent mentioned that a break-in had taken place at the Bruce school on August 8th and that the following equipment had been stolen: 3 typewriters, 1 16 MM movie projector, 1 loudspeaker for above projector, 1 Soundmaster amplifier, 1 Seabreeze record player, with a replacement value of $1,147. Mr Pike reported that the police had all particulars and it was hoped that at least some of the articles could be recovered

Moved and carried that bursary applications from Edward Whyte, Joyce Lampitt, David Penner Linda Budd and Dwight Mauer be accepted, subject to approval of the Bursary Committee

The Committee was advised that the graduation ceremonies, with a banquet preceding the ceremonies, would be held on Saturday, September 11th at the Tofield Community Hall and that regular invitations would be in the mail shortly

Mr Pike stated that Ginn and Company would conduct a Reading Institute sometime in the fall and he suggested that this would be of great advantage and help to teachers in Grades 1 to 6 as new readers were coming into use this year.

Moved and carried that authorization be given to teachers in Grades 1 to 6 in the various schools to attend this Reading Institute.

In regards to the house purchased from Mr. Bruce MacDonell in Holden Mr. Pike informed the Committee that some renovations were required with one suite being provided in the basement. He stated that Nick Shihinski and his crew would be doing this work.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and suggestions concurred in.

A motion at 5:35 p m. that this meeting now adjourns, was carried.

# Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. What can you suggest regarding the writing of the thank-you notes by a bride for the wedding gifts she has received?

A. She should write these notes as the gifts are received, in order to be prompt with her thanks. Then, she should mention the gift by name in her letter, so as to add a personal touch to her thanks. If she just says "thank you for your GIFT", she conveys about as much sincerity as she would in a business form letter.

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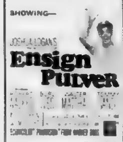

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## Holden news briefs

Mrs Carrie Olson and Mrs. N. L. Campbell visited with Mr. and Mrs Geo. Albrecht on Friday afternoon. We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Albrecht is not well Mr and Mrs Geo. P Albrecht were also visitors and coffee guests the same afternoon

Joe Alexander, the rural mail driver, took advantage of the fine weather during the weekend and left Saturday afternoon on a fishing trip, after delivring the mail

**MOVE TO VIKING**

Mrs. Jim Taylor and children left Holden for Viking around the 15th of the month to join Mr Taylor there, where they will make their home. The Taylor family have been residents in Holden for the past year and a half while Jim was employed as a mechanic at Beaver Motors Mr Taylor went to Viking two o three months ago to his new duties there

Harry Micklick, with his daughter Marian, of Edmonton, spent a few days recently visiting with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs A Hillman, at Dawson Creek, B C

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. Rueder a week ago Friday were friends from Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs Arthur Joskie and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Galata.

David Sorensen is home after a trip to Oroville, Wash., U.S.A., with his aunt, Mrs. Mary Erickson, and a friend, where they visited with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Sorensen.

Peter Lunblad, son Gary, with Peter's sister and nephew who are visiting from Sweden have been on a trip for the past two weeks to Vancouver, B.C., where they were visiting with relatives and friends

**Bernie Samaroli, who has been at Comox, B.C., for the past month, training with the Sea Cadets, returned home last Saturday afternoon.**

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Laskosky and family, of Camrose, were recent visitors with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Bill Laskosky, and called on several friends in the village.

**DIES AT PONOKA**

Mrs. Henry Tiedemann received the sad and unexpected news at the weekend that her cousin's husband, at Ponoka, had passed away very suddenly. Mrs. Tiedemann drove into Edmonton Sunday afternoon and was an overnight guest with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alec Morrison, driving with them Monday to Ponoka

Linda Bold has spent most of the summer vacation in Edmonton, where she has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Derkach, looking after the children and helping while Mrs. Derkach attended summer school.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

**Mrs. Emil Goubault, Lindbrook, entered Tofield Hospital on Monday where she will undergo surgery. We all wish her a speedy recovery.**

Clayton and Rose Ross and Dolores and Karen of Ryley were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Lyall and Thelma Wickenberg of Edmonton were Wednesday evening visitors and supper guests with Lyall's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg

On Sunday morning, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and daughter Janet motored to Alix, to attend a family gathering of Ruth's relatives Some 40 or 45 members of the family were present for a pot luck picnic dinner and reunion at the picnic grounds near the Canford bridge. Roy and Janet returned home Sunday evening while Ruth remained to visit with her sisters and relatives.

Mrs. Vivian Jones and son Donald of Edmonton were visitors at the weekend with Vivian's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg, in Tofield

Mrs. Ethel Wood and little grandson David Herrickhoff were Thursday afternoon visitors and tea guests at the home of Isabel and Rod Rudnicki.

Ellenor and Joe Jones were Sunday evening visitors and tea guests at the home of Rod and Isabel Rudnicki.

Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton arrived Monday forenoon and were Monday, overnight and Tuesday guests at the home of their son Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen, leaving to return home Tuesday afternoon

Arnold Jones was taken to the Tofield Hospital on Wednesday afternoon of last week. He is expected to be released soon. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Bill and Muriel Fins of Pembroke, B.C., who were visiting friends in Tofield and district during the holidays were Thursday afternoon callers at the home of Verlyn and Ollie Moos.

Janice Murray, daughter of Vivian and Doug Murray of Tofield, spent from Wednesday of last week to Sunday evening at the home of her uncle and aunt, Verlyn and Ollie Moos.

## Minnistik news

Gordon Killoyle returned on Friday from a trip to Brandon, driving home a Studebaker car.

Construction of the Melvin Lock's home is progressing very well with the help of a few old friends and neighbors.

**LADIES' CLUB MEETS**

The August Ladies' Club meeting was held at the local campsite on Wednesday afternoon. A delightful picnic lunch was served by Mrs. Verden Sears, Mrs. Gladys Roddick and Madame Martha Roupier. The September meeting will also be held at the campsite, weather permitting

Donna Leach was a guest of her grandma and grandma, Mr and Mrs. Claude Leach, for a few days last week.

Margaret and Edna Roddick and Douglas and Robert Embree, of Edmonton, were weekend guests at the Jim Roddick home

Friends and neighbors wished Mrs. Alex McSporran many happy returns on her 84th birthday, which was August 18th.


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## News items from Ketchamoot

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Roy Whillans and Jimmy Ingram returned Saturday from a trip to Jasper, over the Rogers Pass, and to Revelstoke, B C

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kline of Calgary were recent visitors with Louise and Gordon Kyle and family, and Joan and Frank Dunham called Sunday evening.

**McGINNIS-SEARS**

The wedding of Gail Sears and Lawrence McGinnis was held in Tofield United Church on Saturday afternoon. The guests were from Medicine Hat, Calgary, Lloydminster, Sask., and Edmonton, as well as many local families. Open house was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sears that evening.

**Mrs. Margert Johnson of Medford, Oregon, came by plane on Wednesday to spend a few weeks with her brother Chester Coombes and nephew Harold.**

Mr. and Mrs Donald Kyle of Kelowna, B.C., were overnight guests of their son Gordon as they were en route home from a trip to Eastern Canada.

**SOCIAL AFTERNOON**

A pleasant afternoon was spent last Thursday at the home of Yvonne Brown when several ladies met to view her lovely flower-garden After the tour a tasty lunch was served by the hostess, ending with a birthday party in honor of Irene Scott. The following were guests: Mrs Mary Tiedeman and Mrs. Dunn of Iwville; Mrs. Gill, Audrey Brown, Irene Scott and her daughters of Lindbrook, Kiethi Brown Annie McGinnis, Sandra Farese, Louise Kyle, Marie Mitchell and grandson Greg Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tipper and family of Winnipeg, returned on Saturday from holidays at Banff and are now staying for a week with Mrs Tipper's mother, Annie McGinnis and her aunt Edith Turner.

Shirley McMann and Barbara McGinnis are attending Bible Camp at Miquelon Lake this week

Recent visitors with Dorothy and Roy Whillans were Ted Welch of Innisfree, Linda and Joyce Foss and family of Vancouver, Marguerite and Frank Thomas & family of Edmonton.

Leroy Whillans and Brian Schultz spent a few days last week camping at Miquelon lake.

**TO THE COAST**

Pat and Jennie Sears and the family, and Marg. McCrea left on Wednesday in two cars plus a trailer for Vancouver, B.C., via Jasper. They are holidaying and plan to attend the wedding of a niece in Vancouver on saturday evening

Mr. and Mrs. Rod Tuck and children of Calgary were weekend guests of Anne and Ken Oliver, and called on other relatives in the district.

On Thursday evening, Yvonne and Peter Lavery entertained at a birthday party at their home, in honor of Irene Scott. Guests were Betty and Clive Godmanson and family of New Sarepta, Anne and Ken Oliver and family, Sandy and Irene Scott and the girls, Kiethe and Stanley Brown, "Grandma" Lee made the birthday cake.

The following group made a trip to view the museums at Battleford, North Battleford and Cyar at the weekend Yvonne and Peter Brown, Irene and Sandy Scott and girls, Martha and Emil Tiedemann, and Mrs. Bartch, Dave and Darryl.

**AT SON'S WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and Phyllis motored to Medicine Hat over the weekend, to attend the wedding of their son Kenneth.

**The 1965 Provincial 4-H Eliminations at Olds concluded with the selection of delegates to represent Alberta on major out-of-province award trips during the next year. Chosen as representatives of the province to the Montana 4-H Conservation Camp in July were Dale Wiesenau of the Ryley 4-H Dairy Club and Iris Czaban of the Waskatenau 4-H Clothing Club. The awards were made on the basis of club achievements.**
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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. M. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. H. S. Beveridge were visiting over the weekend with friends at Delahaye.

**ON HOLIDAYS**

Mr and Mrs. Dennis Shavchenko and Darlene left the beginning of the week to spend several days holidaying around Banff and other points in the mountains.

Mr and Mrs. Alex Shyba left the beginning of the week on holidays, driving to Dauphin, Manitoba to visit with relatives of Mrs. Shyba, then on to various points in the northern U.S. and to Calgary.

Alan Tiedemann of Edmonton was a visitor with his family, the Henry Tiedemanns, on Friday of last week.

Mrs. Earl Hardy was visiting at Wetaskiwin on Friday with her daughter Sharon and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason Jr., and helping her young grandson Darcy celebrate his second birthday.

Loch Shykora is home from attending summer school at the University of Alberta for the past six weeks, and is now relaxing until school opens next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby returned home Friday evening, after spending the week in Banff, where Mrs. Appleby attended the A.T.A Conference Workshop, held August 13 - 21, as delegate from the local A.T.A.

Mr and Mrs. Lloyd Bell have returned home from a two-week holiday and fishing trip at one of the lakes northeast of Edmonton.

**EUROPEAN HOLIDAY**

Mr and Mrs. Larry Benson returned home the weekend of Aug 14th, from their six week trip on the Continent, which took them on a tour of several different countries They will be making their home in Holden, where they are on the teaching staff

Mrs. Anne Tymchuk was a business visitor in Edmonton last Wednesday, going in on the bus and returning home Friday. She also visited with relatives overnight

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mrs. Mabel Sizer entertained a week ago Friday afternoon for Mrs. Anna Nelson of Sadbury, B.C., who had been visiting around Holden for two weeks. Several old time friends were there to meet her.

Harry Tkaczyk's nephews from Vancouver are here helping him harvest and combine the crop.

**LEAVES HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Bud Sizer, who has been a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton, for the past four weeks undergoing surgery, was hoping to be able to leave the hospital on Monday, and will stay with her daughter and family in Edmonton for a while to convalesce Friends here hope she now makes a good recovery and will soon be home with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hovland and children, of Hilladown, were visitors with their family, Chris Hovland and Ray and Reuben, the weekend of August 14th

Mr. and Mrs Lawrence Komarnisky were visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs Joe Sroka, last Thursday evening.

Mr and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visitors and supper guests with Mrs. Beth Campbell on Wednesday of last week.

Mr and Mrs Clare Cavanaugh of Calgary, former Ryley residents, were Thursday visitors and overnight guests with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and family, leaving Friday on their way home from holidays

Mrs. Mabel Sizer had her grandchildren from Viking visiting with her for a few days the past week.

David Hladilo, who has been taking a chefs' course at the "Tech" school in Edmonton, was visiting with his family, the Mike Hladilos, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy are home after being away the past six week, with Earl attending summer school at the University of Alberta in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, with Mrs. N. L. Campbell and Percy's brother Alex from Poe, were Saturday visitors and dinner and lunch guests with Mr. and Mrs. Barlow's daughter and family, the Ernie Marias, at Viking, and herself Beth celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer was visiting for a few days recently at Taber with her daughter Zella and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earling Henderson, driving back with them after the wedding of their daughter, Donna, which was held in Edmonton, August 2nd

Mr. and Mrs. John Thorne of Edmonton, formerly of Holden, were callers around Holden a week ago last Friday.

B. Randhawa of Edmonton, former teacher at Holden, and a friend, were business visitors in Holden on Wednesday of last week.

Miss Janet Hoover, who was on the teaching staff at Holden school last term, was visiting in Holden last week, after spending six weeks attending summer school at the University of Alberta

Geo H Taylor was a business visitor in Viking Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Parlett of Bruce was visiting in Holden last Wednesday.

# Kingman news briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Aug. 23.—Service at Kingman Baptist church on Sunday, August 29th at 8 p.m., by Rev. Don McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Shelton, and Mr. and Mrs. Holgar Jorgensen of Camrose were recent visitors at the Ed Sellenaa home.

Mr and Mrs. Finn Ness of Camrose, and Mrs. Ralph Badry and David of Edmonton were Monday visitors at the Lloyd Bjorgum home.

Mrs M. Horte, Mrs. Cliff Simonsen and Dale, Mrs Lloyd Hamilton and Hal of Edmonton, and Mrs I Ness spent Monday visiting with Mrs. Mary Qualley in Camrose Mrs Hamilton and Hal are staying until Wednesday at the I. Ness home

Miss Gertrude Asp of Calgary spent the weekend at the A Asp home Dr Douglas Asp of Calgary came Monday, to be with his father who is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital

Mr and Mrs Do Christenson and family of Brenyn were visitors Sunday with his brothers and sister and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lowe and children of Stoney Plain spent last Sunday at the Fred Coykendall home Linda Coykendall stayed last week with the Lowes in Stoney Plain.

Many from here attended the golden wedding celebration held for Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell of Round Hill, on Sunday.

Mrs. Albin Winder and Gloria of Daburon were Monday visitors with the Gust Ehdahls and overnight guests at the Herb Asp home.

Several from here attended some of the services at Bethlehem church on Sunday, marking their 60th anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Ness spent Sunday at the Howard Irwin cottage at Pigeon Lake, for a "Ness" re-union.

**20TH ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs Herb Storvik and Rochelle of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs Homer Schmidt Mr and Mrs. P Boness, and Mr and Mrs. John Johnson paid a surprise visit to the Mr. and Mrs Allen Anderson Saturday evening, the occasion being their 20th wedding anniversary.

**MISSIONARIES HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Raines and children, missionaries to India for the past six years are visitors with Mrs Raines' mother, Mrs. Louisa Winder and brothers in the district. They also attended Sequoia Lake Bible Camp last week. Mr Raines will attend Berean Bible College at Calgary, as he has a year's furlough before returning to India. Jake Johnson, a former pastor at Kingman Baptist church, is also in Bombay, India teaching, as is Alan Brodale, a former pastor at Tofield.

Tony and Eddie Kozak, and Leslie Coykendall returned on Sunday from a trip via the Hart Highway to Vancouver, B.C., where the Kozaks visited with their brother Myron and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ergs accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Alan Ergs on a week's trip to Vancouver, to visit with Mrs. L. Ergs's mother, Mrs. Marie Boness, and the Glen Boness family.

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## Ministik news

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Services were conducted at the United Church by Miss Helen Irvin on Sunday. She announced that on August 29 Communion and Baptismal services would be held, with Rev. McDannold of Tofield conducting.

**IS RECOVERING**

Mac McIntyre is progressing favorably after having suffered a heart attack. His friends and customers all wish him continued good progress.

While Mr. McIntyre is in hospital, his son Jim and wife, of Devon, have been assisting at the service station, also Mr. and Mrs. Gerry McIntyre of Westward Ho.

Mrs. Joe Curtis recently spent three days as a guest of Mrs. Helen Hennessy. Many will remember Mrs. Curtis when she formerly resided here with her family.

Mrs. Dennis Jones of Ardrossan was an evening guest of Mrs. Andrew Ferguson last Tuesday.

Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth has been caring for her grandchildren while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Norman, have been on holidays.

Gary and Glenn Ferguson and Richard Heitman enjoyed a day's water skiing at Pigeon Lake on Sunday.

Guests of their aunt and uncle and cousins, the Pat Patersons, were Dorothy, Loretta and Verna Paterson of Looma, for four days last week.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Allen of Kelowna, B.C., called on the Albert Horricks family on Saturday evening. They are visiting friends in Alberta before returning to B.C. to make their home at Chilliwack.

Mrs. Alma Holmes is spending three weeks with an old friend in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Hamilton and Marjorie, of Fort Macleod, spent a week at the Russell Rowland home, and visited all their old friends in Ministik and area. Thursday evening they were guests of the Jim Roddicks. They left Saturday for their home.

## Former Holden girl is married in Edmonton

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Aug. 31. — A pretty double-ring ceremony was solemnized at Pleasantview United Church in Edmonton on Monday, August 2nd, when Donna Lynn Henderson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earling Henderson of Taber was united in marriage to Jim Harold Turnbull of Taber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Turnbull, also of Taber.

The ceremony was performed at 3:00 o'clock by Reverend C. Trout. The bride was given in marriage by her father and looked radiant in a street-length gown of white organza blended rayon over a taffeta skirt. Her shoulder-length veil misted from a pearl-trimmed tiara and she carried a bouquet of red roses.

Attending the bride was Miss Elaine Turnbull, sister of the groom, who wore a blue taffeta dress and carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

The groom was attended by Henry Ainsworth.

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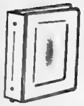

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Records being built up show that thousands upon thousands of women are procuring abortions one way or another, and many thousands are winding up permanently crippled or disabled as a result.

Granted the fact that simply because millions of drivers speed every day doesn't make it legal or moral, neither does the frequency of attempts to end pregnancy change its status as being against either the legal or the moral code. However, there are countless instances when it is definitely not moral, even if it is legal, to continue the pregnancy. Such instances could include the birth of illegitimate children, crippled or diseased babies not wanted in already too large families, or children whose delivery is almost guaranteed to maim or kill the mother.

Certainly modification abounds with dangers. But there are abundant dangers in not changing, too. These have been amply demonstrated over a period of years, and all the horrifying complications which could develop have still not deterred countless thousands of women.

For the well being of the women of the nation, it's past time we gave them some sort of relief from the absolute laws of today. It has been sagely pointed out that if it were men who were involved instead of women, it wouldn't take a full session of the government to get the law changed.

## What the left hand is doing

Talking with a Quebec delegate to the newspaper convention last week, we stumbled on a problem in Canada more serious than biculturism or bilingualism, in our view. The problem is one of simple communication, the ability of the right hand to know what the left is doing

We don't catch every news report or read every paper across the country, but we try to manage a high average. Yet nowhere did we see or hear anything a couple of weeks ago about the incorporation of Quebec second largest city . . . next to Montral. Not on national television, radio or newspaper did we pick up any allusion to the fact.

Obviously, a couple of hundred thousand people didn't suddenly move into a new area What happened was that a dozen closely connected communities on the North Shore of the St. Lawrence, opposite the island of Montreal, formed into one civic body, with one council, one mayor, one administration

Name of the city, which is almost the size of Calgary, is Laval.

What confounds us is that Canadians don't seem to treat this sort of thing as important, compared with American plane crashes, highway accidents, university brawls, and so on. Certainly Viet Namese wars are important, new space flight are important, and race riots draw tremendous attention.

But let's not lead into our own race riots because we don't even know what's going on in our own country. If we don't know about Laval, it's just as certain the people in Quebec don't know what happens in Alberta. Nor do the Maritimers, or Ontarioans, for that matter. After all, why should they care?

## By George!

A couple of new radio stations have made their presence known in Alberta recently. Both boast "quality" music, and both restrict commercials to a very limited number per hour, presumably at a higher than usual rate to give them the necessary financing to carry on.

For those who don't like the screaming, twanging sound of stations carrying rock 'n roll and western music, and tire quickly of the "long hair" stuff presented by such stations as Edmonton's CKUA and Alberta's CBC radio outlets, the two new stations will be most welcome.

In all fairness to one Edmonton station—CFRN—I hasten to point out, however, that the brand of music presented on this channel is most acceptable to people who like quality music, or to those, like myself, who appreciate song stylings from the "swing" era.

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I noticed in a CTV blurb on shows for the new season that the Smothers Brothers will have a program of their own this year. The two comedians seem to have grown in popularity quite noticeably in the past year or so. One person who caught their act on the Ed Sullivan Show recently told me about a remarkable similarity between one of the brothers and Jim Iddings of the Seattle Barbershop Quartet, "The Four - Do - Matics". This quartet has appeared on Camrose Barbershop shows twice in the past five years, and Iddings' zany antics made him a favorite of local audiences.

The last time this quartet was in the city, Mr. Iddings told me during one of his very infrequent quiet moments that he admires the Smothers Brothers very much, and never misses one of their personal appearances if he can help it. He says he likes the style of the "screwball" brother, and Jim freely admits he sometimes copies it to a certain degree. This accounts for the similarity of the two.

## Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. The idea is practically worthless, and we can't seem to solve our problems.
2. The teacher proceeded to tell us that our child's conduct was aggravating.
3. He generally passes by here every day, and we see him every so often.
4. Why not add up the column of figures, and then we'll know for sure what the sum total is.
5. The papers were fastened together with wire clips, and we noticed that you did not comply to our wishes
6. The river had overflown, and the streets of the city were inundated under water

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Praline.
8. Obesity.
9. Purlieu.
10. Passe
11. Ascetic
12. Pendulum.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Indefatigable navigable, changable, believable, movable, coerse perverse intersperse, disperse disburse sumac sulphuric sumptuous supersonic, supersede, Cincinnati, Carribean, Philippine, Mediterranean Montevideo, necessaries, obsequies, attornies, pianos, mottoes, asphaltum, ultimatum, interum, momentum, compendium.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "The idea is ALMOST worthless, and IT SEEMS we can't solve our problems". 2. Say, "that our child's conduct was PROVOKING". 3. Omit "by", and say, "He USUALLY passes here every day, and we see him QUITE OFTEN". 4. Omit "up" and either "sum" or "total". Say, "Why no tadd the column of figures, and then we'll know SURELY what the total (or, the sum) is" 5 Omit "together", and say, "comply WITH our wishes" 6. Say, "The river had OVERFLOWED", and omit "under water".

7. Pronounce praw-leen, accent first syllable 8. Preferred pronunciation is oh-bees-i-ti, accent on second syllable 9. Pronounce purr - lyu, accent first syllable 10 Pronounce pan-say, accent second syllable 11 Pronounce a-set-ick accent second syllable. 12 Pronounce pen-dy-lum, accent first syllable

13. Changeable, coerce, supersonic Caribbean attorneys, interim

Beginning this week I am going

## Modern Etiquette

by Roberta Lee

Q A friend recently asked me, at the last minute, to her bridge party as a fill in for someone who was unable to attend I declined Wasn't I right?

A. Not in the least You were ungracious and rude A last-minute appeal for help from a hostess is usually a compliment because it indicates that you are a special friend who can be counted on to do a favour Your friend was evidently wrong in considering you as a "special friend"

Q About a month ago I wrote a letter of condolence to a friend who had lost her mother, and I still have not received any kind of reply from her. What do you think about this?

A. While it is usually proper to acknowledge such letters still in consideration of your friend's feelings at such a time, her lapse should be overlooked.

Q. What is the correct way to acknowledge an invitation to a christening?

A. Either by note or telephone is correct.

Q What side of the plate should the napkin be placed

A. If you are setting the table with place plates, the napkin is placed on the plate If food is on the place plate when the guests are seated, the napkin is placed at the left of the plate

Q. Would it be all right if I were to have my wedding invitations engraved in gold ink?

A. For wedding invitations, only black ink should be used. Silver or gold are frequently used, for 25th or 50th anniversary invitations, if one wishes.

Q. When addressing an envelope to two unmarried sisters should it be written as "The Misses Brown," or as "Miss Anne Brown and Miss Jane Brown"?

A "The Misses Brown" is sufficient.


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## Ministic news items

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

MINISTIK, August 25.—Services were conducted by Miss Helen Irwin at the United Church on Sunday, Aug. 22. It was M and M Sunday for foreign missions.

Mrs. M. Liknes of Winter, Sask., was a guest last week of her sister, Mrs Helen Hennessy

Leonard Logan of Therrien has been helping his son-in-law, Melvin Loch, with his new home.

Valerie George, daughter of Douglas George, and Melvin George, son of Walter George, both of Edmonton, have been spending part o ftheir summer holiday with their grandmother, Mrs. S George

Mrs Michael Nasichuk helped Mrs. Mac McIntyre at the store last Tuesday. We can report that Mac is coming along favorably in Tofield Hospital and plans to be home soon. He will have to take things easy for a few months on his return home.

Mrs Walter Barnes, her daughter, Mrs. Steve Dunn and Brett, of Calgary, and daughter Mrs Archie McLean and Neil, enjoyed three days last week at Jasper and area

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport and Phyllis and Lorraine enjoyed a five-day holiday at Niton, Hinton, and other points in that area; also getting in some blueberry-picking. Frank Wilson assisted W. Davenport with the farm chores in their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and Myron and Brian, of Mossleigh, Alberta, spent the weekend at their farm home here.

Norman Penrice, of Ardrossan, has been giving his dad, Alex Penrice, a helping hand with the hay crop.

**HOLIDAY IN B.C.**

Miss Terry Rogier, George Rogier and Madame Martha Rouyier left Monday morning for a two-week holiday to Vancouver and all mountain points en route.

Mr and Mrs Melvon Loch left Saturday morning for a holiday at Kelowna and other points in that area.

**84TH BIRTHDAY**

Mrs Alex McSporran was pleasantly surprised on her 84th birthday last Wednesday, when her daughters, Mrs. George Horricks and Mrs Charlie Horricks of Namao paid her a visit, bringing birthday cake, etc, for the occasion. Mrs. Barbara Horricks also called

Mrs. Helen Hennessy was an Edmonton shopper on Monday.

Mrs Andrew Ferguson spent last Thursday in Edmonton with her chum, Miss Edna Burgess and her mother. Miss Burgess plans to move to Vancouver in the near future to make her home. Mrs. Ferguson returned home Friday evening after spending the day shopping.

Mrs. Jimmie Holmes spent two days at Boyle on a blueberry-picking tour, and returned with many lovely berries.

Mrs. Russell Rowland has had her five grandchildren staying with her for a week.

Grade 9 results have been announced, and those successful in passing were Beverly Loch and Linda Holmes.

The first of September found pupils, teachers, bus drivers and janitors back on the job after a two-month holiday.

Recent afternoon and dinner guests with Mrs. S. George were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and Mrs Helen Hennessy.

## Around the Town

Edith-Mary Smith has returned to Edmonton after spending part of the summer holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J W Robinson. Mr and Mrs. Robinson accompanied their daughter, Mrs. J. A. L. Smith, to Edmonton at the beginning of the week.

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**VISITORS FROM A DISTANCE**

Petty Officer Jim Yakabuski and family of Victoria, B.C., are visiting at the home of Jim's parents while en route to Halifax, N.S., where he will take an advanced course in electronics for a year Also visitors at the J. Yakabuski home the past month were Ambrose Yakabuski and family of Toronto, Ontario. Ambrose and family also visited his brother Stan and family in Edmonton. Betty and Bob Conner and family (nee Betty Yakabuski) of Longmont, Colorado, U.S.A., were also visitors at the J Yakabuski home this past month The Ambrose Yakabuskis and the Conners have returned to their respective homes

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**HERE FROM OREGON**

Mr. and Mrs. Hildreth Lewis of Troutdale, Oregon, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Lewis of Portland, Ore., visited with Mrs. A. Hosler the past week. They also visited Gerald Hosler and family of Edmonton over the past week.

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**FROM CALIFORNIA**

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lewis and baby, of Costa-Mesa, Calif., left for home on Thursday, after visiting Jerry's grandmother, Mrs. A. Hosler, in Tofield, and Jerry's uncle, Gerald Hosler, and family of Edmonton, and cousins, Ron and Lynne of Leduc. Jerry is supervisor of the design branch of Missile and Space Systems division centre, in Huntington Beach, Calif.

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Monday afternoon coffee guests with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Erickson were Mrs. Erickson's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, of Berwyn. Evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs Rudolph Undin and children

The Rev. Sydney and Mrs. Bell of Lethbridge were Friday overnight guests at the Stinson home, to take their daughters, Audrey and Linda, home after almost two weeks' stay with the Stinsons. The girls were there while their parents were taking a course in marriage counselling at the Banff School of Fine Arts.

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Father Scriven arrived home on Friday after spending three weeks in Yorkshire and Sussex, England.


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## Ross Creek district news briefs

(Iris Bilan)

Howard and Nell Malcolm were visitors with James and Rose W. .iowich on Saturday evening.

Graham and Elma Snider and family visited with Elma's parents, Mr and Mrs John Hennig of Andrew on Sunday

Mr and Mrs Alex Ford, Wilfred and Shirley Ford and family and Lester and Wilma Odiorne and family visited with Howard and Fern Thor at Islay on Sunday with Shirley Ford and little Debbie Odiorne celebrating their birthdays that day.

**FAREWELL PARTY**

On Thursday afternoon a number of U.C.W. dropped in on Mrs. May McArthur for a surprise farewell party before she and her husband and family leave Ross Creek to take up residence in Lamont May was presented with a gift of two china cups and saucers by the U.C.W. president, Mrs. Jewell Becker. A very ladies, was served

**NEPHEW PASSES**

Sympathy of the community goes to George and Winnie McLachlan and Joseph and Isabel McLachlan on the tragic passing of their nephew, Teddy Duncan of Stettler. Joe and Isabel and son Larry, and George and Winnie and son Norman motored to Stettler on Saturday to attend the funeral in the afternoon and returned home on Sunday.

## Locals . . .

Mrs. Alberta Hafner and family from Fort St. John, B.C., were visitors with her cousin, Jewel Tiedeman, for ten days.

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**LONG TRIP**

Walter Tiedeman and family have just returned from a 2,500-mile trip. Points of interest they visited were the Peace River dam, Hudson Hope, Prince George, Vanderhoof, B.C. They visited Morley White and other relatives at Whitecourt.

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**TWIN GIRLS!**

Twin girls were born to Const. and Mrs. Claud Green of Entwistle, formerly of Tofield.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jacobs and Norman and Esther Anderson spent Sunday visiting with friends at Rumbey.


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# THE RYLEY TIMES



## District news items from Ryley

M. K. Westmancoat

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ellinger (nee Barbara Campbell) and sons Basil and David of Edmonton, stopped in town this week on their return from a vacation, and were breakfast guests with Bob and Marg Westmancoat. They then went out to the Bathgate for two days, visiting with cousins, the Lyons brothers and their families. Barbara resided out there in her early years, and attended Bathgate school up to the 8th grade, when her family moved into Edmonton.

Roland Booth is building an extension onto the north side of his barn, and also a garage onto the north side of his house. He has this work nearly completed.

Mrs. Martha Lillo and Mrs. Lloyd Fobes of Edmonton were in town on Friday, visiting with Borghild Sundlie.

**SUNDLIE-MATTHEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sundlie (nee Sandra Matthews), were married in the Calvary Lutheran Church in Edmonton on Saturday, Aug. 21, with reception at the Corona hotel. Relatives and friends attended from Ryley, Mayerthorpe, Wandering River, Bochfort Bridge, and Edmonton. The happy couple left for a honeymoon at Banff and other western points, and on their return will make their home in Edmonton.

Visiting her son Derril and family, and her sister-in-law Mrs. Hans Hillerud, is Mrs. Barbara Solbarg of Vancouver, B.C., a former old-time resident of Ryley.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Halberg's daughter Evelyn, of Vancouver, B.C., was one of the actresses seen on the afternoon TV program, "People In Conflict", on Friday afternoon, Aug. 27th.

**LIGHTNING STRIKES**

The Lutheran Church at Bardo was struck by lightning and burned on Friday night during the severe electric storm. The electric organ was saved. This is the second time this church has been struck and destroyed, the first time being in the early twenties. The congregation had held its 70th anniversary services in June of this year.

Mrs. Tillie Branes entertained at supper on Tuesday evening, in honor of her niece, Mrs. Florence Nerassen of Pierce, Colorado. Her guests were Florence and two of her sons Albert and Raymond, Mrs. Sylvia Romberg, Hans and Signy Nerassen, and Mrs. Pearl Kushnir. After supper, other relatives joined the gathering, namely Mrs. Gust Oslund, Walter Oslund and Ellen, and Mrs. Olga Lee of Camrose.

Mark Eikeland and his friend Jeff of Edmonton have been staying all week with Mrs. Tillie Branes. His mother, Berniece Eikeland, motored here and took the boys back to Edmonton, to be ready for school opening.

Mrs. E. Bell of Okanagan Falls, B.C., and Frank Bell of Oliver, B.C., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Korack (Clara) and W. Klawitter and Edwin Klawitter, at Ryley. Mrs. F. Bell is a sister of Walter Klawitter.

Edwin Klawitter is home after spending a few days in the Tofield Hospital.

## Palmer - Earling

PALMER-EARLING, Aug. 27— Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Lien, Donald and Dennis spent the weekend at Banff.

Rev. and Mrs. Lars Knudson of Elbow, Sask., were visitors here with relatives during the week, before going on to Calgary to visit at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Eberlie.

Mrs. Harold Worthing and Jenny of Prince George, B.C., are visiting the former's brother, Evan Kvale and family and other relatives here for two weeks.

**Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ward (nee Alida Iverson) have adopted four sisters, for their chosen daughters.**

Lindsay, Bea and Floyd Aker of Camrose and their cousin, Edna Aker, have returned from a motor holiday to points in Washington and Vancouver and Victoria, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lamont and family of Leduc have been holidaying with her parents, the Anton Peters and with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pederson and Myrna and Lorraine Hoveland are holidaying at Banff.


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## Bardo and district items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Aug. 16 — Larry Foshaug, Merlin Rude and Gail and Joanne Lauber motored to Calgary where they attended the wedding of Marvin Jacobson and Eleanor Olson at the Evangelical Covenant Church there on Saturday.

Leif and Evelyn Foshaug and Lars and Gladys Rude enjoyed a short holiday at Banff and Jasper last week.

Mrs. Borghild Erickson, who celebrated her birthday August 12, had several visitors in the evening.

**VISITORS HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore and David of Calgary have been visitors in the district the past week and on Tuesday the Moores, Ingolf, Esther and Donnie Brekkan and Clarence and Borghild Rude motored to the Alberta Game Farm for an enjoyable outing. On Thursday Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Rude motored to Amisk where they visited Harold and Wyonne Whidden and family, returning home Friday. In the evening Mrs. Moore showed slides at the Community Hall of their trip to Europe two years ago.

Mrs. Agnes Hagen and Neil of Camrose are spending a few days on the farm visiting the Leif Foshaugs.

Sunday dinner guests at the Clarence Rude home were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brooks and Donna from Ferintosh and their little granddaughter Janet Strome of Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brooks and Ricky from Wetaskiwin; and Grandma Foshaug. Garry Nelson came to spend a week with his grandparents while Carl and Alma Marie are travelling to Vancouver in charge of a group of Luther Leaguers who are attending the L.L. Convention there.

Mrs. Iris Francis and children spent the week camping with Mrs. Dennis Bjornson and children at Elk Island Park.

## Lakeshore-

Ellen Eaton

Tuesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann last week were their daughter, Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot, Martha's brother, Victor Goubault of Lindbrook and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Thiessen of Tofield.

Don and Deanna Niemetz and little son, formerly of Edmonton, were visitors at the home of Don's parents George and Ida Niemetz from Wednesday to Friday last week. On Saturday they moved to Vauxhall where Don has taken a new position.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were guests at the home of Sandy and Irene Scott at Lindbrook Thursday evening of last week, helping Sandy celebrate his birthday. Other guests there also were Emil's and Martha's daughter, Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haney and children of Hastings Lake and Kenneth and Ann Oliver and family.

Marjorie and Morley Jacobsen and little daughter, Diane, were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of George and Ida Niemetz.

Gail Niemetz of Edmonton arrived Saturday and will spend a week's holiday with her parents, George and Ida Niemetz.

Dede and Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Robert's sister, Martha and Emil Tiedemann. They took their daughter Judy home with them after she had spent most of three weeks holidays there. Dede and Robert also visited Dede's parents, Marj and John Wood Sunday afternoon. Mary went as far as Edmonton with them, where she is spending a few days with her daughter, Evie and Vic Halwa and family.

Mrs. Emma Ferguson of Tofield went to Edmonton on Monday of last week and spent four days with her two daughters and their families, namely Audrey and Harold Kindley and family and Betty and Keith Paddick and family.

**Arnold and Doretta Bruick and son Dean of Fort Wayne, Indianna, arrived Thursday at the home of Doretta's cousin, Elmer and Vi Goossein and will be there for a short visit before returning home.**

## Approve new rye

The Canada Department of Agriculture has announced release of a new fall variety of rye seed, Frontier. Like Antelope and Dakold, it has excellent winter hardiness but is superior to them in yield, kernel size and color. During the 1961 - 63 period, the average yield of Frontier was 44 bushels per acre compared with 40 for Antelope and 38 for Dakold.

Larry Williams, District Agriculturist, reports there are only 1,000 bushels of seed available in Western Canada for 1965 so this may not have any effect on this area for this year, but may in future years.

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The posted list is open to inspection during business hours.

Any qualified elector may make application for the correction of any error or omission in the said Voters' List by serving notice upon the secretary-treasurer in writing on or before the seventh day of September, 1965.

DATED at Ryley, Alberta this fourth day of August, 1965.

GARNET BURNSTAD,
Secretary-Treasurer.
(52-1)



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### IN MEMORIAM

WIDEMAN —In loving memory of Floyd Wideman, who passed away Sept. 2, 1962:

When last we saw your smiling face,
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It broke our hearts to lose you,
But you did not go alone—
For part of us went with you, Dad,
The day God called you home;
And always every evening,
We seem to have a way
Of wandering back to meet you,
On the road to yesterday.

—Sadly missed by his loving wife, Lavanda, and Children. 1p-3030

### CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the messages of sympathy received in the loss of our mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Libby. Thanks to the doctors and the staff at the Tofield Hospital. —The Libby Families. 1p-3032

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**25TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

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11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

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Sunday, Sept. 5th
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
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# County council meets August 12th

Following are the minutes, in part of the regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9, held Thursday, Aug. 12th:

Cr Roddick brought up the matter of of payment for moving and replacing fence and he felt that payments for fence-moving should be made as early as possible

It was moved and carried that payment for fence-moving be made at the same time as payment is being made for land taken from the unregistered plan, unless an earlier payment is authorized by the Councillor in question.

Dmetro Misyk attended the meeting at this time and stated that he had lost two cows from bloating while herding the cows from one quarter section to another approximately a distance of ½ mile the cattle having been moved within a period of ½ hour. Mr Misyk had checked the cattle after they had been returned to their original pasture and had then found the two dead animals. The veterinarian from Daysland had been called in and had established that the animals had died from bloat. This happened on July 23rd, 1965. Mr Misyk blamed the death of the cattle on clover on the roadside ditch and felt that the County was responsible and claimed damage in the amount of $280 for the two animals. Mr Misyk was advised that the Council was of the opinion that the County was not responsible. It was, however, decided to obtain some legal opinion.

Moved and carried that this case be referred to the insurance company for their advice

In regards to the official opening of Beaverhill Lake Beach, motion 482 65, Cr Kropielnicki stated that he had attended the official opening. He mentioned the poor condition of the road from the road allowance going to the beach and suggested that the County might assist in this project by undertaking the maintaining of this road and those parts of the beach itself that the Mundare Fish and Game Association may want to have maintained

This was agreed to, and it was moved and carried that the County of Beaver No. 9 would be prepared to assist by [illegible] the road to the beach and the beach itself if required and that, if the offer is accepted, Cr. Kropielnicki be authorized to look after this matter.

The report under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act as dealt with by motion 502/65 was again brought up to the Council. Although no individual survey had been made it was felt that at the present time an average yield for each township within the County of 30 bushels to the acre or more would be a safe estimate except in one or two areas where hail had been reported. The Councillors concerned with those areas were requested to have the situation investigated.

Moved and carried that the application required in accordance with Section 3 of the PFA Act and Section 2 of the regulations be completed with an average yield of a plus-20 bushels per acre for each township, except where investigation indicates that, through hail damage, the yield would be 8 bushels per acre or less.

The letter and manual from the Minister of Highways concerning scope and procedure for rural road inventory and future road needs, dealt with by motion 514 65, was again brought before the Council and discussed to some extent. The secretary-treasurer suggested that possibly the adjoining municipalities should be contacted to ascertain what they are doing in this matter

This being agreed to, it was moved and carried that this item be again tabled to a later meeting of the Council

The secretary treasurer reported that in connection with motion 516 65, he had written the Supt of the Elk Island National Park outlining the situation. The superintendent's reply, dated July 20, indicated that no dynamiting of beaver dams in the park had been done for some time. It was mentioned that the high water experienced in the past spring had flooded many areas of pasture land within the park as well but, as this flooding had not been activities of man or animal, no steps had been taken to control the situation. It was further pointed out in the letter that Ross Creek does not lie within the boundaries of the Elk Island National Park and hence the complaint that the park authorities had been dynamiting beaver dams on the Ross Creek was not quite accurate. Cr Weatherill stated that some further action was contemplated by some of the farmers affected within the County of Beaver No 9 and that he was of the understanding that a petition would be forwarded to the office in due course

Under the circumstances, it was moved and carried that the correspondence be received and filed.

A delegation from the Village of Holden consisting of Bruce MacDonell, Lars Olsen and John Semeniuk interviewed the Council in respect to the difficulty of obtaining a doctor for the Village of Holden. It was stated that the Village was prepared to assist in guaranteeing an adequate salary to a doctor, who would locate in the Village, for a period of six to eight months and it was the feeling of the Village Council that, inasmuch as a doctor located at Holden would serve a large area of the County, the County should also be prepared to offer a guarantee. It was pointed out that this would be purely a temporary arrangement until a doctor would be able to establish himself in the area. It was also suggested that the grant would be conditional on the doctor staying for a specified [illegible] if he did not stay, then the grant would be repayable. This, in the opinion of the Council, would hardly be enforceable. The Committee stated that the Village of Holden was prepared to assist a doctor to the amount of $300 per month for a period of time and that the County might consider a larger amount for this purpose. It was suggested that an area of the County surrounding the Village, where the residents might be considered using the doctor in Holden, could be defined and a special levy made on that area. However, it was considered that a grant, if such a grant could be made, taken from the general revenue of the County would be more satisfactory.

The secretary-treasurer stated that he would have to obtain some advice from the Dept of Municipal Affairs, and it was moved and carried that the Council give consideration for a grant, to assist in locating a physician in the Village of Holden, for a period of not more than six months if this is permissible under provincial legislation.

### Correspondence

A letter from Mrs Ethel G Haight of Newberg, Oregon, in regards to earth removed from her land, N W 30-48-14-W4th, in 1964, was referred to the Council. The letter indicated that the earth had been taken without permission, and she requested to be paid for the damage done to the land. Cr Dorin stated that permission to take the earth, which was used on certain streets in the Hamlet of Bruce, had been given by Mr. Haight in July of 1964.

Moved and carried that Mrs Haight be advised of these circumstances, and that the letter be received and filed.

A letter from F Gommeringer, complaining of the road south of Sec 18-48-13-W4th, was referred to the Council. The letter had been received on July 14th and indicated that Cr Dorin was not available at the time. Marvin Lund the grader operator at Bruce had been requested to look into the complaint and take necessary action

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed, and action concurred in

The secretary-treasurer informed the Council that he had been contacted by telephone by D F Irving, President of Irving Industries, in regards to the strip mine pits on N W 11 49-18-W4th. Mr Irving stated that the Mines Branch had instructed him to back fill the mine workings on this quarter section except on the 30 acres that the County had purchased for park purposes. Mr Irving had pointed out that if he was forced to do this it would have a very adverse effect on the trout in this lake and he suggested that the County might be interested in purchasing the balance of the quarter section at a price of $15 per acre this being the same price that the County

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# Dodds-Ryley briefs

(Mrs. O. Lehman)

DODDS-RYLEY, Aug. 23 —Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sandlie (nee Sandra Mathews) of Edmonton were married on Saturday in the Calvary Lutheran Church at Edmonton. Those attending the wedding from Ryley and Tofield were Mr. and Mrs. William Moran, Berghild Sandlie, Mr. and Mrs. Odd Orbeck, Mrs. Ole Hjelter, Ivan Jacobson, Pastor Stanley Rude, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nordwaski.

Earl Hjelter returned home from Banff on Saturday, where he had been attending school for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roth and family were visitors at Eaglesham with their son-in-law and daughter Mr and Mrs. Eddie Friesen, and new granddaughter.

Mr and Mrs. Willis Armstead and daughter of Calling Lake, are visiting with relatives in the Tofield district

Mrs Rienold Grinde and children spent a few days last week at Westlock

Mrs [illegible] from Montana is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurier of Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kauffman have returned home from their holidays.

The Oliver Lehman family were Thursday evening guests at the Sarain home.

**GOLDEN WEDDING**

Many [illegible] attended the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Dun Campbell Sr., in Round Hill on Sunday.

# Bardo pair observe 25th anniversary

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Aug. 23 — Complimenting Mr and Mrs. Leif Foshaug on their 25th wedding anniversary, a large crowd of friends and relatives gathered at the Community Centre on Sunday afternoon, Aug 15. The "bride's" table was centred with the cake which was baked by Evelyn's sisters and beautifully decorated by Mrs Stenson of Camrose

Leonard Stauffer was master of ceremonies for the program which was presented and Larry Foshaug on behalf of himself and Robert, presented his parents with a gift certificate. Lloyd Rudd, brother of the "bride", made the presentation from the Rudds; and Mrs Burghild Rude, sister of the "groom", presented a gift from the Foshaugs. Sam Cinnamon did the honors for the community. Albin Anderson, an uncle of the groom, of Kingman, and Mr. Hawley, travelling supt for the Alberta Wheat Pool, also spoke briefly.

Leif and Evelyn graciously responded. Seated with them at the luncheon table were their sons Larry and Robert, the attendants of 25 years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Foshaug, and the groom's mother, Mrs. Alma Foshaug. Miss Caroline Foshaug, a niece of the groom, was in charge of the guest book. Mr and Mrs Alvin Bangen, Grande Prairie were present for the celebration and others came from Camrose, Edmonton, Round Hill and Tofield


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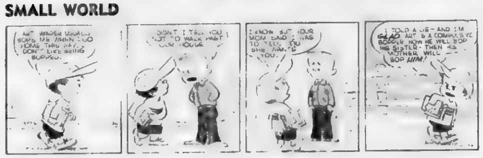


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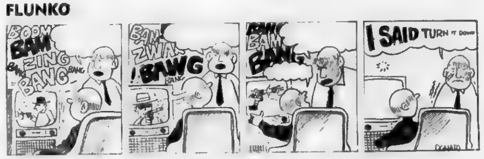


## CYNTHIA

## OUR TOWN

## SMALL WORLD

# Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Good and daughter Margie and her friend, arrived Tuesday evening of last week from California via Jasper Park and are visiting with Jack's mother, Mrs. Lars Ritland and Mr Ritland, and with other relatives and friends during their holiday Both are former Holden and district residents. Jack having farmed south of Holden and Mrs. Good taught school at Talbot and in Holden for several years before leaving to make their home in California. It is five years since they last visited here.

Mr. Jordon, student minister, of Salem United church exchanged pulpits with Mr. Ruxton Sunday August 22nd, taking the service in Holden and Mr. Ruxton at Salem. Members of Bruce United Church joined Holden for the service.

Mr and Mrs. John Semotuik were visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell Sunday evening of last week.

**FAREWELL PARTY**

A farewell party was held Wednesday evening in the Greek Catholic church parlors when 30 ladies met to say farewell to Mrs Jimmie Komarnisky who with her family is leaving to make her home in Edmonton On entering the room she was presented with a lovely corsage Several games were played with Mrs Marian Tkaczyk and Mrs Jean Grinde in charge Mrs Komarnisky was presented with a lovely Corning Ware percolator from those present and all wished her and her family well in their new home A delicious lunch was se od by the hostesses

Tony Basarabo who left for Daysland a few weeks ago is back in Holden and is again driving Ernie Good's Transport truck

Mrs Jackie Good, her daughter andfriend, were coffee guests with Mrs. Stella Sorensen last Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Zane Bilyk visited relatives and friends in Vancouver, B.C., for a few days last week returning at the weekend

Mrs. Clara Armstrong was home on a few day's visit a week ago.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell was a dinner guest and visitor with Mr and Mrs. Percy Barlow Sunday following church services.

Mrs. Ken Campbell, Mrs. M. Taylor and small son of Leduc were visitors and dinner guests on Friday wih Marjorie's mother Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Good, their daughter and her friend, who are visiting Jackie's family, were visitors with relatives at Lamont on Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow drove to Viking Thursday and visited with their daughter Beth and family for two days, returning home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka returned home last weekend from their week's holiday and were visitors Sunday and Monday in Edmonton with their daughters Betty and Patsy.

Marshall Siywka was visiting with his mother two or three afternoons the past week and helping her give the house a new coat of paint

**MOVE TO CALGARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Fediuk and sons were around Holden Friday of last week saying goodbye to friends. They are loading their household furniture and belongings on Saturday, to ship to Calgary and were then leaving for that city where they are making their future home

**LEG FRACTURED**

Clare Anderson had an unfortunate accident Tuesday of last week while at work in Jack Stambaugh's garage. He was guiding a car driven by John Pooke onto the hoist for an overhaul and repairs The brakes on the car did not hold, running into "Andy" and pinning him between the wall and the car. His leg was fractured in two places. We are pleased to hear that he is coming along nicely but will not be home for some time yet.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs Sam Black was a patient in Tofield Hospital last week with a very bad attack of 'flu and high temperature She is now feeling much improved and hoped to be home the early part of the week, before the children were to be back to school

Mrs George Valan, a former Holden district resident is making very good progress after being in the Royal Alexandra hospital having major surgery

Mrs. Sigurd Augustine, another former old-time Holden district resident has also been a hospital patient in the Royal Alexandra hospital and is making good progress after having surgery on her legs for varicose veins.

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# Bardo WCTU meets at Berreclath home

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO Aug 18 — The WCTU met at the home of Mrs. Lillian Berreclath on Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Alma Marie Nelson led in Scripture reading and the prayer. Several of the ladies took part in the clip sheet entitled "... ings" This gave some information on the beginnings of the youth work in the WCTU such as the scientific temperance instructions, the Loyal Temperance Legion and the medal contest department. The president, Mrs. Mary Finseth, presented Mrs. Nelson with a cup and saucer as a parting token as the Nelson's are leaving Round Hill to reside in Edmonton.

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had paid for the 50 acres from Lou Larson. The secretary-treasurer felt that representations should be made to the Mines Branch, to the Dept of Fisheries and to the Dept. of the Provincial Secretary, where the original grant for this park had been obtained, and that possibly some arrangements could be made so that the back-filling did not have to be done

Moved and carried that information be accepted and that the secretary-treasurer contact the various Departments of the Provincial Government

The Council was advised that Elmer Sitler, who has been leasing the N.W 23-49-20-W4th for a period of years for pasture for $50 per year, requested another five-year lease on this parcel. This land is located in the County of Camrose No. 22 but is being held by the County of Beaver No. 9 for gravel deposits.

It was considered that the lease of $50 per year was not sufficient, and it was moved and carried that Mr Sitler be advised that the County is prepared to renew the lease at the rate of $75 per year.

In regards to the Centennial 1967, the secretary-treasurer informed the Council that the Village of Ryley had accepted that portion of the County's grant that was offered to them. The Village had applied to have the grant used for the purpose of building onto the Community Hall, providing meeting rooms and a kitchen. As far as the other areas the secretary-treasurer stated that no further information had been received

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the Recreational Facilities Grants Program, the secretary-treasurer reported that the grant on behalf of the Catholic Parish of St. John the Baptist Polska Hall was approved with the proviso that the drilling of a well would be taken out of other funds and not from the grant, as this was not considered an acceptable project by the Committee Also, the title to the property would have to be deposited in trust with the County office before the check could be issued.

In connection with the application on behalf of St. John the Baptist of Borshtchow, this application had been turned down inasmuch as the project of erecting a "Pioneer Monument" was not considered a recreational facility. The secretary-treasurer reported that he had written the officials of the Polska Hall advising them of the conditions and also he had written B J. Hurka in regards to St. John the Baptist Borshtchow grant and had suggested that possibly the local MLA might be able to assist them in having another application approved.

In regards to the grant on behalf of Kinsella Elks Lodge No. 364, information was requested whether or not the Kinsella Elks Lodge was situated in the Hamlet of Kinsella. If so, the organization would not be eligible to receive the recreational grant of $800 as the Hamlet had already participated in the original Facilities Grants Program, and the secretary-treasurer inquired how many members of the Elks Lodge were acually in the Hamlet of Kinsella. Cr. Johnston stated that the Lodge consists of some 80 to 90 members, most of them being farmers, residing in some instances some considerable distance from the Hamlet. The secretary-treasurer stated that he would relay this information to the Dept. of Provincial Secretary urging that the grant be approved.

Moved and carried that the information be accepted and the secretary-treasurer's action concurred in.

An account from Evans Air Services Ltd in the amount of $200 for aerial spraying of brush at the Blackfoot Community Pasture was referred to the Committee This matter had been dealt with at the July 8th meeting, at which time it had been noted from the Agricultural Service Board minutes that it had not been feasible to conduct a brush spraying demonstration in the Blackfoot Community Pasture with the County's equipment inasmuch as the pasture was too rough to drive a vehicle over. Under the circumstances Cr. Weatherill had inquired if the money set aside for this purpose in the budget for the Agricultural Service Board could be used for aerial spraying, but no action had been taken at that time. It was indicated that the total cost of the spraying had been $860, which meant that the Grazing Association was paying some $700. The secretary-treasurer stated that he could see no reason why the grant would not be obtainable from the Department,

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This advertisement is one of a series which relates some of the important benefits of the Canada Pension Plan to individual circumstances.

Issued by authority of the Minister of National Health and Welfare, Canada, The Honourable Judy LaMarsh.




# News items from Ketchamoot

Mary Mitchell

Florence Ingram returned on Friday evening after a week at Hinton attending the Social Study seminar which was held there for teachers and their families. Annis and Susan accompanied her, and enjoyed the pleasant week. Terry Moore spent the week with Beth Ingram while Mrs. Ingram was away.

Wednesday visitors with Peter and Yvonne Brown were Joe Posthums and his friend from Smithers, B.C.

Mr and Mrs. Rex of Detroit, Mich., are visiting with Chester and Harold Coombes and Margaret Johnson. Mrs Rex (Myrtle) is a sister to Margaret and Chester.

Last week callers at the home of Marie Mitchell, to view her flower garden, were Audrey, Kietha and Yvonne Brown, Annie, Opal, Agnes, Darlene, and Sharon McGinitie and Reta Williams.

Frances Schultz returned on Monday from two weeks' trip to Corvallis, Oregon, where she visited with relatives.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

For Kietha Brown's birthday on Monday afternoon, Yvonne Brown entertained a number of ladies to a party at her home. They were Annie McGinitie, Ada Turner, Gladys Gill, Martha Tiedemann, Anne Oliver and children. Evening callers were the Sandy Scott family.

Recent visitors with Agnes and Henry McGinitie were their son Raymond of Red Deer, and Willie Nashman of Edmonton.

Henry McGinitie is giving Eric Munkedahl of Ryley, a hand at carpentering.

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

Isabel Sutton and Mary Mitchell attended a shower Tuesday evening at the home of Lynn and Dereck Tiedemann, held in honor of Donna Black of Edmonton, who is to be the bride of Jack Muir on Saturday.

Friday afternoon, Leila Sutton called at the home of Chester Coombes, to visit with Mrs. Myrtle Rex and Mrs. Margaret Johnson, old school chums of 40 years ago, who are visiting in the district.

Mrs. Ruby Sears and children have returned home from Miquelon Lake where they enjoyed several days' camping.

Susie and Isaac Forese were Thursday evening callers at the Donnolly McGinitie home.

On Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs Ivan Mitchell called on Chester Coombes and his sister, Margaret Johnson while Harold was away fishing at Boyne lake.

Dorothy and Roy Whillans, Leroy and Barry motored to Edmonton where they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas. They picked up Mrs. Clara Whillans from Hardisty Home, who enjoyed the afternoon with her family.

**BRIDE IS HONORED**

Wednesday afternoon, Grace Lawson entertained a number of ladies at her home for a shower in honor of newlyweds Mr and Mrs. Kenneth Anderson. Isabel Lee and Doreen and Marilyn Schencker assisted the hostess with the entertainment and lunch.

On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown motored to St. Paul where they attended a wedding of a friend of Kietha's.

# Mr. and Mrs. G. Loken mark 25 years' marriage

An open-house reception at Messiah Lutheran Church parlors on Thursday evening honored Mr. and Mrs G. Loken, who were celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary. Actual date of the anniversary was July 14th, but the reception was delayed in order that the entire family could be present. Gulbrand (Bert) Loken and Lillian Lingjerde were married in Bowlf in 1940 and resided in Bardo and Ryley, moving then to Outlook, Sask., where they spent 15 years before coming to Camrose in 1961, when Mr. Loken accepted the position as principal of Camrose Lutheran College. He was appointed president of the College upon the resignation of Pastor C. E. Lund.

The Lokens have eight children, four sons, Joel, Mark, Rock and John, and four daughters, Crystal (Mrs. Jon Olson), Sharon, Beryl and Rhoda, all of whom were present at the reception. The attendants at the wedding 25 years ago were the bride's sister, Irene Lingjerde (now deceased), and Mrs. Helga Jacobs and Ed Loken (brother and sister of the groom).

For the reception on Thursday, the bride of 25 years looked lovely in a peacock blue two-piece brocade suit, complemented with a rose corsage, gift of the family; as was the boutonniere worn by the groom. The room was beautifully decorated and enhanced with many bouquets of "glads".

Joel Loken was master of ceremonies, speaking on behalf of the family. Several friends and former associates brought impromptu greetings and congratulations to the couple, and reminisced on former incidents in their friendships. Pastor C. Johnson gave the devotions, and spoke on behalf of the "adopted family of friends" of Mr. and Mrs Loken, and Pastor Aasen recited a Norwegian poem.

The lovely wedding anniversary cake was baked by Mrs. Jacobs, and honors at pouring went to Mrs. E. Marken, Mrs. Bert Hovelund, Mrs. Martin Olsen and Mrs Luther Olson. Close friends and relatives prepared and served the lunch to the many guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Loken received an automotive chair as a gift from the children, and 25 silver dollars, suitably mounted, from other relatives. On behalf of the assembly, Martin Olsen presented a gift of money; there were also other gifts and flowers received. Bert and Lillian expressed their deepest thanks to relatives and friends for all that had been done to make the occasion such a memorable one.

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

MINISTIK, Sept. 1 —Baptismal and communion services, conducted by Rev. W. McDannold of Tofield, were held Sunday at the United Church. Miss Barbara Lochtie was baptized and became a member of the church. Miss Helen Irwin, student minister, preached in Rev. McDannold's place in the Tofield United Church.

Despite a very rainy day, there was a good attendance at Sunday School.

**STUDENTS PLAN**

Last week we mentioned that Beverly Loch and Linda Holmes were successful in passing to Grade 10. Frank Wilson also will take Grade 10 on his return to Ardrossan school. Gary Swabey passed Grade 12, and will attend Northern Alberta Institute of Technology in Chemical Research. Christine Jeske passed to Grade 12, and Joan Rowland to Grade 11.

Gary Rowland spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs Russell Rowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Whitford joined Donald Grummett in Calgary last Friday, and spent three enjoyable days in the mountains, going as far west as Revelstoke. They also enjoyed a three-day holiday on a trip to Cold Lake recently.

Beverly Loch enjoyed a week of her vacation at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stevens in Edmonton.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Miss Helen Jones of Vancouver arrived at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones, on Monday. She and her mother, Chris and Beverly Stepanow, left Tuesday by car for Wilkie, Sask., where they will visit Mrs. Jones' aged parents for a week.

Walter Waters has been helping Mrs. Mac McIntyre at the service station the past week. Mrs. Michael Nasiechuk also helped on Tuesday.

Miss Barbara Mortenson of Alix returned to her home at the weekend, after spending most of the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wilson, and uncle Matthew.

Mr and Mrs. Melvin Loch returned Friday evening from a quick holiday to the Okanagan Valley, where they visited Rita's grandmother in Kelowna and Melvin's brother Raymond in Kamloops. They reported rain there all week.

Mrs S. George spent two days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe in Tofield, returning home on Friday.

# Ross Creek news

(Iris Billen)

Freddy Haggerty and children of Drayton Valley visited Thursday evening with the former's sister, Florence and her husband, Ivan Malcolm.

Graham and Elma Snider and Peter and Lil Stadnik were Saturday visitors with Archie and Bertha Malcolm in Edmonton.

Roy and Eileen Reinhardt were Friday evening visitors at the home of Howard and Nell Malcolm.

**AT BAPTISM**

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford, Wilfred and Shirley Ford, Thelma and John Jackson of Edmonton, and Lester and Wilma Odorne and family all attended Church of Good Hope on Sunday where Wilfred and Shirley had their two little girls, Jean and Arlene, baptized.


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# Holden Church is scene of of Maxwell-Hurum rites

The Holden Lutheran Church was the scene of a lovely summer wedding on Saturday, Aug 7th at 3 30 p.m. when Carol Mary, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs. Otto Hurum became the bride of Donald Keith Maxwell, second son of Mr and Mrs. Roy Maxwell of Viking. Pastor Rude performed the ceremony before an altar graced with summer flowers. Guest pews were marked with nosegays of flowers, lace and ribbon

Mrs. Doris Fauts of Viking was the organist and during the signing of the register Mrs. Lawrence Hurum, sister-in-law of the bride, sang "The Wedding Prayer." Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiant in a floor length gown of white organza over taffeta with appliqued bodice and a scoop neckline and lily-point sleeves. Her illusion net veil was shoulder length and held in place by a fabric rose trimmed with seed pearls. Her bouquet was of deep red roses.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Betty Koetke, eldest sister of the bride, wore a pale yellow gown of crystal charm and Miss Stephania Komarniski, the bridesmaid wore a gown of pale green crystal charm. Their headpieces were white and they carried bouquets of daisies. Little Karen Koetke, niece of the bride, was the flower girl and was dressed in a short pale yellow dress of terylene and carried a basket of daisies.

Dane Maxwell, brother of the groom and Douglas Cumming of Edmonton were the best men, and Lawrence Hurum, brother of the bride, and Cam Maxwell, the groom's brother, were the [illegible]

Mother of the bride, Mrs .Otto Hurum, chose a navy blue two-piece dress with white accessories and corsage of red roses. Mrs. Maxwell, the groom's mother, wore a two-piece pink dress with pink hat and corsage of yellow roses.

A reception was held in the Holden Community Hall where the bride's table was centred with a three-tier wedding cake flanked by gold candles. Master of ceremonies was Lyle Grosland an old friend o fthe family and the toast to the bride was proposed by Ernest Koetke, ably responded to by the groom. Following the reception a dance was held in the Viking Community Hall.

For travelling the bride chose a turquoise two piece double-knit suit with a white tone hat and accessories and wore a corsage of yellow roses The honeymoon was spent in the southern part of the province. Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell will reside at Viking where Carol is on the teaching staff of the Viking school.

## Mrs. Elizabeth Libby passes at 75 years

On August 23rd, Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Libby, North Cooking Lake, passed away at the age of 75 years. She leaves three sons, Chester and Curtis of North Cooking Lake, Ray of Edmonton, one daughter, Mrs. A. J. (Ethel) Shanks of Edmonton, 18 grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. Agnes Maland, Edmonton, and Mrs. Nellie Bridges, Seba Beach.

Mrs. Libby was predeceased by her husband Alger in 1954, and a son, Alger, in 1946.

Funeral services were held on Friday at 3 p.m., at Connelly-McKinley Chapel in Edmonton. Rev Walter Hammett officiated and interment was in the Edmonton Cemetery.

# County council meets August 12th

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even though this spraying was done by airplane.

Moved and carried that the amount of $300 to Evans Air Services Ltd be paid.

By-law No 193, a by-law to authorize the County Council to incur an indebtedness on behalf of the County by the issuance of debentures for the purpose of providing a sewer system for the Hamlet of Kinsella, was referred to the Council for first reading.

This by-law was to be referred to the Local Authorities Board for approval before further action could be taken.

By-law No. 190, being a by-law to authorize the purchase of land, construction, maintaining and operation of a sewerage system for the Hamlet of Kinsella, which had been read the first time on the 8th day of July, 1965, and had been approved by the Public Utilities Board by Order No 27045, July 15th, 1965, was now referred to the Council for second and third readings.

Moved and carried that a nomination meeting for the purpose of nominating candidates in Divisions 5 and 6 to fill the vacancies occurring in those divisions the 1st day of January, 1966, be held in the County office in Ryley on Friday, Nov. 5th, between the hours of 3.00 and 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

It was expected that a special meeting might have to be held to deal with a by-law in connection with the proposed building program at Viking.

It was moved and carried that the next meeting to be held at the Call of the Chair or if a special meeting is not required on September 16th.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie

**AT SEMINAR**

Miss Clarice Jacobsen, daughter of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen, returned home over the weekend after spending a week attending the science seminar at St. Stephen's College in Edmonton. Clarice was the Grade 11 student chosen and sponsored by the Tofield High School to attend the seminar.

On Monday afternoon Mrs. Martha Tiedemann was a guest at the home of her daughter, Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot. Also there for the afternoon were Peter's mother, Mrs. Keitha Brown, Mrs. Annie McGinitie, Miss Edith Turner, Mrs. Gladys Gill and Mrs. Ann Oliver all of Ketchamoot. Yvonne entertained the ladies at a birthday party to help her mother-in-law Keitha Brown celebrate her birthday.

Harold Ferguson of Airdrie spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Lionel and Emma Ferguson.

**AT WEDDING**

Gloria and Johnny Wood and baby motored to Onoway Thursday to the home of Gloria's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller. While there they attended the wedding of Gloria's brother, Jim Miller to Jeanne Letourneau on Friday. They returned home on Saturday evening.

Gloria and Johnny Wood and baby girl were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald.

Judy Goubault spent two days last week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ethel Wood.

Elmer and Vivian Geoglein and family of Ardrossan and Ronnie and Barb Geoglein and daughter Sydney were Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Elmer and Ronnie's parents, Elmer and Vi Geoglein.

Leroy and Shirley Eaton and children Margie and Ronnie were dinner guests at the home of Leroy's mother on his day off duty last week.

Skies cleared Tuesday after a week of showery and later in the week heavy rainy weather which has delayed harvesting. Several farmers had done some swathing while others were busy cutting. Some report a rainfall of almost four inches during the past week.

**DRAMA SEMINAR**

Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and daughter Karen, and Mavis' father Julius Jacobson of Edmonton, motored to Drumheller on Sunday (Aug. 22) and brought their daughter Donna home. Donna had been attending the drama seminar there for the past two weeks. Donna won the scholarship as best actress at the school drama festival held is had a very enjoyable time at Tofield earlier. She reports having had a very enjoyable time at the seminar.


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# Holden news items

Mrs. Bud Sizer who has been staying with her daughter Verla and family, Mr. and Mrs. Korralis in Edmonton for the past week and a half, after being a hospital patient for a month, is hoping to be home sometime this week.

Mr. Jack Sanders, daughters Lynn and Leslie of High Prairie and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sanders of Edmonton were Saturday afternoon visitors in Holden, calling on Mrs. Laura Christianson and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders were former Holden residents when he was secretary-treasurer of the former Holden School Division Jack is now the secretary-treasurer of the High Prairie School Division, which is the largest in Alberta

**FROM CALIFORNIA**

Peter Sizer from Crescent City, California, U.S., is visiting with his uncle, Bud Sizer and family. With Pete are friends Mr and Mrs. Tom Pennell also of Crescent City. He will also visit with other relatives and friends in the district

Miss Trudy Oslund and her mother Mrs. Oslund, who have been operating the cafe at the hotel for the past year, left Holden the end of last week for Edmonton and Miss Oslund was planning to go to Vancouver later. The hotel coffee shop is now in charge of Mrs. Paul Babue.

Mrs. Bertha Sanderson left for Vancouver the latter part of last week to visit there with relatives and to attend a wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Foran left for Vancouver to attend the wedding of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Good, on holidays from California, were visitors and coffee guests Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moan and family of Wainwright, former Holden residents, were visitors with friends around Holden last weekend.


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**HE'S GOT PROBLEMS**

Having just returned from their honeymoon, the new groom prepared to carry his lovely bride across the threshold, only to find it a long ways up. They were, however, settled in their new residence (supplied by Charlie Kallal) within a very short time, as the house was being moved onto the foundatoin while the photo was taken. This is another example of how Charlie has eased the housing shortage in Tofield. The young couple are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jacobsen of Jacobsen Construction who have found it necessary to locate in Tofield as well as Ryley. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Community League is planning fall season

The Tofield Community League held their regular meeting on Tuesday, Sept 7th, in the meeting room of the Community Centre with president, John Baergen, in the chair.

A letter of thanks was received from Donna Jacobsen who was sponsored by the league for a drama seminar in Drumheller.

The Edmonton District Council of the Canadian Cancer Society also sent a letter of appreciation for the $754.03 received from Tofield during the recent Cancer Crusade. This successful cancer drive was accomplished under the chairmanship of Mrs. Hazel Patterson. The letter will be published elsewhere in this issue.

The treasurers' report showed that July 1st Tofield Showcase '65 was a financial success.

The theatre committee reported a low attendance at the weekly shows and some discussion ensued as to how to remedy this situation.

A Thanksgiving turkey bingo will be held in October with Norman Glover in charge of arrangements. Both a merchandise variety bingo and a sportsman's banquet were discussed but decisions regarding them were tabled till a further meeting.

Mrs. Mabel Boyles will be in charge of a Red Cross Blood Donor Clinic on September 29th in the Community Centre.

# Little damage in fire at AGT

(Mrs. G H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Alberta Government Telephone office here has been redecorated the past week end wiring repaired after the small fire in the office Friday, Aug. 27th, when smoke was seen in the telephone office during the night. Luckily it was noticed, the alarm rung and the fire brought under control by the fire brigade before much damage was done. The fire was caused by a "short" in the wiring and the telephone system was out of service until the auxiliary was hooked up. Mrs. Sanderson, the AGT agent, was away in Vancouver at the time.

# Man injured in combine mishap

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Mr. and Mrs. John Semotiuk were called to Vegreville a week ago Friday when Mrs. Semotiuk's father had a very bad accident, being pulled into a power take-off when helping with combining on the farm, and being badly cut up and bruised. Luckily no bones were broken.

He was rushed to the Vegreville hospital where he was in the operating room for two and a half hours, and was on the critical list for three days. John came home on the Monday, and Mary stayed with her mother until later in the week. We were pleased to hear from her [illegible] cently that her father is making satisfactory progress but will [illegible] in hospital for some time [illegible] skin grafts.

## THE WEATHER . . .

| Sept. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 58 | 43 | 27.45 | .01" rain |
| 2 | 56 | 43 | 27.80 | —— |
| 3 | 52 | 38 | 27.75 | .32" rain |
| 4 | 52 | 35 | —— | .32" rain |
| 5 | 58 | 42 | —— | —— |
| 6 | 58 | 35 | 27.81 | —— |
| 7 | 71 | 37 | 27.73 | tr. rain |
| 8 | — | 43 | 27.48 | tr. rain |

# Alex Asp passes on August 28th

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Aug. 31.—Alex Asp passed away at St. Mary's Hospital on Sunday morning, August 29, at the age of 80 years.

He leaves to mourn his passing: his wife; four sons, Bertal, Herbert and David, all of Kingman, and Douglas of Calgary; three daughters, Gertrude and Bernice (Mrs. J. Lawson) of Calgary and Muriel (Mrs. C. M. Hyde) of Burnaby, B.C.; nine grandchildren, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Courage doesn't consist in feeling no fear, but in conquering fear.

# Aids Cancer Society

Mr. Lampitt received this letter from the Crusade Manager of the Cancer Society, in appreciation of donations from the Tofield Community:

Mr. J. C. Lampitt, Secretary
Tofield Community League,
Tofield, Alberta.

Dear Mr. Lampitt:

We attach Receipt No. 17003 in the amount of $754.03 covering proceeds of your 1965 Crusade for funds and memorials. We note that Mrs. Patterson has retained Book No. 93371 for Memorials—return of all other relating receipt books is also acknowledged.

We would like to thank you, Mrs. Patterson, and all members of Tofield Community League who helped with the current campaign. We are most appreciative of the time and effort spent on behalf of the Society, and we congratulate you on the fine success of your canvass.

We shall look forward to a continuing association with you in coming years.

Yours sincerely,
Rose M. Oliver
(Mrs.) John Oliver,
Crusade Manager.

# Leave lights on? 'No', say experts

Should fluorescent lights be turned off at night or left burning 24 hours a day? The answer: Turn them off regardless of what you might hear from dissenters, particularly promoters of the "Total energy" concept who claim that one of the main advantages of on-site generation of electric power is that you can leave your lights on 24 hours a day without cost.

The unit cost of electricity decreases as the load factor increases. Operating a lighting system on a "never switch off" method decreases the unit cost of electricity by 10% However, this more than doubles the kilowatt hour use and so increases the total energy cost by almost [illegible]

# New managers for hotel coffee shop

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The hotel coffee shop is under new management, and was taken over this past week by Mr. and Mrs. Bert Spafford from the Whitecourt district. Mr. Spafford recently had made a visit to England to visit his brother and sister, whom he had not seen since leaving there about 36 years ago. Mr Spafford's brother works in a coal mine and has been employed at the same place since first starting to work.

**UNUSUAL SIGHT**

A fairly unusual sight in this district in recent years is a field of stooks, but they seem to be more numerous this year due to a fairly damp harvest season. The wet fields can more easily support binders than swathers and combines.

# So it's Nov. 8

The pundits all knew there was going to be an election . . only thing was they didn't know when. At least not until the Prime Minister ended the speculation with his anti-climactic speech last night

It was an excellent speech . . . the opening phrases spelled out "election" From the moment it started all that was necessary was to know the date he had planned on

While the decision is obviously one dictated by senior members of the Liberal party, it is one which will cost him untold votes in the election There are already murmurings that the action was not figured on what was best for Canada, but on what was best for the Liberal party

There is ample evidence that a majority government would be no asset to administration at Ottawa, at least under the present establishment There has been no single case, really, of the Liberals being effectively blocked on any of the legislation they have introduced There have been many instances of where they were forced to give ground, to revamp and soften the effect of their proposals, but only the most partisan supporters would deny that this was really better in the long run, that it was something the party should have taken care of in the first instance before introducing the legislation

Mr Pearson declared in his statement that the government would be able to accomplish much more with a majority of members, but there are untold thousands who must hope this situation does not develop Having witnessed the steamroller manner in which other legislation has been forced through an unwilling house, they dread the pressures which might build up if this level of opposition were not available

One thing we feel confident the election will not do, and that is clear the political air. We are convinced representation will not materially alter from the present, although we definitely see Social Credit being decimated What we fear more is that partisan lines will form on an even more regional basis than they are at present, with definite areas of distinction giving rise to even more separatism

In the words of The Montreal Star ". . . the reasons (are) purely partisan There is no major issue. . . . Instead parliament is to be dissolved barely half way through its mandate because party strategists feel . . . the opportunity to make political yards will not be as favorable again"

# From the mail bag

A "beef"

Ryley Alta
Sept 3rd, 1965

Editor The Mercury

I'm perhaps being a bit off base to offer suggestions and criticism when I am not a subscriber but I can assure you that my remarks are offered in a constructive way Perhaps too from this letter you will see the reason why I am not a subscriber [illegible] might ask why, feeling as I do, I ever bother to read the paper perhaps it might be in the forlorn hope that a transformation will take place some day and the editor might insert in his paper only news items of general interest

To be more specific, let me say that there can be no objection to a report of the return of a former resident of [illegible] even if that person visits only one family [illegible] but when a correspondent submits that a farm family visited their neighbor last Thursday and had coffee I feel that the Editor should start using his cutter

I realize that editors the country over must use a percentage of "garbage" in order to have some "filler" but it would be nice if they could give correspondents a gentle hint that trash is not acceptable that they should be objective unbiased and selective in deciding what news should be reported

To be even more specific as to my "beef", I have seen nothing in your paper regarding a seven week holiday trip which Mrs Margaret Harris (no relative of mine) took this summer to Wales flying the polar route I realize that Mrs Harris' trip is not earth-shaking news but she is a former correspondent of your paper, is well known on Ryley Main Street, and quite highly regarded generally Were she a friend of your present correspondent [illegible] would have been devoted to the trip but because she is not, nothing is mentioned Such a high percent[illegible] of district news concerns so very few people and yet occasions or events where 150 are gathered will be ignored depending on the whim of the reporter These are the things that make one wonder if editors can't do something to impress on their correspondents that items of interest to many are what is needed to build a paper of some stature

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# It scares you

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The pundits all knew there was going to be an election . . . only thing was they didn't know when At least not until the Prime Minister ended the speculation with his anti-climactic speech last night

It was an excellent speech . . . the opening phrases spelled out "election" From the moment it started all that was necessary was to know the date he had planned on

While the decision is obviously one dictated by senior members of the Liberal party, it is one which will cost him untold votes in the election There are already murmurings that the action was not figured on what was best for Canada, but on what was best for the Liberal party

There is ample evidence that a majority government would be no asset to administration at Ottawa, at least under the present establishment There has been no single case, really, of the Liberals being effectively blocked on any of the legislation they have introduced. There have been many instances of where they were forced to give ground, to revamp and soften the effect of their proposals, but only the most partisan supporters would deny that this was really better in the long run, that it was something the party should have taken care of in the first instance before introducing the legislation

Mr Pearson declared in his statement that the government would be able to accomplish much more with a majority of members, but there are untold thousands who must hope this situation does not develop Having witnessed the steamroller manner in which other legislation has been forced through an unwilling house, they dread the pressures which might build up if this level of opposition were not available

One thing we feel confident the election will not do, and that is clear the political air. We are convinced representation will not materially alter from the present, although we definitely see Social Credit being decimated What we fear more is that partisan lines will form on an even more regional basis than they are at present, with definite areas of distinction giving rise to even more separatism

In the words of The Montreal Star ". . . the reasons (are) purely partisan There is no major issue. . . . Instead parliament is to be dissolved barely half way through its mandate because party strategists feel . . . the opportunity to make political yards will not be as favorable again"

# From the mail bag

## A "beef"

Ryley Alta
Sept 3rd, 1965

Editor The Mercury

I'm perhaps being a bit off base to offer suggestions and criticism when I am not a subscriber but I can assure you that my remarks are offered in a constructive way Perhaps too from this letter, you will see the reason why I am not a subscriber One might ask why, feeling as I do, I ever bother to read the paper perhaps it might be in the forlorn hope that a transformation will take place some day and the editor might insert in his paper only news items of general interest

To be more specific, let me say that there can be no objection to a report of the return of a former resident of an area even if that person visits only one family locally but when a correspondent submits that [illegible] farm family visited their neighbor last Thursday and had coffee I feel that the Editor should start using his cutter

I realize that editors the country over must use a percentage of "garbage" in order to have some "filler" but it would be nice if they could give correspondents a gentle hint that trash is not acceptable that they should be objective, unbiased and selective in deciding what news should be reported

To be even more specific as to my "beef", I have seen nothing in your paper regarding a seven week holiday trip which Mrs Margaret Harris (no relative of mine) took this summer to Wales flying the polar route I realize that Mrs Harris' trip is not earth shaking news but she is a former correspondent of your paper, is well known on Ryley Main Street, and quite highly regarded generally Were she a friend of your present correspondent almost a column would have been devoted to the trip but because she is not, nothing is mentioned Such a high percentage of district news concerns so very few people and yet occasions or events where 150 are gathered will be ignored depending on the whim of the reporter These are the things that make one wonder if editors can't do something to impress on their correspondents that items of interest to many are what is needed to build a paper of some stature

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# THE RYLEY TIMES

## Pope-MacLeod wedding solemnized August 28

A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Saturday afternoon, August 28th, when Delbert William Pope, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pope of Ryley, exchanged vows with Pamela Ardith MacLeod, second daughter of Mr and Mrs. Ronald MacLeod of Edmonton The ceremony was conducted by the Rev. Ormand D Laveene, at the Chalmers United Church, 132 Ave at 123A Street in Edmonton at 4.00 p.m.

The bride looked lovely as she entered the church on the arm of her father who gave his daughter in marriage. The bridal gown was a floor-length model in white lace, the bodice glistening with pearls and sequins, and finished with long lily-point sleeves. The billowing skirt was made in four tiers, and a peplum. Her chapel veil of illusion net was held in place by a lace headpiece trimmed with pearls and sequins She carried a cascade bouquet of deep red roses and white lily of the valley, with white streamers dotted with tiny red rosebuds

The two bridesmaids, Miss Delores MacLeod, the bride's sister, and Miss Louise Lasytchuk, a friend of the bride, wore identical floor length gowns in Delph blue satin, with pearl trimmed headpieces and veils in the same shade. Their bouquets were of white roses and blue lily of the valley.

The little flower girl was the bride's niece, Alanna MacLeod, wearing a dress to match the bridesmaids.

Master Howie Budinski, nephew of the groom, was the ring-bearer, and carried the wedding band on a white satin cushion

Lawrence Kathan, friend of the groom, was best man, and groomsman was Dale Pope, brother of the groom Ushers were Blaine MacLeod, brother of the bride, and Emil Budinski, brother-in-law of the groom.

The bride's mother wore a cream lace two-piece dress, with a white hat and white accessories. Her corsage was of yellow roses. Mrs. Pope, mother of the groom, was dressed in a two-tone tweed effect Arnel suit in red and white, with a white pill-box hat and white accessories. Her corsage was of red roses

A reception in the banquet room of the Inglewood Restaurant followed the wedding ceremony, where places were laid for 125 guests. The bride's table was centred with a four-tiered white wedding cake, made by the bride's aunt, and decorated with pink rosebuds and a miniature bride and groom. It was flanked on either side by tall white candles in silver holders and vases of pure white gladiolus. Wendy MacLeod, the bride's younger sister, was in charge of the guest book. Her dress was of pink peach nylon sheer, with a large back bow that held in place the flowing panel, and she wore a corsage of pink roses. Malcolm MacLeod, the bride's cousin, was master of ceremonies and proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom ably responded.

The Rocky Mountain Rangers played for the dance that followed the reception.

The happy couple left for a two weeks' honeymoon in Vancouver and Victoria, B.C., the bride travelling in a blue and white striped suit with white accessories, and a red rose corsage Out of town guests came from Ryley, Camrose, Red Deer, Mannville, Calgary, Kerrobert, Saskatchewan, and Terrace, British Columbia.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg returned home on Tuesday evening of last week with daughter and grandson, Mrs. Vivian Jones and son Donald, of Edmonton, after having spent about ten days visiting with her sisters at Lacombe and other points near there. Vivian and Donald remained at Tofield with Vivian's parents from Tuesday to Friday after school. Donald is once again staying with his grandparents and attending school in Tofield.

Mrs. Mary Wood returned home on Wednesday evening of last week, after having spent a few days visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Evie Halwa and family, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Esther Majakey, and her cousin, Rev. John E. Bethel and his wife and daughter Mary She also attended a gathering of former Tofield residents (now living in Edmonton) held at the home of Esther Majakey.

Mrs. Ethel Wood motored to Stettler on Thursday of last week and visited her mother, Mrs. (Granny) Baines, in the Home there During the afternoon Ethel took her mother for a trip to Gadsby and other points, before taking her back to Stettler. Ethel returned home later that evening.

Horace Rollans and son Don, Mrs. Matan and son Bobby and Danny Ashten, all of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs Ethel Wood and son Donald. Other Sunday coffee guests were Harold and Nat Berrecloth and little son Lance, of Wetaskiwin, who had also visited Harold's brother Lorne and Marg Berecloth at Ethel's.

Mr. and Mrs Gordon LeBreton and little girl and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tote and two little girls, all of Edmonton, spent Monday (Labor Day) visiting at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz and family.


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## Ryley and district news briefs

M. K. Westmancoat

During the past two weeks, Geraldine Kozack spent several days holidaying in the Okanagan Valley in B.C., visiting with relatives and friends in Penticton Okanagan Falls, and Summerland She also make a short stop at Banff, and spent a few days in Camrose

Frank Bell of Oliver, B.C., and his mother Mrs. Kate Bell of Okanagan Falls, B.C., were visitors for two days with the Walter and Edwin Klawitter families and the Johnnie Kozacks. Mrs. Kate Bell is Walter Klawitter's sister

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pepper and Brian, and Marie Westmancoat and boys were visitors on Sunday with Marie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Hutchinson of Drayton Valley

Mrs B. Kirkelund and Mrs Sorenson were hostesses for the Lutheran Ladies' Aid monthly meeting held on Thursday afternoon, September 2nd in the Lutheran dining room.

CATERERS BUSY

The County of Beaver held a course of instruction for their school bus drivers and school janitors on Thursday, Aug. 31st, in the school auditorium. The Lutheran ladies catered for the dinner at noon in the dining-room. On Wednesday, Sept. 1st, the County held a teachers' institute in the auditorium and the United Church ladies catered for the dinner in the Legion Hall.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Thor Mahlum is a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton, having undergone major surgery.

Jim and Susan Fish and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at their parental homes, and were supper guests together with Marguerite Fish at the home of Tubby and Helen Pope.

Freddie and Edna Johnson of Fort Saskatchewan, and Mrs. Lenard Johnson and daughters Carol and Dennis from Terrace, B.C., were in town visiting Mrs. Johnny Fish and other friends on Labour Day. Doris, the eldest of Mildred's daughters, has taken her first year Education at university

A family gathering at the Raymond Magneson home last week celebrated Ray's 70th birthday.

Mrs Mary Brown of Vancouver, B.C., is visiting her son, Ernest Brown and family.

SOCIAL PARTIES

Two couples were honored over the weekend with social evenings and post-nuptial showers. On Saturday evening September 4th in the Lutheran dining room, a farewell party was held for Mr and Mrs. Gordon Sundlie, who will make their home in Edmonton. On Sunday evening a shower party was held for Mr. and Mrs Marvin Jacobson, who will be making their home in Tofield.


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—Ever remembered by Edna, Bonnie, Bruce and Colin. 2c-3036

### CARDS OF THANKS

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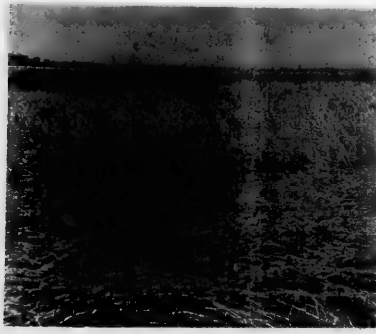

**CROPS LODGING**

Many grain crops in the Tofield area are lodging this year, slowing up the already late harvest. Lodging is fairly common when the growth is heavy and when wet, windy weather prevails.

# Locals around the town

## Holden news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Good, their daughter, Margie, and her friend, all of North Hollywood, Calif., left Saturday on their trip home. They have been visiting for the past two weeks with Mrs. Good's mother, Mrs. Lars Ritland, Mr. Ritland, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen and David, left Saturday afternoon to spend the long holiday weekend fishing at Mann Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, David and Robert left after church service Sunday afternoon to join the Sorensens at the lake. Mrs. Tiedemann's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Morrison of Edmonton, were also planning to join the fishers.

## Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Aug. 30—The Salem LCW meeting will be held Thursday, Sept. 9th, at 8 00 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seljehaug left Thursday by train for Vancouver, B.C., and will be gone about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Soady, of Edmonton, were weekend visitors with Mrs. Soady's parents, the John Kozaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hovelson and family and Mrs. Ingrid Hovelson spent the weekend at Fork and Mann Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marciszyn and Carol, of Edmonton, were Sunday visitors with the Ray Ovelsons.

Mrs. J. A. Holte returned home on Sunday, after spending several days visiting at Grande Prairie with her son Milo and family.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Lorraine Wruck entered St. Mary's Hospital on Monday to undergo surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Erga and family of Meeting Creek, were Monday visitors with Lyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Erga.

Pete Sizer and Mr. and Mrs. Parnell, from California, and Roy Sikstrom of Edmonton were Monday afternoon visitors at the Harvey Hovelson home.

Gary Johnson and Randy Anderson were Sunday evening visitors at the Otto These home, at Hay Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson and daughter Candis, formerly of Hay Lakes, have moved into the Wempe house, now owned by O. Heie and son. Mr. Ferguson is employed by Rudyk's in Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Kozak and family spent the weekend on a motor trip to Banff.

Hugo Hovelson accompanied Ove Jensen of Edmonton on a trip to Fawcett Lake over the [illegible].

**FAMILY RE-UNION**

Mrs. Linger Haugen, the former Amy Bronnum, and Mrs. Nels Jensen, the former Helen Bronnum, of Everett and Seattle, Washington, and Neil Bronnum, from California, are visiting with the Morgan Bronnums and their brothers, Huddon, Myron and Ingvar. A family re-union was held at the Morgan Bronnum home on Sunday. It has been 40 years since the brothers and sisters have all been together.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunard Barlund of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the Wilfred Johnson home while Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hage and family were Monday visitors.

Mildred Dunlop, Darlene and Lynn Ann and Rennie Taylor spent the weekend at Cadomin.

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Mildred Johnson and two daughters, Doris and Carol, of Terrace, B.C., Edna and Fred Johnson from Fort Saskatchewan, and Harry Logan of Edmonton were Monday visitors at the T. Gray home.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Campbell and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Oslund and son, all of Edmonton, were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Oslund.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Innes and family from Edson were weekend visitors at the A. Haukedal home.

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Mrs. K. Bell of Okanagan Falls, B.C., recently visited with Mrs. Sorena Christensen and Maggie, and the Hans Christensen family in Tofield. They also visited with Mrs. Bell's sisters, Mrs. Knudslein and son, Clifford, and Mrs. Walter Wiklun and her husband.

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Gerry Ternes has resigned his position with the Bank of Montreal, and is now employed with Burns and Company in Edmonton. Gordon Penny, whose home is in Olds, has arrived to assume the position formerly held by Gerry.

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**MOVE TO EDMONTON**

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Kallal and family are moving to Edmonton where they have purchased a home and will reside. Charles will continue his house and granary building business in Tofield.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Harrison, former residents south of Tofield, now of Edmonton, were here last Tuesday, calling on old friends. They were lunch guests with Harold and Lil Schultz.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stinson motored to Edberg on Monday for a short visit with Lem Abbott, who now lives with his daughter and son-in-law, Clara and Eric Brady. Lem is in good health except for failing eyesight.

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Rev. W. H. McDannold, Mrs. McDannold, and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jefferson are on a three-day trip to Blueberry Mountain. Mr. McDannold was a student minister in the Rycroft area 30 years ago, and Mr. Jefferson is seeing to his farm interests there.

Floyd and Netty Kendall and Kenny of Edmonton were Sunday supper guests of Floyd's mother, Mrs. Edna Kendall.

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Mr. and Mrs. Neal Patterson have arrived from Montreal following which Mrs. Patterson made the acquaintance of new relatives. Neal is again attending the University of Alberta, and is engaged as a part time teacher while getting his MA. Mrs. Patterson is a registered nurse and will be employed in her profession during their stay in Edmonton.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Burchard of Kelowna, B.C., are visiting in Tofield for a short time, with a view to returning here to reside.

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"Old Sol" has again shown his face, to the benefit of the farmers, who are now able to get on with the harvest in general.

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and Edith Mary spent the labor weekend at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.


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# Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. I read in the paper where this article can be gotten secondhanded.
2. If I was her, I would cease being so infantile.
3. They spent the balance of the evening arguing over the matter.
4. None of us were there but he and I.
5. Since when have you been aware of that?
6. Us boys have found that there isn't but one left.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Naive. 10. Beige.
8. Cache. 11. Detritus.
9. Momentarily. 12. Incognito.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Membrane, hurricane, cocane, terrain, arraign, resurrection, restaurant, restitution, resonence, resurgence, conscientious, ceremonious, simultanious, pretentious, pusillanimous, asphyxiation, avordupois, au revoir, amortize, apotheosis, prognosticate, promissary, prominence, protege, proselyte, admissable, movable, expendable, coercible, resistible.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "I read in the paper THAT this article can be OBTAINED SECONDHAND". 2. Say, "If I WERE SHE, I SHOULD cease being so infantile" 3. Say, "They spent the REMAINDER of the evening arguing ABOUT the matter". 4. Say, "None of us WAS there, but HIM and ME". 5. Say, "HOW LONG have you been aware of that?" 6. Say, "WE boys have found that there IS but one left".

7. Pronounce naw-eev, accent second syllable. 8. Pronounce as though spelled "cash". 9. Accent FIRST syllable, not the third. 10. Pronounce as "bayzh" 11. Pronounce deh-try-tuss, accent second syllable. 12. Accent SECOND syllable, not the third.

13. Cocaine, resonance, simultaneous, avoirdupois, promissory, admissible

# McGinnis - Sears vows pledged August 14th

The Tofield United Church, decorated with baskets of pastel shades of gladiolus, pink lavetera and sweet peas provided the setting for a lovely afternoon wedding on August 14th, when Miss Gail Sears, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sears, exchanged vows in a double-ring ceremony with Mr. Lawrence McGinnis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McGinnis of Edmonton.

Rev. W. H. McDannold performed the ceremony. Mrs. E. Stinson was organist and Lloyd Wickstrom was soloist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of pure silk organza over net, with controlled train, and lily-point sleeves. French lace applique trimmed the empire waist-line and skirt. Her tiered veil was held in place by a flowered crown. Her only jewelry was a family heirloom brooch which had belonged to her great-grandmother. Her cascade bouquet was a single orchid with mauve-tinted gladioli buds, stephanotis and ivy.

The groom's sister, Mrs. Noreen Lodge as matron of honor, wore a cocktail-length gown fashioned in daffodil yellow [illegible] over rayon taffeta, with net flower-trimmed cape and matching headpiece.

The bride's sister, Miss Gwendolyn Sears as bridesmaid, wore an identically styled dress in pale mauve with matching headpiece. They carried bouquets of mauve-tinted gladioli buds.

Miss Michelle McGinnis, niece of the groom as flower girl, wore a full-skirted nylon dress in daffodil yellow, with matching headpiece. She carried a basket of yellow and bronze 'mums and white daisies.

Best men were Dale Stacey and Robert McVey, friends of the groom. Master David Sears, youngest brother of the bride, acted as ring-bearer. Ushers were Gary Sears and Dwight Sears, brothers of the bride.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the United Church, where friends and relatives were received by the parents of the bride and groom. At the reception Lloyd Wickstrom sang "I'll Walk Beside You". Ronald McGinnis acted as master of ceremonies and Dennis Lyseng, uncle of the bride, proposed the toast to the bride to which the groom ably replied. Misses Patsy and Ruth-Ellen Sears, cousins of the bride, were in charge of the guest book. The bride's table was centred with an all-white round three-tiered cake, flanked by pink candles and pink flowers.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Sears chose a sheath dress of flamingo pink peau-de-soie with matching stole and hat, and bone-colored accessories. She wore a corsage of deep-cream roses. The groom's mother, Mrs. McGinnis chose a turquoise blue sheath dress with a matching blue lace redingote, white feather hat, and white accessories, and her corsage was also of deep-cream roses.

For a short honeymoon to Banff, the bride wore a two-piece blue Italian knit suit with beige accessories and corsage of pink sweetheart roses.

Mr. and Mrs. McGinnis will reside in Edmonton.

Out of town guests were from Edmonton, Ryley, Ohaton, Calgary, Moose Jaw, Lloydminster, Hinton, Holden, Camrose and Swan Hills.

## Ministik news

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport, and Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman enjoyed Saturday entertainment at the Blue Danube in Edmonton.

Margaret and Edna Roddick spent the Labor Day weekend at the home of their parents, the Jim Roddicks.

The article, "Ma Brainard", by Mrs. Irene Williams of Edmonton, was much enjoyed by all who read it in the Western Producer.

Mrs. Gladys Roddick and her three grandchildren left the farm last weekend for Edmonton after spending the two summer months here.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hart and family and Miss Ruby Hart of Calgary were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick on Monday. Mr. Hart and Ruby Hart are a brother and a sister of Violet Roddick.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. [illegible] and Mrs. Lillian D[illegible] of Edmonton were Sunday tea guests of Mrs. S. George.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Moore of Whitecourt were Thursday and Friday guests of Mrs. Helen [illegible].

**[illegible] HOLIDAY**

When Miss Helen Moore of Vancouver left on a motor trip to Alberta, to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Jones, she was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Otto Messerschmidt and three small daughters of Edmonton who had spent from August 14 to August 21 with her. Miss Jones was a guest of her parents for two days, then on August 23 she, her mother, Chris Jones and little Bernice Stepanow motored to Wilkie, Sask., to visit for a day with Mrs. Jones' [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. C. [illegible]. They continued on to [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Baumgartner. Accompanied by Mrs. Baumgartner, [illegible] (Mrs. Jones' youngest [illegible] Judy) they travelled to Winnipeg and to Stonewall where they visited Mrs. Jones' aunt and two cousins whom [illegible] had never before met. The [illegible] a lovely old [illegible] years old with antique furniture. Mrs. Jones, Chris and Bernice returned home by train on September 2 and Miss Jones remained at Wilkie for a further visit with her grandparents.

# Bill Dockniak passes suddenly at 55 years

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN—Bill Dockniak passed away very suddenly Tuesday night at the age of 55 years. Bill had not been feeling well for some weeks and had been a patient in Viking hospital for a while.

On Tuesday evening he was not feeling well and drove his truck to Tofield hospital. He walked into the hospital, asking for medication to relieve pain and in a few minutes he collapsed and died. He leaves three brothers and five step-brothers.

The funeral was held Friday morning from St. Gregory's Roman Catholic Church in Holden with Father Adams officiating and interment in the Holden cemetery.

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

**HOME FROM INDIANA**

Arnold and Doretta Bruick and son Dean of Fort Wayne, Indiana, left Saturday after having spent ten days visiting Doretta's cousin Elmer and Vi Geoglein. They planned on travelling via Jasper, Banff and Yellowstone on their return trip.

Elmer Geoglein Jr. and sons Donald and Ricky, of Ardrossan, were Sunday overnight and Monday guests at the home of Elmer's parents, Vi and Elmer Geoglein Sr., helping with the harvest.

Jim and Wally Fisher of Tofield were Monday evening (Labor Day) visitors and coffee guests at the home of Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Joyce and Gib Brimacombe and two children, of Edmonton, were recent visitors at the home of Joyce's sister Irene and John Warner, where they showed pictures and slides taken during their recent trip to the British Isles. Also there to enjoy the pictures were Joyce and Irene's sister Alice and Ralph Cassey of Ross Creek.

Percy and Lillian Fairholme and daughter Alta May were Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mavis and Carl Jacobsen and girls.

Julius Jacobson of Edmonton arrived Sunday at the home of his daughter Mavis and Carl Jacobsen for a few days' visit.

Jack Johnston was a Tuesday evening visitor and coffee guest at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg last week.

Doug and Fran Baines and family were Monday (Labor Day) visitors at the home of Doug's sister, Mrs. Ethel Wood, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Siemens and family, of La Glace, were Saturday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Verlyn and Ollie Moos.

John and Irene Warner were Sunday visitors and supper guests at the home of Irene's brother, Leslie Bailey, and family in Edmonton.

Marilyn and Don Langille and two little sons Greg and Trevor, of Calgary, arrived Monday afternoon for a visit with Marilyn's parents, Ollie and Verlyn Moos.

Geo. and Ada Nietmetz were Saturday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Joe and Tillie Yurkowski in Tofield.

Geo. and Ida Niemetz celebrated Ida's birthday on Friday evening with Margaret and Pete Koop, Audrey and Willard McHeffey, Leif and Evelyn Foshaug and Johnny and Lena Baergen, all of Tofield, as guests. They enjoyed eating cake and luncheon after an evening of visiting.

Geo. and Ida Niemetz motored to Edmonton on Sunday and were dinner guests of Ida's [illegible]ster, Mrs. Vi Kremsater [illegible] daughter, Janet. During the [illegible]noon the four called at the home of another sister of Ida's, Emma and Ed Schultz, and took them along to visit Ida, Vi and Emma's mother, Mrs. Ulrich, at the Edmonton Hospital. After the visit they all returned and had supper with Emma and Ed in their new home, before Geo and Ida returned home.

Gail Niemetz and Bob Ozubko motored to Jasper on Friday to spend the Labor Day weekend with Gail's friend Joyce and Bernie Worsfold there. Joyce was the former Joyce Warner of Tofield and a friend of Gail's since childhood.

Wayne Rodway and his friend Shirley, of Edmonton, were Sunday visitors at the home of Wayne's grandfather, Jack Johnston.

Earl and Ann Jones and two children, Irwin and Vanda, were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen motored to Edmonton on Friday evening to visit Morley's brother Fred, who was a patient in the Misericordia Hospital following surgery there. At time of writing (Tuesday) he had returned to his home in Edmonton and is feeling much better.

Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton were Monday visitors and Monday overnight and Tuesday forenoon guests at the home of their son Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen and family.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

On Thursday afternoon last week Mrs. Martha Tiedemann and her daughter, Mrs. Yvonne Brown of Ketchamoot, visited Martha's niece, Mrs. Bertha (Eric) Sorrel, to help her celebrate her birthday. Also there were Eric's brother, Clarence Sorrel and family of Fort Nelson, B.C., who are in the district visiting there and with other relatives.

On Sunday, Emil and Martha Tiedemann and daughter, Mrs. Yvonne Brown, of Ketchamoot, and Sandy and Irene Scott and two girls, of Lindbrook, motored to Drayton Valley, where they were dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Martha's sister-in-law, Mrs. Dede Goubault, and family, before returning home Sunday night.

# Ministik news briefs

Mrs. J. Roddick

Services were conducted at the United Church by Miss Helen Irwin. Next Sunday will be her final service, and Monday will find her on her journey home to Toronto for another year of Theology at Immanuel College.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Francis and family of Tofield were Sunday guests of Mrs. Helen Hennessy.

At their last meeting, Ministik Community Club decided to hold a bingo and raffle of a lamp at the hall on September 18th. Everyone welcome.

Archie Ferguson was an Edmonton shopper on Wednesday, and had dental work done.

Mrs. Annie Oliver, Mrs. Pat Paterson and Anne were Tuesday afternoon tea guests of Mrs. S. George.

**CHURCH BOARD MEETS**

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wilson were hosts to the board members of the United Church in the Ministik area on Wednesday evening. One item of business was to sell the manse, as there is no further need for it. A unanimous motion was made to have Miss Helen Irwin return for next season. A tasty lunch was served by the hostess and her assistants.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson attended a farewell tea in honor of Miss Edna Burgess and her mother at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. Potts in Edmonton, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Naalchuk assisted Mrs. MacIntyre at the local store and filling station, Sunday afternoon. Jim McIntyre of Devon also assisted his mother, and Mrs. Knudslien was helping-out over the long weekend.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Mac McIntyre returned to his home Monday morning, after spending four weeks in Tofield Hospital. His doctor says he must restrict activities for a while.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy left on Tuesday morning for a holiday to the west coast and vicinity. She plans to visit a brother at Powell River, a brother at New Westminster and other relatives at Nanaimo, Vancouver and Summerland, B.C.

John and Oliver Jones, Clover Bar, spent Saturday helping their father T. A. Jones get up the winter's supply of firewood.

Kurt Haustien and two daughters of Stettler were Sunday guests in the Bill Roddick home.

## Quick Canadian Quiz

1. What early explorer's error gave the natives of North America the name of Indians?
2. The per capita tax payments of Canadians in 1964 were $149, $450 or $634?
3. Which of the Great Lakes lie outside of Canada in its entirety?
4. Does the tax on personal incomes provide one-half, one-third or one-quarter of the federal governments total revenues?
5. Which of Canada's industries are in the group known as the "primary industries?"

ANSWERS: 5. Primary industries include agriculture, forestry, fisheries, trapping, mining and electric power; these industries employ about 20 per cent of working Canadians. 3. Lake Michigan 1. Christopher Columbus mistakenly though he had reached East Indian Islands. 4. Less than one-quarter. 2. Total taxation by all governments was $634 per capita, about $2,300 per family.

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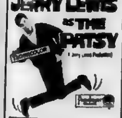
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## Kingman news

(J. A. Anderson)

Sunday visitors at the Erick Wruck home were Mr and Mrs. John Schneider and family of Edmonton. Monday visitors were Harry Wruck and Katherine, and Mrs. Fred Andiel and family, also of Edmonton.

M. Halvorson of Glenwood, Minnesota, and O. Fiskerbeck of Braaten, Minn., were recent visitors at the A. M. Wick home. Mr. Halvorsen is Mrs. Wick's [illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Louch and boys of Edmonton were Sunday evening visitors at the Gordon Simonson home.


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## Golden wedding observed at Zion Lutheran Church

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER EARLING, Sept. 2nd — On Sunday, Aug. 22nd, many friends and relatives gathered at the Zion Lutheran Church to celebrate a happy event—the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Lien (nee Inga Mosby). This being the fourth golden wedding observed in the church.

The country chapel was decorated by bouquets of glads in every window by Mrs. George Mosby and Mrs. Lawrence Hoveland. At the altar were two golden colored plants, one a gift from the children, Mrs. Constance Hoveland, Mrs. Esther Pederson, Eberhard and Wilhelm Lien, and the other from the Edwin Mosby family.

The honored couple entered the church as the organist Mrs. Allan Hellekson, played a favorite hymn, also their children and 13 grandchildren. Pastor Palmer Olson was master of ceremonies for a fine program of suitable poems and songs. There were two numbers sung in Norwegian.

Refreshments were served in the basement that was decorated in white and gold by Wm. Pederson and George Mosby.

Seated with the honored couple and their children, was one of their attendants 50 years ago, Mrs. Annie Mosby. The other attendants were Emma Erlandson, now residing at Matsque, B.C., and the groomsmen were the bride's brothers, Hans and George Mosby (now deceased).

A few of the wedding guests at that time were also seated at the bridal table, namely Orval Bray of Ryley, Mrs. Anne Bratrud, Mrs. Ragna Knudson, Mrs. Albert Roth, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steuarud, Ludvig Hoveland and Pastor and Mrs. P. Olson.

**PRESENTATIONS**

In charge of the guest book was the oldest grandchild, Myrna Pederson of Edmonton. On behalf of the community, Alvin Bratrud spoke and presented a purse of money to Mr. and Mrs. Lien. From Zion LCW, Mrs. Alvin Bratrud presented a lovely white chenille bedspread, and on behalf of the immediate family, Mrs. Esther Pederson presented a dinette suite. For the 13 grandchildren, Myrna Pederson presented her grandparents with a two-tier cake plate, sandwich tray and cream and sugar set. Pastor Olson and Wm. Pederson spoke briefly. Mr. Lien expressed his sincere thanks, and Esther Pederson thanked all on behalf of her mother.

**WED AT HOME**

Cornelius and Inga were married at their present farm home, the former home of the bride, on August 19th, 1915, by Rev. Klyve when the entire community was served dinner at noon. A large tent was erected on the lawn for the big affair.

Telegrams were received from Mr. and Mrs. Art Kjelsberg of Saskatchewan, Mrs. Christine Mosby and family of Albert Lea, Minn., Mrs. Laura Stromsness (Lien's sister) and his niece, Mrs. Ida Bjerke, both of Lily, South Dakota, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stromsness and daughters of Phoenix, Arizona.

Honor certificates were also received from Lt.-Gov. J. Percy Page, and the Honorable Premier E. Manning.

## Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Bertha Sanderson and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Furan returned home from Vancouver last Tuesday after attending the wedding of a nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy were supper guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell Monday evening of last week.

**PIONEER GROUP MEETS**

The Pioneer Group held their regular meeting Thursday, Sept. 1st, at the home of Mrs. Blanche Olson, with 17 ladies present, including members and visitors. The devotions were given by Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus and a further chapter was studied in the study book, "God and His Purpose." Sewing was on hand and given out for the fall sale. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker of Red Deer spent several days recently visiting Mrs. Walker's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thygesson of Oyen were visitors the week end of August 29th with Mrs. Thygesson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keith. Three of the children who had been visiting with their grandparents during the summer holidays while their mother was a patient in a Calgary hospital having surgery on her legs, returned home for school. The fourth child is still visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shyba returned home from their holiday Wednesday of last week, after visiting at Dauphin, Man., and in Calgary with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Shyba were back at the Edmonton Produce Egg Grading station Tuesday. One of the employees of the company from Edmonton was relieving while they were away and Mrs. Mason helped part time.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Story of Abbotsford, B.C., are visiting with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Story on the farm. They also have been visiting with their daughter, Lila, and family in Moose Jaw, Sask., spending ten days there. Harold is hoping to help with the harvest on the farm, and was around the village Saturday afternoon calling on a few old time friends still here.

Mr. and Mrs. Zane Bilyk and family moved into their new home last Friday and are busy getting settled. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jeffries and children will be moving into the house vacated by the Bilyks, after the house has been painted.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pederson of Camrose were visiting last Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Joe Hooper, who has not been well for the past few months, was taken to the Tofield hospital Tuesday of last week and is having treatments.

Recent Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Manchur were Don's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Manchur and daughters of Edmonton.


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## NOTICE OF NOMINATIONS

### Town of Tofield

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that I will attend at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer in the Town of Tofield on Wednesday, the 22nd day of September, 1965, from ELEVEN o'clock in the forenoon until TWELVE o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving Nominations for two (2) Candidates for the Office of Councillors for the next ensuing three years.

At the same place, time and date mentioned, nominations for a member of the Board of the TOFIELD MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL DISTRICT No. 47 will be received.

Given under my hand at Tofield this 8th day of September, 1965.

RITA HALVERSON,
Returning Officer.

Photo by Jun Mah.

## Severson - Vandenberg vows are exchanged

The First Baptist Church in Camrose was the scene of a beautiful wedding on July 24th when Cora Grace Vandenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Vandenberg, formerly of Camrose and now residing in Whitecourt, became the bride of Martin Henry Severson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Severson of Kingman. The ceremony was officiated by Rev. J. Lewis Waring.

The bride looked radiant in a full length gown of Deep Lustred Skinners Satin which featured lily-point sleeves and a fitted bodice. A cathedral-length train of floral crystal organza lined with plain crystal organza graced the gown, made by Mrs. Anna Michael. She carried a bouquet of red roses with cascading streamers.

Mrs. Orville Henkel, friend of the bride, was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Patricia Rubis and Miss Verny Grettum. They wore identical floor-length dresses of blue peau-de-soie with matching headpieces and carried white carnations.

The groom's attendants were Lorena Wenig of Armena, Joe Vandenberg of Edmonton and Orville Henkel of Ferintosh. Ken Vandenberg and Jack Bowen were the ushers.

The wedding music was played by Mrs. Hugo Meland and soloist was Mrs. Ronald Macler, sister of the groom.

For her daughter's wedding, the bride's mother chose a blue dress with matching three-quarter-length jacket with blue and white accessories and a pink rose corsage. Mother of the groom wore a blue dress with matching hat and white accessories and a pink rose corsage.

Reception for 100 guests was held in the Moose Hall, Camrose, and was catered to by the Women of the Moose. The three-tiered wedding cake was baked by the bride's mother and decorated by Mrs. Chester Throndson. Master of ceremonies was James Severson, cousin of the groom, and August Hitman gave the toast to the bride to which the groom ably responded.

For going away, the bride chose a navy suit with white accessories and a pink rose corsage.

Following a honeymoon through Banff and Jasper, the newlyweds will reside in Camrose.

## Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Mrs. Ida Mason was a business caller in Camrose Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen McLennan and family of Vancouver, B.C., spent a few days the latter part of August visiting with Glen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kennie McLennan and brother, Jim, of the Poe district.

**TEA PARTY**

Mrs. Lars Ritland entertained at tea Wednesday afternoon of last week in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jackie Good of North Hollywood, Calif., who, with her husband, daughter and a friend, have been spending a two-week holiday here. Mrs. Ernest Good entertained several friends at a coffee party for Mrs. Jackie Good on the Wednesday morning.

The Holden Lodge of the OORP will reconvene their meetings on Tuesday, Sept. 14th, after the summer recess. Lunch hostesses will be Ladies Kate Nichols and Irene Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Koop Spannenburg and children of Edmonton spent the holiday weekend at the farm, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story.

Mrs. Pearl Allan returned home August 30th after spending school vacation attending summer school for six weeks in Edmonton and a few days in Banff at a conference. She then left by rail to spend a week's holiday with friends and former Holden residents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Greenwood on Vancouver Island, returning home by air.

Miss Janet Kachman of Edmonton was home for a few days last weekend visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kachman.

**RETURN TO BELGIUM**

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Klaus of Belgium, who have been visiting their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ruskenveld and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Ruskenveld and family for six weeks, returned home Sunday, Aug. 29th, making the trip both ways by rail and sea. While Mr. and Mrs. Klaus were here, the Ruskenvelds took them on various trips around the province, including Jasper and Banff where they were greatly impressed by the mountains and vast area of the country.

**TRIP TO NEW YORK**

Mrs. Lillie Grosland and her daughter, Hazel, and Mrs. Clint Armstrong left by air from Nisku airport on a trip to New York, U.S.A., where they will visit with Mrs. Grosland's youngest son, Emory, and family for two weeks. Emory, who has been posted the last two years with the Royal Bank in the foreign exchange division in New York, and is being transferred in the near future to the Royal Bank office in London, England.


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## Former Poe resident, Henry Forgan passes

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — A former Poe district resident, Harry Forgan passed away very suddenly on August 29th at the age of 50 years, succumbing to a heart attack.

Harry, with his parents and family, farmed in the Poe district for a number of years, and Harry and his wife operated the store at Poe for a while before moving to Edmonton to reside.

He is survived by his wife, Anne, and two daughters, Elaine and Marilyn, both at home.

The funeral was held Tuesday, Aug. 31st, in Edmonton with Rev. W. A. Harvey officiating, and interment was in the Evergreen Memorial Gardens. The sympathy of old time friends in the district is extended to the family and relatives.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

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## Pooke-Kushnir vows exchanged July 31st

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Saturday, July 31st, at 3:00 p.m., uniting in marriage Miss Marilyn Pearl Kushnir, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kushnir of Ryley, and Eugene Donald Pooke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Pooke, also of Ryley. The single-ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Stanley Rude at Ryley Bethel Lutheran Church.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was charming in a full-length gown of slipper satin, topped with nylon net skirt, chantilly lace bodice and peplum formed in scallops. She wore lily-point gloves and hooped skirt. Her finger-tip chapel veil of silk illusion was held in place by a coronet of seed pearls and tear drops. She carried a bouquet of red roses and lilies of the valley.

A friend of the bride, Sharon James, was maid of honor, and the two bridesmaids were Diane Pooke, sister of the groom, and Judy Oslund, a cousin of the bride. They wore identical empire-style slipper-length gowns of yellow orlon, nylon jersey, with nylon lace bodice and lily-point sleeves. The gowns were draped with a long train at the back, the same material as the bodice, held in place with a large yellow bow. They carried bouquets of white and yellow daisies surrounded by lilies of the valley. They wore double-string pearls—gift of the bride. The gowns were made by the bride's mother.

Brenda and Kevin Hultholm of Camrose, cousins of the bride, were flower-girl and ring-bearer. Brenda wore a white gown of slipper-length satin with a long train, similar to the bridesmaids, with similar headpiece and bouquet.

The best men were Ronald Pooke, brother of the groom, Gerald Kushnir, brother of the bride, and Peter Kawalchuk, a friend of the groom. Ushers were Warren Kushnir, brother of the bride, and Kenny Pooke, brother of the groom.

The wedding music was played by Mrs. L. Wickstrom and the soloist was Mr. L. Wickstrom, who sang "The Wedding Prayer".

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Kushnir chose a two-piece white lace suit with beige accessories. Mother of the groom, Mrs. Pooke chose a two-piece navy suit, with white accessories.

A reception for 200 guests was held at the Lutheran Church dining hall. The lovely three-tiered cake was made by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Gunnar Oslund, and decorated by Mrs. William Pope. Allan Hultholm was master of ceremonies, and Mr. N. P. James proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom ably responded.

The happy couple are residing in Ryley.

## Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Sept. 6 — Salem L.C.W. will meet on Thursday at 8:00 p.m. at the church parlors, with Mrs. Edna Brewer and Mrs. R. Urquhart the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Larson left Saturday for Langley, B.C. to visit with Mrs. Larson's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jens Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Seljehaug returned Thursday from a week's holiday to Vancouver where they attended four days of the Fair.

**Miss Jane Swanson left on Thursday for Ft. Wayne Bible College in Indianna for her final year of B.Science in Missionary Nursing.**

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**GRADUATES HONORED** One of the largest graduating classes ever to gather in Beaver County, 56 graduates of county high schools were honored last Saturday at the graduation exercises. Above, the group is shown as it sat on the platform of Tofield Community Centre during the interesting program.
—Photo by Langbell Studio.

## Phone companies merge

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Sept. 13.—A meeting of subscribers of the new company of the Holden Mutual Telephones was held on Saturday, Sept. 4th, at 9:00 p.m. in the Masonic Hall. President A. L. Gibson was in the chair, and the secretary-treasurer, R. C. Hovland, attended to correspondence which had been received from the Alberta Government Telephones. The company is formed from the former South Holden Mutual, East Bruce Mutual and the North Holden Mutual companies.

A resolution was passed to increase the share value of subscribers as requested in the Telephone Act. The new system, to be installed in 1966, was discussed. Approximately 55 subscribers attended the meeting.

## $1,200 tool stolen

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Sept. 13th. — Peter Friend discovered last Friday, when going to use his Tool-Bar, valued at over $1,200, that it had been stolen from his premises. The RCMP are investigating.

## Improvements for No. 16 north of here

The Hon. Gordon E. Taylor, minister of highways, has announced the awarding of a contract covering soil-cement base course on Highway No. 16 from Chipman Corner to east of Mundare, a distance of approximately 16 miles, to Poole Engineering Co. Ltd., Edmonton, at a cost of $415,458.03.

One other tender was received on this project, from Peter Kiewit Sons Co. of Canada Ltd., Edmonton, whose bid was $421,290.

## T.H.S. to have magazine drive

Next week, the Tofield High School will again start their magazine drive. This is a yearly project in which the students attempt to raise sufficient funds to support the Students' Union for the year.

The young people hope that the Tofield Community will once more support the drive as they have done in previous years, when Tofield sold more than any other school of its size in Alberta.

## Mrs. Charlotte Druce passes at 78 years

Mrs. Charlotte Mable Druce of RR2, Tofield, passed away on September 10th, at the age of 78 years. She was predeceased by her husband, John, in 1961.

Left to mourn her passing are one son, George of Tofield; two daughters, Mary (Mrs. G. E. Schmidt) and Dorothy (Mrs. I. Broen) both of Tofield; also two grandchildren, and two sisters in England.

Funeral services were held on Monday, September 13 from the Holy Trinity Anglican Church at Tofield, with Rev. Walter Hammett officiating. Interment at Tofield Cemetery.

# Work world measures integrity, contribution

The world expects the individual to make a contribution to it, claimed Murray Stewart at graduation ceremonies for the County of Beaver last Saturay night. There is no room for "the world owes me a living" philosophy.

General manager of Northwestern Utilities, Mr. Stewart was guest speaker at the graduation ceremonies held in Tofield Community Centre. Preceding the program, there was a banquet for members of the graduating class and their parents.

Change makes the world go round, continued Mr. Stewart, and change is something we should welcome. Comparing today's schools with those of the past, he said all standards have changed for the better. None would want to go back, he suggested.

However, continued the speaker, the basic things in life don't change. Citing bankruptcy and death as examples, Mr. Stewart continued by pointing out there is no change in the values an employer looks from employees. These are the same today as they were in our father's or grandfather's day.

There is room for today's graduates to make their contribution, he suggested. Every age has its own problems and its own accomplishments. Notwithstanding the tremendous advances such as space flight, he felt neither the miracles nor the problems had all been solved yet.

The speaker applauded the graduates for reaching this level and urged their continued interest in education. There is an acute shortage of skilled people in a market where the demand for unskilled people is rapidly decreasing, he related.

Success in life comes not just from hard work, continued Mr. Stewart, adding that another major ingredient is courage. He agreed that sometimes luck seems to play a part, but declared there was more liklihood of success for people who can think for themselves, who can run on their own, who have the courage to face up to responsibility. The big need in the business world has always been and will always be for leaders, he said, pointing out various ways in which some people contribute as leaders.

Frequently it is the knowledge you have acquired which will get a job for you, but you go forward not on your knowledge but on what you do, he declared. It is what an employee contributes to a job that determines his ability to rise in the job.

In spite of all other elements making up job requirements, Mr. Stewart stated, the one root essential to success in any field, whether it be in marriage, or employment, or any other area lies in integrity.

Closing with a parable from the field of agriculture, Mr. Stewart reminded his hearers that the harvest reflects the planting. You must plant good seed to reap a life of which you can be proud, and one with which you can be happy, he declared.

# Tofield teachers have excellent qualifications

The Tofield school opened on September 2nd, 1965, with an enrolment of 571 and a staff of 29 teachers.

**KNOW YOUR TEACHER**

Calvin F. Annis, BA, BEd., is again principal. Mr. Annis has been on the staff of the Tofield High School, first as classroom teacher, then vice-principal before his last year's appointment as principal, ever since his arrival from his home province of Nova Scotia in 1958.

J. C. Lampitt, who has taught in the Tofield Junior High School for the past 12 years, continues as vice-principal.

Kenneth R. Eastlick, who obtained his Master of Science degree from the University of Montana is beginning his fifth year as science instructor in the high school. Biology and chemistry are Mr. Eastlick's specialities.

Miss Roberta Cumming, who holds a Bachelor of Education degree from the University of Alberta and a Bachelor of Arts degree from McMaster University, specializes in the teaching of French and English. She has taught in Tofield for several years.

Mrs. Mollie Conn, who began her university work in Oxford, England, has obtained her degrees of Bachelor of Education and Master of Education from the University of Alberta. Mrs Conn has also taught in Tofield for several years, specializing in language and literature.

Lloyd Cribb, who joined the high school staff last year, obtained his Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Calcutta, India, and his Bachelor of Education degree from the University of Alberta. Mr. Cribb taught for several years in Ethiopia before coming to Alberta. Social Studies and Science are Mr. Cribb's teaching areas.

Miss Susan Komarnisky, winner of last year's beginning teacher award from the County of Beaver, is again in charge of the Commercial division of high school subjects.

This year, the staff of the Tofield High School has been augmented by the addition of Mr. and Mrs. Surender Sodhie, formerly of the province of Punjab, India, and recently of Ardmore, Alta.

Mr. Sodhie had four years' ex-

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### THE WEATHER . . .

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| 13 | 56 | 36 | 27.62 | .20" rain |
| 14 | 53 | 33 | 27.75 | .08" rain |
| 15 | — | 29 | 27.80 | tr. rain |

# Identify yourself

It has been a policy of The Mercury for many years not to print a letter to the editor unless it is signed by the writer, or unless the writer identifies himself to the editor. This has been explained many times in this paper, in this column and elsewhere, but still we receive letters signed with a nom de plume, but not the writer's name. We've said it before but we'll say it again — all letters to the editor must be signed, but the signature will not necessarily be printed in the paper. All the writer has to do is ask that a nom de plume be used, but he must sign his name to the letter to identify himself to the editor, or hand it to the editor in person and identify himself in that way.

This week we received a letter from someone signing "Old Cranky". Although the letter is critical of The Mercury in a facetious way, we would gladly print it if the writer would identify himself or herself. Because the letter criticizes this paper the writer, when he does not see it carried in this issue might well say to himself, "Ha! They wouldn't use it because I wasn't too complimentary." We stress this is not the case. We merely are refusing to deviate from a long-standing policy. Will the writer send us another letter or call in to the office so that the editor will know with whom he is dealing?

We appreciate criticism. It helps us to give our readers a better paper, and we feel no publication is such a fine product it cannot stand improvement.

# A Contradiction

Alberta spends thousands of dollars to attract tourists to the province. One trip over number 2 Highway and you see at least two glaring annoyances. No one should argue against promoting tourist traffic. At the same time no one should do anything that might annoy the tourist.

The highway service centre near Lacombe is one of the better ones in Alberta. There is nothing that will compare with it between Calgary and Edmonton. A tourist travelling north, if he can figure out how to get into this particular centre, must travel about ½ mile past it and make a left hand U-turn into traffic that is not expecting anyone to turn. To get out of the centre and proceed north again the tourist must travel south for about a mile and again make a turn in a most unlikely section of the road. It seems strange the Highway Department could not figure out a better approach when they are building the most costly crossings on Highway 2. The centre is a credit to the province and one many Albertans like to stop at because it is a good place to stop. Why limit it to those travelling south only until a similar place is available on the other side of the highway? Motorists who know about the centre are making an effort to stop. The present approach plan does not eliminate crossings. The crossing would be better at a point where fast traffic should expect turns.

The second annoyance is the highway signs. It is bad enough to see a construction sign ordering traffic to slow down at any time. After the motorist has travelled several miles at the ordered speed and finds there was no reason for slowing traffic, he tends to ignore future signs. These are temporary and although they tend to destroy respect for highway signs they are probably no worse than the signs that permit passing left or right. Signs on speedways and throughways almost any other place on the continent read, "Slow Traffic Right" "Passing Left Only", or something that means the same thing. It is hardly necessary to explain to the motorist the dangers of the Alberta system.

# Low on the totem

Taxpayers and consumers have always felt themselves low man on the totem pole, and this week comes another example of why.

As frequently happens, ordinary citizens elected to public office suddenly become imbued with far greater wisdom than is displayed by those who elected them, and feel they can spend the other chap's money to much better advantage than he can.

Faced with the possibility of a reduction in electric power rates to consumers, as Calgary Power passes on the rebate on federal income taxes, councillors in St. Albert this week seriously discussed and are still checking the possibility of obtaining the entire refund for the town, rather than seeing it return to the user who pays the power bills, simply because it would mean only about a dollar per month to the average user.

If taxes have to go up, then let's by all means increase taxes and be honest about it. But let's not sneak around behind the ratepayer's back and institute a new form of taxation on the grounds of keeping down the mill rate. And let's not hear this nonsense about Big Brother getting more for our money.

By the way, when's Calgary Power going to announce any reduction in this district?


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## By George!

THOSE WERE THE DAYS!

Reading through the district news items the past week or so, I noticed many items about young people who were away at various places through the summer returning home for school or university.

Many of these people, of course were merely spending money travelling to Europe or elsewhere. But the items that give me a feeling of nostalgia at this time of year are similar to this one from the [illegible] area of this week:

"[illegible] returned home last week after working at [illegible], B.C., for the summer months, and he will be returning to the University of Alberta next week."

I can remember what a thrill it was to go to some new part of the country during the summer vacation to find work—any kind of work—to provide spending money for the next school term. There were always new friends to be made, new things to see and new ideas to be had. And the thrill of coming home in the fall to start school again and see old friends for the first time in over two months was another one that can't soon be forgotten.

One such summer I spent at Trail, B.C., shovelling lead "[illegible]" at the lead refinery. The work was hard but wages were very good for a high school student. I still enjoy going back to southern B.C. to visit friends made that year at [illegible] near Trail.

Another enjoyable summer was one spent at Aspen Beach on Gull Lake, where three of us took on the job of tearing down the old three-storey hotel that graced the shore of Gull Lake for many years.

Then there were the summers spent working on the CPR track as a section man. This, too, was tough work, but I've never been in such good condition, physically, or perhaps financially, since.

MacDuff Ottawa report

## Answering another bell

OTTAWA.—Lester Pearson and John Diefenbaker face each other once again in an election battle that will almost surely be the last for one of them, and perhaps for both.

The two men are meeting in combat for the fourth time. The only previous Canadian leaders who have fought it out so often were Robert Borden and Wilfrid Laurier, who met in four elections in the early years of this century.

The Borden-Laurier confrontations were spread over 13 years. The Pearson-Diefenbaker meetings have taken place within seven years, in 1958, 1962, 1963 and now in 1965.

A fifth, and record breaking battle is not likely between these two men, no matter what the result of the November 8th election.

**DEFINITE ACTION**

If Mr. Pearson wins a solid victory, Mr. Diefenbaker will no doubt yield to pressures within his own party to give up the Conservative leadership.

If Mr. Diefenbaker should win, Mr. Pearson would retire almost immediately.

If the election should result in deadlock, it's quite probable that both major parties would quickly seek and find new leaders.

This, then, is probably the last round in the personal and political conflict that has dominated the last seven years of Canadian politics.

As the campaign began, both men seemed in the best of [illegible] despite their ages. They were ready for the fray even though Mr. Diefenbaker will celebrate his 70th birthday on September 18th, while Mr. Pearson was 68 on April 23rd.

The eight week campaign with its long hours and relentless travel is arduous for anyone. But neither Mr. Pearson nor Mr. Diefenbaker showed any hesitation about getting off the mark.

**IN FIGHTING TRIM**

That was evident on the night of September 7th when Mr. Pearson announced dissolution of Parliament. It was the first time Parliament had been dissolved on television, no less, and Mr. Diefenbaker followed immediately on the screen.

The Opposition leader had no real knowledge that the Prime Minister was going to call an election, though most people were fairly certain he would. At any rate, Mr. Diefenbaker was [illegible]

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## From the mail bag

In error

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Yours truly,
—Gordon [illegible]



## MacDuff Ottawa report

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issues of the campaign. These correctly forecast the important issues of Canadian unity and honesty in government can really only be settled by an election.

They in themselves are sufficient reason for an election, in spite of those editorialists who insist that no one wanted this election, that it is not necessary.

**The election should answer two questions which desperately need to be answered. First, does Canada wish to sanction the Pearson type of co-operative federalism, which is slowly but surely re-shaping Confederation?**

**Second, does Canada feel that the Pearson Government, beset alternately by s c a n d a l and blunder, is fit to continue governing?**

**The many other issues of the campaign — agricultural problems, welfare measures, aid to education — are surely secondary in relation to these two questions.**

**REASON FOR STRENGTH**

The federal government, no matter which party forms it, will be moving quickly into all-important negotiations with the provinces on Confederation and on tax-sharing negotiations. That government will have to have a reasonably strong mandate if the federal interest is to be maintained. If a strong federal government is not elected on November 8th, the provincial leaders can only conclude that Canadians do not wish the federal interest to be strongly maintained.

The task of the Liberals in the election will be two-fold: To convince Canadians of the need for majority government, and to convince them the Party has cleaned its house and is determined to keep it clean.

In calling this election when he did, without being forced into it, Mr. Pearson has taken the calculated risk that he can come back with a majority.

He goes into the campaign only four seats short of a majority. Mr. Diefenbaker is 40 seats short. The odds look good enough for the Liberals but who can tell? Anything but a majority for Mr. Pearson will mean failure.

It's a risk he chose to take, and one which, under Canadian procedure, he had every right to take.

ERHARD'S EDGE. West Germans go to the polls on Sept. 19, and if public opinion studies can be believed, Chancellor Ludwig Erhard, above, has a wide edge in the federal election. Erhard's Christian Democrats are battling for ballots primarily against West Berlin Mayor Willy Brandt's Socialists.

## Modern etiquette

Q. When the two married couples go out to dinner, should the husbands be attentive to their own wives—such as seating them, helping them with their wraps, etc.—or does each man help the woman who is not his wife?

A. Each man helps the woman who happens to be nearest him.

Q. When introducing a person to a group, are you supposed to introduce him first to all the women, then to the men?

A. There are no rules of precedence in this case. Perform your introductions in the easiest way—by introducing the person around the group in order.

Q. When serving wine at a dinner party, should the glasses be filled in the kitchen and then brought in to the table?

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## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

On Wednesday of last week, Lyall and Thelma Wickenberg, their daughter, Mrs. Audrey Jacobs and her two children, Sherry and Kevin, all of Edmonton, were afternoon and evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Lyall's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg.

Miss Janet Wickenberg and sister, Mrs. Vivian Jones of Edmonton, were Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of their parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg in Tofield.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Frank Shupe of Tofield and A. B. Clutterham of Vancouver were Monday forenoon callers at the homes of Mrs. Ethel Wood and family, and John and Mary Wood. Mr. Clutterham was a former resident of Tofield and postmaster there for several years until his retirement.

Leroy and Shirley Eaton and children, Margie and Ronnie, of Holden were Sunday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Leroy's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Evie and Vic Halwa and children of Edmonton were Saturday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Evie's parents, John and Mary Wood.


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At the same place, time and date mentioned, nominations for a member of the Board of the TOFIELD MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL DISTRICT No. 47 will be received.

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# THE RYLEY TIMES

**102-year-old home**

This building once used as a stopover for travellers between Calgary and Edmonton, and located four miles south and a mile west of Ponoka, was moved last week to Pioneer Village west of Edmonton. Although the building is 102 years old it is in sound condition and was still being used as a home until just a few months ago. This picture was taken last Wednesday morning as the building was being moved up Highway 21 near Ervick. Camrose Canadian Photo.

## Ryley and district news briefs

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Gordon Booth, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Booth, left on Wednesday, Sept. 8th, to return for his second year at Andrew's College, Berrien Springs, Michigan, U.S.A., where he is studying medicine.

**FAMILY RE-UNION**

Mrs. Caroline Davick was happy to have her two daughters, Mrs. Alma Wiklun of Camrose, and Mrs. Myrtle Roche and her husband, Mark, of Port Alberni, B.C., visiting with her for one week of their holidays.

A family re-union was held on Sunday, Sept. 12th, at the home of Jergen O. Davick, the two daughters, and four sons of Mrs. Caroline Davick were present, together with approximately 40 other relatives, and all enjoyed th tasty lunch that was served

## Ryley couple end 53 years residence

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY—Mrs. Florence Booth entertained at the tea hour on Monday afternoon, Sept. 6th in honor of Mrs. Clara Bendiksen who has resided in Ryley for 53 years, and is leaving now to make her home in Edmonton. Mrs. Hazel MacDonald presented Mrs. Bendiksen with a gift of remembrance on behalf of the 14 neighbors present.

Jack's Transport moved Mr. and Mrs. Bendiksen into their new home in Edmonton on Saturday, Sept. 11th. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lundin have purchased the Bendiksen residence, and will move into town as soon as the harvesting is completed.

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## Four schools share graduation program

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A feature of the evening was the presentation of the Alberta Teachers' Association award to David Larry Dorward of Viking. The award is made for the highest standing in the division in Grade XII examinations, and it was presented by the president of the Beaver local of the ATA, Mrs. Pearl Allan, a teacher at Holden.

Mr. Dorward was also chosen to present the valedictory address for the four classes.

Calvin Annis, principal of the Tofield High School, was chairman for the smoothly organized program which was enjoyed by a crowd of over 390.

## Miss Helen Irwin returns to Toronto

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK — Miss Helen Irwin conducted her final service of the season on Sunday at the United Church. After the service she was presented with a purse of money on behalf of the Ministik congregation, Mr. Andrew Ferguson doing the honors. Miss Irwin left Monday morning for Toronto to return to college next Monday. Best wishes and God's blessing go with her in the career she has chosen.

Several people attended the farewell gathering for Miss Irwin at South Cooking Lake church Sunday evening. After a hearty sing-song, a presentation was made to her from that congregation. A delicious lunch was served by the UCW.


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**BAKE SALE**

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### CARDS OF THANKS

I sincerely wish to express my thanks to my friends for their kindness with cards, gifts and visits they showed me during my stay in the Tofield Hospital. Special thanks are extended to the Doctors and Nurses, and for greetings sent on my 87th birthday.

—Mrs. Amy Pope, Ryley. 3p-3004

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Mitchell escorts you in the elevator up to Mrs. Woodfield's suite of rooms on the fifth floor, where he introduces you to the middle-aged, but still attractive, grey-haired divorcee. She seems very much overwrought, and keeps dabbing at her eyes and nose with a crumpled bit of lacy handkerchief.

"The robbery took place right here in this sitting room", she exclaims. "I'm glad just to be alive and unhurt. The diamond ring was very dear to me . . . not so much for its monetary value, but for very sentimental reasons. It was given to me by someone very near and dear to me. And oh . . . the utter horror of awakening in the darkness alone . . . and realizing suddenly that there is an intruder nearby . . . someone who might at any moment . . . ." her voice rises almost to a shriek, and then she shudders and goes into a fit of hysterical sobbing.

After she calms down somewhat, you ask her for the complete story.

"Well", she begins, "I retired shortly after midnight, and then I was awakened at four by a noise in this room. My bedroom is off the hallway . . . and so I rose quietly and tiptoed through the pitch darkness to the sitting room here, intending to switch the light on suddenly and surprise the intruder. Then, without warning, a strong hand grabbed my wrist and another hand closed tightly over my mouth. A hoarse voice rasped in my ear, 'Don't make a sound, or you'll be sorry'. I couldn't see his face or anything else in the room . . . the draperies were drawn across the windows, and no light came in from the outside. He pulled me over to my little desk there in the corner, picked up my precious ring, muttered another warning to me to keep quiet, and then ran out of the room. My nerves by then gave completely away, and I fainted. When I came to, I was lying there on the floor next to the desk . . . it was five o'clock. I stumbled into the bathroom and took some pills to quiet my nerves. I was so beside myself I couldn't think clearly . . . in fact, it wasn't until about seven o'clock that I called the manager about the theft".

"Don't you usually keep your diamonds and any other jewelry or valuables in a safer place than on top of your desk?" you ask.

"Oh yes . . . but last night I was overly tired, and I guess I forgot. Of course, the ring is heavily insured, but that doesn't compensate me for the . . ."

You break in: "I think you should forget about the insurance money, Mrs. Woodfield. If you need money so badly, you should have tried to borrow some on the ring.

Why do you suspect Mrs. Woodfield of staging a fake robbery?

**SOLUTION**

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## Church notes

**Ryley, Alberta LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Sept. 19th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Sept. 19th
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service, with Rev. Herb Montgomery of Whitehorse as guest speaker.
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Sept. 19th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "Grown-up Faith".
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Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
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# Tofield teachers . . .

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perience as a high school teacher in India and two years as instructor in a teachers' college. His degrees include Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics and Bachelor of Teaching from the University of Punjab Master of Arts in Psychology from the University of Punjab, diploma in Educational and Vocational Guidance from the University of Delhi, and Bachelor of Education from the University of Alberta.

Because he has specialized in the fields of psychology and guidance Mr Sodhi was selected by the government of India as an employment cum guidance officer whose special area of work was with young people seeking employment or re-employment.

Mr Sodhi has a keen interest in curling, dancing, folk singing, politics at both the national and international level, and in his wife's accomplishments which many

Mrs Satpal Sodhi whose beautiful saris are objects of admiration in the high school obtained her Bachelor of Arts degree in Mathematics from the University of Punjab. She taught in a girls' school in Punjab for two years and was headmistress of the school for one year. Mrs Sodhi has also her LL.B degree from the University of Punjab and for a year practised as advocate in civil and criminal law. Her future plans include obtaining her LL.M (Master of Laws) degree. One of her chief interests while she practised law in India was to fight cases in the courts without remuneration for those who could not afford lawyers' fees.

Her interests parallel those of her husband. Curling, dancing and politics on a world level interest her greatly. This past summer Mrs. Sodhi enjoyed a world tour spending some time in each of London, Paris, Moscow, Hong Kong and Tokyo.

Mr and Mrs Sodhi are both mathematics teachers for grades 9 and 12.

Mr Bains whose arrival from the province of Punjab, India is eagerly awaited, will complete the high school staff. Until his arrival, Mrs. Jean Sears is taking his classes.

In Junior High, Mr Lampitt and Mr Jeff Norton of Ryley are the grade 9 teachers. Mr Norton is beginning his teaching career in Tofield.

Mrs Grace Phillips, B.Ed., is in charge of one grade 8 room, and David Boschman of the other. Mr Boschman has resumed teaching in Tofield after a year's attendance at the University of Alberta.

Miss Carol Matthews of Irma has returned this year to teach grade 7 class and Miss Ann Appleby of Holden has joined the Tofield staff as the other grade 7 teacher.

Mrs Kay Fraser, B.Ed., who has taught in Tofield for many years, and Jack Reistad, who came to Tofield from New Norway, Edmonton, and Kingman, are the grade 6 teachers.

Mrs Florence Ingram and Mrs. Doreen Cribb are again in charge of the two grade 5 rooms. Mrs Ingram has been on the Tofield staff for several years. Mrs. Cribb joined the staff last year when she and her husband came to Tofield.

The grade 4 teachers, Miss Stephania Komarnisky and Miss Norma Zwieschke are both new to the Tofield staff. Both are from Holden.

Mrs Marjory Everitt and Mrs Marjorie Astley are again teaching the grade 3 classes. Mrs Everitt has been on this staff for many years; Mrs. Astley is beginning her second year.

The grade 2 teachers have also returned for another year. They are Mrs. Eleanor Campbell and Mrs. Madeleine McCormick, both of whom have previously taught in Tofield.

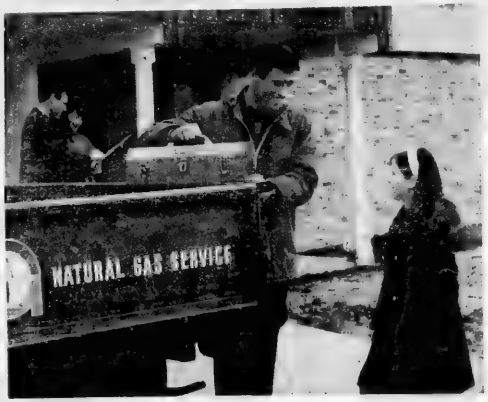
Mrs. Daisy Young and Mrs. LaVerne Noble are the teachers of the two grade 1 classes.

Mrs Edna Bowick is again school librarian and Leo Burka of Ryley is again physical education instructor.

Classes in Industrial Arts are conducted in Ryley by Mr. and Mrs Stashko, who teach shop and Home Economics, respectively. Junior and Senior High School students are taken to Ryley by bus to attend these classes.

Staff / Sgt. W Coates of the PPCLI is instructor in band music; and piano lessons are given by Miss Glenda Patterson and Mrs. Patricia Litwin

UNDER FIRE. Enemy fire from a nearby jungle sets these Vietnamese and American soldiers scrambling from where they were loading supplies onto a Marine helicopter. The U.S. plans to increase its strength in Vietnam through a boost in the number of young drafted in September and October.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## Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q Is it necessary that the parents of the bride entertain the bridal party before or after the wedding rehearsal?

A. Not necessary, but quite often done. The most popular mode of entertaining in this case is a buffet supper either following the afternoon rehearsal or preceding the one taking place in the evening. And don't forget to include the wives and or husbands of those who are in the wedding party.

Q. Is it proper to send greeting cards, such as anniversary or birthday cards, to friends who are in mourning?

A. If the sentiment is appropriate, yes. If the words express a thought of friendly sympathy or good wishes, it would be all right, but not if the message is gay or

Q Are desserts ALWAYS eaten with the fork?

A Some desserts are too soft for easy handling with the fork. A good rule to follow is to use the fork whenever possible—but use good judgment, too.

Q. How do you introduce one person to a group?

A. Mention his or her name (saying it only once), as, "Mr. Hayes, I would like to have you meet Mr. and Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. Gray, Miss Carter", and so on. No order of precedence is necessary—ladies first, or age, do not come into group introductions.

Q. Would it be all right for me to have my birthstone, instead of the usual diamond, for my engagement ring? My friends claim this would be out of the question.

A. Your friends are off base. It is you privilege to wear any kind of engagement ring you wish, and any kind is perfectly proper.

Q. What is considered the proper way to eat raw apples or pears at the table?

A. You should operate on these with your knife before eating them. The fruit should be quartered, peeled, cored, and then each quarter eaten with the fingers.

Q. Should the bride's father take an active part in the rehearsal?

A. Yes, by all means. He plays a very important part until after he has actually "given her away".

## Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1 I have affected a change in my business, and I will be away for a spell.
2 Considerable remains in spite of our losses, and we are very pleased.
3 Your assertions are contrary with reason.
4 Our boat was travelling ten knots an hour when the signal was flashed to us.
5 I do not know as I shall be there, but I shall try and keep the appointment.
6 The meeting convened at ten o'clock, but scarcely no one was there.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7 Forehead.
8. Exquisite.
9 Alienate.
10. Buddah.
11. Euthanasia (mercy killing).
12. Conduit.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Symbology, symetrical, symphony, sympathetic, symposium, eligable, vegetable, comprehensible, changeable, gaucherie, disadvantageous, diffidence, discimination, dissoluble, dishabile, emanation, ensemble, ephemeral, esophogus, euthanasia, extravagance, extrinsic, extraordinary, exemplary, extirpate, accomodate, accolade, acclamation, accompaniment, acumen.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "I have EFFECTED a change in my business, and I SHALL be away for ABLE is an adjective, not a noun Say, "MUCH remains", and, "We are very MUCH pleased". 3. Say, "contrary TO reason". 4. Omit "an hour", since in nautical usage a vessel that is going ten knots is travelling at the rate of ten nautical miles AN HOUR. 5. Say, "I do not know THAT I shall be there, but I shall try TO keep the appointment". 6. Say, "The meeting BEGAN (or, TOOK PLACE) at ten o'clock, but scarcely ANYONE was there"

7 Pronounce fahr-ed, and not "fore-hed". 8. Accent FIRST syllable, not the second. 9. Pronounce ail-yen-ait, accent first syllable. 10. Pronounce first syllable to rhyme with "mood", and not with "mud". 11 Pronounce you-tha-nay-sha, accent third syllable. 12. Pronounce kawn-dit, and not "kawn-doo-it".

13. Symmetrical, eligible, dishabille, esophagus, exemplary,

## Lakeshore . . .

Mrs Mary Wood and her cousins, Maxine and Meredith Lobdell of Michigan were Monday afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs Ethel Wood and family.

Jack Goubault and Gloria Erickson of Drayton Valley were callers at the home of Jack's uncle, Johnny and Gloria Wood.

Mr and Mrs Gordon LeBreton and family and Mr and Mrs Joe Tote and family all of Edmonton, were Sunday visitors and dinner and lunch on guests at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz

Rain and sleet started falling Monday evening once more stopping harvesting. Although snow has fallen near Edmonton, only a small amount fell here and melted as soon as it fell. Temperatures have dropped below freezing the last few night, blackening the gardens.

## Palmer - Earling notes

(Mrs. J. Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING, Sept. 13—Allan Scott, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rempel, was baptized Sunday at the Zion Lutheran Church by Rev. P. S. Olson. Keith Bratrud and Diane Campbell were the sponsors.

Following the service, all the relatives and Pastor and Mrs. Olson and family were dinner guests at the Alvin Bratrud home, the grandparents.

Cheryl Lois is the name given Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spaulding's new baby daughter, born August 30th. The little girl is a grandchild for the Henry Stensruds.

Sunday visitors with the Henry Husebys and Ken Sorgens were Mrs. Lorne Murdock and Mrs. Ken Yarham of Edmonton.

Weekend visitors at the Lawrence Pearse home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pearse and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pearse and children of Edmonton.

**Mike Chrystian had the misfortune to injure his thumb when repairing the combine and was a patient in St. Mary's Hospital for four days.**

Edof Wiklun and Mrs. Alma Steffen were Thursday callers at Viking.

Sunday guests of the Harry Johnsons were Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Bruce Adams and Elaine, Mrs. Wilma Lozeron of Dawson Creek, B.C., and Mrs. Betty Carr, Susan and Jimmie of Edmonton. On Labor Day, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Stambaugh of Edmonton, Mrs. Davis and Henry Webb were visitors, and Mrs. Bernard Peterson of Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McLeod of Calgary were Labor Day guests at the Gordon Teske home.


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# MUSEUM AT DEVILLE SPARKS KEEN INTEREST

Most museums are owned and operated by groups of people banded together for that specific purpose or by a government as part of its official duties. However the museum which Mr and Mrs Bill Tiedemann of Deville have built through the years is entirely their own and has been the result of a deep personal interest in historical relics of the past and in natural history.

Bill and Mary Tiedemann and Mary's mother Mrs Edna Dunn, have spent many happy hours collecting and arranging exhibits for their museum. In fact, the collecting came first; its growth demanding a building to house the artifacts. A log building on the Tiedemann farmstead which boasts the shingles from the original homestead building owned by Johnny Adams in 1910, was selected as the home of the displays of these avid collectors.

Mrs Dunn, who is of Empire Loyalist stock, has a vast number of mementos which have come down to her from previous generations of her family and add a unique feature to the museum.

Early pioneer utensils such as churns, one of which is a dash churn, one a barrel churn, and one which boasts a paddle and prints remind the viewer of the hard work done by women of the pioneer era.

A collection of 12 flatirons of various types, a hand made chopping knife which was used in conjunction with a hand-made wooden tray, a wooden potato masher, add further to the picture of pioneer life.

Knives made from rasps are a heritage from Mrs. Dunn's grandfather who had great skill as a blacksmith. One type is that used for "bleeding" sick horses. Also to be seen are muffin tins which were hand molded in sand molds by this same grandfather. A maple sugar mold is a reminder of the years Mrs Dunn's family spent in Quebec.

A collection of thimbles used by the needlewomen of bygone years is flanked by a collection of trinket boxes in various guises. Very old, nearly century-old, valentines and a home-made calendar for the year 1853 are a great contrast to their modern counterparts.

**DOLL COLLECTION**

Mrs Dunn has a collection of dolls, doll dishes and doll cutlery which she has treasured from childhood. They are all of miniature size of exquisite workmanship. A clock from very early times is made of rock and slate put together with pegs.

Blue Willow Ware and early Lustre Ware are also treasured heirlooms.

Evidence that people once bought groceries in large quantities is given by the five-pound tea tin bearing the name New York and Pacific Tea Company, Edmonton. There is a tin box that was once filled with Christie's Soda Biscuits. A pewter tea pot from England and a marmalade jar ... the tea and biscuits were used.

There is a strange exhibit for a private museum — a doctor's black bag, complete with obstetrical forceps. This was once the property of Dr Shearer of Edmonton who frequently drove all the way to Deville with a horse and buggy as his means of transportation.

A typewriter which bears the label "Yost No. 4" would interest a stenographer though she would have no desire to own one, the work of the typist as it comes from the typewriter is hidden. Also, there are twice as many keys as on a modern typewriter. Capital letters and lower case letters have separate keys as there is no shift lever.

A camera which took pictures on glass "plates" instead of on film is on display. The pictures so taken were developed at home. Tin-types are also exhibited.

Mrs. Tiedemann has dressed some models, a man, woman, and two children, in clothes of bygone days. These "people" seem to be standing guard over the museum. High-button shoes and dresses with long skirts highlight the lady's costumes. Mrs. Tiedemann's interests are many and varied. She has a fine collection of Indian artifacts as well as of rocks from every part of Canada. Her friends and relatives, well aware of her interests, add to Mrs. Tiedemann's rock collection. Some of the

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## Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

Bob and Linda Bethel and little daughter, Audrey, of Burnaby, B.C., were guests at the home of Bob's aunt, Mary, and John Wood from Friday to Sunday.

Morris Willburn of Ladner, B.C. was a Sunday afternoon visitor and luncheon guest at the home of his brother-in-law, Charlie, and Mickey Niemetz.

Joe and Esther Majakey of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Esther's brother, John, and Mary Wood.

Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen, Mrs. Vi Geoglean, Mrs. Isabel Rudacki and Mrs Mae Ferguson were Tuesday afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs Lillian Fairholme helping her celebrate her birthday with birthday luncheon and coffee.

## Socreds plan campaign

The Battle River-Camrose constituency executive of the Social Credit party met in Viking Saturday night to plan for the November 8th federal election.

President O Shykora of Holden chaired the meeting, and Socred candidate Ferd Barber of Camrose spoke briefly, reporting he had been out in the constituency for most of his two months' holidays getting acquainted with the people.

Plans as to dates of meetings, etc., will be announced at a later date.


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## Museum at Deville ...

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more lovely rock and petrified wood specimens are being made into jewellery by this talented lady. Driftwood and diamond willow find their place in Mrs Tiedemann's collection, too, as her artist's eye sees each interesting piece of wood a potential animal or bird waiting to be released from its rigid prison.

**FOSSILS PRESERVED**

Fossils from the Tyndal mine in Garson, Manitoba, are very unusual as are shells brought to Mrs Tiedemann from the Mediterranean by her sailor nephew, Keith Tidemann. Also from the Mediterranean is part of a vase of ancient origin.

Some of the exhibits are housed in showcases from the old North Cooking Lake store, formerly owned by Mrs. McMenomy. The original signs from local schools such as Cooking Lake and Lakeshore and railway stations now defunct, are on view.

An original flail is in the museum proper but most of the farm tools used by the pioneers are in a separate building. Here the forerunner of modern barbed wire is seen — the wire was pressed or stretched into points along one side and these projections were twisted. Square nails and home-made tools are displayed on the walls of this building as is the old cheese cutter from the Lindbrook store. Horse harness and sleigh bells remind the visitor of early methods of transportation and a cutter and a democrat outside the building give supporting evidence as to the difficulties of pioneer travel.

Mr and Mrs Tiedemann have inherited many of their exhibits, acquired more at local auction sales and have had many given to them. It is well worth the while of anyone interested in antiques to sign the guest book of Mr and Mrs. Tiedemann's museum and spend a few happy and instructive hours viewing this unique aggregation of Canadiana.

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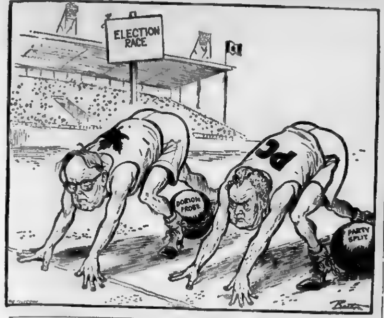


## Spilstead news briefs

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

The regular meeting of the Spilstead Ladies' Society was held at the home of Mrs. Kim Erickson on Sept. 1st. The ladies carded wool for their quilts, and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent. A lovely lunch was served by the hostess. The October meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Maunard.

**FISHING TRIP**

Rodger and Alvin Hoflin, Mr. Ferguson and Leonard Ferguson were fishing recently at Bonnyville.

Dorothy Ferguson and family stayed with the Art Hoflins for the weekend.

The Andy Kuiper family from Hilliard were recent visitors at the Gus Schmidt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eshel Paulson had their grandson, Leonard Paulson, staying with them for a week's visit.

Mr. [illegible] Mrs. Neilson and Steward were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Erickson.

Lloyd and Hazel Raine and family are now residing in Cal-[illegible].

Wade Sware recently spent two weeks with his aunt and uncle, the Bennie Thompsons, at New Sarepta.

**HOLIDAY IN MOUNTAINS**

Mrs. Ernest Fairbrother spent a very enjoyable week visiting with her family and relatives in Edmonton. She also accompanied her son and daughter-in-law, Virgil and Elsie Fairbrother, and family to Rocky Mountain House and to the mountains.

Sympathy of this district goes to the Druce family in the passing of their mother, Mrs. Druce.

The Spilstead ball teams, both senior and junior, played the Lindbrook ball teams on Sunday, with Spilstead winning the [illegible]

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

A lot of our troubles are not sent to punish us, but to try us. —JWR.

## Lakeshore-

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

George Abernethy is a patient in the Tofield hospital and friends wish him a speedy recovery, also to all other patients in the hospital or sick at home.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

Johnny and Gloria Wood entertained Johnny's parents, Mary and John Wood, Mrs. Ethel Wood and son, Donald, her daughter, Margie, and Lorne Berrecloth and little son, David, at a birthday supper on Friday in honor of Gloria's birthday. Johnny's cousin, Bob, and Linda Bethel of Burnaby, B.C., were also guests there for the evening.

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## Ministik news

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

The CWL is sponsoring a bazaar and bingo to be held on September 24th in Ministik Hall. A cordial invitation is extended to one and all and lunch will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Glein Steinbach of Wenatchee, Wash., are at present guests of Mrs. S. George. They were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. Jim R[illegible]alick on Monday.

Miss Beverly Loch is a third-time winner of the CJCA teen-bit of the week.

**COLDS PREVALENT**

Several of the school children have had colds and been away from school a few days. Albert Horricks was also confined to his home for several days

Mr. and Mrs. Les Whitford were Edmonton shoppers on Wednesday.

Gordon Kilfoyle and Miss Evelyn Cook were visitors on Sunday at the Roy Moore home in Innisfail

Sunday guests at the home of Mr and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis of Edmonton and Mrs. Dick Wilson and Matthew.

## Ellis explains increase in water - sewer estimates

The Council of the Town of Tofield held their meeting Tuesday, Sept. 7th, with Mayor Dr. W H Freebury and Councillors Allan, Everitt, Patterson and Swift present.

Associated Engineering Services, represented by. B. Ellis, explained to Council's satisfaction, the increase in the estimated cost of the water and sewer extension on 7th Avenue East. Deletions, as per special meeting Sept. 1, 1965, were inserted into the contract. Mr. Ellis informed Council that by borrowing from Municipal Development and Loan Board, the forgiveness of approximately $1,800 would help to defer the increased costs of the project.

It was moved and carried that an application for the regulated two-thirds of the loan ($7,000) be submitted for approval to the Municipal Development and Loan Board and the balance of $3,800 be applied for from the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation.

**REPLOT SURVEY**

Approval was received from the Town and Rural Planning Board for replotting scheme of Blocks 26, 27, 31 and 32, Plan 5457 AH. However, the Land Titles Office recommended a new [illegible]

Clr. Allan moved that the replotting scheme approved by Council at the meeting of August 4th, 1965, be amended in certain sections.

Correspondence from the County of Beaver No. 9 was read, stating that Lots 2 and 3, Block 32, Plan 5457 AH were being transferred back to the Town of Tofield. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to notify the Rod and Gun Club that the Club House must be moved from these lots.

Copies of reports forwarded to places of business by the Provincial Fire Commissioner, A. Johnson, were read and accepted by Council. The secretary-treasurer reported that letters ordering E. Regehr and J. Widynowski to clean up fire hazards had been mailed.

An application to join the Alberta Fire Protection Association was approved, with the intention of encouraging the Fire Department to participate in the Association's activities.

Rita Halverson was appointed Returning Officer, and adoption of the Voters' List as advertised was approved.

A request from Dr. G. Price for the extension of the sidewalk (approx. 130 feet) on 5th Avenue East was granted.

Correspondence from Mrs. M. Voegtlin wishing to have the street repaired in front of her residence, was read. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to let Mrs. Voegtlin know that as soon as the machine was available to be able to correct the water pressure situation to her residence, the road would be repaired.

**RE-INTERMENT**

It was brought to Council's attention that a Court Order would be necessary for the re-interment of the body of Mrs. Mary Snell, placed, because of an error of the secretary-treasurer, in the McMullen Plot. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to obtain a court order through the Town's lawyer.

Building Permits from Readi-built Homes Limited for $10,000 on Lot 20, Block 14, Plan [illegible] S, was approved.

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**HIGHEST STANDING**

Mrs. Pearl Allan made an exceptionally interesting speech as she presented Larry Derward with the Alberta Teachers' Award last Saturday evening at the County of Beaver graduation program. Mrs. Allan is president of the Beaver local of the ATA, and presented the award to Mr. Derward for having gained highest marks in the Grade XII examinations. Mr. Derward, who comes from Viking, was also valedictorian for the graduating classes, which included pupils from Tofield, Viking, Ryley and Holden. - Tofield Mercury staff photo.

# Locals

Mr and Mrs. J. W. Robinson were Edmonton visitors last week.

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**SPEAKER FROM INDIA**

Mrs. J. W. Robinson attended a Diocesan WA board meeting which was held on Friday afternoon, Sept. 10th, at the Church of St. John the Evangelist. The guest speaker was Bishop De-Mel, Metropolitan of the Church of India, Pakistan, Burma and Ceylon.

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**TO TORONTO**

Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and Edith Mary spent Sunday in Tofield and also attended the reception at Holy Trinity Anglican Rectory in honor of Miss Elizabeth Crispin who is leaving soon to attend the Anglican Woman's Training College at Toronto.

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Helge and Emma Reger accompanied Ezra and Lena Reil to Killam on Sunday and were luncheon and supper guests at the Stainthorpe home. Lena also visited her 91-year-old aunt at the Killam hospital.

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Lynda Ozubko and Pat and Calvin Gill and family recently returned home from Penticton, B.C., where they were holidaying for a week.

Helge and Emma Reger were overnight guests at the Ezra Reil home Sunday night and accompanied them to Camrose Monday afternoon. The Reils had chiropractic treatments and the Regers visited with their daughter, Carol, and grandsons Darrell and Donald.

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Betty and Carol Swanson and Lee were Sunday visitors with Bev and Ron Brown and family at Stettler.

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Jack Hardy and Helge Reger motored to Vegreville Friday afternoon.

**FAREWELL PARTY**

On Monday evening Lynda Ozubko had a few friends in for a farewell gathering for Lynda Kallal, who with her parents has moved to Edmonton. Games were played and a delicious lunch was served. The girls presented Lynda with a gift and some money.

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## Lakeshore - McKenzie

**MICHIGAN VISITORS**

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## Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**SUFFERS SET-BACK**

Clare "Andy" Anderson, who has been a patient in the Viking Hospital since his accident, when his leg and ankle were broken while working at Jack's Esso Garage, is not well. He suffered a set-back a few days ago when he unfortunately over-balanced on his leg, and will have to spend at least another two weeks in hospital.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. Ruxton the weekend of Sept. 4th, were friends from Saskatoon, Sask., Mr. and Mrs. W. Key and family.

Geo H. Taylor called on Father Scriven at Tofield Tuesday afternoon of last week on EMO business.

**Mr. and Mrs. William Shandro (nee Grace Hurum) of Andrew, have been receiving congratulations on the birth of their daughter, August 14th, at the Vegreville Hospital. The new arrival is a sister for the two little boys.**

Henry Shehinski of Edmonton was visiting for a few days a week ago, looking after his farming interests, and called on old friends.

Mrs. Joe Chamulke entertained a number of friends at a coffee party Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mr and Mrs. T. A. Liden, with Mrs. N. L. Campbell, motored to Camrose after church on Sunday, and were visitors and dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Con Giebelhaus and son Ronnie, of Fort St. John, B. C., former Holdenites, were visitors on Friday of last week and overnight guests with Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly, stopping off en route to attend a wedding at Saskatoon, Sask.

Miss Anne Appleby, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs. Bert Appleby, has been appointed to the staff of Tofield school, and Vivian Ogrodnick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Odrognick, has been appointed to the staff of Ryley school. Both girls completed their Education course this [illegible]

The Brownie Troop will be resuming meetings again after the summer holidays, and will meet Thursday evenings in the Community Hall beginning September [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. John Semotuik and family were visitors at Vegreville last weekend with Mrs. Semotuik's family and calling on her father in hospital there.

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jefferies are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Saturday, Sept. 4th, at the Viking Hospital.

Mike Zowtuik was a business visitor in [illegible] on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Story of Abbotsford, B.C., who are visiting with their son Calvin and family, were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ritland on Thursday evening.

Lawrence Kaluzny was at Provost the week of August 30th to Sept. 3rd, helping out at one of the elevators there.

Miss Trudy Oslund and her mother, Mrs. Oslund of Edmonton, former operators of the Holden Hotel coffee shop, were visitors in Holden on Saturday of last week. Miss Oslund was also a business visitor in Holden on Friday.

Joe Hooper, a patient in Tofield Hospital, is making satisfactory progress, and is beginning to feel much better.

**AT FUNERAL**

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden, Mrs. N. L. Campbell, Mrs. Mabel Sizer and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus attended the funeral on September 8th of Mrs. Webb, in Bruce United Church. Mr. Ruxton was in charge of the service.

Douglas Hardy of Edmonton was a visitor during the weekend with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann motored to Edmonton Thursday evening of last week, accompanied by Mrs. Holowachuk and Mrs. Waldemar Schmidt. Mrs. Holowachuk visited her husband in the Aberhart Memorial Hospital, where he has been a patient for some time and recently underwent surgery. Mrs. Schmidt visited her husband in the General Hospital, who is a patient there following a major operation. We were pleased to hear that both gentlemen were making satisfactory progress.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Pederson of Camrose were visiting here last weekend. Ruth stayed with her family, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus, while Albert spent the weekend fishing. Mrs. Pederson and Mrs. Giebelhaus were visitors with Mrs. Campbell on the Monday afternoon before returning to Camrose.

The Friendship Group will have their regular meeting today (Thursday) at the home of Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

**Mrs. Campbell received the sad news that a nephew of hers in England had passed away very suddenly after a short illness. He leaves his wife and two sons.**

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shyba heard a few days ago that their son Dennis, who is in the Canadian Navy, had spent several days visiting at Bermuda while his ship was in dock. They were leaving to be on duty at ports in England, Germany, and other parts.

**IS RECOVERING**

Mrs. John Semotuik's father, who had a serious accident recently and is still a patient in the Vegreville Hospital, is making progress and is able to get up and take short walks.

Mrs. Clint Armstrong writes that she and her mother, Mrs. Lillie Grosland, arrived safely by plane in New York and are enjoying the warm weather and their visit with her brother Emory and family and being shown the sights around New York. Emory will soon be leaving for his posting in [illegible], England, and will be there for three years.

**IN EDMONTON HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Don Coutu, who was taken to Viking Hospital on Thursday evening, was transferred to an Edmonton hospital in the Holden ambulance Saturday, when her condition worsened.

Steve Laskoski, who is harvesting north of St. Albert, was home for the weekend, returning Monday to continue the harvest. He was saying that although there had been showers all around and in St. Albert, they had escaped the showers and had been able to keep working.

Alan Tiedemann was visiting with his family, the Henry Tiedemanns, Saturday afternoon.

The Dale Jeffrey family moved last Wednesday into the Campbel House, which was recently vacated by the Zane Bilyk family.

Mrs. Vernon Pratt and her mother, Mrs. Gladys Durin, of Bruce, were callers in Holden on Wednesday afternoon of last week.

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## Student reports to Lions Club

(By Peter Nickel)

Thirteen Lions and three guests enjoyed a very entertaining evening during the last supper meeting, held August 24.

Part of the entertainment came from the sharp and humorous remarks exchanged across the table by Lion McHeffy and Lion Blacklock. The other entertainment was provided by Miss Elaine Sorrel, who was a delegate to the U.N. Banff Seminar, August 15 to 21, and sponsored by the Tofield Lions Club. Miss Sorrel gained the trip by being the top Grade XI student in Tofield last year.

Elaine gave a rather informative report on her activities while at the Seminar, and thanked the club for sponsoring her.

Other guests were Elain's father, Eric Sorrel, and Nick Kashuba.

Lion Gerry Turnes informed the club of his leaving Tofield, and asked to be transferred to the Jasper Place Lions Club.

## Ladies' Club has September meet

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

The Ministik Ladies' Club held their September meeting in the United Church with nine members present who answered to the roll call "What I like about September".

Roll call for October will be a small article for the fish pond for the fall bazaar. It was planned to have the fall bazaar on Friday, Nov. 5th, and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson was once again chosen as convener.

There will be a raffle of cash vouchers with Glenn Ferguson making the tickets.

Mrs. Jim Roddick was chosen as convener for the children's Christmas tree, and Mrs. Ronald Swabey will, as in former year's, purchase the Christmas gifts.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson provided entertainment after the meeting with a very enjoyable contest, with Mrs. Albert Horricks winning same. Mrs. Joe Davenport was also a winner for having the least answers.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Joe Davenport, Mrs. S. George and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson.

## Locals . . .

The Tofield Gun Club will hold a trap shooting competition on Sunday, Sept. 19th, commencing at 1:30 p.m. Come and try your eye before duck hunting season.

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Mr. and Mrs. Toni Schacher of Medicine Hat were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Schacher.

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M. C. Moos was the winner of the Community League $100 [illegible]

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Archie Dannberger was the winner of the Tofield Legion "Arf and Arf" $50 bill.

## Chamber resumes meetings

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Sept. 13.—The Chamber of Commerce held their first meeting of the season on Tuesday, Sept. 7, in the Community Hall, with approximately 31 members in attendance.

The O.O.R.P. catered to the supper, after which the [illegible] session was held. William Ogrodnick opened the meeting and introduced the newly-elected president, Chester Wright, Calgary Power manager. Mr. Ogrodnick thanked members of the Chamber for the support given him while in office and wished the new slate of officers a good year.

Oleh Sykora with a few well chosen words introduced the guest speaker, Alex Gordey, MLA of Vegreville, who spoke on the "Trend of the Day".

The Centennial Project for the Village was discussed, also signs for the roads entering the village. D. Shavchook was appointed delegate to interview the Council regarding this matter.

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# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Sept. 8. — Thursday was back to school for many and a new experience for many little ones who boarded the buses for the first time. Following are the new beginners from this area: Glenda Boettger, Linford Weber, Rene Francis, Anita Rude, Keith Fiuseth and Darlene Rude.

Four of the Evans young people motored here from Edmonton on Wednesday afternoon for a brief visit with their Grandma Ness. Uncles and Aunts Lester and Gladys Severson, Ingolf and Esther and Denny Brekkan, and Cousin Patricia Severson and family.

Visitors at worship services on Sunday morning, when Bert Loken from C.L.C. was the speaker, were Mrs. Minnie Norgaard and Laverne from La Glace. Mr. and Mrs. Bjarne Eriksen and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Innis and Susan from Edson, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Ramstad and Darren from Calgary, Mrs. Konrad Finseth and Miss Caroline Foshaug from Edmonton, Mrs. Otto Litwin and Mr. and Mrs. John Sirois and Craig from Tofield and David Severson from Camrose. These visitors spent the long weekend with friends and relatives.

The Phillip Anderson family, Mrs. Anne Anderson, the Glenn Francis family and Mrs. Clarence Rude and Merlin were Sunday dinner guests at the Olaf Anderson home.

Stan and Bertha Ramstad and Darren from Calgary spent the weekend at the Arnold Johnson home. Jim and Nella Johnson and children were also there on Sunday, but left in the evening for a trip to British Columbia where they are planning to move soon. The children are staying with their grandparents while their parents are away. Grandma Foshaug was also a visitor at Johnson's on Sunday.

**HOME TO VANCOUVER**

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Anderson took David Strand to Edmonton on Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Finseth took Greg Finseth, where the boys boarded the bus for Vancouver. David has been employed on the Phillip Anderson farm this summer and Greg on the Leroy Finseth farm. David will be attending university this coming term and Greg returns to school in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Finseth are spending a few days on the farm with their son and daughter-in-law, Leroy and Mary, and the grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingolf Brekkan and Donny, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Severson and David, Mrs. Otto Litwin and Mrs. Inga Ness visited the News home in Kingman Sunday afternoon, helping Ingvald celebrate his birthday, which was on Sept. 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. Leif Foshaug visited at the George Niemetz home on Friday evening, when Mrs. Niemetz was celebrating her birthday.

**VISITORS FROM U.S.A.**

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cimarron entertained on Friday evening, when their guests were Mrs. Amy Haugen from Seattle, Wash., Mrs. Helen Jensen from Everett, Wash., Neil Bronnum from California, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Bronnum, Vagver Hudden and Myron Bronnum, all from Kingman, Glenn Sitler and two children from Edmonton, Mr and Mrs. John Sirois and Craig from Tofield, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sitler.

Aasel and Nilla Kindley were Sunday dinner guests at the Earl Kindley home at Viking. The Harold Kindley family from Edmonton spent the long weekend at the home of Harold's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mosby and family from Ryley and Grandma Mosby were Sunday guests at the Harry Mosby home.

## New water mains laid at Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Sept. 13. — Bell and Fountain, contractors, of Wainwright, started digging and laying new water lines in the Village last week. A number of the lines including the main line to the plant, which have been having numerous breaks this past year or two, are being replaced. A new loop line connecting the lines between 50th and 51st Ave. was laid last week. The work is being done under the supervision of Associated Engineers Ltd.


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# Mrs. Amy Pope celebrates 87th birthday

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — Ryley's senior lady citizen, Mrs. Amy Pope, celebrated her 87th birthday Thursday, Sept. 9th. She arrived home in the afternoon from the Tofield hospital where she has had to spend six weeks this summer, to find her friends and neighbors waiting to greet her, also in the evening her own family was present to offer their congratulations, and have a group picture taken.

Mrs. Pope, who has lived in the Ryley district for 47 years, received many congratulatory messages. There was also a cable from her daughter, Amy, in Cheshire, England, and a beautiful bouquet of flowers from her son, Robert, in Fergus, Ont.


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## New member for Lions

Fourteen Lions and one guest were introduced to a new member of the club at last week's Lions supper meeting in Tofield. The new member, Gordon Penny, was introduced with a letter from the Rimbey Lions Club, from where he was transferred, as a hard-working Lion and a credit to any club. Gordon is the new assistant manager of the Bank of Montreal.

Business included setting up a committee for investigation into the centennial project, in which ideas from anyone will be greatly appreciated.

Adding of equipment to the playground was set as the objective for the club this year, which will be good news for the children.

**FRIENDSHIP CLUB**

Discussion followed as to trying the Friendship Club once more, as was not too successful last year, but as several had asked about it recently, it was moved to hold the club again this coming winter.

Members were also reminded of the campaign for the blind, and it was agreed to canvass the town during the second week in October. The club would appreciate it very much if residents would keep this in mind and have a contribution ready for the club in case they are not at home when the canvassers call.

## THS elects officers

At the Tofield Students' Union assembly meeting held recently, it was agreed that the students should not hold a party election this year. Instead, an open-floor election was held, in which the candidates were nominated and a secret ballot was taken. Thus, the student body quickly and efficiently elected their officers for the coming year.

The students who will conduct the Union this year are: Ruth Ellen Sears, president; Darrell Hall, vice-president; Donna Jacobsen, secretary; Allan Everitt, treasurer; Frances Shultz, social convener; Henry Schroeder, sgt.-at-arms; Johnny Wall, boys' sports representative; Marjorie Moore, girls' sports representative; Elaine Walker, editor.

Once again the students' union is in action for what appears to be another active year ahead. To start off the year's activities, the T.H.S. will launch their annual magazine drive. It is hoped that they will receive the patronage they have had in the past.

## Lodge has 38th annual meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Sept. 20. — The 38th Annual District Meeting of A.F. & A.M. District No. 17 GRA was held Wednesday, Sept. 15, in the Holden Masonic Hall, with members from Wainwright, Provost, Viking, Chauvin, Edgerton, Irma and Holden attending.

The meeting was preceded with a banquet in the United Church parlors. Toastmaster was W. Bro. Bruce Budd, and others proposing toasts were R.W. Bro. D. H. Allan, R.W. Bro. Charles Kelly, R.W. Bro. Paul Thomas of Edmonton, and W. Bro. Earl Hardy.

Dist. Dep. Grand Master, the Rt. W. Bro. H. S. Beveridge was in charge of the meeting. Regular business pertaining to District No. 17 was dealt with and reports received.

## Local boy wins military award

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Sept. 20. — At the Graduation Exercises held the past summer at Royal Roads College, Esquimalt, B. C. the Canadian Infantry Association Trophy was awarded to Officer Cadet Stephen Jakobow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jakobow of Holden. The award goes to the infantry officer cadet, either ROTP or COTC, who is adjudged the best all round cadet in the first practical phase of training inspecting officer Brigadier W. J. Moogk, OBE, made the presentation.

The award is held by the award winner's University or Unit for a one-year period, and the winner of the award is presented with a personal memento.

Stephen finished his two-year course at Royal Roads with honors, and is continuing his studies at the Military College, Kingston, Ontario.

## Have you any rummage?

Anyone wishing to donate their rummage to the Holy Trinity evening branch rummage sale on October 23rd, can leave it at Norman Grover's or the Anglican rectory.

**WHISTLER**

This is one swan that missed his reservation for the south this year. Instead, he will make his future home at the Alberta Game Farm where he will be used for breeding purposes along with four other whistling swans now at the farm. The huge, graceful bird (an adult male) was captured on the T. D. Ferguson farm north of Tofield, where it has remained for most of the summer. Its capture was made by the two men above, both employees of the game farm, who explained that the 17-pound specimen probably hit a power line injuring its wing and flying feathers, although the wound has now healed and feathers grown back. They further explained that once being grounded the swan required a large surface of water to make a take-off, and as the sloughs on the Ferguson farm were not large enough, the bird remained grounded. Handling the swan is Bill McKay, with a little help from Hayes Eddy. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

## Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fleming celebrate anniversary

A surprise party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fleming's 21st wedding anniversary was held September 9th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kyle. The party served two purposes—paying tribute to the Flemings and also helping to raise money for the Anglican Church.

The bridal couple was invited for a social visit at the home of their neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle, and on arriving there found friends and neighbors gathered to welcome them.

A corsage of yellow asters and mauve sweetpeas was pinned on the "bride" and a boutonniere of white asters on the "groom".

The Rev. Mr. Hammett was master of ceremonies for the affair and persuaded the anniversary couple to tell of their romance. Evidently the courting was done bicycle-style, it seems that Ross's bike didn't have as many specs as his lady friend's did, and she would have to wait for him every so often. Both Ross and Frances were in the armed services at that time, and Frances waited tables in a canteen at Cambridge (Water beach) England. Apparently Ross decided he wanted Frances in wait on him the rest of his life. They now have five children to share in their happiness—Phillip, Allan, Wendy, Laurie and Cindy.

Mrs. Ivan Mitchell read a poem, "What is a husband?" and Mr. Hammett replied with "What is a woman?"

A lovely lunch was served, with Ross and Frances cutting their cake, which was nicely decorated with a miniature bride and groom in a setting of sweetpeas with the figures 21 in front.

**CHURCH DONATION**

A collection of money was taken up, and the proceeds went to help the finances of the church in honor of the guests.

## Pioneer group meets at Campbell home

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Sept. 20. — The Pioneer Group gathered for their regular meeting on September 16 at the home of Mrs. N. L. Campbell, with 14 ladies present. Devotions were led by Mrs. Mabel Ilsley. Mrs. J. J. Glebelhaus gave a short reading. Mrs. Mary James read an article "God Has A Place For You", and Mrs. Campbell gave a reading on "Storm Warnings" in the Bible.

The ladies discussed making quilts, which are sent to the missionaries in the Far East.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Roxton, with Mrs. R. Reeder taking the devotions.

## No civic vote in '65

Vacancies on the Tofield Town Council and Hospital Board were all filled without a public vote this year.

On the Council, incumbent Conrad Patterson was returned to office for a three-year term; and Allen Henderson, newcomer to the field, also for a three-year term. Both men were elected by acclamation, as they were the only ones nominated.

Georges McFadzean, Hospital Board encumbent, was also returned to office by acclamation.

Swearing-in ceremony for the three men will take place at the next general meeting of council and board.

## Locals . . .

A. B. Clutterham from Vancouver, former postmaster and a long time resident of Tofield, returned home last week after spending a few days with Mrs. Edith Rogers and other former friends.

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Attention is drawn to a notice which appears elsewhere in The Mercury, in which the Tofield Lions Club is again sponsoring a friendship club in October, for those who wish to play bridge or whist.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McFadzean of Whitecourt visited at the Nolan and McFadzean homes recently.

## No casualty

[illegible]

## Native son

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## Adoption and religion

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## Greater safety

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## By George!

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### THE WEATHER . . .

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## From the mail bag

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## Bardo news

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## 13 beginners at Kingman school

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Martha Tiedemann attended a birthday party at the home of Mrs. Gill of Lindbrook in honor of her birthday on Saturday. Also attending were Mrs. Yvonne Brown and Mrs. Keitha Brown of Ketchamoot; Mrs. Bob Wyllie and Mrs. Ben Theissen of Lindbrook; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson of Williams Lake, B.C.; and Rev. and Mrs. Hammett of Tofield and Mrs. Hammett's friend, Mrs. Marshall of Winnipeg. Lunch was served by the ladies and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent by all.

Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg and Mrs. Ellen Eaton accompanied Jack Goubault to Edmonton on Thursday. Ruth remained for a few days' visit with relatives, as a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Vivian Jones. Ellen returned home by bus Thursday evening.

[redacted] and Joe M[redacted]jakey of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Esther's brother, John, and Mary Wood. Mrs. Ethel Wood was also an afternoon luncheon guest there.

Roy Wickenberg and grandson, Donald Jones, motored to Edmonton Sunday and were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Roy's daughter and Donald's mother, Mrs. Vivian Jones. Roy's wife, Ruth, returned home with them Sunday evening after having spent a few days visiting at Vivian's home.

Geo. and Ida motored to Edmonton Monday afternoon where they were [redacted] guests of their daughter, Gail Niemetz.

[redacted] and Gerry Wickenberg of Edmonton were Monday afternoon [redacted] and supper guests at the home of Kenny's grandparents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg in Tofield.

Tom and Dorothy Campbell and son, Robin, of Tofield were Tuesday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Tom's cousin, Mrs. Ellen Eaton, of Lakeshore.

Donna and Frank Edwards of Elk Point were weekend guests at the home of Donna's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson. [redacted]na's little niece, Rhonda Weir, returned home with them for a visit.

### VISIT HOMETOWN

Don and Marguerite Bailey and two boys [redacted]ton, Mrs. Mae Ferguson and son, Nelson, and Marguerite and Mae's mother, Mrs. Roberts of Tofield, motored to Edgerton (the Roberts' former hometown) on Saturday for the day. While there, they visited former friends and also the family plot in the cemetery.

Mrs. Roberts of Tofield was a Sunday visitor and dinner and supper guest at the home of her [redacted]ghter, Mae, [redacted] Howard Ferguson.

Weather conditions are still not good. Rain and sleet have kept harvesting at a stand still, but so far there has been very little snow in the immediate district. Unless sunshiney dry weather comes soon, farmers' losses will be very heavy.

# Shyba - Hewer wedding solemnized in Calgary

(Mrs. G. M. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Sept. 20. — Beautiful bouquets of carnations and chrysanthemums decorated the altar and church for the [redacted]ding held Saturday, Sept. 4, at Sacred Heart Church, Calgary, when Miss Dale Theresa Hewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hewer, became the bride of Darrell James Shyba, son of [redacted] Shyba of [redacted]. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Roberts.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a light pink knitted suit with matching shoes. She wore a chapel veil and carried a bouquet of white roses. Her maid of honor, Miss Margaret Casovan wore a pale [redacted] knitted suit with matching headpiece and shoes, and carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

Norman Fetterly of Calgary was best man.

Fol[redacted]ing the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the groom's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hutchinson.

For her honeymoon trip to Holden to visit the groom's family, the bride wore a two-piece dark blue suit with beige accessories.

The newlyweds will be making their home in Calgary.

# Kingman district news items

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Sept. 20th — Salem LCW met at the church Thursday, Sept. 9th, with Mrs. R. Urquhart and Mrs. E. Brewer as hostesses. Mrs. Urquhart gave the devotion. Mrs. Al Bronaum led the Bible study. Mrs. A. M. Wick read the meditation and prayer. Next meeting will be on October 14th.

Miss Linda Bartley of Edmonton spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Acres. On Saturday, the Acres family took Miss Bartley back to Edmonton and attended the "frosh" tea at the University of Alberta, which Miss Bratley will be attending this year.

Rev. and Mrs. Herb Montgomery were weekend guests at the Herb Asp home and called on several friends. Rev. Montgomry was guest speaker at the Baptist Church on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson were Saturday evening visitors at the Herb Storvik home in Camrose.

**Mrs. Stuart Wick and Mr. and Mrs. James Wick of Vancouver, B.C., were recent visitors at the A. M. Wick home.**

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Bartosh and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the E. Wruck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ovelson and girls were Sunday visitors with Mr. Spencer at Millet.

Thanksgiving supper to be held at the hall Saturday, Oct. 9th. This event is greatly looked forward to and a hearty welcome is extended to everyone.

The next Ladies' meeting will be at the home of Mrs. A. Scott on Thursday, Oct. 21st.

# Hastings Lake

(Mrs. S. Gladue)

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Muir were married in Edmonton on Sept. 4th. Mrs. J. Tiedemann was hostess at a shower held in honor of Donna on the Tuesday before the wedding.

### TURKEY SUPPER

The Ladies' Club met at the home of Mrs. Rowland on Thursday, Sept. 16th. Plans are being made for the annual turkey


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# THE RYLEY TIMES



## Ryley couple observes silver anniversary

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — The silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Reg Dyer was celebrated in the Legion Hall on Friday evening, Sept. 17th.

Mrs. Dyer wore a two-piece dress in white with black accessories and a corsage of red roses for the occasion. Harold Parsons entertained with selections on the piano, and Garnet Burnstad acted as master of ceremonies, also making the presentation to the Dyers of a panel wall clock and a purse of money on behalf of the community.

At lunch time, the head table was centred with the traditional wedding cake, and seated with the honored couple were Reg's brother Roy, and his wife, Nancy, from Wainwright, and Neil and Maxine Reid.

Other guests came from Edmonton and Saskatchewan.

Reg was born in Ribstone, Alberta, and they were married at Marie's parental home in Mossbank, Sask., on September 15th, 1940. They lived at Kirkland Lake, Ont., prior to Reg enlisting in the Queen's Own Rifles of Toronto. Returning from overseas in December 1945, and getting his discharge from the army, Reg and his wife made their home at Windsor, Ont. until 1956 when they came west and settled in Ryley. They have been here ever since, and have two children, Neda 14, and Vernon 10.


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## Ministik news

(Mrs. Jim Raddick)

RETURNS TO B.C.

Miss Helen Jones left on Saturday, Sept. 18th, for her home in Vancouver after spending a month's holiday with all relatives in and around Edmonton, and also motoring to Stonewall, Man., with her mother, Mrs. T. A. Jones, Chris and Bernice. They visited relatives in Wilkie, Sask., Rivers, Man., with sister Judy, aunt and cousins in Stonewall.

Visitors at the T. A. Jones home Sunday, Sept. 12th, were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Jones and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Tatham and grandson, Ray Bronson of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Jones and Robbie, Cooking Lake, Helen Jones, Vancouver.

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DATED this 15th day of September, 1965.

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(3-4-nc)

## June brides outnumbered

If the number of wedding accounts which have been pouring into The Canadian office recently is any indication, it seems that August and early September are fast replacing June as the months for brides. Indeed, at least three times as many weddings took place in Camrose as in June this year, with ten weddings in one day, on August 7th.

Saturday is the almost unanimous choice of brides for their wedding day, with only the occasional nuptial ceremony held on any other day of the week.

Wedding gowns show a wide variety of styling, although lately the cathedral train flowing gracefully from the shoulders, is featured on many bridal dresses. The bouffant skirt seems to be giving way to slimmer lines, with the princess style and Empire line particularly favored by the bride-elect. The bride's attendants are wearing either the short or floor-length models, with the latter becoming increasingly popular. Colors and fabrics available have a delightful variation, and are chosen to contrast or complement each other in weddings where there are more than one attendants.

The church ceremony, followed by a reception at church or community hall, cafe or hotel, mark the special day for the bridal party, with very few traditional home weddings, which were so popular in the 30s and '40s.

## Bridal shower honors couple

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — The Victory Hall was filled to capacity on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 19th, and gayly decorated for the occasion, when a shower party was held in honor of Delbert and Pamela Pope who were married in Edmonton on August 28th.

Mrs. Ruth Munkedal acted as master of ceremonies, and the afternoon social hour was spent playing games and contests with the wedding theme.

Bobby Hagen, accompanying himself on the guitar, sang a parody of six verses he had composed to the tune of "Jimmie Cracked Corn", with everyone joining in on each chorus.

Two little girl cousins, Elaine and Kristine Munkedal, sweetly sang a parody to the tune of "Here we go 'round the Mulberry Bush".

Brian Westmancoat made the presentation to the honored couple and welcomed Pam to the Bathgate district as the little boys and girls pulled into the hall a snow white tent built over a wagon, with the words "Do not disturb Honeymooners asleep" printed on it. The tent contained the prettily wrapped gifts, which Geraldine Kozack and Dianne Kathan helped unwrap and pass around.

Both Delbert and Pam expressed their thanks to all present, and a lovely lunch was served by the Bathgate district ladies.


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—Reg. and Marie Dyer. 4p-3007

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Memories are treasures none can steal.
It broke our hearts to lose you,
But you did not go alone;
For part of us went with you
The day God called you home.
Seven years have passed and [illegible]
Since Owen left us here alone.
Softly the leaves of memory fall,
Gently we gather and treasure them all;
Unseen, unheard, he is always [illegible]
Still loved, still missed, and very dear.

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### ANNOUNCEMENT

**G. P. THOMPSON**
OF TOFIELD

has been named a regional distributor of Sunmaster of Canada Limited, producer of Sunmaster five year light bulbs.

Mr. Thompson will handle Sunmaster light bulb sales to retail stores, commercial buildings and industrial facilities throughout the Tofield area.

A new engineering development, Sunmaster five year bulbs are a major breakthrough in light bulb research and production. Each bulb is fully guaranteed to burn five years at normal home use or a total of 10,000 hours.

Conventional, short-life bulbs burn only 750 hours. New Sunmaster bulbs are backed by a free replacement guarantee.

Sunmaster bulbs are made with a patented, light-reflecting inner-coating of silica, found in only a few of the newest short-life bulbs. The silica coating acts as millions of light-reflecting prisms. Scientific reports reveal this results in comfortable, glare-free and flattering illumination that is far healthier to the eyes.

For further information, see—
**G. P. THOMPSON**
BOX 82, TOFIELD, ALBERTA
PHONE 662-3187
4-5-6-C-3048

### LEGAL NOTICES

**JUDICIAL SALE Of Residential Property**

Pursuant to the Order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Kirby, the following property is offered for sale by tender subject to the restrictions of the existing Certificate of Title:

Lot Eleven (11) and the most Westerly Twenty-five (25) feet throughout of Lot Twelve (12) in Block Forty (40) in the Townsite of Tofield, Province of Alberta, as shown on Subdivision Plan 2457 A.H. RESERVING THEREOUT ALL MINES AND MINERALS

located on the South East Corner of the intersection of Alberta Street and Fifth Avenue in Tofield, which property consists of a half finished three bedroom house of 1,100 square feet on a 75' by 140' lot. The house has stucco finish and partial basement and was built in 1962. Some repairs to the plumbing are required.

Tenders in sealed envelopes marked Supreme Court Action No. 36671 accompanied by a marked cheque or cash for 10% of the amount of the tender must be in the hands of the Clerk of the Supreme Court, Court House, Edmonton, by 12.00 o'clock noon Friday, the 22nd day of October, A.D. 1965 [illegible] court within 30

The balance of the purchase price days after acceptance of tender. If the successful tenderer does not complete the purchase after acceptance of his tender, the deposit shall be forfeited. The highest nor any tender not necessarily accepted. Cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Archibald, Edwards, Wheatley & Sedowalk, 221 Rene LeMarchand Mansions, Edmonton, Alberta.

Clerk of the Supreme Court.
"W. A. Short"
4-5c

## Alex Asp passes

Born January 26, 1885, at Long Lake, Minnesota, Alex Asp passed away August 29, 1965. He came to Wetaskiwin in 1910, and in 1912 married Ingeborg Setterlund at Metiskow.

He operated general stores at Falun, Metiskow and Hayter, then bought grain for United Grain Growers at Rosalind, Amisk, Hardisty, Alliance and Kingman, and for the Alberta Wheat Pool at New Norway. He operated a trucking business for ten years before retiring.

He leaves to mourn his wife, Ingeborg; four sons, Bertil, Herbert, David of Kingman, and Douglas of Calgary; three daughters, Gertrude of Calgary, Muriel (Mrs. Murray Hyde) of Burnaby, B.C., and Bernice (Mrs. John Lawson) of Calgary, nine grandchildren, and other relatives.

Funeral services were held on August 31, at 1:00 p.m., at Hoveland Funeral Chapel, with Rev. Gordon Setterlund, nephew of the deceased, officiating. Pallbearers were Herman Swanson, Harley Schmidt, Ray Ovelson, Palmer Boness, John Johnson and Albin Anderson. Hoveland Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

### FOR RENT

HOUSE IN TOFIELD; good location; 1½ blocks west of Main Street, all utilities. Contact W. K. Davison. Phone 662-2588, Tofield. 4-5-6p-3049

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## Modern etiquette

Q. When is the proper time for the host and hostess to seat themselves at the dinner table?

A. The hostess always seats herself first, this being the signal for the guests to seat themselves. The host is always last to seat himself.

## Church notes

**Ryley, Alberta LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Sept. 26th

HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Sept. 26th

10:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service, with Rev. Herb Montgomery of Whitehorse as guest speaker.

Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Sept. 26th

10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.

Theme: "Living as Christians in Our World".

Families and Classes will celebrate Rally Day in an open Session of Worship at Church. Attendance awards will be made. No regular class work.

"The man who lives by himself and for himself is liable to be corrupted by the company he keeps".

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Anglican
Sunday Services

8:30 a.m. every Sunday—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. 1st Sunday of Month—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays—Morning Prayer.
O Come Let Us Worship.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule

TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.


**CO-OP**

CO-OP FANCY
**STRAWBERRIES**
15 oz. tins **3/$1**

Maple Leaf PORK SAUSAGE— 1 lb. Tray .... 69¢

PORK CHOPPETS— lb. .... 59¢

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Fresh Daily **5/$1**

JELLO WHIP "N" CHILL 4 pkgs. 79¢
★ Save 19¢

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PER GALLON **$2.69**

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CELERY—Fresh, crisp stalks lb. 19¢

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Phone 662-3191, Tofield

# The Canada Pension Plan and its benefits

**Here is what the Canada Pension Plan will do for people like Huguette Samson, a 22-year-old married woman who earns $56.50 a week.**

Huguette and her husband, who is earning $4,200 a year, hope that Huguette will work for a few years before family needs require her attention full time.

Assuming that Huguette does just this, her contributions to the Plan will benefit her in several ways. For example, if she works only for another five years, at age 65 she will receive a small retirement pension of $8.38 a month in addition to her $75 a month Old Age Security.

Through her husband's contributions to the Plan, should he die when they have three young children, Huguette would receive a widow's pension of $57.81 a month plus $25 a month for each child—a total of $132.81 a month. She would also receive a lump sum payment of $500.

At age 65, based upon both her own and her husband's contributions she would receive a pension of $57.53 a month plus $75 a month Old Age Security—a total of $132.53.

If she decided to supplement her income at any time by returning to work, she could still receive the widow's and orphan's benefits, could substantially increase her retirement pension, and could also ensure her entitlement to a disability pension if she became disabled.

All benefits under the Plan will maintain their value. The actual benefits payable will probably be higher than those given here since benefits will be adjusted to meet changes in living costs and in wage levels before they are paid and changes in living costs after they become payable.

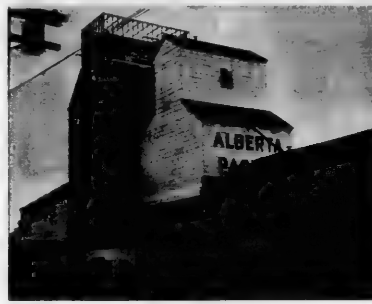
**What will the Plan cost you?**

If you are employed and, like Huguette, have earnings of $2,938 spread evenly over the year, you will pay at the rate of 81¢ a week. Your employer will pay the same amount.

This advertisement is one of a series which relates some of the important benefits of the Canada Pension Plan to individual circumstances.

Issued by authority of the Minister of National Health and Welfare, Canada, The Honourable Judy LaMarsh.






**NEW ELEVATOR**

Customers of the Alberta Pacific Grain Co. in Ryley are still hoping to make use of this huge new structure but if the present weather situation does not improve the building might remain empty for another year. However, as one Ryley farmer puts it, "A farmer can never give up hope". The elevator has been under construction for quite some time now and employs some local labor. --Photo by Peter Nickel.

## Modern etiquette

Q. I've been told it is incorrect to use colored stationery for social correspondence. Is this true?

A. No. Any conservative color is good except for strictly formal correspondence — grey, blue, or light green, for example, will not cause criticism, if used properly. Avoid violent colors and stay away from paper on which colored flowers or birds are depicted. For the young girl, yes—for the matron, no.

Q. I've heard that there are eight "special observances" in the way of wedding anniversary celebrations. What might [illegible] be?

A. One year, paper; five years, wood; ten years, tin; fifteen years, crystal; twenty [illegible] china, twenty-five years, silver; fifty years, gold; seventy-five years, diamond.

Q. If a godparent is unable to be present at a baby's baptismal ceremony, what then?

A. A proxy is chosen by the parents to take his or her place at the services.

Q. Is it really improper, as I've been told, for a bride to take an active part in her wedding rehearsal?

A. This is not a question of propriety, but a custom or superstition. It has always been customary for some good friend of the bride to assume her role in the rehearsal proceedings, while the bride sits on the sidelines and directs.

Q. Is it necessary for a host and hostess to accompany departing guests to their cars?

A. Not unless they really wish to do so. Otherwise, it is all right for them to speak their good-byes at their door and then remain there until their guests are well on their way to their cars.

Q. Where do I place my olives and radishes at a formal dinner, when there is no bread-and-butter plate?

A. Place them on the edge of the plate from which you are eating. Salt for the radishes goes there, too.

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PHONE 29 — HOLDEN

## Bardo and district news briefs

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

Mr. and Mrs. Monrad Finseth returned home Sunday evening after a week's visit at the Leroy Finseth home

Miss Linda Erickson is taking a busines course at McTavish College in Edmonton

Vegreville Federal Progressive Conservative Association

**Nominating Convention**

at the

**VEGREVILLE Recreation Centre**

on

**Sat., Oct. 2nd**

**—1965—**

**SPEAKERS—**

ELDON WOOLIAMS, M.P., (Member of Parliament for Bow River)

F. J. W. FANE, M.P., (Member of Parliament for Vegreville)

**OTHER GUESTS:**

PETER LOUGHEED — Provincial Leader

J. J. PORTER — Provincial President

HARRY MOORE, M.P., (Member of Parliament for Wetaskiwin)

Only Accredited Members of the Association will be entitled to vote.

**EVERYBODY WELCOME**

DOORS OPEN 6:30 P.M. LUNCH SERVED

Printed by the Vegreville Federal Progressive Conservative Association. (4 & 5)

Sunday dinner guests at the Lester Severson home included Mr and Mrs. Otto Sornson and family and Carl Sornson from Viking, Mr. and Mrs. Nils Djos and Dale and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lewis and little daughter from Sedgewick. Afternoon visitors were Ingolf and Esther Brekkan and Donny, and Arnold and Mabel Johnson and Walter.

Mr and Mrs. Glenn Francis entertained at dinner on Sunday in honor of Iris' mother, Mrs. Peter Bjornson's birthday. Guests were the Peter, Dennis and Dale Bjornson families from Edmonton, Emil and Gene Rude, Olaf

Carl, Alma Marie and Garry Nelson of Edmonton spent the and Nora Anderson, Alice Finseth, Clarence and Borghild Rude and Douglas Finseth.
weekend at the Clarence Rude home

Sam and Selma Cinnamon were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Sam's nephew, the Frank Arthurs, in Edmonton.

**AT WEDDING**

Lester and Gladys Severson attended the wedding of Lester's nephew, Edward Djos, and Linda Meakins at the Bethania Lutheran Church near Sedgewick on Friday

Mrs. Alice Sitler and grandchildren, Timmy and Ellen Sitler, and Mrs. Selma Cinnamon motored to Camrose on Saturday, where they picked up their mother, Mrs. Marie Simonson, and went on to Wetaskiwin. In Wetaskiwin they visited at the Harold Simonson home to help celebrate Jody Simonson's 11th birthday.

## Locals . . .

Mr and Mrs. S. F. Woodward of Richmond, B.C., were visitors at the Conrad Patterson home recently. The Patterson family also had a family gathering at the home of Mrs. Patterson Sr. on Sunday.

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**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Clara Rogers has returned to her home after spending some time in Tofield hospital.

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LIFE

We have a New Name

Effective September 1, 1965, the insurance agencies of Johnson Insurance Agencies of Camrose and Garnet Burnstad of Ryley will be known as

**CENTRAL AGENCIES CAMROSE LTD.**

Located in Camrose Professional Building
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Office Phone — 672-4491

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## Community Centre elects officers

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

[illegible] —The annual meeting of the [illegible] Lake Community Centre was held Wednesday night, Sept. 15th, when a new slate of officers was elected. They were: pres., Daniel Reum; vice-pres., Frank Urlacher; sec.-treas., Larry Johnson; directors, Clarence and Robert Johnson, Keith Bratrud, Peter, Harold and Vera Reum, social comm. for Oct., Keith Bratrud, Diane Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knudson.

**TOFIELD COMMUNITY THEATRE**

SHOWING—
Friday & Saturday, Sept. 24 & 25—

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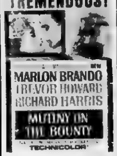


—FAMILY.

Friday & Saturday, October 1 & 2—

FAMILY

- Photo by Langbell Studio

## Sharon Ingram is bride of Gordon R. Strong

The Tofield United Church was the scene of a very pretty summer wedding on July 10, when, in a double-ring ceremony, Sharon Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ingram of Tofield, became the bride of Gordon Richard, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Strong of Calgary. Rev. W. H. McDannold officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiant in a floor-length sheath gown of satin-back crepe featuring an empire waist. The straight lines of the dress were accented by a separate train flowing from the waist. Her shoulder-length veil of illusion net cascaded from a coronet of pearls. Sharon carried a bouquet of an orchid corsage embedded in stephanotis and trailing ivy. The jewellery worn by the bride included a wrist watch, a gift of the groom, and "borrowed" pearls from her aunt, Mrs. D. M. Hornibrook of Calgary, who fashioned the beautiful wedding gown.

Preceding the bride down the aisle were Mrs. Peter Brown, matron of honor, and the bridesmaids, Miss Patsy Sears and Miss Linda Thiessen, wearing identical dresses of satin-back crepe in colors of blue, pink and mint green. Their head-pieces were pearl coronets and each carried a coronet bouquet of shasta daisies embedded in stephanotis and trailing ivy.

The groom's attendants were Don Gardner of Vancouver, his brother, Tony Strong, and Gordon James of Ponoka. Mr. Peter acted as usher.

The wedding music was carefully chosen by the bride and Mrs. G. McFadzean ably officiated at the organ. The processional was St. Anthony's Chorale by Brahms; the interlude during the signing of the register was Largo by Handel, and the recessional, The Ode to Joy from Beethoven's Ninth Symphony.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Ingram chose a blouse-on sheath of capri blue chiffon over floral taffeta with matching hat, accented by white accessories and a corsage of yellow roses. Mrs. Strong, mother of the groom, chose a beige crepe dress accented by a chiffon flowered and a mink stole, and a corsage of red roses.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the church parlors, which were tastefully decorated by Mrs. Ivan Mitchell with bouquets of peonies and shasta daisies. Miss Beth Ingram, sister of the bride, attended the guest book. Miss Daisy Young proposed the delightfully witty toast to the bride, to which the groom ably responded in much the same manner.

Out of town guests were from Calgary, Vancouver, Edmonton, Ponoka and Medicine Hat.

After a honeymoon trip to the West Coast and United States the happy couple are making their home in Edmonton.

### Locals . . .

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Tofield Lions Club is again sponsoring their Friendship Club in October next, and would be pleased if those wishing to play bridge or whist would telephone

**THESE MUST GO!**

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## Kingman news briefs

Sunday dinner guests at the Palmer Bomes home were Mrs. [illegible] Bomes of Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. George Riddock of Lougheed were last Sunday dinner guests at the home of their daughter, the Gary Acres.

Charlie Johnson, Mrs. Alma Feragen and Fritz Adamson of Camrose were Sunday visitors at the John Johnson and Ed Seljehaug homes.

Randy Anderson and Dennis Ovelson left Monday morning for Galahad where they have employment with the Alberta Wheat Pool.

BRIDAL SHOWER

Several ladies from this district attended a miscellaneous shower for Miss Betty Ann Carr held at the Bardo Community Centre. Miss Carr's marriage to Harold Sitler takes place on October 2nd.

Larry Asp is attending the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology in Edmonton this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Anderson and Randy were visitors on September 12th with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lindstrand of Ryley and also called on Mrs. Alma Fosbaug in Tofield in the evening.

Hugo Hovelson and Ove Jensen were lucky in "bagging" a moose on a hunting trip last weekend.

WEMPE FUNERAL

Several from here attended the funeral for the late Joe Wempe in Camrose on Saturday. Sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Wempe and family in their sad loss.

### Locals . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs and Mr. and Mrs. Stinson were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Shirley Stinson at her home in Edmonton.

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Wednesday dinner guests with the Regers were Alma and George Undin and grandson, Darrell and Oliva and Pete Erickson and Orval.

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Last Thursday afternoon a number of ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. W. A. Mitchell to help her celebrate her birthday

***Mr. Farmer—***

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## Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Thomas of Edmonton were Wednesday evening visitors in Holden, Paul attending the Masonic District meeting and Millie spending the evening with Mrs. Campbell. Mrs. Mary James was also a supper guest with Mrs. Campbell and the ladies spent a pleasant evening talking over old times. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas were Holden residents for several years when he taught at the Holden school, before moving to Edmonton where Paul is principal of one of the city schools. Mrs. Thomas is the former Millie Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus were shopping visitors in Edmonton on Monday of last week.

Mrs. Earl Hardy was a business visitor in Edmonton Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson, with their brother-in-law from Camrose, spent a weekend recently at Gull Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Morrison of Edmonton were visitors on Wednesday of last week with Mr. Morrison's sister and family, the Henry Tiedemanns.

Mrs. Mary James and Mrs. N. L. Campbell were last Monday dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Mrs. Carrie Olson.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer was a visitor recently with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moh[illegible] in Camrose, driving with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden and Mrs. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shanley returned home a week ago after spending two weeks in Calgary with their son John and family, who have recently been transferred there from Drayton Valley.

Ray Hovland was a business visitor in Daysland Friday morning.

**Miss Diane Beveridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Beveridge, who has been visiting with a friend in Paris, France, for the past few months, is now visiting with a friend in Leopoldville.**

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka left Saturday noon for Calgary to attend the wedding and reception of a friend. Mrs. Bill Chupka of Poe and Mrs. Tommy Chupka of Edmonton were looking after the store while Kay and Mike were away.

Mrs. R. Raeder was an Edmonton visitor last Friday, having dental work done.

AT ANNIVERSARY PARTY

Mrs. Mabel Sizer left for Viking on Friday evening to visit her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hammer. She was also planning to attend the 25th wedding anniversary reception which was held held Sunday in the Viking Parish Hall in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Henderson. Mrs. Sizer's daughter Zella and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Earling Henderson of Taber, were also in attendance, Ted and Earling being brothers. The Hendersons are all former Holden district residents, their parents being old-time farmers north of Holden. Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Huseby and family were other guests from this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Komarnisky and children, of Edmonton, were weekend visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike A. Komarnisky.

Sam Sroka of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his mother, Mrs. Tekla Sroka.

**Mr. and Mrs. Andy Lanz (nee Irene Sroka), of Wetaskiwin, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.**

Harry Shehinski of Edmonton has bee nstaying out at the farm the past few weeks, looking after the crop and helping Reuben Hovland repair and fix granaries.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Chupka and family of Edmonton were weekend visitors with relatives in Holden and district.

Steve Komarnisky of Edmonton was a business visitor in the district a week ago Friday. He was accompanied by his daughter Gloria from California, who was visiting with her parents.

OORP MEETS

Holden Lodge No. 91, OORP, held their first meeting of the new season on Tuesday, Sept. 14, with a good turn-out of members. Regular business was attended to and reports of activities during the summer were given. Lunch hostesses for the evening were Ladies Kate Nichols and Irene Taylor.

### FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

How often do we look upon God as our last and feeblest resource? We go to Him because we have nowhere else to go, and then we learn that the storms of life have driven us, not upon the rocks, but unto the desired haven. — G. Macdonald. —J.W.R.

**IDA'S Discount Store** AND **RALPH MASON** B-A SERVICE & Bulk Dealer
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## Better English

What is wrong with each of these sentences?

1. My plan is identical to yours, and we much reach a decision or else lose out.
2. We left as soon as we were through with our work, but the foreman objected to us leaving.
3. He claimed that he knew nothing of the theft, but his brother-in-laws both said he was implicated.
4. They displayed all sorts of pictures, and we were very interested in them.
5. He said that he would stay outside of the house, but he went back on his promise.
6. The choice rested with whomever appeared at the meeting.

What are the correct pronunciations of these words?

7. Aluminum. 8. Calorie. 9. Pantomime. 10. Foliage. 11. Diagnose. 12. Impetus.

Which six words in the following group are misspelled?

13. Serenade, semophore, sophomore, satirical, stupefaction, perspiration, perspicuity, perogative, pertinence, perpendicular, infinitive, inflexible, inflamatory, insurrection, innuendo, innate, inert, innovation, innumerable, innundation, forthright, forestall, forfeiture, fricasee, frugality, traitorous, treachorous, trousseau, tonneau, tetanus.

ANSWERS

1. Say, "My plan is identical WITH yours, and we must reach a decision or lose". Omit "else" and "out". 2. Say, "We left as soon as we HAD FINISHED our work, but the foreman objected to OUR leaving". 3. Say, "He MAINTAINED (DECLARED, or STATED) that he knew nothing of the theft, but his BROTHERS-in-law both said he was implicated". 4. Say, "all KINDS of pictures, and we were very MUCH interested in them". 5. Omit "of", and say, "he FAILED to KEEP his promise". 6. Say, "The choice rested with WHOEVER appeared".

7. Pronounce a-lu-mi-num, accent second syllable. 8. Accent SECOND syllable, not the first. 9. Pronounce the last syllable as it is spelled, "mime", and not as "mine", o[illegible] head. 10. Pronounce fo-li-ij, in three syllables preferred. 11. Principal accent is on last syllable. 12. Pronounce im-peh-tuss, accent first syllable.

13. Semaphore, prerogative, inflammatory, inundation, fricassee, treacherous.

### Locals . . .

TRIP TO ISRAEL

Colin Freebury left from New York for Israel on Sept. 15th where he will be working for two months through International Youth Organization. He is also a member of Canadian Youth Hostel Association and will be travelling through Europe.

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Miss Kathleen Freebury registered on Monday for her third year in arts at U. of A.

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Dr. and Mrs. Freebury were away for a week during which they visited friends at Oyster River, Vancouver Island, and with T. G. Franklin of Vancouver.

**M & M FOODLINER**

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| KELLOGG'S CORN CHEX—Pkg. | 19¢ |
| SALADA PRIOR PAK TEA BAGS—100's | 89¢ |
| STAFFORD'S INSTANT CHOCOLATE DRINK—2 lb. size | 89¢ |
| **TOMATO JUICE** CLARK'S—48 oz. tins | 3/99c |
| CUT-UP FOWL | lb. 29¢ |
| PORK LIVER | lb. 35¢ |
| BOLOGNA—2 lb. Chubs | ea. 79¢ |
| **KETCHUP—** AYLMER—11 oz. bottles | 2/39c |
| PORK SHOULDER ROASTS | lb. 49¢ |
| GRAPEFRUIT | 4 35¢ |
| CELERY STALKS | lb. 23¢ |
| CABBAGE | lb. 5¢ |
| **TIGER Cookies** WESTON'S | 3/89c |

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# Public Notice!

### By the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9 of the Province of Alberta

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient by the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9 of the Province of Alberta that the sum of TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIX THOUSAND ($226,000.00) dollars should be borrowed on the security of the said County by the issue of Debentures repayable to the bearer in Twenty-five consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of not more than six per centum per annum for the following purposes, namely:

**Erecting a masonry addition to the Viking School to consist of: 2 classrooms, 4 ancillary rooms, 1 chemistry laboratory, 1 biology laboratory, 2 washrooms, 1 staff workroom, 2 storage rooms and 1 library. Providing furniture and equipment for the addition. Alter and renovate certain existing space in the Viking School.**

THEREFORE, notice is hereby given by the Council of the said County that unless a poll of the proprietary electors of the said County for and against the said debenture loan is demanded as provided by The School Act, the said Council will apply to the Local Authorities Board for the authority to borrow the said sum by debentures.

Of which all persons interested are hereby notified, and they are required to govern themselves accordingly.

—E. M. MAGNESON, Reeve.

Dated at the Village of Ryley this 18th day of September, 1965.

INSTRUCTIONS TO PROPRIETARY ELECTORS IN A COUNTY

A poll may be demanded in a County by a demand signed by

(a) five proprietary electors, or
(b) fifty per cent of the proprietary electors,

whichever is the lesser number, of each of at least twenty per cent of the districts in the County.

The demand for a poll shall be in the form prescribed by the Minister and must be delivered to the secretary of the County or, in his absence, to the Reeve, within fifteen days after the date of posting or of the last publication in a newspaper of this notice.

Proprietary elector means an elector who is liable to assessment and taxation for school purposes in respect for property situated in the County.

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## Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Laura Christiansen, who has been visiting in the United States with relatives, where she was called suddenly by the death of her brother recently, returned home the end of last week.

Mr and Mrs. Earl Hardy were Sunday visitors and dinner guests with their daughter Inez and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Riel, in the Ryley district.

**GMC SHOWS NEW CARS**

Mr and Mrs Sam Black motored to Calgary on Tuesday of last week to attend the showing of new GMC cars and trucks, which was held in that city. Mr Black was favorably impressed with the new models. They returned home late Thursday night.

Mr Heckbert of Vermilion was a busines caller in Holden last Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus and Mrs. N. L. Campbell left Friday morning to spend the weekend at Jasper with Miss Edna Giebelhaus. They were also planning to stop at Erith and call on Mr and Mrs. Corser en route to Jasper. Mrs. Giebelhaus and Mrs. Campbell planned to return home Monday, while Mr Giebelhaus continued on his calls.

Mr and Mrs. Percy Barlow were business visitors in Wainwright the early part of last week, and also visited with their daughter and family, the Ernie Mertas, in the Viking district.

**DIES IN PLANE CRASH**

Mr and Mrs Eugene Bilyk and Mr. and Mrs. Zane Bilyk motored to Vegreville on Tuesday evening to attend the Prayer Service held at the Park Memorial Chapel for their cousin's husband, Steve Fundytus of Calgary. Mr. Fundytus was killed in a plane accident at Golden, B.C., while on a hunting trip with two friends, all occupants of the plane being killed. He is survived by his wife Betty, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fundytus of Vegreville, three brothers and two sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols were visitors in Edmonton on Sunday of last week, calling on friends. Gordon Fraser of the bank staff who had spent the weekend in the city with his family returned home with them.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann was a business visitor in Edmonton on Monday of last week. She was accompanied by Mrs. Roy Nichols and Mrs. G. H. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Padlecki of Edmonton were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Zane Bilyk a week ago Sunday, when the Bilyks held a house-warming party.

Mrs. Mike Zacharchuk and Mrs. Bill Kitt were visitors in Holden a week ago Monday, checking the Kitt's property in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Zane Bilyk and Mrs. Gene Bilyk were shopping and business visitors in the city last Monday.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs Dorothy Giebelhaus motored to Tofield Wednesday afternoon to bring home her father, Joe Hooper, who has been a patient in the hospital for two weeks having treatments.

Don Coutu visited on Wednesday evening with Mrs. Coutu, who is a patient in an Edmonton hospital.

Mrs. John Lemko was taken to Viking Hospital on Thursday evening, and was a patient for sevedal days receiving treatment.

Mrs. Nancy Laskoski, who was taken to Tofield Hospital several days ago after suffering a stroke, is making satisfactory progress and is now able to talk a little and take some nourishment.

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## Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Visitors last week with Kay and Ron Coombes were Kay's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Scherk of Prince Rubert, B.C., and Mr and Mrs. Lars Olson of Holden.

Mr. and Mrs Harold Schultz, Betsy-Ann and Francis were Wednesday evening guests at the Foshaug - Yoder wedding at the Salem Mennonite Church.

Miss Sheila Purvis of Daysland and Miss R. Cummings of Tofield were Saturday evening callers at the home of Mrs. Flo Ingram.

Weekend visitors with the Harold Schultz family were Mr. and Mrs. Louie Soppet of Rocky Mountain House. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stokkan and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Foshaug.

**BACK TO SCHOOL**

Young people of the district who left for their fall terms at various schools are Patsy Sears to Mt. Royal College, Calgary for second year of social welfare; Dwayne Sears to Calgary School of Technology, taking an engineering course; Betsy-Ann Schultz to Northern Alberta School of Technology, as dental assistant, and Louise Janzen to Rosthern, Sask., to take grade 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kyle and family were Saturday evening visitors at the Rod Rudzcki home at Lakeshore.

Sharon and Richard Strong of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Flo and Jimmy Ingram and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell and Judy motored to Calmar last Sunday to visit with Edward and Henry Buchak and their families.

**90th BIRTHDAY**

Last week, Annie McGinitie Janet Lawson and Audrey Brown motored to Holden to spend the day with Mrs. Brown Sr., formerly of Ketchamoot, who was celebrating her 90th birthday. Mrs. Brown is confined to her wheel chair but is otherwise in good health and always enjoys visitors.

## Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

Mrs Gertrude Sutton of New Westminster, B.C., visited over the weekend with her nephews, Howard and Ivan Malcolm, and their families.

Mr and Mrs Gordon Thor and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the home of his sister, Eileen, and Roy Reinhardt.

**GRADUATION AT LAMONT**

Lamont High School was the scene of the graduation of the grade 12 students Friday evening, followed by a dance in the auditorium.

Lorraine McLachlan, Daphne Eglenski, Cristine Herklotz, Gloria Bilan and Larry McLachlan were the graduands from Ross Creek. The valedictory address was delivered by Lorraine McLachlan.

Mrs. Carol Jenson and young son, Warren, flew by jet plane to their home in B.C. on Sunday after spending a two-week holiday at the home of her parents, Geo. and Winnie McLachlan. Winnie's father, Mr. Duncan of Wetaskiwin, also spent a few days of last week with George and Winnie. Carol and Mr. Duncan attended the high school graduation in Lamont Friday evening when Lorraine McLachlan, daughter of George and Winnie, was one of the graduands.

Mr and Mrs. Maurice Beaurepaire announced the birth of a son, Friday morning at the Archer Memorial Hospital in Lamont.

A supper and party was held at the home of Bill and Olga Eglenski Friday night when friends and neighbors were entertained in honor of Daphne's graduation.

Mr and Mrs Ernest Ferrel and Mr. and Mrs. John Ferrel attended the wedding of their grandniece held at Demmitt, Alberta, on Saturday.

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## Lee - Anderson wedding solemnized in Calgary

Scarboro United Church in Calgary was the scene of a lovely summer wedding on Saturday, June 19th, when Judith Ellen second daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Anderson of Calgary, and Henry Albert, only son of Mrs. Olga Lee and the late Henry S. Lee of Camrose exchanged marriage vows. The Rev. J. T. Irwin performed the double-ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiant in a floor-length gown of white satin with an A-line inset of lace from the waist and wrist-length lace sleeves. Her finger-tip veil was held in place by a white satin pillbox trimmed with seed pearls and lace. She carried a cascade of white orchids with yellow sweetheart roses.

The bride's attendants were Eva Rouse as maid of honor and Linda ... both nursing friends of the bride, and Mary Anderson, sister of the bride, as bridesmaids. They wore identical floor-length gowns of white satin set off by colored ... shoes, headpieces and flowers of yellow, pink and blue respectively. ...

Attending the groom was ... of Edmonton as best man ...

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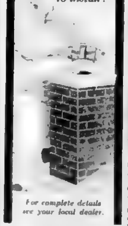
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## Around the town

Bill, Mary and Sharon Tiedemann and Sandy, Irene and Betty Anne Scott, undaunted by the weather, took a Sunday drive through Fort Saskatchewan, Oliver, Beverly and then to Ardrossan, where they visited at Gordon Hisey's and saw his beautiful wood carvings. They ended the afternoon with a hot supper at a campsite on Highway 16.

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A lovely shower was held on Saturday night at Bill Tiedemann's of Deville to honor Gail Herbert before her marriage to Armond Goubault. About 55 ladies presented Gail with presents, played games, and had a bountiful lunch, while the men entertained Armond with advice, cards and lunch at John Dunn's.

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George Abernethy is a patient in the Tofield hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. Steinbach of Wenatchee Wash., left for home Tuesday after visiting Glenn's aunt, Mrs. B. Hosler, and his uncle, Frank Shupe in Tofield.

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Mr and Mrs Louie Soppitt of Rocky Mountain House visited Mrs B Hosler and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Borse on Sunday. Louie will be remembered as manager of the Co-op Store here a few years ago.

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Mrs. Jane Campbell spent a few days in Edmonton with her son and family.

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Mary and Gerald Hosler and son, Wayne, were visiting in Tofield on Saturday, meeting their cousins, Glenn and Georgia Steinbach of Wenatchee.

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Mrs Edith Bailey and Mr. and Mrs Hammett were visiting in Chauvin on Monday evening.

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Mrs. Gertie Peck from Bovey, Minn., and her daughter and son-in-law, Eva and Don Walsh from Little Falls Minn., spent last week visiting with Pearl and Oliver Thompson of Kingman and the Gray families of Tofield. On Friday night, approximately 25 relatives gathered at the home of Brank and Elsie Gray for a pot luck supper and family reunion.

Mrs. K. King and girls of Edmonton returned home after spending the past ten days visiting with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stockton, also Kathleen's sisters, Vivian Basaraba of Ross Creek and Donna Franklin of Bruderheim.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Renetie of Vancouver spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. G. Pittet and family. Mrs. Renetie is Gab's sister.

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A few friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Amanda Mitchell one day last week to help her celebrate her birthday.

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Mr and Mrs Emil Goubault have moved into Tofield from their farm north of Lindbrook, and are living in a house they recently purchased from Mrs. Mary Moore.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warner and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Jacobs left on Tuesday morning of last week, when they made a circle trip going south to Medicine Hat into the Cypress Hills, east to Swift Current, Sask., north to North Battleford, and home on Friday afternoon. They reported poor weather much of the time.

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## Pre-nuptial shower fetes bride-elect

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Sept 14. — A lovely miscellaneous shower was held on Friday evening at the Albert Haukedal home in Tofield, when a large number of ladies gathered to honor Beatrice Yoder, bride-elect of Wednesday.

Mrs. Beatrice Mosby presented the honored guest with many lovely and useful gifts. Miss Sylvia Yoder assisted her sister in opening the gifts, and Beatrice expressed gracious thanks to all for coming and for the gifts.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Agnes Haukedal, Mrs. Bernice Heiberg, Mrs. Nita Kindley and Mrs. Beatrice Mosby.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. J. Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING, Sept. 17 —Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Scherk (nee Louise Olsen) of Prince Rupert, B.C., and her sister, Mrs. Olga Hilland of Camrose were Monday visitors with relatives and friends here.

**Bill Winsnes is a patient in the Tofield hospital, having been injured when caught in the power take-off.**

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# Ministik and district news items

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

Church services at the United Church were conducted Sunday by Harold Dunham. A student for the field for the winter months is expected next Sunday.

Due to inclement weather, the last few weeks attendance at Sunday School has been down slightly. The teachers hope to announce soon which Sunday the annual service by the children will be

A fairly good attendance was noted at the bingo sponsored by the Community Club last Saturday evening. The lamp raffle was won by Mrs. Rita Ridsdale, the full house bingo of $5.00 was won by Andrew Ferguson.

A crew from Edmonton has just completed putting a full basement under the Bill Roddick home

Gary Ferguson made a bus trip to Calgary Saturday, returning with a truck for Don Wheaton Ltd., in Edmonton. He related that farmers in the Calgary area were much worse off than nearer Edmonton, as there was snow on the ground for the fourth time this fall.

Word received from Mrs. Helen Hennessy from Powell River, B.C., is that she is really enjoying her holiday there.

**Doris Davenport, who has spent the last two months in Edmonton, has returned home, to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport, for the winter months. She is much improved after her therapy treatments.**

Lori Collingwood of Edmonton is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland.

Mac McIntyre of the local service station, has started small duties in serving gas at the pumps, and is regaining more strength each day.

Archie Ferguson was an Edmonton shopper Saturday, also purchasing his tickets for the White Heather concert to be held at the Jubilee Auditorium on October 2nd.

HEATER INSTALLED

The local hall board has installed an oil heater at the hall which is a big improvement over the wood and coal furnace formerly used.

HERE FROM WENATCHEE

Mrs S. George entertained at Sunday dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs Glenn Steinbach of Wenatchee, Wash. Most members of her family were present for the occasion

Margaret and Edna Roddick were weekend guests at the home of their parents, the Jim Roddicks.

Visitors on September 18th were Mr and Mrs. John Jones, Mr. and Mrs Robert Jones and Robbie. John came on Saturday to help his father haul out winter wood.

An evening of good entertainment is assured all who attend the bazaar and bingo on Friday evening, sponsored by the CWL. Lunch will be served.

Miss Helen Jones of Vancouver has been spending some time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones.

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## Two nominees to Holden council

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Paul Babie, hotel owner, has been re-nominated to run for the office of councillor for the next three years, an office he has held for the past year. Henry Danilak, retired farmer, is the other nominee to run in the election October 13th. Nestor Semotiuk was nominated for member on the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee. There being no other nominations for this office, Mr. Semotiuk takes the office by acclamation.

## Board discusses library as centennial project

The Tofield Municipal Library Board meeting was held Monday at 8:00 p.m. with all members present.

Librarian's report by Dorothy Freebury stated that approximately 300 more books were lent during the month of July 1965 than in July 1964. Six "friends of the library" make it possible to process the number of requests received. Mrs. Freebury reported that Georgia Christensen's application to take part in the Librarians' Course offered by the Provincial Government, had been accepted; Pat Glover is accepted as a "friend of the library", and that Mrs. Walter Tiedemann will be asked to join the library staff.

HOURS EXTENDED

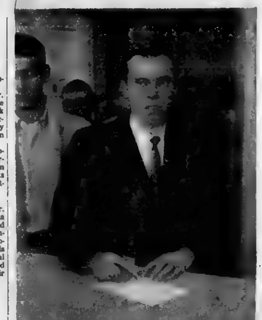
Mrs. Freebury asked for the Board's approval for the extension of Library hours from Fridays, 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., to also include Tuesdays, 2:00 to 5:00 p.m., on a trial basis for one year. E. Watson volunteered to ask permission from the Community League.

After much discussion, Mr. Jefferson made a motion that the theme for Young Canada Book Week be "Hobbies and Collections". The Book Week display will be held November 18th, from 2.00 to 5:00 p.m.

Mr. Hardy moved that approval for a Tag Day on Saturday, Oct. 16th, be requested from the Town Council. The Boy Scouts are to be asked for their assistance again this year.

CENTENNIAL PROJECT

After a lengthy discussion, Mr. Hardy moved that a plan for a Library be drafted and submitted to the Town Council for their consideration as a Centennial project. The cost of the Library is to remain within the Centennial Grants. Mr. Watson volunteered to request from local clubs their support for this project.



**Registering at Southern Tech**

Duane Clayton Sears of Tofield registers at Southern Alberta Institute of Technology and Art in Calgary. Mr. Sears is taking his first year in power engineering.

## Beaver dams a nuisance

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN—The regular monthly meeting of the trustees of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 was held Saturday afternoon in the office of the sec.-treas. Ray Hovland, with trustees Oscar Afseth, Hans Huseby and Nick Laskoski present. Regular business was attended to and correspondence received and filed. Cleaning of ditches and placing culverts was discussed, also brushing that had been done. Reports of inspections made were given and cleaning out numerous beaver dams done during the season.

FIRE PREVENTION IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS

Readers are reminded that next week is Fire Prevention Week. Check for hazards!

## County graduation pictures available

Pictures of the recent graduation program for students of the County of Beaver are now available to those interested in obtaining copies of these.

Proofs are now in the hands of the principal of each school in the county, and orders must be left with the principal no later than October 15th, advises H. A. Pike, Superintendent of County Schools.

## October is Red Cross Month

The objective this year for this area is 2000.00. The Catholic Women's League, with the help of other church groups, will be canvassing your area. If you haven't been contacted you may contribute at the following stores: Red and White, Everett's Meat Market, M & M Foodliner, Co-op and Macleods. Your co-operation as in former years, will be appreciated.

## Tofield High has football team

The formation of the Tofield High School's football team is well underway, with the boys out practising every day. The schedule for this fall's county games is as follows:

Oct. 5—Tofield at Viking
Oct. 6—Holden at Ryley
Oct. 12—Ryley at Tofield
Oct. 13—Viking at Holden
Oct. 19—Tofield at Holden
Oct. 20—Viking at Ryley

It is hoped that everyone will support their home-town team at the games whenever possible.

As the magazine draws to a close, anyone who would like to subscribe to a magazine through the school, and has not been contacted may contact the school or any high school student.

## Metcalfe to address Chamber of Commerce

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Holden and District Chamber of Commerce will hold their next regular meeting, Tuesday, Oct. 5th, in the Community Hall at 6:30 p.m. and a good turn-out of members is hoped for.

Guest speaker will be Alex L. Metcalfe, P.Ag., the agricultural and rural consultant from Calgary Power. He will show a film dealing with livestock feeding and will discuss the various aspects of feeding in Idaho. Mr. Metcalfe will also give a short talk on "Farming—What Next?", and will answer questions from the floor. An open invitation is extended to all persons interested in hearing Mr. Metcalfe's talk which will commence at 9:00 p.m. in the Community Hall.

# Cattle head for Royal

The Tofield region is surprisingly well represented in the beef and dairy cattle selected for Alberta's exhibit at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto. Details were released to The Mercury yesterday morning.

As in several past years, Laurie Byers will be among the Alberta breeders taking market cattle East. The Byers exhibit this year will consist of a group of five and two single animals, all Herefords.

Other market cattle will be from the lots of Gordon R. Henderson and Eldon C. Stenson, both of Forestburg, and Harold Weatherill of Tofield. In the beef cattle area, Shorthorns will go east from Zwierschke Bros., Holden, while no less than four district farmers will send Herefords. Included are Stuart Fenton, Irma; Art Link, Forestburg; Harold Weatherill, Tofield, and Verne Lyseng, Armena.

# County school board meets Sept. 14

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee, held September 14th:

Band Instructor

Concerning the proposed band instructor, Mr. Pike reported that S/Sgt. W. D. Coates had agreed to act as band instructor on the same basis as Capt. H. A. Jeffrey and that he was, in fact, conducting classes in the Town of Tofield at the present time

It was moved and carried that the report be accepted and action concurred in.

In regards to the workshop on "Education for Leisure", further information on this workshop was placed before the Committee together with a questionnaire that was dealt with at this time.

It was then moved and carried that information be accepted and the completed questionnaire submitted.

In regards to the petroleum requirements, the secretary-treasurer reported that E. A. Markland, blockman for Texaco Service, and the Bus Supervisor had checked the best site or location for each of the gas tanks and that these tanks were in the process of being installed.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the Grade IX at Bruce School, motion 359/65, reference was made to the Special School Committee meeting on evening of August 31st at which time a number of parents from Bruce had been present and the superintendent reported that Grade IX was now being transported to Holden, that all students had been ready to go to Holden and the situation appeared to be well in hand.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

**Break-in at Bruce School**

Concerning the break-in at Bruce School, Mr. Pike reported that all the stolen articles had

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### THE WEATHER . . .

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| 22 | 44 | 33 | 27.96 | — |
| 23 | 37 | 24 | 27.84 | — |
| 24 | 61 | 40 | 27.53 | — |
| 25 | — | — | — | 3" snow |
| 26 | — | — | — | — |
| 27 | 39 | 20 | 27.82 | — |
| 28 | 58 | 24 | 27.62 | — |
| 29 | — | 31 | 27.70 | — |

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

No free government, or the blessings of liberty, can be preserved to any people but by a firm adherence to justice, moderation, temperance, frugality, and virtue, and by a frequent recurrence of fundamental principles.
—Patrick Henry.

## Gail Herbert weds Armand Goubault

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE — Congratulations go to the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Armand Goubault of Lindbrook. Mrs. Goubault is the former Gail Herbert, eldest daughter of Charlie and Dorothy Herbert; and Armand the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Goubault, formerly of Lindbrook, now of Tofield.

Armand and Gail were married on Friday, Sept. 24th, in the Tofield United Church. A reception for 50 guests was held in the church basement and was catered to by the Lakeshore UCW. A dance was held in the Lindbrook Hall with a large attendance.

JWR

# Need new law

We believe the state should enact laws only when they're something needed for the wellbeing of the people, and something the people can't do for themselves.

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One of the best instances is the West Coast strike of Oil and Chemical employees. In a strike which started against one company the threat shortly was leveled at three other important distributors in the area. Should the threatened action have come to pass, nearly the entire oil industry of the Coast would have been tied.

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Similarly, the action of the brewery workers which has cut off the entire traffic, is a strike against the public. Whether you support the beer traffic or not is beside the point in this discussion ... the principle of drawing the entire public body into the matter is the question.

Industry-wide strikes of this nature should be outlawed, on the grounds they are against the public interest, in just the same way as strikes of essential public services are outlawed. The law is presently loaded in favor of the unions and even the strikers, who do not bear any of the consequences of their actions, and even the industry struck often loses only some of its profit ... which sometimes looms larger than it really should when it comes to matters of principle.

It's the innocent public, out in the no-man's-land between the combatants that really bears the brunt of the battle. There should be a law to protect his interests.

# From the mail bag

**Get facts straight**

Box, Tofield,
Sept. 27th, 1965

Editor, The Mercury:

In reference to the letters written to you by Mr. Gordon Fisk of Ryley and published in the Tofield Mercury two consecutive weeks. First may I be allowed to point out to this esteemed gentleman, who complains of gossip and rubbish being reported to you by local correspondents, and of you, sir, for printing same, that he is in my estimation a very effervescent [illegible] and a cheap one at that, as he readily admits in his first letter that he is a non-subscriber of the above mentioned paper and my suggestion to him at this instance is this, seeing the news items are of poor taste to him and thus making insignificant reading, why does he not submit to you himself news-worthy items of interest and worthwhile reading. I would be willing to wager he would then be a subscriber and would not have to resort to a cheap reading of a friend's copy and who knows this paragon of virtue may one day own, publish and edit his own exclusive non-gossip no-nonsense paper. I too do not wish to further embarrass the two ladies mentioned in Mr. Fisk's letters, but I am sure they, along with me, hope that in the future this learned gentleman will get his facts straight before he again so sadly blows his horn. Thank you.

Local correspondent,
Iva D. Bales.

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Results of a survey by two senior officers of the Department of National Health and Welfare have been published in the Canadian Journal of Public Health. The survey shows no ill-effects were reported by health authorities or practising physicians, and concludes "we must conclude that the beneficial effects of water fluoridation extends at least until the eighteenth year of life."

Unfortunately, the kids who could derive some benefit from the measure aren't allowed to vote on the question.


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# County school board meets Sept. 14

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been recovered from three different second-hand stores in Edmonton and that the two guilty parties had appeared in court. One had been sentenced to 9 months in jail and the other, already having a record, had been sentenced to 2 years in the penitentiary.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the Grades VIII and IX at Kinsella, Mr. Pike reported that the pupils in these grades were being transported to Viking, that Mr. Dalby was teaching in Viking and that Mrs. Alma Eager was acting as Principal at the Kinsella School.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and arrangements concurred in.

**Correspondence**

It was moved and carried that letter of appreciation from the President of the Beaver Local A.T.A. for the luncheon provided on Institute Day, Sept. [illegible], be received and filed.

The secretary-treasurer further reported that two small adding machines, one Commodore at a price of $169.50, less 10%, net $152.55, and one Olivetti - Underwood at a price of $142.50, had been purchased for use in the Commercial classes.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Moved and carried that the appointments of Mrs. Anne Lucas and Mrs. Wilhelmina Reichenbaugh to the Bruce School be confirmed.

Moved and carried that the resignation of Mr. Z. Khan, who had been appointed to the Viking School, be accepted.

Mr. Pike stated that Mr. Khan, who was to arrive from, had

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# THE RYLEY TIMES



## District news items from Ryley

M. K. Westmancoat

The re-organization meeting of the Ryley 4-H Dairy Calf Club was held on Thursday evening September 23 in the District Agriculturist's office with 15 members present.

Officers for the new season are [illegible] Hillerud president, Roland Owen, sec.-treas., Bob Westmancoat, club leader. The adult committee is composed of Ole [illegible], George Knudeben, Charles Magneson, and Dale W[illegible].

Meetings will be held the second Thursday of each month commencing at [illegible] p.m. Boys or girls interested will be welcomed at the club next meeting to [illegible] October 14th.

CLOTHING CLUB

The Ryley 4-H Clothing Club held their re-organization meeting on Tuesday evening September 21. Mrs. E. Michie is club leader for this year. Mrs. Stasko is again assistant leader also Geraldine Kozack.

Election of officers was held, resulting as follows: president, Evelyn Kozack; vice-president, Judy Bastaty; secretary Sharon Muzera and treasurer Valerie Dyck. Social convener, Kay Fisk; reporter Peggy Fisk, club delegate, Neda Dyer.

Short talks were given by those members who went on award trips this summer.

All meetings will be held on the first Tuesday of each month in the Home Ec building at Ryley and will commence at 7:30 p.m. and adjourn at 9:30 p.m. All girls between the ages of 12 and 20 are welcome to join.

The next meeting will be held on October 5th, with initiation of first year members and leaders, following the business portion of the meeting.

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## Ministik news items

Mrs. J. Roddick

On Sunday October 3, church services will be taken over by pupils of the Sunday School [illegible] be the last Sunday for Sunday School until after the [illegible] months.

CWL BAZAAR AND BINGO

The CWL Bazaar and Bingo [illegible] well attended despite [illegible] Rod[illegible] for the [illegible] An enjoyable [illegible] had by all in attendance.

IN HOSPITAL

Friends and neighbors are sorry [illegible] that Mrs. Claude [illegible] patient in the Royal [illegible] Edmonton [illegible] her knee will [illegible].

Mrs. A[illegible] has been busy [illegible] for this [illegible] federal [illegible] November 8th.

[illegible] transferred [illegible] where he will be working in future. He spent the weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Penn[illegible].

Miss Evelyn Cook was an Edmonton shopper on Monday.

LOTS OF SNOW

On a visit over the weekend in the Calgary area, Mr. and Mrs. Mac McIntyre noted there was [illegible] inches of snow when [illegible] to remove [illegible] a shortage of feed was [illegible] so early in the season.

Mrs. Alma Holmes has returned to her home on the farm after spending six weeks in Edmonton with friends.

Mrs. Gladys Roddick and grandsons Harvey and Gary McLaughlin of Edmonton spent Sunday at the home of her son [illegible] and family.

Mr. & Mrs. Glenn Steinbach of Wenatchee, Washington returned to their home Wednesday afternoon after spending ten days with Mrs. S[illegible] George and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Francis and Mrs. Blanche H[illegible] of [illegible].

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Mrs. J. Knudsen

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The evening was spent in games. Dick Guntrip made the presentation of a purse of money.

They were all happy to welcome home at midnight their uncle Sherman Forre of the Royal Bank who had been holidaying at Nassau, Bahamas. He had just arrived by plane at Nisku, his sister Mrs. M. Meadahl and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Meadahl of Camrose meeting him there.

## Ryley news

M. K. Westmancoat

Under the able leadership of Mr. Tom Kerlee, Mrs. A. Harbee and Mrs. L. Wickstrom, the Ryley Cub Pack got off to a good start this year. Some 22 boys enjoyed a wiener roast, and three new members were welcomed. Cubs will meet every Monday at 7:00 p.m. in Bathgate school. Boys interested in the Cub movement are welcome to attend.

**Mr. and Mrs. Charles Magneson have announced the birth of a daughter.**

Leonard Hutchinson of Calgary was a long weekend visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pepper.

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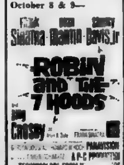

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## Modern Etiquette

Q. Is it ever proper to leave one's spoon in the coffee cup or in a bowl of any kind during a meal?

A. Not usually. There are, however, exceptions: When the soup is served in a soup plate, the spoon is left in it, handle extending over the right edge parallel to the table edge and if you're served iced tea with no saucer under the glass, you leave your spoon in the glass, holding it aside with your first and second fingers as you drink.

Q. Is it all right for a bridegroom to give his bride something for their home as his special wedding gift to her?

A. While not exactly wrong, this is not customary. Traditionally, his gift to her is something more personal — usually jewelry of some kind.

Q. Is it proper to issue invitations to a cocktail party verbally or by phone or by [illegible] note?

A. Any of these ways is perfectly correct.

Q. What is considered the "proper" kind of personal stationery for a [illegible]

A. A large white single sheet measuring approximately 8 by 10 inches, folded twice to insert into an envelope, is considered in best taste for all social correspondence, including the most formal.

Q. Where should dining room chairs be placed when not in use —at the table, or elsewhere around the room?

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11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

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# Grain Board set up to help farm harvest

Commencing last week on the harvest situation in the West, Agriculture Minister Harry Hays said there is still time, given good drying weather, to complete harvest operations before the normal onset of winter.

He emphasized the importance of harvesting grain in the best possible condition for shipment to importing countries, and said samples received recently by the Board of Grain Commissioners indicate the crop threshed so far is in good condition.

He said the Board has furnished all country elevators with posters and circulars providing advice to farmers on farm grain drying.

Farmers may send samples of their grain to the Board before and after drying, and if there is an indication from these samples the tiler grain is being damaged, the Board will wire or telephone the farmer immediately.

The Minister stated that should the problem become serious, main reliance would have to be placed on the drying facilities in terminal elevators and that every step would be taken to ensure that these facilities were in a position to process the largest possible amount of grain as it becomes necessary. In total, interior terminals and terminals at the Lakehead and the Pacific Coast have the capacity to dry one million bushels of grain per twenty-four hour day.

# No Fairyland?

If a look at the calendar does not impress us that summer is past the very cool weather, with the temperature slipping to below 20 degrees at night, emphasizes the fact that the fall season is definitely here.

Usually this season is one of the nicest times in the year, with the exhilarating cool crispness in the air, and the gorgeous gold and red leaves on the trees making a walk through the woodlands or a drive through the countryside a most satisfying experience. Indeed, we would normally take on an almost fairyland appearance, with the turning of the leaves a few days following the first sharp frost. Visitors have come from many miles away to view the Battle River Valley, south of Camrose particularly, during the short time the trees display their magic dress.

However, it is feared that nature lovers are to be denied this pleasure this year, as a large percentage of the leaves have already curled up and turned a dirty brownish-black. The abnormal condition is due to the adverse weather during the late summer and autumn, said Larry Williams, district agriculturist, who noted over a wide area. The maple, ash and elm trees show most damage, although nearly all trees are affected. It is sad news to all when our trees are blighted.

WILL WITHDRAW. President Julius Nyerere has warned his nation will withdraw from the Commonwealth if Britain grants Rhodesia independence under white minority rule. He said that if the Tanzanian parliament should refuse to pass the necessary legislation, he would dissolve the assembly and hold new elections.


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**POPULAR BRIDE-ELECT WIDELY ENTERTAINED**

Popular Camrose bride - elect Betty-Ann Carr has been widely entertained at parties and showers in honor of her coming marriage this Saturday. A miscellaneous shower was held recently for Miss Carr at the Bardo Community Centre, when guests of the Bardo and Kingman district presented many lovely gifts, for which Betty-Ann most graciously thanked them all.

Mrs. Jack Bowerman in Camrose was hostess at a beautifully arranged cup and saucer shower for Betty - Ann recently, when friends and relatives gathered at the Bowerman home to enjoy the evening with the bride-elect.

Last Monday, Mrs. Fred Djorv opened her home in Camrose for a surprise shower party for Betty-Ann, when a delightful evening was spent and many gorgeous gifts received by the bride-elect.

On Tuesday of last week, Miss Betty Champion was hostess at a surprise party in her apartment in Edmonton for Miss Miss Carr, guests being school chums and friends of the girls, who showered Betty-Ann with many gorgeous gifts.

On Friday evening, Mrs. Allan Forsen opened her home for a combined shower for Betty-Ann, and a farewell for Miss Zena Deadroff, both staff members of the Smith Clinic. Guests were women associates employed at the clinic. A lovely gift of crystal was presented to Miss Carr, and a silver spoon to Miss Deadroff.

The hostesses at all these lovely affairs served delicious lunches; and the bride-elect has been almost overwhelmed by the honor accorded her.

# Locals . . .

**INDUCTION SERVICE**

On Sept. 20th, the Rev. A. L. Steele was inducted as Rector of Sedgewick with associated parishes. He replaces Capt. David Bloom, Church Army, who resigned to complete his studies for the sacred ministry at Wycliffe College, Toronto. The induction was conducted by the Bishop of Edmonton, Rt. Rev. W. G. Burch assisted by Archdeacon V. P. Cole of Wainwright and Rev. W. L. Hammett, Rural Dean. Those attending from Tofield besides Mr. and Mrs. Hammett, were Mrs. E. Bailey, Mrs. G. Norland, Mrs. R. Marshall (Winnipeg), Mr. W. C. Lancaster. Rev. Mr. Steele is a graduate of Emmanuel College, Saskatoon, and was a former member of Holy Trinity Church, Edmonton, a number of whose members were also present at this ceremony.

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**MEMORIAL**

The Rev. W. L. and Mrs. Hammett attended the Albert Schweitzer memorial service at All Saints Cathedral at which Mr. Hugh Bancroft played the organ music of J. S. Bach, of which Dr. Schweitzer was one of the greatest interpreters. The preacher for the service was the Rev. E. M. Checkland, minister of First Baptist Church, Edmonton.

Following the service, Mr. and Mrs. Hammett joined Edmonton and district clergy at St. John's rectory where a reception was held in greeting for the Rev. Morse Goodman, recently appointed rector of Christ Church, Edmonton, and Mrs. Goodman, and the Rev. Don and Mrs. Brown who was recently appointed rector of St. Lukes Church, Edmonton. Mr. Brown succeeds the Rev. Albert Wallis, resigned due to ill health. Friends in Tofield will have pleasant memories of Mr. and Mrs. Wallis. Rev. Morse Goodman is well known to radio audiences throughout Canada for his "Family Worship" series at 7:55 each morning over CBC stations.

# Wheat Pool planning wide construction

A construction program amounting to around 13/4 million dollars has been approved by the Alberta Wheat Pool's board of directors. None of the work is stated for the Camrose region.

Elevators will be built at the following points with capacity as stated: Oyen, Mayerthorpe and Veteran, 125,000 bushels. Three Hills, 175,000 bushels; Galahad, Halkirk, Hitchcock, Chipman, Acme and Brecon, 75,000 bushels.

Annexes will be built at Stettler, Granum, Sylvan Lake and Consort, 80,000 bushels; Hardisty and Alix, 70,000 bushels.

Dwellings will be built at Strathmore, Pincher Creek, Raymond, Champion, Barrhead, Fawcett, Claudonald, Hilliard, Three Hills, Makepiece, Michichi, Streamstown, Manola, Spirit River and Stettler.

Construction is now under way at several points and the program will be completed before July 1st, 1966, provided no unforseen developments occur.


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# Former local woman dies in Camrose September 18th

Mary Louise Bandeen (nee Donald) was born at North Cooking Lake on October 11 1902 She passed away at St Mary's Hospital Camrose on Saturday, Sept 18, at the age of 62 years, 11 months and 7 days

Mary Donald was raised in the Tofield Hastings Lake district She was united in marriage to Mr Charles Lindberg and to this union were born five daughters and six sons Mr Lindberg predeceased her in 1943. In 1961 she was again united in marriage to Mr James Bandeen and together they resided in Camrose until the time of her passing

She leaves to mourn her loving husband James; five daughters Mrs Ella Vandyke, Mrs Clara Dahlgren, Mrs Helen Forsythe Mr Carmen Grundberg and Mrs Janice McWade six sons, Melvin, Charles, Lawrence, Emil Edwin and Donald 37 grandchildren 51 great-grand children two sisters, Mrs Helen Gladeaux and Mrs Victoria Descheneaux four brothers Fredrick George Elmer and Jerome, as well as several nieces and nephews

Funeral services were held on Wednesday Sept 29 from the Tofield Community Hall, with Mr Ron Larson officiating Interment followed in the Tofield cemetery, with Messrs Beanie Grundberg, Harvie Grundberg Terry Grundberg Larry Sutton Cliff Descheneaux and Leon Descheneaux serving as pallbearers

Burgar's Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements

**Floral Tributes**

Loving Husband and Family, Brian, Donna, Lorne, Jamie and Sherry; Mr and Mrs. Wilf Descheneaux, Mrs Alice Donald, Louise Cardinal and Family, George, Verna and Greg Donald; Liz and Cliff, Ben and Lou Knockleby Bill and Jean Kennedy, Mr and Mrs Val Tate Sr; Manager and Staff of Northern Alberta Dairy Pool, Camrose

**Memorials**

To Crippled Children's Fund—Mr and Mrs. Charlie Daley and Edward; Mr. Ed Dumont and Family Mr and Mrs. Wilf Descheneaux; Vi and Ernie Daly

To Heart Fund—Mr. Ed Mizera and Family Bill and Edith Descheneaux

To Cancer Fund—Mr and Mrs. Geo McPhedran

To "Rock of Ages" Program—Mrs. L. Winder and Family

To The Family—Elsie, Bill and Marilyn Mills, Mr and Mrs Homer Deardoff and Zena

**Card of Thanks**

We are sincerely grateful to friends and neighbors for their many kind acts of sympathy during our sad bereavement Our appreciation cannot be adequately expressed

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. R Harris and family of Edmonton were visitors a week ago Sunday with the Hans Brekstad family.

Mrs. Harold Story, who, with her husband, is visiting here from Abbotsford, B.C., spent Tuesday afternoon of last week visiting with Mrs. Lars Ritland Mrs. N. L. Campbell was also an afternoon guest.

Mr and Mrs Herman Voigt were recent visitors for a few days at Lethbridge, calling on relatives and friends.

Mrs Buxton and Mrs. N. L. Campbell were afternoon callers with Mrs. Dale Jeffreys, and making the acquaintance of the new baby

Mrs Alfred Sorensen was a business and shopping visitor to Edmonton last Friday

Mrs N. L. Campbell spent Friday afternoon, Sept 17th, visiting with Mrs. Mamie McAfee in Edmonton and was an overnight guests there, leaving on the Saturday morning with Mr. and Mrs J A. Giebelhaus for Jasper. Mrs. McAfee, who was a hospital patient for several weeks this past summer after having a stroke, is making good recovery and is hoping to visit in Holden for a few days before winter sets in, and meet with old friends here

**Sherman Ferre of the Royal Bank, stationed in the Bohemas, is on a two-month vacation visiting with members of his family around the district and calling on friends.**

Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow were in Wainwright recently where Mrs Barlow was having dental work done They also were visitors for a day with their daughter and family, the Ernie Mertas, at Viking

Mrs Lillie Grosland and her daughter, Mrs. Clint Armstrong, returned home September 19th from their two-week trip to New York, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Emory Grosland, and their small daughter They enjoyed sightseeing and visiting Staten Island, and especially enjoyed the sunny hot weather.

Mr and Mrs. H. S. Beveridge were business and shopping visitors in Edmonton Saturday

Mr and Mrs. Nick Laskoski and their two daughters, and Nicks' sister, Rose, who is visiting from Ontario, motored to Bonnyville Friday afternoon to visit their youngest sister, Elizabeth, and family. Rose also visited her mother, Mrs. Nancy Laskoski who is a patient in Tofield hospital, and is making satisfactory progress after having suffered a stroke

**EMO MEETING**

Joe Chamulke village of Holden EMO co-ordinator, and Geo H Taylor, co-ordinator for the County of Beaver No 9 unit of EMO, attended the regular meeting at the County office in Ryley September 20th Reports were received and the radiation course to be held in Holden was discussed

Mr and Mrs Mike Chupka were Edmonton visitors Sunday and Monday

Miss Anne Appleby of Tofield was visiting during the weekend with her parents, Mr and Mrs Bert Appleby Their son, Bruce of Edmonton, was also a weekend visitor with the family

Mrs F Kachman of Vegreville is visiting for a few weeks with her son and family the Bill Kachmans

Mrs N L Campbell and R Hovland were dinner guests with Mrs. Mary James on Friday Mr Hovland was a supper guest that day with Mrs. Campbell.

Mrs. John Lemko has returned home after being a patient for the past week and a half in the Viking hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Eaton were in Tofield Saturday afternoon and Mr. Eaton attended the funeral of a friend.

Mr and Mrs. Mike Hladilo, Mr. and Mrs. William Ogrodnick and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Shibinski attended the funeral of a friend a week ago.

Alan Tiedemann, who is employed as cook in the kitchens at the Good Samaritan Hospital, Edmonton, spent the weekend with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, driving here Friday evening and returning on Monday afternoon

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann was in Tofield on business Tuesday afternoon of last week

The Pioneer Group will be holding their regular monthly meeting on Thursday, Oct 7th, at the home of Mrs J. A Giebelhaus. Visitors are most welcome.

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# Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs Ruth Wickenberg went to Edmonton on Tuesday to spend a few days at the home of her daughter Mrs Vivian Jones

Betty and Keith Paddick and two girls of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Betty's parents Lionel and Emma Ferguson in Tofield

Harold Ferguson, youngest son of Lionel and Emma Ferguson, enrolled at the University of Alberta on Monday to begin his third year in education

**MARRIED IN EDMONTON**

Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and three daughters motored to Edmonton on Saturday to attend the wedding of Mavis's nephew, Dennis Jacobson, to Jeanette Moodie The wedding was held at the Jasper Place Gospel Centre at 3:30 p.m. Their daughter, Karen was flower girl The reception was held at 6 p.m. at the Old Timers' Cabin Dennis is the son of Mavis's late brother, Truman and Carrie Jacobson, and grandson of Julius Jacobson, former McKenzie residents. Congratulations go to the newlyweds

Mr and Mrs Hans Jacobsen of Edmonton were Tuesday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of their son, Carl and Mavis Jacobsen, on their way home to the city

George and Ida Niemetz were Saturday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Joe and Tillie Yurkowski Also there for the evening were Mr. and Mrs Chubaty

Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton were Monday supper guests and overnight visitors at the home of their son, Morley, and Marjorie Jacobsen They left Tuesday forenoon for their home

Gail Niemetz and Bob Ozubko of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Gail's parents, George and Ida Niemetz

Darrel Sutton of Edgerton was a Sunday evening visitor and supper guest at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald

Sunday evening visitors at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann were their daughter, Yvonne, and Peter Brown, and David Bertch of Ketchamoot, Sandy and Irene Scott of Lindbrook and Emil's brother, Bill and Mary Tiedemann of Deville All were helping Emil celebrate his birthday

Mrs Marg Berrecloth returned home Tuesday after having spent four days in the Tofield hospital.

**THANKSGIVING TURKEY BINGO**
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## Locals . . .

**TO TORONTO**

Miss Elizabeth Crispin left Tofield for Toronto where she is to take a course of study at the Anglican Women's Training College Miss Crispin has been organist at Holy Trinity Church for some time and a farewell gathering of the congregation took place at the rectory, at which time a presentation was made on behalf of the congregation by W J Thomson, rector's warden Mrs. J W Robinson outlined high'ights in Elizabeth's career as Sunday School pupil teacher, junior and girls' auxiliary Mr. Robinson also gave a number of reminiscences.

**NOTICE OF POLL**

**MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS — 1965 —**

**Village Of Ryley**

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that Polling will take place for the Election of

**COUNCILLOR**

on

**Wednesday, the 13th day of October, 1965**

from 10 o'clock in the forenoon until 7 o'clock in the afternoon at the following place—

**VILLAGE OFFICE**

And that I will at Ryley on WEDNESDAY, the 13th DAY OF OCTOBER, 1965 at 8 o'clock in the evening sum up the votes and declare the result of the Election.

Given under my hand at Ryley, this 29th day of September, 1965.

—RALPH CROSS, Returning Officer. (5-6)



# George Francis passes Sept. 22

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE — Sympathy of the district goes to Mrs. Laura Francis and family on the death of their husband and father, George Francis, on Wednesday, Sept. 22nd. The funeral was held on Saturday, Sept. 25th, at the Tofield Baptist Church with interment in the Tofield Cemetery.

Mr Francis and family were former Lakeshore residents on a farm He suffered a severe heart attack seven years ago, requiring his retirement and the family moved into Tofield soon after He will be sadly missed by his family, relatives and friends Sympathy also goes to his two brothers, his sister and their families, and all other relatives

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# McKay - Ozubko vows solemnized July 10th

A lovely wedding was solemnized at St Francis of Assissi R C Church, Tofield, on Saturday, July 10th when Marlene Vera Mae Ozubko daughter of Mr and Mrs P Ozubko, became the bride of James Roger McKay, son of Mrs Georgina McKay and the late Mr Bob McKay The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Farrell Altar boys in attendance were Donald Ozubko brother of the bride and Jim Kallal

Entering the church on the arm of her father the bride was radiant in a floor length bouffant gown of chantilly lace over satin embroidered with pearls with lily point sleeves She wore a chapel veil with pearl studded tiara, and carried a bouquet of gladiolus

Mrs Larry Murray was matron of honor and Miss Sharon Ozubko, sister of the bride, was the bridesmaid They wore identical floor - length sheath dresses in pink nylon with rhinestone tiaras and carried nosegays of white and pink carnations.

Johanne McKay, sister of the groom, acted as flower girl She was attired in floor-length dress of white nylon with pink embroidery and carried a basket of pink and white mums

The groom was attended by his brother Donald McKay and Dennis Stafford Wainwright Guests were ushered by Bob Ozubko, Fred Hunley and Wayne Widynowski

Soloist was Mrs. Louis Shewchuk who sang "Just For Today" during the signing of the register She was accompanied on the organ by Mrs J E Stimson.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs Ozubko chose a pale blue suit with white accessories, and corsage of yellow roses

The groom's mother wore a figured silk dress with beige accessories and corsage of yellow roses

The reception was held at the Tofield Community Hall, where the bride's table was laid with a lace cloth centred with a three-tiered wedding cake surrounded by white tapers

Bob Ozubko brother of the bride acted as master of ceremonies and read telegrams from many friends and relatives Chas Kallal proposed the toast to the bride to which the groom responded.

Linda Ozubko, sister of the bride, was in charge of the guest book

During the evening, open house was held at the homes of Mr and Mrs Ozubko and Mrs McKay A dance followed in the Community Centre

For going away, the bride chose a two-piece suit in blue and white linen, white accessories and a corsage of yellow roses

After a honeymoon to the West Coast the happy couple is making their home in Edmonton

Out-of-town guests were from Vancouver, Calgary Champion, Saskatoon, Unity, Kitscoty, Edgerton, Wainwright, Edmonton, Holden and Fort Saskatchewan.

## Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

Mrs. Shirley Ford and children spent a week visiting with her parents at Beaverlodge

To celebrate Frances McLachlan's birthday she and her husband Raymond attended the "Grand Ole Opry" at the Edmonton Gardens Friday night, staying overnight at the home of Raymond's brother, Arthur and wife Olga McLachlan in the city

Howard and Neil Malcolm and Ivan and Florence Malcolm were among the many guests at a family gathering and dinner on Saturday evening at the home of their sister Margaret and Ernie Vickery in Edmonton The occasion was to honor of their cousin and wife, Mr and Mrs. Harry Bailey, visiting here from Belleville, Ontario.

**Neil and Violet Bailey have announced the birth of a girl on Wednesday, Sept. 22nd.**

# Around the Town

Mr and Mrs. Stockton visited for two days last week with their daughter, Donna Franklin, and family at Bruderheim.

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**EASTERN HOLIDAY**

Miss Jean Baptist of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blakely of Tofield returned home last week from a four-week motor trip to Nova Scotia and Ontario. While in Nova Scotia, Dick met quite a number of cousins he had not seen before and in Ontario got a first hand view of the tobacco farming when he visited different farms with his son Glenn All report a very enjoyable trip although it rained most of the time.

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Mr. and Mrs Frank Finch of Toronto, and Mrs. Robert Marshall Winnipeg, were recent visitors of the Rev W. L. and Mrs Hammett.

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**RURAL DEAN**

The Rt Rev. W. G Burch, Bishop of Edmonton, has appointed the Rev. W L. Hammett Rural Dean of the Deanery of Wainwright This territory includes parishes from Tofield along Highway 14 as far as Edgerton and on Highway 13 from Killam to Provost.

Welcomed into our church family were Mr. and Mrs. V Kashuba Michael Terry Finch was baptized at St. Mary's Church, Edmonton

The Vestry is grateful to all those who so generously gave their time and talent and to those who patronized the recent bake sale in aid of the church funds.

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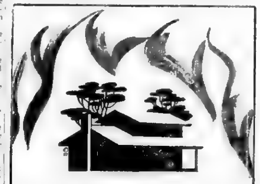

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If Robert dies after contributing for three years, his wife will receive a widow's pension of $64.06 a month until age 65. From then on her widow's pension will become $62.50 and she will also receive the $75 Old Age Security pension—a total of $137.50 a month. At the time of Robert's death, Mrs. Martin will also be paid a lump sum of $500.

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## 'Shower' honors newly-wed pair

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — A surprise shower was held September 19th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bratrud in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Winston Wallie, newlyweds, of Edmonton, who were visiting for the weekend. Mrs. George Mosby was in charge of the entertainment and a variety of games were played.

Several members of the church gave readings, after which the guests of honor were presented with many lovely and useful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Wallie thanked all present for the lovely party and wonderful gifts, also the kind wishes of their many friends in the district. Winston was employed on a farm in the district for several months before leaving to work in Edmonton. A delicious lunch was served to all by the ladies.

## Locals . . .

Mr and Mrs. Jim Campbell spent Tuesday visiting in Camrose with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Young and family.

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Miss Evelyn Chilkowich of Edmonton spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chilkowich. Evelyn will be leaving this Thursday for a month's tour of Europe.

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**HERE FROM SEATTLE**

Sid Worton from Seattle, Wash., has been visiting for the past week with his mother, Mrs. W. Worton.

## William Fraser passes August 20th at 61 years

Funeral services were held August 20th for William Fraser of Tofield, who passed away at 61 years.

He is survived by his wife, Kathleen; one son, William, of Edmonton; two daughters, Mrs. Lloyd (Joan) Schacher of Edmonton and Mrs. Ben (Betty) Lutz of Viking; three grandchildren ;two brothers, John of Westlock and Norman of Edmonton, and one sister, Mrs. Teresa Dietrich of Calgary.

Prayers were held August 19th at Assumption Church, Edmondron, two brothers, John of West-Francis of Assisi Church, Tofield. Monsignor J Malone of Assumption Church was the celebrant, and interment took place in the Tofield Cemetery Pallbearers were Stanley Glover, Reuben Hetsler, Basil Lind, Douglas McKernan, James Yakabuski and Stanley Yakibuski.

**Floral Tributes**

The Family, Norm and Maxine, Marg and Don Bailey, Jim and Doreen, the Tremnner Families, Stan and Lizzie Schacher and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miskew, Greta Schacher, Wladyk Ewaniw, Stan Glover, Alan and Diane Buckell, Jack and Judy Weisgerber, Stan, Nettie, Richard and Donna, Searle Grain Co., Mickey, Alf and Family, Mrs. McLean, Dick and Irene, Marjorie and Bert Everitt, Lois and Reuben Hetsler, Mr. Ewanovich, Jack Ewanovich, Kay Manchuk and Family, Tofield School Staff, Birdie and Basil Lind, Art, Edna and Bob Turrie, Jim and Louise Drynan.

**Spiritual Offerings**

Father Scriven, Audrey, Joe and Family, Bill and Muriel Finn, Marie Worton, Teresa and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baier, Jim and Jessie Weir, Russell and Diane Slywka, Norm and Maxine, Colin and Donna Rae, Lloyd and Doreen Cribb, Gladys and Doug McKernan and Family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roberge and Family, Mr. and Mrs H. Weatherill and Laurie, Doug and Grace Ann Johnson, John and Nora, Walter and Mary Berg, Ann Fraser, Joe and Mary Fraser, Dr and Mrs Andrew Doucette and Mrs Thielen, Mary and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. C F. Kallal and Family, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kallal, Doug and Gladys McKernan, Mr. and Mrs. John Widynowski and Family, Joyce and Glen Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Eastlick, Tofield C.W.L., Stan and Blanche Fraser, Loretta and Art Haugen, John and Marguerite Anderson, Stan and Nettie, Loretta Ross, Christina McGillis, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holtman.

**Memorials**

The Heart Fund—

Howard and Mae Ferguson and Family, Bert and Dorothy Clark, Bill and Ann Frisson, Cal and Rosalind Annis, Mr. and Mrs George McFadzean, Al and Eileen Pike, Mary Moore, Walter and Inez Lutz, Dot and Guy Pigeon, Mr and Mrs. Gordon Garford, Mr and Mrs. Frank Bruha, Betty Pilger, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wegner, Conrad and Hazel Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Nordin, Mr. and Mrs. S. Pearson, Peg and Bob Mahrabuski, Pat and Bill Innes.

St. Francis of Assisi Building Fund—

Charlie and Zelda Hallett, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Young and Lois, Graham and Ella Allan, Hedy and Les Glover, Pat and Norman Glover, Horace Seller, Jack and Mary Whyte, Rex and Mabel Boyles.

Tofield Municipal Hospital—

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"The Mustangs", Dobie

"Frozen Jungle", Earl.

"Operation Heartbreak", Cooper.

"The Ranch on the Cariboo", Fry.

"Sir Hubert Wilkins", Grierson.

"Adventures of Sajo and Her Beaver People", Grey Owl.

"Bones of Plenty", Hudson.

"Wierd World of Wes Beattie", Harris.

"A Garden to the Eastward", Lamb.

"Land of the Beautiful River", Linderholm.

"Five Famous Trials", Moiselwitsch.

"Flame of Power", Newman.

"The Buffalo Head", Patterson.

"Wilderness Wife", Pinkerton

"Adventure North", Pinkerton

"Muster of Arms and Other Stores" (Nova Scotia), Raddall.

"Wings of Night".

"David, Warrior and King", Slaughter

"The Kean Land and Other Stores", Schaefer

"Prairie Harvest", Storey.

"Bitter Water", Thompson

"Morning in Queensland", by Trist.

"Brazilian Paradise", Walmisley-Dresser.

**New additions to library**

"Weekend Painter", explanatory little book—what do you need to start painting", by Laurence Burton

"A Child's Garden of Misinformation", humor, by Art Linkletter

"Three Cheers for Me", novel of World War 1, humor, by Donald Jack

Book donations received from Dr Clark and Mrs Tiedemann are

Great Expectations", Chas Dickens

"Mrs Peter Rabbit", T W Burgess

Bowser and Hound"

Landscape Painting in Oil Colour", Terrick Williams

Complete Poems", Milton

"Then and Now", (renaissance historical novel), Maugham

"The Hearth and the Eagle", Anya Seton

The first airplane flight in Canada took place at Baddeck, N.S. in 1909 six years after the Wright Brothers flew at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina
—Quick Canadian Facts

# Public Notice!

**By the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9 of the Province of Alberta**

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient by the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9 of the Province of Alberta, that the sum of TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIX THOUSAND ($226,000.00) dollars should be borrowed on the security of the said County by the issue of Debentures repayable to the bearer in Twenty-five consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of not more than six per centum per annum for the following purposes, namely:

**Erecting a masonry addition to the Viking School to consist of: 2 classrooms, 4 ancillary rooms, 1 chemistry laboratory, 1 biology laboratory, 2 washrooms, 1 staff workroom, 2 storage rooms and 1 library. Providing furniture and equipment for the addition. Alter and renovate certain existing space in the Viking School.**

THEREFORE, notice is hereby given by the Council of the said County that unless a poll of the proprietary electors of the said County for and against the said debenture loan is demanded as provided by The School Act, the said Council will apply to the Local Authorities Board for the authority to borrow the said sum by debentures.

Of which all persons interested are hereby notified, and they are required to govern themselves accordingly.

E. M. MAGNESON Reeve

Dated at the Village of Ryley this 18th day of September 1965

**INSTRUCTIONS TO PROPRIETARY ELECTORS IN A COUNTY**

A poll may be demanded in a County by a demand signed by

(a) five proprietary electors or
(b) fifty per cent of the proprietary electors,

whichever is the lesser number of each of at least twenty per cent of the districts in the County.

The demand for a poll shall be in the form prescribed by the Minister and must be delivered to the secretary of the County or, in his absence, to the Reeve within fifteen days after the date of posting or of the last publication in a newspaper of this notice.

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**SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, Oct. 2:**

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# County school board meets Sept. 14

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wired to the effect that he was [illegible]

In regards to Surjit Bains who had been hired as a teacher at Tofield, Mr. Pike advised that Mr. Bains apparently had some difficulty in leaving Pakistan but that he was expected in four to five weeks time and that in the meantime Mrs. Jean Sears was acting as substitute

Moved and carried that the report be accepted

In regards to the Viking School project, Mr. Pike reported that the sketch plan had been approved with some minor changes and that the approval now was for 14,030 square feet He also referred to the Committee the initial account from the architect, B. J Colvig, in the amount of $2,907.45.

Moved and carried that the account be paid

In regards to the Viking School and 6th Avenue north of the present school site, the Committee was informed that inasmuch as a nursing home was being built in the block north of 7th Avenue it was imperative that this avenue be opened. This was apparently one of the stipulations if the nursing home was to be constructed. It appeared then that the request from School Committee to have 6th Avenue closed and the playground area extended into the block north of 6th Avenue might be acceded to. The block north of 6th Avenue might be in whole or part available to the County for extension of the school grounds. One of the stipulations would be that the extra school ground be fenced with a chain link fence.

Moved and carried that Cr. Roddick and Mr. Allen be appointed to deal with this situation.

In regards to the paving of the bus loading area at Viking, the Committee was informed that the street on the west side of the school was being paved and that the bus loading area would be paved as well.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the new teacherage being built in Holden, Mr. Pike reported that the building was completed and that the occupants were moving in today He suggested that the Committee members from the Holden area should inspect the building.

Move dand carried that the report be accepted

**Bursary Applications**

In regards to bursary applications, Mr. Pike mentioned that the original authorization was for 12 bursary students [illegible] of which [illegible] could be from outside the County Sufficient applications had not been received this year, and he inquired if he could take a [illegible] application from outside the County Mr Pike stated that the following applications had been [illegible] during the last few days Michael Ronaghan [illegible] year), Robert Lyalo, Claude MacArthur If another bursary could be given to a student outside the County boundaries, Marvin Westrom of Ponoka would like to obtain a bursary

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and that a second student from outside the County be accepted under the bursary scheme.

In connection with the schools, the Superintendent reported the following number of teachers: Tofield 39, Ryley 22, Holden 26, Bruce 7, Viking 20, Kinsella 3. Total 116.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. Alma Enger be appointed Principal of the Kinsella school as from September 1, 1965.

**Drama Workshop**

Mr Pike [illegible] that a Drama Workshop would be held on Nov. 8th, with some 60 Drama teachers in attendance, and he inquired if it would be in order to have this workshop in the Tofield School

Moved and carried the Tofield school be made available for the Drama Workshop on Nov. 8th.

# Japan's prosperity is ours, too

Japan, plagued by an excessive boom that for the present has outrun money and markets, is shifting its export drive in Canada to capital goods. It is aiming to win a small slice of the $3,000 million a year Canadians spend on imported machines and equipment, mainly from the U.S. If quality, price and service on Japanese equipment is comparable with other imported products, buying from Japan will help keep costs here competitive and provide scarce dollars for still more Japanese purchases from us. Buying big earth-moving machines or hydro-electric turbines in Japan is bound to cause some anguish among domestic and other foreign producers doing business in Canada. On the other hand, Canada has been trying to increase the range of its exports and to broaden markets for its own goods to make Canadian prosperity less dependent on any one market. Japan's $330 million-a-year [illegible] here make it the third largest foreign buyer of Canadian products—hence a market to be nurtured. With prices here on the rise, and export markets becoming harder to crack, buying more from Japan to help keep it a prime customer makes good economic sense.

# Mrs. George Druce passes September 13th

Funeral services were held Monday, Sept. 13th, from Holy Trinity Anglican Church for the late Mrs. Charlotte Mabel Druce, Rev. Hammett officiating. Interment was made in the Tofield Cemetery.

Mrs. Druce was born at Dover, Kent, England and came to Edmonton in 1911 where she was married to John Druce who predeceased her in 1961. In 1915 she moved with her family to the Tofield area where she resided until her death

She leaves to mourn her passing: one son George, two daughters, Mary (Mrs. G E. Schmidt) and Dorothy (Mrs. I Broen), and two grandsons, all of Tofield; and two sisters, living in England.

Two favorite hymns were sung, "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" and "Breathe on Me Breath of God", after which Rev. Hammett spoke of the good life she had lived in her community, but that her thoughts had often been with her "green and pleasant land of England".

Floral tributes were received from The Family; Spilstead Ladies' Society Flowers were donated to the Tofield Hospital by Mrs R Berrecloth.

MEMORIALS

To the Anglican Church — Stanley and Keitha Brown; Mr and Mrs. Harold Sutton and Brian; Miles Barrow; Mrs. Virginia Sutton; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Everitt; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Warner; Mrs. Polly Spilsted.

To Spilstead Building Fund — Mr. and Mrs E Paulson; Lawrence, Geneva and Glen Mitchell; Ernest and Bertha Belcourt and family; Lorne Sware; Mrs. Broen and Ben; Bruce, Hazel and Ron Ray.

To Cancer Fund— Mr. Torger Haugen and family; Herb Sware and family.

To Crippled Children's Fund — Woodstead Mutual Telephone Co.

To Tofield Hospital—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Broen and family

To Heart Fund— Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoflin, Elvin and Eldon; Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Eledal and family; George and Cora Weslake.

To "Rock of Ages", CFCW — Mrs. T. Winder and family.

**Card of Thanks**

To our kind friends and neighbours who gave us their help and words of sympathy at the passing of our Mom, sincere thanks. A special thanks to pallbearers: Trueman and Ern Fairbrother, Herb Sware, Ernest Belcourt Oscar Broen and Frank Dunham. Also to Rev. Hammett for his help.

—George Druce, Mary and Dorothy. [illegible]

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## Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

Arnold Schneider, who spent the last three months visiting with his son Graham, and wife and family, is now residing in Winterburn for a while, where he is attending to the business of a friend

Peter and Lill Stadnik were Friday evening visitors at the home of Ralph & Alice Cossey.

Winnie McLachlan visited with Alexandrea Stadnik, Friday afternoon.

## Students' Union elects officers

[illegible]

BAY LAKES, Sept. 25—Elections for the High Schol Students Union were held last Wednesday with officers as follows Shirley Lenz, president; Merril Stavne, vice president, Sharon Stavne, secretary, and Reg Galenza, [illegible]

Plans are now being made for the 1964-65 graduation to be held in October and an active year is anticipated.


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# Kuzyk to carry Liberal banner for Vegreville

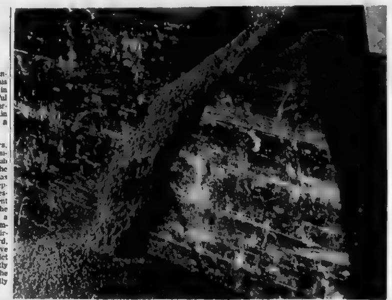
Dr. Nicholas J. Kuzyk, a 46-year-old Vegreville surgeon, was nominated at the Vegreville Federal Liberal Asociaation convention held October 2, as the Liberal Party candidate in the forthcoming federal election.

Dr. Kuzyk is a native of Vegreville and comes into politics with a farming background. He obtained his high school education at Vegreville and Camrose, and received his Bachelor of Arts degree at the University of Alberta. He then studied medicine at Queen's University and obtained his M.D. Degree, as well as his Master's Degree in Surgery at the said university.

During the Second World War, Dr. Kuzyk served as a civilian medical supervisor for the Canadian Army. He established his medical practice at Vegreville in 1945, and is today a successful physician and surgeon. He is married to the former Jean Austin of Ranfurly, Alberta, and is a family man.

Active in community affairs, Dr. Kuzyk has served as president of the local Kinsmen Club and as Past Exalted Ruler of the Vegreville Elks Lodge He has also served as Past District Deputy of the Elks Lodge and presently is the second vice-president for the province of Alberta of the Elks Association He is also a member of the Vegreville Chamber of Commerce and is Chairman of the local School Board, and has served on the executive of the Vegreville and District Medical Society. He is presently a member of the executive of the Vegreville School for mentally handicapped children.

Addressing the convention following his nomination, Dr. Kuzyk stated that if elected he would endeavor to represent fairly all the people of the Vegreville Constituency regardless of political affiliation, and emphasized the need for a strong majority government at Ottawa The Honorable Harry Hays, Minister of Agriculture, who addressed the convention, pointed out that he was the only Member of Parliament in the government representing the Western Canadian farmer, and stressed the urgent need for members from the West on the government side of the House.



**Sunshine and harvest** The rains stopped; the sun shone; and grain was pouring on every farm in the district. Yields are down somewhat from what they would have been had there been less wind and rain. Some farmers are finding the straw heavy and the yield less than should be expected.

# Harvest going again

Harvesting in the Tofield area got under way again last week, and combining is general this week as weather has been clear and warm. There have been some strong winds in some areas, but usually the breezes are warm and dry.

There has been no report from the Tofield Wheat Pool area for the past couple of weeks, but H. B. Berke at Ryley reports 90 per cent of the wheat, oats and barley had been cut by last Friday. All of the rye and rapeseed are down.

As of last Friday 10 per cent of the wheat and oats had been threshed, and five per cent of the barley. About half of the rye and rapeseed are "in the bin".

None of the grain in the Ryley area has been abandoned due to hail or drougth or flooding.

Wheat is expected to yield about 25 bushels per acre, oats 50 and barley 30. Fall rye and rapeseed should yield about 25 bushels to the acre.

# Dial phones used a year

Over a year has passed since dial telephones came into use in Tofield and district. People have become quite accustomed to the new system, but it would be nice if we could hear the time signal and have a special number for the fire alarm.

# C. J. Kallal passes today

A well known old timer of the Tofield district passed away quietly in the Tofield Hospital early this morning. A patient of the hospital for the past four months, Mr. Kallal, 81, is survived by his loving wife Frances, six sons and three daughters.

Mr Kallal had been a resident of the district since 1910, coming from Illinois, and was known throughout the country for his fine Hereford cattle which won him fame and many prizes at the Toronto Royal.

Prayer services will be held at 8:00 p.m. Friday, and funeral services will be held at the St. Francis Roman Catholic Church, Tofield, on Saturday, Oct. 9th.

# SS awards presented

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

MINISTIK — Children of the Sunday School took charge of the service on Sunday at the United Church. Perfect attendance winners were Donna and Brian Leach and Anne and Linda Paterson. The five Sunday School teachers are to be commended for thier faithful service each Sunday. These are Mrs. Andrew [illegible], Mrs. Ralph Leach, Mrs. Pat Paterson, Miss Barbara Lochtie and Miss Anne Paterson.

As in past years, three hymnaries were presented to the church.

Best attendance awards were presented and other books were presented to all other children who attended Sunday School. There will be no Sunday School through the winter months.

## Duguid resigns

The Lions Club received a resignation last week, from President Dave Duguid, who asked to be transferred to the Vegreville Lions Club as he now makes his residence there.

Lion Henry Paege took over the president's office, moving up from vice-president, and a board meeting was called directly after the supper meeting to fill the vacant chair.

Lion Gerald Skeels also asked to be transferred back to the Rimbey club, after which volunteers were asked for the loading and unloading of beds at the blood donors' clinic

A report on the friendship club found the club nearly organized to begin this week.

Lion Skeels also reported for the nickname committee, with a name for Allen Warner, which he protested, as "Pokahontus" was a female The club took a vote and gave Warner the name of "Hiawatha".

The Centennial project again provided lengthy discussion, leading to more research before anything definite can be decided regarding purchasing a time clock for the museum lights.

All Lions present were happy to see two new members sign the register.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Learn to limit yourself, to content yourself with some definite thing and some definite work; dare to be what you are, and learn to resign with good grace all that you are not, and to believe in your own individuality. (Anon.) —J.W.R.

## Cave-in claims Tofield man

Tragedy struck the town of Tofield Wednesday forenoon, when a cave-in occurred on a water and sewer ditch project, trapping Norman Gunther with falling dirt. He was one of a crew working at the ditch on 7th Avenue east in the town. Other workers witnessed the accident, and Mr. Gunther was taken immediately to Tofield Hospital, but was pronounced dead on arrival.

A middle-aged man, Mr. Gunther was married with children, the family residing in Tofield.

# County council meets September 16th

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of the County of Beaver No. 9, held Thursday, Sept. 16th:

**Flood Control Scheme**

Allan Strome, Inspecting Engineer of the Department of Water Resources, attended the meeting in regards to the Kropielnicki - Beaverhill Lake Flood Control Scheme. Mr Strome had only preliminary plans and cost figures, which would indicate an approximate cost of $27,000.

After some discussion it was moved and carried that the report as submitted by Mr. Strome be accepted, together with the estimated cost, and that the farmers affected by this flood control scheme be advised of the situation as to cost, etc.

**Business Arising from Minutes**

In regards to the Dmetro Mysik claim for compensation for cows killed, the secretary-treasurer reported that this had been referred to the Jubilee Insurance Agencies and that a letter dated Sept. 10 had been forwarded to Mr Mysik from Peckover & Halwa, Investigators and Adjusters Ltd., requesting that, if Mr Mysik should be in the City in the near future, he get in contact with Mr. Halwa.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the P F A. application for assistance, the secretary-treasurer stated he had submitted the application according to the motion at a plus-30 bushels per acre in all townships. He suggested that, in view of the very inclement harvest weather, close watch should be kept on possible heavy deterioration in the crop situation so that if necessary amended application could be submitted.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to Rural Road Inventory, the secretary - treasurer referred to the Council an invitation from Underwood McLennan & Associates Ltd. to attend a road seminar on Sept. 17, at the Mayfair Hotel. This would be the day following today's meeting. The program appeared to be of great value but, as it was re-

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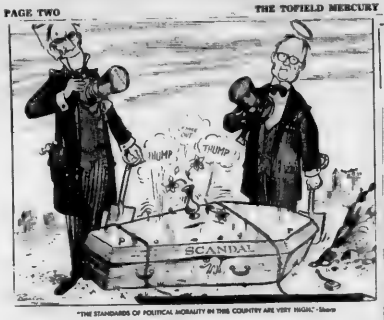


"THE STANDARDS OF POLITICAL MORALITY IN THIS COUNTRY ARE VERY HIGH." - Sharp

## Time for thanks

It took the world-knowledge of Chester Ronning recently to point up the sharp contrast between this continent and much of the rest of it. While most of the crowd at a recent dinner was merry or lost oblivious of some fifty or so dishes provided for guests who did not arrive, Mr. Ronning was distressed as he thought of the waste, and recalled starving millions in other lands he knew.

It's a simple little illustration, really, showing how personal experience colors our feelings and our reactions. But it shows, too, how trivial in comparison are the things we so often dwell on in our daily lives, while we have troubles in Canada, yes, but not the vicious situations in other parts of the world. We have unemployment and uncertainty and unrest, but hardly the hardship to be found in many countries. Even though the outlook is for something less than the bumper crop predicted, our farmers and for that matter the rest of us still look well off compared with many parts of the world.

Materially, we enjoy many bounties. We should not forget that spiritually, too, we are endowed with many, many blessings, most notable of which are our freedoms to worship, to assemble, to speak, to think for ourselves and to act. For all the little problems we think we encounter, we still have so much for which to pause this weekend, and pausing, give thanks — take for granted the continuing and the really important features.

We have so much for which we should give thanks, even in the midst of so many distractions as elections, strikes, automation, Fire Prevention Week, highway building, commencements, graduations, wet fall and many others.

Certainly the part of the world we live in is far from perfect, yet how many of the world's teeming millions would consider this as heaven? We

## By George!

I noticed a week or so ago that a mammoth bingo game is to be played (or was played) in three Alberta centres simultaneously. Red Deer, Drumheller and Edmonton, I believe, were the communities involved.

Bingo is getting to be big business in some areas, isn't it?

No doubt a lot of people will be (or were) involved in such a game, but they'll have to go some to beat a bingo game that took place in Toronto all under one roof shortly after the Second World War. Rated as Canada's biggest bingo game, it was held in Maple Leaf Gardens and drew 13,000 patrons.

The proceeds of this huge game went to charity.

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Universities in this province, all over Canada and, I suppose, all over the world, are suffering from overcrowding as more and more people strive for a higher education in order to carve their niche in modern society or simply to make a living.

All this education and all the facilities for same almost make it hard to believe that Canada saw its first woman graduate from university with a degree just 60 years ago. She was Grace Anne Lockhart who was granted the degree of bachelor of science by Mount Allison University at Sackville, New Brunswick.

Incidentally, this would have been a first in the Commonwealth, except that a woman who masqueraded as a man graduated in medicine from the University of Edinburgh in 1812, as Dr. James Barry.

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And on the subject of university education, in case you happen to think higher education is not expensive (and I really don't believe any parent believes it isn't) the estimated revenues of Canadian universities and colleges in the 1963-64 academic year totalled $294 million. Of this provincial governments provided $117 million, the federal government $69 million, fees $75 million and other sources $41 million.

I wonder if my three girls would consider being sewer diggers. Or does that require a university degree, too? Oh, well they can always be newspaper types!

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How many times have you noticed news items about gatherings of people, when guests are referred to as "friends and neighbors"

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# The Ryley Times

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Ol' rockin' chair's empty

There's no more sitting out on the lawn in the sun these days, as autumn's chill breezes whip the leaves off the trees. Above, the leaves form a carpet over the lawn, leaving trees gray lawn chair in stark contrast to the changed mood of the season.

## Ryley couple leaves district

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — On the evening of [illegible] members of the Thule community held a farewell gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] to honor Mr. and Mrs. Dickson, who are leaving the district. Mr. Dickson [illegible] for the Alberta Government Telephones and has been transferred to the Vermilion area.

During the evening, Mr. [illegible] on behalf of the community presented Mr. and Mrs. Dickson with a [illegible] gift. Lunch was served by the ladies and [illegible] was extended to the [illegible].


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## Holden and district news items

Mrs. O. M. Taylor

Mrs. [illegible] was a visitor to Edmonton Wednesday and Thursday of last week having [illegible] treatment. [illegible] of her eyes. [illegible] Mrs. Ed Nay [illegible] and Mrs. [illegible] Andrews - McLaughlin Funeral Chapel. Phone 662-2274 or 662-2546, Tofield. [illegible]

Miss Marion Mitchell of Edmonton visited with her father [illegible] and also called [illegible] and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Baldwin and [illegible] Lake to Edmonton [illegible] September 30th where [illegible] has accepted at the U. of A. at Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy, Mrs. Alfred Severson and Mrs. Helen Tiedmann motored to Edmonton Friday evening and attended the "White Heather" [illegible] in the Jubilee Auditorium. This report a wonderful evening and a capacity audience [illegible] of the [illegible].

Lawrence Rabuth spent last week in Calgary on relief agent at the Nu-Way Imperial station.

The [illegible] dances have resumed and the leadership of T. Barron, the first one being held on Friday evening at the [illegible] with very good attendance. These [illegible] studies will be held every Friday evening at 8:30 p.m. in the manse and all persons interested are welcome to attend.

Miss Mabel Suer who spent several days visiting with her [illegible] this story was a surprise [illegible] and dinner guest [illegible] Mrs. S. E. Campbell. Mr. [illegible] who have been visiting with the son Cecil [illegible] for the past three weeks and hospital with the flu, were left on Tuesday for their home at Abbotsford, B.C.

## Ryley news

(M. K. Westmancoat)

The members of the Ryley Hobbera Lewis will be holding their fall bazaar and tea on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 16th in the Legion Hall.


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I wish to thank all my supporters who turned out to the Progressive Conservative Nomination Convention in Vegreville last Saturday night, Oct. 2, and those who assisted in any way to assure my nomination as Progressive Conservative candidate in the forthcoming election. The confidence you have expressed in me gives me a great measure of satisfaction in my work as your member of parliament, and I assure you that I will continue to provide the same dedicated service if you again elect me to be your member of parliament on Nov 8th. Again, I thank you all.
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### NOTICES

TOFIELD KINDERGARTEN will commence on Wednesday Oct 20th For further information, parents of pre-school children are asked to contact Mrs. Dorothy Clark at 662-3447 6-tfnc

### ANNOUNCEMENT

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OF TOFIELD

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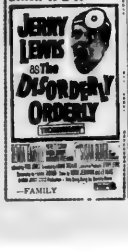


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## NOTICE OF POLL

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS
— 1965 —
Village Of Ryley

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that Polling will take place for the Election of

COUNCILLOR

on

Wednesday, the 13th day of October, 1965

from 10 o'clock in the forenoon until 7 o'clock in the afternoon at the following place—

VILLAGE OFFICE

And that I will at Ryley on WEDNESDAY, the 13th DAY OF OCTOBER, 1965 at 8 o'clock in the evening sum up the votes and declare the result of the Election.

Given under my hand at Ryley, this 29th day of September, 1965.

—RALPH CROSS, Returning Officer. (5-6)

## THS hi-lites

The magazine sales campaign has drawn to a close, bringing sufficient funds to operate the Students' Union this year, even though the students did not reach their goal. Once more the Students' Union would like to thank the public for their support during the campaign.

On October 5th the students


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"I do hope you can catch up with the guy who did this to me", she cries. "I won't able to see who it was . . . It all happened so suddenly and quickly! I came home from the club where I'm currently dancing . . . we had a rehearsal with the band this afternoon. I had just stepped into the apartment here, when I was hit over the head. This knocked me half unconscious, and all I could see was a masked man coming at me. Then there were more blows on me . . . and kicks . . . and I passed out. I don't know exactly how long I was unconscious . . . but just as soon as I came to, I phoned you".

"You have no idea at all who could have done this?" you ask.

"No . . . I don't have any enemies that I know of . . . I try to keep on good terms with everybody. Of course, there's my boy friend, Eddy Sanderson. He and I had a pretty bad quarrel last night . . . he's a very jealous guy and didn't like the way I was laughing and talking it up with some other fellow at the club. We had a real hot argument—but I'm sure he wouldn't do a thing like this to me, even though I told him last night that we were finished that I didn't ever want to see or talk wit him again. In fact, Gloria continues, glancing at her phone, "I even went so far as to have my phone number changed to an unlisted one this evening . . . just to make sure he wouldn't be annoying me with any more phone calls".

"Have you checked to see whether any money or jewels or anything else is missing from your apartment?" you ask.

"Oh, yes . . . and not a thing, as far as I was able to tell, is missing". The girl pauses a minute, then goes on. "I wonder if this could have been one of Mike Flanigan's manic men. Mike, you know," operates that little gambling place just outside of town, and I do happen to owe him a few dollars. I promised to pay him back a few days ago, but wasn't able to. This may have been his way of warning me to . . . ."

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The deceased leaves to mourn his loss, his wife Nellie; two sons Bill of Edmonton and the Rev. L. Mumford of Inuvik; three grand-children—Mrs. Sherry Mrs. Susie Moss, Mrs. J. H. Muir, Miss Mamie Mumford and Mrs. Wilson all of Edmonton. Mrs. Robert Emond of Leduc, and Mrs. Gladys Harris of Wetaskiwin; one brother Ralph, of Caliston.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, Oct. 5th at the Foster of McCreary Funeral Chapel with Rev. A. W. Wilson officiating. Interment was made in the Evergreen Memorial Gardens, Edmonton.


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held their first "Tetal meeting, when it was decided to send a donation toward the prevention of disease in under-privileged countries. It was also decided to have a movie month three to five on the first Tuesday of every month.

Arrangements are being made for the formation of a newspaper, an art and a camera club within the school. These clubs present a variety of activities to interest all of the students.


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Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Taylor received word at the weekend that a family friend and an old time pioneer resident of Holden, Mr. Clarence A. Mumford of Edmonton passed away very suddenly after a short illness on Friday, Oct. 1st. The Mumford family were among the first residents of Holden, building the house now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Nichols. Clarence received his education at the Holden School and started his business career at the Royal Bank, Holden, going on to Edmonton, then to Calgary and later being transferred to the Main Branch of the Royal Bank, Edmonton, where he stayed until his retirement two or three years ago.

He served in the Canadian Army in Europe and Italy during World War II.

The deceased leaves to mourn his ... his wife Nellie; two sons, Bill of Edmonton and the Rev. E. Mumford of Inuvik; three grandchildren; six sisters, Mrs. Susie Mohs, Mrs. J. H. Muir, Miss Mamie Mumford and Mrs. Wilson all of Edmonton, Mrs. Robert Emond of Leduc, and Mrs. Gladys Harris of Wetaskiwin; one brother Ralph, in California.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, Oct. 5th at the Foster and McGarvey Funeral Chapel with the Rev. A. W. Wilcox officiating. Interment was made in the Evergreen Memorial Gardens, Edmonton.

# Sale of 'paperbacks' aids public library

Graham Allan, manager of the Red & White store, has kindly offered the use of a shelf in his store for the sale of new or used books. Any type of reading will be accepted. These will be sold for 20 cents a copy, proceeds to go to the Tofield Public Library, towards the purchase of Encyclopedia Britannica.

**NEW ADDITIONS TO LIBRARY**

"Upfold Witch" (English mystery) by Jos. Bell.

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# THS hi-lites ...

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held their first official meeting when it was decided to send a donation toward the prevention of disease in under-privileged countries. It was also decided to have a once-a-month dress-up day on the first Tuesday of every month.

Arrangements are being made for the formation of a newspaper, an art and a camera club within the school. These clubs present a variety of activities to interest almost all of the students.


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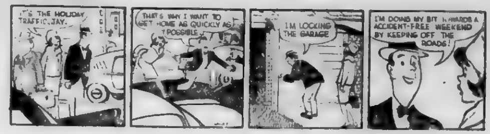


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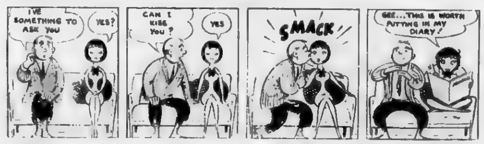


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*MacDuff Ottawa report*

# ... Winning tactics

OTTAWA—It has almost seemed at times that Lester B. Pearson and John Diefenbaker were running in completely different election.

There was Mr Diefenbaker on the hustings, flinging verbal thunderbolts at Liberal scandals, and promising new deals for universities, homeowners and users of consumer credit.

There was Mr Pearson, staying virtually silent in Ottawa, saying nothing about the scandals answering few of the taunts, and unveiling few of his party's promises.

On the one hand Mr Diefenbaker was outlining a platform to catch the eye of the city dweller. And on the other, Mr. Pearson and his cabinet were sweating over a program to win the loyalties of the farmer.

The two major party leaders weren't really competing in different contests but were showing their different estimates of winning tactics for the respective parties.

**DIFFERENT OBJECTIVES**

The problem for the Liberals in this election is to hold what they have in Quebec and in Canada's cities — and to move into Tory territory by winning seats in rural Ontario and the Prairies.

The Liberals also face the need to keep the campaign centred on the need for majority government and to their contention that only the Liberal party can provide it. They are determined to keep attention on the brighter side of their record—economic prosperity, the Canada Pension Plan, armed forces integration and the war on poverty.

John Diefenbaker is just as determined to keep the attention of the public on the darker side of the Government's record — the Rivard affair, Hal Banks, questionable immigration cases and the threat of inflation.

**LEND NEW STRENGTH**

One problem for the Conservatives is to convince the public that they are capable of forming a majority government. This was partly met by the rallying of former rebels around Mr Diefenbaker and by the fact that Conservative Premiers like John Robarts, Duff Roblin and Robert Stanfield have thrown their political machines into the fray.

The list of Conservative candidates includes no fewer than 18 former Cabinet Ministers, a fact that may set at rest doubts that Mr. Diefenbaker could put together a cabinet capable of governing Canada.

But the Conservative leader remains weak in cabinet timber from Quebec. And to win he must have more of the seats in Canada's cities.

**NOT CITY MAN**

The disillusionment of city folk with the Diefenbaker Government was one of the most striking things in the last federal election.

Although the typical Canadian is now a city dweller, only 105 of the 265 seats in the House of Commons are dominated by urban voters.

Of these, in 1963, the Liberals won 72 and the Conservatives got only 20.

It was the opposite story in rural ridings — and this is what saved the Diefenbaker forces from utter rout. Of the 119 seats dominated by rural voters, the Conservatives won 64 and the Liberals were only able to win 37.

The mixed urban-rural ridings elected 22 Grits and 10 Tories.

To change this situation is the aim of both Liberal and Conservative parties but they'd like to change it in different ways.

**CHANGE IMAGE**

The Liberals now acknowledge their 1963 farm program was a flop and was rejected by the farm electorate. This is why—they say — such planks as $2 wheat and a school milk program haven't been enacted. The new Liberal farm plan, they hope, will prove more vote-worthy.

But the Tories, determined to be more than a rural party—which promises little future when cities gain at the expense of rural areas in the pending redistribution—are trying hard to fashion an urban appeal.

The man behind the effort is Alvin Hamilton who invented "Northern Vision" when he was Northern Affairs Minister and who got a stranglehold on the farm vote when he was Minister of Agriculture.

**WINNING BAIT**

The Conservatives held both the North and the farms in the last election. And now Mr. Hamilton is moving in on the cities with a program which includes low-interest loans to consumers—to get them out of the clutches of loan sharks—and a federal income tax deduction on acount of the payment of municipal taxes.

These—and other ideas—have been used as campaign planks by Mr Diefenbaker, and only the election day will tell the results.

But anti-Diefenbaker feeling in the cities has subsided, all parties agree. It's no longer poison to be the Conservative candidate in Toronto or Montreal. And in Toronto especially, the Tories have high hopes of winning a handful of seats.

Whether such wins will be more than offset by Conservative losses in the country depends on whether the canny farm folk can picture Mike Pearson as the farmer's friend this time.

# Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. Can I borrow that book off of you for a few minutes?
2. She is the loveliest girl that I ever knew.
3. We are very pleased to learn that she got out of that experience so easy.
4. Mr Lee is nowhere to be found; could I assist you in locating him?
5. After I bought a new pair of shoes, I threw the old ones in the wastebasket.
6. He might of done like I did in this case.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Machination.
8. Rivulet.
9. Satirical.
0. Par excellence.
11. Debussy (French composer).
12. Nicety.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

12. Condenser, concurrence, condescension, consolidater, coadjutor, meritorious, mellowness, melodrama, menagerie, millennium, plagarism, plaintiff, plausible, platitude, pleurisy, despondent, dependent, deferrment, condiment, pertinent, septennial, servicable, severance, surreptitious, sarcophagus, benificial, benignancy, beiligerence, bellicose, beatitude.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "MAY I borrow that book FROM you for a few minutes?" 2. Say, "that I HAVE ever KNOWN". 3. Say, "We are very MUCH pleased that she EMERGED FROM that experience so EASILY". 4. Say, "Mr. Lee is NOWHERE to be found. MAY I assist you in FINDING him?" 5. Say, "After I bought a pair of NEW SHOES, I threw the old ones INTO the wastebasket" 6. Say, "He might

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# College planning annual 'Homecoming' next week

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On Friday evening, the present College students will present a "Lit" highlighted by the crowning of the Homecoming Queen.

Varied activities planned for Saturday include a choral union rehearsal, annual business meeting, pre-game warm-up followed by a football game between the College Vikings and High School Trojans, food and fellowship at the smorgasbord in the evening, an alumni lit and class get-togethers.

Many out-of-town alumni are expected as the classes of 1915, 1940, 1960 and 1965 are honored.

Rev. Raymond O. Olson, graduate of 1964, will be featured as guest speaker at the Sunday morning worship service and afternoon rally, under the theme, "Build Temples Eternal".

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## Better English

By D. C. Williams

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HAVE done AS I did in this case"

7. Pronounce mack-i-nay-shun, accent third syllable. 8. Pronounce second syllable as "view", not as "vull". 9. Pronounce sa-teer-i-kal, accent second syllable. 10. Pronounce par-eck-soh-lawns, accent on second syllable. 11. Pronounce deb-boo-see, accent third syllable. 12. Pronounce night-see-ti, in THREE syllables; not nice-ti".
12. Consolidator, melodrama, plagiarism, deferment, serviceable, beneficial.


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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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Sunday, Oct. 10th

HOLDEN—
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11:00 a.m. Sunday School
RYLEY -
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Oct. 10th
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Rev. Lloyd Raine to show slides on India.
Tuesday, 8.00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Oct. 10th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "Realism and Thanksgiving"
"To whom much has been given, much shall be expected"

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## Bardo and district

Mrs. C. M. Rude

BARDO, Oct. 2—Pastor G. Ostrem of Camrose will serve the Kingman Parish until the new pastor arrives in the New Year.

Several ladies from this district motored to Camrose Sunday afternoon where they attended the trousseau tea for Betty-Ann Carr at the home of her mother, Mrs. Van Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson returned home on Sunday from a trip which took them to Kelowna, B.C., where they visited at the Pete Stien home and to Vernon, B.C., where their son, Jim and family, have settled. They also visited Stan and Bertha Ramstad in Calgary.

Mrs. Clarence Rude spent two days with her son-in-law and daughter, Carl and Alma Marie Nelson in Edmonton. They returned home Friday evening when the Lars Rude family and Clarence Rude motored to the city for supper. Mrs. Alma Marie Entertained in honor of her husband's birthday.

**G. FRANCIS PASSES**

Many from this district attended the funeral of George Francis in Tofield on Saturday afternoon. Deepest sympathy of the district is extended to Mrs. Francis in the loss of her husband and Glenn, Pauline and Sharon in the loss of their father.

Visitors at the Leif Foshaug home on Saturday to help Robert celebrate his birthday were Grandma Foshaug, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stauffer and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mosby and Berry, Miss Jean Baptist from Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Foshaug and Ronny and Walter Johnson Mr. and Mrs. Axel Kindley were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Foshaug home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Finseth and children visited Mrs. Finseth's father, Eric Johnson at the Bethany Home, Camrose, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Anderson entertained in honor of Sandra's 11th birthday on Sunday afternoon when guests were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Korobko and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mosby and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ingold Brekkan and Donny.

Mrs. Inga Ness returned home on Monday after spending two weeks at the homes of her daughters, Betsy Scott, Muriel Irving and Sylvia Evans in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rude's dinner guests on Sunday were Mrs. George Francis and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. John Francis, Josephine, Garry and Earl, Mr and Mrs. Glenn Francis and family and Miss Adrian Kirby.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Severson visited Lester's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sorenson and family at Viking on Sunday.

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## Holden news items

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow spent last week in the Viking district on the farm, helping their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas, with the harvest. They were home Sunday morning, then returned to their daughter's home to stay until harvesting is completed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Giebelhaus were visitors with their son Earl and wife Penny at Rimbey, the weekend of Sept. 26th. Mrs. Giebelhaus also accompanied her husband on his sales-round during the week, and on Friday morning they were callers with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell at Leduc, returning home Friday afternoon.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Don Coutu, who was a patient in an Edmonton hospital for several days, returned home a week ago and is feeling much improved in health.

Mrs. Lars Olson entertained several ladies at a coffee party Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Jones of Edmonton was visiting with her mother on Saturday and Sunday, after spending the past three weeks on holiday in B.C. Mrs. Olson entertained several friends at a coffee party Saturday afternoon for her daughter.

Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and Mrs. G. H. Taylor were business callers in Tofield, Tuesday afternoon of last week.

**MUICAL TALENT**

Mrs. N. L. Campbell heard from her daughter Marjorie, Mrs. Ken Campbell of Leduc, that their son Jimmie had passed his exams for Clarinet in grades 5 and 7 with honors and had received two medals and bursaries. He also received a bursary for his fees to attend a course at a music workshop next year, and a prize of music books. He has been accepted as a member, for the second year, of the Edmonton Youth Symphony Orchestra and attends practices every Saturday. He and several of his school chums have formed an orchestra and play for dances and at other events around Leduc and district.

**AWARDS RECEIVED**

Mr. and Mrs. John Karcha attended the recent graduation at Andrew school as guests of Miss Julia Megley, who was one of 28 graduands. Twenty-one of the students won awards. Many friends around here will remember that Julia was the "best actress" in the drama festival held recently at Vegreville, where she went to assist some of the girls. At the conclusion of the festival, she was very surprised to hear that she had been nominated as best actress, winning the trophy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and sons Robert and David were Sunday visitors and dinner guests with Mr and Mrs. Cliff Foran.

**Mr. and Mrs. Charles Magneson (nee Elaine Keith) of Ryley have been receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter September 25th, at Tofield Hospital.**

Mr and Mrs. T. A. Liden were coffee guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell Sunday morning after church service.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kaltiany and family motored to Calmar Saturday afternoon and attended the wedding dance of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith McGregor who have been living in New Brunswick, were recent weekend visitors with Keith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don MacGregor, and will make their future home in Edmonton, in the Sherwood Park district.

**A course in Radiation Monitoring was held Sept. 27, 28 and 29 in the Legion Hall at Holden. Rex Boyles, County of Beaver #9 Unit Radiological Officer of E.M.O., was the instructor. The course was attended by a number of residents from Ryley and Holden.**

Stewart McGregor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don McGregor, is enrolled at Alberta College, Edmonton, where he is completing his high school course.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Motkuski of Kelowna, B.C., have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Motkuski and other relatives around the district.

**TWIN DAUGHTERS**

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kostyshen (nee Marjorie Umrysh) of Edmonton, have been receiving congratulations on the birth of twin daughters on September 22 at the Misericordia Hospital. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mike Umrysh.

Mrs. Roy Nichols received word last week from her son, Ralph Gorrie of La La Biche, that his wife had been taken to an Edmonton hospital for surgery, but reports a day or two ago say Emily is making good recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Gorrie were former Holden and Tofield residents before leaving for Lac La Biche where he is superintendent of schools.

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

Between fifty and sixty ladies of Holden and district met Friday evening in the parlor of the Holden Lutheran Church, in honor of Miss Carol Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Olson, whose marriage to Leo Ruraka will take place at the Lutheran Church on Saturday, Oct. 23rd. Many beautiful and useful gifts were presented to the bride-to-be, for which she graciously thanked all present. Miss Olson has been on the teaching staff of Ryley school for the past year and a half, and Leo is the physical instructor.

Geo. H. Taylor was a business caller in the County office at Ryley, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ella Bryan of Winnipeg, arrived Wednesday evening, to visit for a week or two with her sister, Mrs. Lars Ritland and Mr. Ritland.

## Boys' Food Club re-organizes

The Ryley "Cooksters" held their organization meeting on September 27th at 8:00 p.m. at the Home Economics room with 14 boys present.

Election of officers took place as follows: Rodney Kolodychuk president; Glen Magneson, vice president; Sever Maaren, secretary; James Paniec, treasurer; Douglas Maaren, club delegate; Wade Magneson, club reporter; Mrs. Wm. Maaren, leader; Mrs. W. Magneson, assistant leader.

Meetings are to be held the first Monday of each month. Others present at the organization meeting were Mrs. R. Anhebo, Mrs. J. Pepper, Miss Pike and Mr. Paul Voegtlin.


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# Bardo district news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Oct. 5.—The Lawrence Anderson family from Edmonton were dinner guests with the Olaf Anderson's on Sunday. In the evening, Olaf and Nora visited Arnold and Mabel Johnson.

Glenn and Iris Francis entertained at dinner on Sunday, when guests were Mrs. George Francis and Sharon. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis and Earl. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rude and family and Mr. and Mrs. Skinner from Ontario. Mr. Skinner is a brother of the Francis sisters.

The Bardo W.C.T.U. meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Alma Fushaug in Tofield on Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 13th, at 2:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rude and Merlin and Miss Joanne Lauber were Sunday dinner guests at the Raymond Brooks home in Wetaskiwin, when Ricky's 6th birthday was celebrated.

Sunday dinner guests at the Olaf Skakhas home were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rude and boys from Leduc. Mr. and Mrs. Nick Rusaka and boys from Edmonton and Olaf Haugen. Mrs. Harold Schultz was an afternoon visitor.

Bjarne and Thelma Erickson and children from Edson and Linda Erickson of Edmonton spent the weekend with their relatives here. Eystein Meiberg was a Sunday dinner guest at the Erickson home.

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alised the Council meeting could not take care of all the business today, it was decided to reconvene the meeting on Sept. 17.

Hence, it was moved and carried that the information and invitation from Underwood McLennan & Associates Ltd be received and filed and there will be no attendance from the Council.

**Nisgae Lake**

In regards to Nisgae Lake, the secretary-treasurer reported that he, together with the Reeve, had met H. H. Summerville and Mr. Dutton from the Dept. of Mines and Minerals, one representative from the Fish and Wildlife Branch of the Dept. of Lands and Forests, and D. F. Irving, on Friday, Sept. 3. The Mines Branch wanted some filling done on the west side of Strip Lake where the water was eating away the bank endangering the road; also some work on the south shore of Strip Lake. Mr. Dutton had inquired if Mr. Irving could be allowed to take earth from the big mound in the N.W. corner of the park grounds at the Lake, and this permission was given by the Reeve.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and action concurred in.

In this connection, it was noticed that the ground around the picnic shelter at Nisgae Lake was in a very bad condition during the spring break-up and during rainy seasons, and that some gravel would alleviate this condition.

It was moved and carried that Cr. Magneson be authorised to gravel the grounds at the picnic shelter at Nisgae Lake.

A letter from the secretary of the Ross Creek and Elkhorn Creek Association requesting a survey of Ross Creek was referred to the Council Cr. Weatherill gave additional information to that contained in the letter. As the M.D. of Lamont No. 30 appeared to be involved in this water problem, possibly to a larger extent than the County of Beaver, it was moved and carried that the Municipal District of Lamont be contacted in this matter.

**Fence Damage**

In regards to the request for payments for post and wire by Donald McGinlis and Lewis Shewchuk, the secretary-treasurer stated that he had again contacted the Jubilee Insurance Agencies in order to, if possible, bring this matter to a conclusion.

It was moved and carried that this matter be tabled pending further advice

A request from the M.B. Church at Tofield for assistance to gravel the road from highway 14 to the church, this road being situated in the Town of Tofield, was referred to the Council. The letter pointed out that all the members of the church were farmers and, hence, taxpayers of the County of Beaver, and it was suggested that the Council might consider donating a couple of loads of gravel. The Council felt that they were not impowered to undertake improvements to roads or streets within another municipality.

Moved and carried that the M.B. Church be advised that their request cannot be acceded to.

In regards to the sewerage system at Kinsella, the members present reported that as yet the certificate required from the Provincial Board of Health to be submitted with the bylaw to the Local Authorities Board had not been obtained; however the engineer from Associated Engineering Services Ltd. had indicated that the Board of Health was making the necessary inspection during this week. It was moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Information from the department of municipal affairs concerning the 1965-66 Municipal Winter Works Incentive Program was placed before the council. It was moved and carried that the information be received and content noted.

It was moved and carried that bridge authorization concerning culvert structure in NSW 11-49-16-W 4th be received and filed.

The next item referred to the council the bridge requests for 1966 and suggested that each councillor should have the bridges and culverts, that he required, ready for the October meeting. It was moved and carried that the matter of the bridge requests for 1966 be tabled until the next meeting.

It was moved and carried that the council has no objections to the proposed subdivision in E½ 33-47-19-W 4th providing the county will not be called on for any road or other improvements in or to the subdivision.

It was moved that the new proposed boundaries of the Kingman and Munistik RE Association Ltd., submitted by the Alberta Power Commission, be approved.

Tenders for heating units for the grader shed at Tofield were referred to the council. The tender submitted by G. H. Pearson of 8511 - 85th Avenue, Edmonton, in the amount of $649.00, and one tender submitted from Macleods Limited of Tofield in the amount of $728.80. It was moved and carried that the tender submitted for two 130,000 BTU unit heaters by G. H. Pearson in the amount of $649.00 be accepted.

A request from R. K. Westmacott on behalf of the Ryley 4-H Dairy Club and from Peter Munkvold on behalf of the Ryley 4-H Beef Club for permission to use the Civil Defence room in the county office for their meetings was referred to the council. The

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# Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Doris Brown and young son, David, were Friday [illegible] guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson.

**RED CROSS CANVASS**

October being Red Cross month, calls will be called at [illegible] please have your donation ready when they call. If you are not already [illegible] worthy cause.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvel Reese of Tofield were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Reese's cousin, Emil and Martha Tiedemann.

Doug and Fran Baines and James and Fran's sister, Miss Mae Chaplin, all of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon visitors and evening guests at the home of Doug's sister, Mrs. Ethel Wood.

Kenny Buck, Rachel Malkowich and his brother, Jonnnie, of Tofield were Friday evening supper guests at the home of Mrs. Ruth Buck. Rachel and Johnnie's sister, Louise, were also visiting and helping to celebrate Kenny's birthday.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg of Tofield were Sunday dinner and supper guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

**BIRTHDAY OBSERVED**

On Wednesday afternoon of last week, Mrs. Esther Bradley, her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Barbara Bradley, and her granddaughter, Mrs. Joyce and baby son, all of Edmonton, motored here and spent the afternoon with Mrs. Ellen Wood and her daughter, Mrs. Margie Beckstead and baby son, Robert, honoring a birthday dinner and luncheon to celebrate Gloria's birthday. Also there to help celebrate the occasion were Mrs. Wood, her daughter-in-law Mrs. Gloria Wood and baby daughter. All three babies were born within a short time of each other, one and July, this was the first time all had been together.

Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg arrived home Saturday afternoon after having spent several days with her daughters, Mrs. Marian Jones and Janet Wickenberg. Ruth came home by car with her daughters, Janet and Marian, who spent the weekend with their parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and Vivian's son, Donald James.

Mrs. Gloria Wood and baby, Cathy, motored to Onoway Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller. Mr. Miller returned home with Gloria on Monday evening and will be staying for awhile.

Sunday afternoon visitors and tea guests at the home of Mary and John Wouis were Mrs. Dave Fon Sr. and daughter, Edith and Mrs. Frank Shupe, all of Tofield, also Mrs. Hazel Young of Nanaimo, B.C. Hazel has been visiting friends and relatives in Tofield and district for a short time.

With fine weather returning harvesting commenced again last week and everyone is busy either combining or threshing the grain that is dry. Quite a number of farmers are cutting oats for greenfeed due to the frost having stopped the grain from filling.

GOSSIP AS USUAL. As massive Chinese troops gathered ominously along the borders of the Indian protectorate of Sikkim, and as statesmen in the United Nations sought feverishly to put an end to the undeclared war between India and Pakistan, life continued as usual in Calcutta. Though the whole world worried, these women gathered at the nearby water pump to chat and gossip pleasantly, as they have always done.

# Obituary

**J. B. McCUSKER**

John B. McCusker, 78, died [illegible] in Tofield on October 2nd. He was one of the old timers of the area. Funeral service was held on [illegible] on Tuesday, Oct. 5th from St. Francis Church in Tofield with Father L. Sayers conducting the service. Interment was in Tofield Cemetery.

**JENNIE MACIBORSKI**

Mrs. Jennie Maciborski, [illegible] Tofield resident of Tofield for many years, passed away in Vermilion on Thursday and interment took place in Tofield Cemetery in the family plot.

**MRS. FRED BLENIAK**

Word has been received of the passing of Mrs. Fred Bleniak of Rich Tofield. The funeral service was held in Chipman on Thursday.

**MRS. GEORGE FRANZ**

Mrs. Gen Franz passed away suddenly on Tuesday at Tofield at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gen Thiessen. Funeral services will be held at [illegible] Friday from Tofield Mennonite Church.


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# Ministik news items

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

Farmers in the district and surrounding areas are working overtime getting combining and threshing done after several weeks delay due to inclement weather.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

W. F. Davenport is a patient in Tofield hospital. Harold Dunham is still a patient in hospital. Matthew Ferguson, a former resident here, is a pnuemonia patient in Tofield hospital.

Mr and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson visited Mr. Davenport, Matthew Ferguson and Harold Dunham in Tofield hospital on Sunday afternoon

Mrs. Claude Leach is able to be out of hospital, but is convalescing with the Stanley Williams family, in Edmonton. She is taking therapy treatments daily on her leg.

**HOME FROM B.C.**

Mrs. Helen Hennessy, who enjoyed a three-week vacation in Powell River, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Summerland, B.C., visiting relatives, returned to her home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs Bill Roddick were hosts to the Ministik Community Club on Monday evening. The occasion was also their daughter Brenda's 12th birthday.

Mrs. S. George is spending a few days in Edmonton as a guest of Mrs. Lillian Dimond.

Archie Ferguson, Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and Glenn attended the White Heather concert at the Jubilee Auditorium on Saturday and report a very enjoyable evening.

Max Loch of Cowichan Lake, B.C., is spending two months at the Alphonse Loch home.

Mrs. Albert Horricks and Keith attended memorial services in Edmonton on Sunday in memory of her mother.

Margaret and Edna Roddick spent the weekend at their home and assisted with the threshing.

**OLDTIMER VISITS HERE**

Mrs. W. Stockhouse, who formerly resided near the Ted Stewart farm, was a visitor on Sunday at the Andrew Ferguson home. It is 48 years since she left this community and is a grand old lady of 84 years.

Plans for the fall bazaar are coming along nicely despite the fact the ladies are all very busy.

On Saturday evening, all roads led to Hastings Lake Hall where the pre-Thanksgiving annual turkey dinner is being served by their ladies' club. This is worth while to attend as the ladies serve a most delicious meal.

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council was of the opinion that, from previous experience with the 4-H clubs using the county office, it was not advisable to grant the request and it was moved and carried that the request be not granted

It was moved and carried that the sec.-treas., Olof Monsson, be and hereby is appointed returning officer for the County of Beaver No. 9, for the forthcoming municipal election as well as for any plebiscite that may be held on bylaws.

It was moved and carried that the following election officials be appointed in Division No. 6—

Enumerator, Roland Booth, Ryley; Poll. No. 1, Philip Anderson, Tofield, DRO, Anderson Community Centre; Poll No. 2, Chris Bugge, DRO, Ryley, County office in Ryley; Poll No. 3, Wm. Winsnes ,Ryley, DRO, home of J. Weir at Shonts.

It was moved and carried that the following election officials be appointed with polling places as indicated in Division No. 5—

Enumerator, Norman Koetke, Daysland, Poll No. 1, Mike Bilyk, DRO, Holden, Holden Community Hall; Poll No. 2, Nick Laskoski, DRO, Holden, N. Laskoski's residence, Poll No. 3, Norman Koetke, DRO, Daysland, Polska Hall.


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# Locals . . .

Mrs Edna Kendall returned home after a three-week holiday, during which she visited in Edmonton with her son and daughter-in-law, Floyd and Nettie Kendall and Kenny, and spent a very pleasant two weeks in Calgary with Mrs. Rose Bray. Mrs. Bray would like to be remembered to all her friends as it has been 15 years since she left Tofield.

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Sunday supper guest at the Reger home was Mrs. Hazel Young of British Columbia.

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Mrs. Roy Molvik of La Glace was an overnight guest at the A. Haukedahl home and dinner guest at the Reger home on Tuesday. Other guests were Mrs. Alma Foshaug and Mrs. Petra Stauffer.

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Mrs. Agnes Haukedahl and Mrs. Alma Foshaug took Mrs. Roy Molvik to Kingman on Tuesday afternoon.

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Bill Christensen was winner of the Community League $100 bill, and Lawrence Williams was winner of the Tofield Legion Arf and Arf $50 bill.

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A meeting of the FWUA will be held at the home of Mrs. Ollie Moss on October 21st (please note the change of date). Visitors welcome and member please attend.

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Tuesday evening visitors at the Reger home were Mr. and Mrs. Sander Dolemko and two daughters of Valhalla, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lunan and two children of Beaverlodge, their daughter-in-law, Dorothy, and grandson, Gerald of Edmonton, and Mrs. Pete Eggen and Mrs. Bob Kennedy.

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Mr. and Mrs. Byron Oxley of Creston, B.C., were overnight visitors with the Stinsons on Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Oxley is a cousin of Mrs. Stinson.


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# Anonson-Simonson vows pledged in July rites

The Messiah Lutheran Church in Camrose was the scene of a lovely summer wedding on Saturday, July 31, when Yvonne Merle, third eldest daughter of Mrs Mae Simonson and the late Mr Merlin Simonson of Kingman, became the bride of Rodney James, third son of Mr. and Mrs Leonard Anonson of Camrose Rev C Johnson officiated

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle Leonard Simonson of Edmonton, wore a floor length gown of white nylon over taffeta The back of her dress was held in tucks by white nylon roses and the bodice featured a scalloped neckline with lily-point sleeves Her shoulder length veil was held in place by a single white rose, and she carried a bouquet of pink and white roses

Maid of honor, Lorna Jacobson and the bridesmaid, Helen Hall, wore identical green dresses with white finger-tip veils, and carried bouquets of yellow 'mums

Attending the groom were Al Nichols and Gary Sunderman, friends of the groom. Ushers were Dwaine Simonson, brother of the bride, and Lawrence Simonson, cousin of the bride

Mrs Elmer Holte was soloist

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs Simonson chose a matching blue coat and dress of blue nylon over silk, with white accessories, and a corsage of pink and white carnations The groom's mother chose a matching pink lace coat and dress, with white accessories, and a corsage of white carnations

A reception to 70 guests was held in the banquet room of the York Cafe The beautifully decorated three-tier wedding cake was made by the bride's mother and sister Wayne Gaalaas friend of the groom was master of ceremonies and Conrad Johnson of Camrose proposed the toast to the bride to which the groom ably responded Miss Lorraine Sutton was in charge of the guest book

The bride donned a powder blue three piece suit with white accessories and a pink carnation corsage for travelling

For their honeymoon trip, the happy couple went to Banff, Jasper, and the States They are making their home in Edmonton

# Palmer-Earling notes

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER EARLING, Oct 1st

Mr and Mrs James Pearse, Judith and Garry of Sidney, B.C., motored here and have been visitors this week at the Lawrence Pearse home.

The Alvin, Cliff and Lyle Bratruds, Mrs George Mosby and Linda and the Allan, Earl and Clarence Hellekson and Mrs Anne Bratrud were Sunday guests in Edmonton with the Peter Rempels for their ninth anniversary. Three birthdays were also observed, those honored being Brian Rempel, Mrs Anne Bratrud and Mrs C. Hellekson

There were several visitors at the Akers Wednesday evening in honor of Allce's birthday

The Leroy Forres have named their new son Darryl Lee

The Ray Johnsons (nee Shirley Hilland) chose Darren Raymond for their infant son.

**HERE FROM TEXAS**

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vassberg motored from Lyford, Texas, and spent the week with his brother and family, the Richard Vassbergs

Mr and Mrs. Lawrence Hovland, Lorraine, Vernon and Marilyn were Sunday dinner guests at the Joe Knudson home.


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# Locals . . .

Mrs. J H Snider of Drumheller who has been visiting in Eastern Canada for the summer, is presently at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mabel and Rex Boyles.

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**FAREWELL**

Tofield Lions Club had a send-off on Thursday evening in the Legion Hall for Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Skeels, who are returning to Rimbey to make their home Gerald will be employed there by Imperial Oil Ltd., as a battery operator.

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Mrs. A. J. Young, now of Nanaimo, B.C., but formerly of Tofield for many years, visited old friends here for a few days last week. She reports seeing Mr. and Mrs A M. Torrie who now live at Nanaimo also, about 15 miles away from the Young home

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Mr and Mrs. J W Robinson and Edith, accompanied by Mrs. J. A. L. Smith of Edmonton and Mrs. Edith Rogers, motored to Edmonton last Saturday returning the same evening.

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Tofield Lions Club Friendship Club bridge and whist got under way at some homes on Tuesday evening. Others will host the groups on other nights of the week as circumstances permit.

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Mrs. Annie Sirdar spent a few days recently with her brother, Joe Stewart at Vegreville, also spending some time with her son, Mike, at Red Deer.


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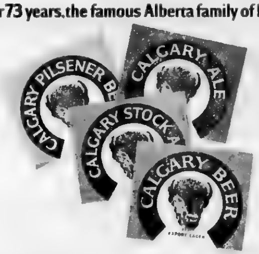


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# Larry Benson to head Holden sub-local ATA

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

The Holden Sub-Local A.T.A. held their first meeting of 1965-1966 on September 27th.

The officers for the ensuing year are as follows: president, Larry Benson; vice-president, J. Lindberg; sec.-treas., Miss J. Kryzanowski; press reporter, Mrs. Winnifred Beveridge; local representative to A.T.A., Mrs. Grace Appleby; social committee, Miss Augstine, Mr. Randall, Mr. Fornal, Mr. Kornelson, and Miss Arnett; lunch convenor, Miss Margaret Robertson; sports representative, R. Ness.

Mrs. Appleby gave her report as local representative to the A.T.A., and Mr. Shykora gave a report on a convention which will be held in Edmonton, November 4th and 5th, the theme being "Education for Automation".

A very interesting program is being planned for the coming meetings.

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# Modern Etiquette

Q. When writing a social note, do you put the date at the top of the page, and your address if it is not printed on stationery?

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Q. I've been told that curving the little finger upward and outward while drinking from a cup is improper. Why is this so?

A. Because it is an affectation—and all affectations are in questionable taste.

Q. May a divorcee mail engraved announcements of her second marriage?

A. Although this was frowned upon in former years, today it is regarded as a good idea and perfectly proper.

Q. How do you acknowledge an

Q. When a toastmaster calls for an impromptu speech from a guest, how long should that guest talk?

A. For not more than about three minutes or so.

introduction?

A. There is only one correct phrase—"How do you do". Depending upon circumstances, one may add, "It is so nice to meet you", or words to that effect. Never resort to the use of, "A pleasure, I am sure", or "Pleased to meet you".

Q. What tipping is necessary on an airplane?

A. No tipping of airplane personnel is permitted. However, when you alight from an airplane at the end of a trip, a sincere "thank you" to the stewardess is a very nice gesture on your part and shows good breeding.

Q. When one is eating in a restaurant where small butter pats are served in little containers, is it all right to let the knife rest on the pat when not in use?

A. Never. The knife, when not in use, should rest along the upper part of the plate.

Q. At what age does the baptism of a baby properly take place?

A. This is flexible. In some faiths this is expected to take place before the infant is a month old. In others, age does not enter the matter and a ceremony may take place at any time.

# Locals . . .

Sunday visitors with Mrs. Annie Sirdar were her daughters, Alice and Jennie, and son, Frank of Edmonton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seltheun and children of St. Paul were recent visitors at the W. Wilkins home.

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INDUCTION SERVICE

Of interest to his friends in Tofield was the induction last Wednesday of Rev. T. W. Teape as rector of St. George's, Fort Saskatchewan. The installation was made by Bishop Burch, assisted by the Ven. Archdeacon Wilson (who also served as parish minister at Tofield a number of years ago) and the Rev. B. A. Hart, Rural Dean of Vermilion. During the ceremony, the Bishop made Mr. Teape a canon of All Saint's Cathedral, Edmonton. Attending the induction were the Rev. W. L. and Mrs. Hammett, who were entertained for dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Don Edwards. Mr. and Mrs. R. Mager were also guests at the Edwards home.

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Among last week's visitors at the Anglican rectory were Canon and Mrs. J. A. Langstone. The Langstones have recently purchased lakeside property at Hastings Lake and will be constructing a summer cottage in readiness for next summer.

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Prior to their leaving for England, Dr. and Mrs. Clark and John were dinner guests of the Rev. W. L. and Mrs. Hammett.

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# Skudesnes LCW plans thanksgiving program

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Oct. 1st. Sunday night, Oct. 10th, at 8 p.m., is the date for the Fall Festival and Thanksgiving program at Skudesnes Church. Come and bring your visitors.

The Skudesnes LCW met on Wednesday, Sept. 29th, at the church kitchen. Several hymns were practised by the group for the Thanksgiving program. The Bible study, "Loving One Another", was taken by Mrs. Richard Vassberg. Pastor Olson was present and added to the discussions.

A letter of thanks and a cash donation from Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Sorensen was read.

Visitors were Mrs. Carl Vassberg of Lyford, Texas, Mrs. Alberta Bolding of Camrose, and Mrs. Elmer Bruce and baby.

The next meeting will be at the church kitchen on Wednesday, Oct. 27th.


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# CD rescue course is proposed for Tofield

Father J. L. Scriven reported to the Sept. 30th meeting of the County of Beaver Emergency Measures Unit that the rescue demonstration put on in Tofield on July 1st was very successful. He said the commentary by Mr. Sherman was very good and that he had received several favorable comments on the demonstration.

Father Scriven said he would like to hold a rescue course in Tofield after Christmas, and it was agreed that this be done, with Father Scriven to make the necessary arrangements.

George Taylor said he had contacted Northern Zone Headquarters regarding assistance in drawing up a health plan. He was advised that there was no pilot plan available as yet and that we should concentrate on welfare and police plans.

Mr. Taylor advised that a radiological course was to be held in Holden Sept. 27, 28 and 29.

He said he had contacted the co-ordinators with regard to the communications course that was mentioned in the June meeting. The co-ordinators felt that it would not be possible to hold this course until after harvest.

Mr. Taylor also advised that the radiological equipment had been checked and returned to the secretary-treasurers of the towns and villages concerned.

He said the Welfare Plan was in the process of being completed and would be ready before the next meeting, and advised that there would be a co-ordinator's operations course in Edmonton on October 25th to 29th. He advised any of the co-ordinators to attend if possible.

FIRST AID

The training instructions as revised for first aid and home nursing courses were discussed. It was noted that arrangements must be made with St. John's Ambulance, at least six weeks prior to the commencement of the course, for an instructor. It was moved by Father Scriven and agreed that the correspondence regarding courses in emergency welfare service be received and filed, and that the co-ordinators make an effort to have someone attend these courses.

A letter from the director, emergency health services advising that casualty collecting units are now available to municipalities under certain conditions was read, and it was agreed the Beaver Unit request more information regarding the storage of these units.

The need for hard hats for persons taking rescue training was discussed. It was felt that, in order to comply with Workmen's Compensation Board regulations, these hats should be part of the rescue equipment.

It was mentioned by the secretary there is nothing in the budget for part-time instructors. It appears that there will be an expenditure for this item if the radiological course and the rescue course are put on, and an instructor already has been paid for a radiological refresher course. It was agreed to request an addition to the financial assistance program of $50 for rescue equipment and $60 for part-time instructors.

It was moved by Father Scriven that George Taylor and T. F. Harris arrange to have the police plan completed as soon as possible.

# Ryley "Cooksters" have October meet

(Wade Magneson)

Ryley "Cooksters" held their meeting Monday, Oct. 4th, with 12 boys present. The president, Rodney Kolodychuk, opened the meeting and Glen Magneson led the group in the 4-H pledge. For roll call the boys told the reason they joined the food club.

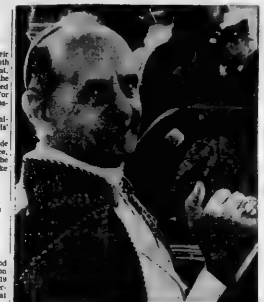
It was decided to hold a Hallowe'en dance with the Girls' Food Club on October 29th.

The second year group made salmon loaves with egg sauce, cocoa syrup, and coffee. The first year boys made butter cake and muffins.

# 119 donors give blood

The Red Cross Mobile Blood Donor Unit visited Tofield on September 29th. There were 119 donors, and 13 people who offered but were unable to donate at this time.

The Red Cross and the Tofield volunteer workers would like to thank all who donated or were willing to do so; also those who helped in any way, such as supplying lunch or serving, waiting on donors or rest beds, etc. Thank you all for taking time from a busy schedule to do this very necessary task each the mobile unit comes to Tofield.



HISTORIC VISIT. A smiling Pope Paul VI is seen above, arriving at Kennedy Airport, becoming the first Pope to ever visit the New World. He came to the United Nations to plead for peace. As his plane flew over Canada en route to New York, the Pope sent a message of good wishes to Governor General Vanier and the Canadian people, in French and English.

# Harvest progress favorable

Harvesting operations were progressing very well in the Tofield-Ryley areas in the past week, although there was some difficulty encountered with high winds.

In his report last Friday, C. A. Nolan, Tofield Wheat Pool agent, said the grain is testing dry and harvest has been general the past week. "Heavy winds have made combining difficult", he added, "and have caused grain to shell and heads to break off. This reduced the yield of wheat up to five bushels per acre". Wheat is yielding lighter than expected, according to Mr. Nolan.

Up to Friday about 75 per cent of the wheat and 50 per cent of the coarse grains had been threshed in the Tofield district.

From Ryley, H. B. Berke, Wheat Pool grain buyer in that community, reports the past week (up to last Friday) "has been ideal for threshing with the bulk of the grain threshed. Wheat and barley yields in many cases have proved to be much lower than anticipated". Mr. Berke guessed threshing should be 100 per cent completed by October 13th if the weather co-operates. As of last Friday all the grain at Ryley had been cut. About 90 per cent of the wheat was threshed and 80 to 85 per cent of the oats and barley.

Harvesting of rye and rapeseed at Ryley is completed, while only about 60 per cent of the rapeseed at Tofield has been threshed, though it is pretty well all cut.

# John Warner passes at 76

On October 8th, John B. Warner of Tofield passed away at 76 years of age. Besides his loving wife, Alice, he leaves three sons, John Jr., Herbert and Allan and families, and one sister, Mrs. Rose Dodds, all of Tofield, also six grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Monday, Oct. 11th, at 2 o'clock from Tofield United Church with Rev. W. H. McDannold officiating. Interment was in Tofield Cemetery.

# Community League to have 2nd annual bingo

The second annual merchandise bingo, sponsored by the Tofield Community League, will be held in the Community Centre on November 18th.

This is an especially important bingo, when $300 worth of prizes will be donated by the local merchants. These prizes will be the small electrical appliances so welcomed by modern families.

As a convenience to those who would like to participate in the bingo but who can't come out that particular evening, the Community League has arranged for games to be played by proxy.

Tickets will be sold in advance of November 18, and a buyer of an advance ticket has a chance of winning a prize when a ticket from this advance sale group is drawn.

Ticket sales are under the direction of C. Annis, A. Swift and Bill Christensen. These, or other members of the Community League will be glad to sell you a ticket.

It is hoped that the proceeds from the Merchandise Bingo on November 18th will help to make a substantial reduction in the Hall debt. How about giving the League some help and yourself a chance at the good prizes?

# Council approves Centennial library

Tofield Town Council meeting was held Monday, Oct. 4th, at 8 p.m., with Mayor Dr. W. H. Freebury and Councillors Allan, Boese, Everitt, Jefferson, Patterson and Swift present.

The Rod and Gun Club, represented by A. Klassen and L. Wilson, who were at the meeting, wished permission to locate the Rod and Gun Club building to the east of the skating rink. The club felt that being situated in a more central location would encourage more juniors to take advantage of the "Gun care and safety" program the club offers.

It was moved that the Rod and Gun Club be granted this. To the Club's inquiry if financial assistance could be obtained from the town, council informed them that their request for aid would be viewed at the 1966 budget meeting.

BAKERY

W. Jensen, Ryley, asked council's approval to operate a bakery in Tofield and wished to purchase a suitable lot. Mr. Jensen was told that he had council's approval regarding a bakery but that the only commercial lots available were at the south end of Main Street.

NO ELECTION

The Returning Officer reported that C. Patterson was re-elected and A. Herndon elected to the Town Council for a three-year term by acclamation. George McFadzean was re-elected by acclamation as representative on the Hospital Board.

CENTENNIAL LIBRARY

Centennial proposal and plans for a library were received from the Municipal Library Board. The board suggested the library be built adjacent to the fire hall and felt that a modest three-wall structure should not exceed the centennial grants available to the Town of Tofield. It was resolved that the proposal be accepted and that approval be applied for from the Centennial Board and that a firm bid be obtained from Watson (Tofield) Ltd. The sec.-treas. was asked to have the board (library) contact local organizations asking for their support for this project. Permission was granted to the library to hold a tag day on Saturday, Oct. 16th.

Canada has the largest freshwater area of any country in the world, nearly 300,000 square miles, or about 7.5 per cent of the country's total area.

# Norman Flach is NDP man

Norman Flach was nominated Friday in the Willingdon Town Hall to carry the New Democratic Party banner in the Vegreville Constituency for the Federal election on November 8th.

The convention was well attended and a good deal of enthusiasm shown.

Mr. Flach, an Opal district farmer, is married and the father of two boys. He is the FUA Director for District Six. He is a graduate of the Agricultural School at Olds, and is active in local community affairs.

# Holden district news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Gene Shtokal and children of Vegreville were visiting on Tuesday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong.

Ray Hovland was a visitor in Wainwright Tuesday afternoon of last week and a visitor in Edmonton on Wednesday on village business.

Lawrence Kaluzny was in Viking Tuesday of last week, assisting at the National Grain Co. elevator.

Mrs. Laura Christiansen and Mrs. Mary James were dinner guests and afternoon visitors on Wednesday with Mrs. Mabel Starr.

Lenord Johnson and Ludwig Hovland, both of Camrose were Wednesday visitors last week at the home of Chris Hovland and sons Ray and Rueben.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Shyba of Calgary were visitors over the Thanksgiving holiday with his family Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shyba, also calling on other relatives.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison of Vancouver B.C., who have been visiting with relatives in Edmonton for a few days motored to Holden with their grandson, Alan Tiedemann on Friday evening and are visiting for several days with Mr. Morrison's daughter and family, the Henry Tiedemanns.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McKee of Wetaskiwin and Mrs. Albert Roth of Camrose were visitors last Sunday at the home of Chris Hovland and sons, also calling on other relatives in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Morrison drove to Hardisty late Saturday afternoon and attended the wedding reception of a nephew.

Norman Armstrong of Sedgewick was a visitor during the holiday weekend with his daughter and family the Ernie Goulds.

**PIONEER GROUP MEETS**

The Pioneer Group met for their regular meeting October 7th at the home of Mrs. J. A. Gichelhaus, with 15 ladies present. Devotions were taken by Mrs. Lars Olson and a chapter in the study book was read and discussed. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held November 4th with Mrs. Jack Keith as hostess, but the meeting place is not yet decided.

Mrs. Mary James entertained at a pre Thanksgiving dinner on Friday, guests being Mrs. Mabel Starr, Mrs. N. L. Campbell and Mrs. Laura Christiansen.

Clint Armstrong, who has been barbering at Sedgewick for the past year, has set up his barbering business in Holden next to the Drug Store.

Glen Hovland of Hillsdown visited his family, Chris Hovland and Brothers Rueben and Ray on Thursday of last week, and was an overnight guest, returning home Friday morning.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Clare Anderson is back home from Viking Hospital, where he was a patient for several weeks recovering from a broken leg. Andy was seen taking a trip down Main Street this morning, getting along with the aid of crutches.

**WEDDING BELLS**

Stan Robins has moved into the Pete Krusha residence and we hear that he is planning to be married towards the end of the month.

Mrs. Ruby Benson of Bruce was a recent visitor with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hooper, helping look after her father who is not well.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Robinson and family of Edmonton were Thanksgiving visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Applety and other relatives in Holden.

Richard and Douglas Jober of Edmonton visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Jober over the holiday weekend.

Mrs. Mike A. Komarnsky, who was taken to Tofield hospital on Tuesday of last week, is still a patient there receiving treatment.

**TO B.C.**

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Thaczyk motored to Edmonton on Thursday of last week and were then leaving the end of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Padlecki and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Chupka, also of Edmonton, for a holiday in Victoria, B.C. Mr. and Mrs. Chupka's little boy, Randy, is staying with his aunt, Mrs. Lorraine Stefanishen and family, while his parents are away.

**MRS. OLSON DIES**

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson were shocked to receive the news on Thursday that a relative, Mrs. Sam Olson, has been killed in a car-truck collision Wednesday evening, while returning home from taking a son to the hospital in Camrose. Mr. and Mrs. Olson attended the funeral on Saturday.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# District farmer since '31, Joe Wempe passes on

Joseph Wempe was born at Hartington, Nebraska, on March 19, 1900. He passed away at University Hospital in Edmonton on Wednesday, September 15, at the age of 65.

Mr. Wempe farmed for two years at Wenner, South Dakota before coming to Alberta in 1931, to settle on a farm in the Duhamel district where he lived for eleven years. He also farmed in the Kingman district where he spent 23 years. He moved to Edmonton in May of this year, where he had resided until the time of his passing.

He leaves to mourn, his loving wife Hazel; four daughters, Josephine Smith of East Coulee, Rosalia MacDonald, Mona Gaehle, and Eileen Stiles; one son Mark of Edmonton, as well as 18 grandchildren and one great-grandchild. He also leaves four brothers, Pete of Rapid City, So. Dakota, Mike of Gardena, California, Fred and Anton of Gregory, So. Dakota, two sisters, Christina of Lucas, So. Dakota, and Frances of Sioux City, Iowa; a half-sister Anna of Breda, Iowa, and a half-brother John of Colorado.

Prayer services were held in Edmonton on Friday evening and funeral services were held Saturday at 10:30 a.m. from St. Francis Roman Catholic Church in Camrose, with Rev. Father Macdonald officiating.

Interment followed in Camrose Cemetery with Freddie Evenson, Donald Heie, William Meyer, Donald Meyer, Stanley Wright, and Kenneth Meyer acting as pallbearers. Burgar Funeral Home were in charge of arrangements.

## Mother passes October 5th

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Mrs. Nancy Semotuik received the sad news early last week that her mother, Mrs. Mary Eleniak of the Tofield district had passed away very suddenly October 5th, at the age of 69 years.

She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, Fred Eleniak, five sons and four daughters, 16 grandchildren; one brother and two sisters.

Prayer service was held Wednesday, Oct. 6th, at 8:00 p.m. in the Chipman National Hall. Requiem Mass was held Thursday, Oct. 7th, at 10:00 a.m. at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church at Chipman with Father B. Dribnecky O.S.B.M., the celebrant and interment was in the church cemetery. The sympathy of friends is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Semotuik and the family.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Kay Coombes accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson on Saturday to the funeral of their cousin (Mrs. Olson) at Camrose.

Miss Donna Ingram, R.N., and Miss Marg Munch, R.N., of Edmonton left on Oct. 2nd by plane on a tour which has taken them to Montreal, New York, and Kingston, Jamaica where they will spend about two weeks. On their return trip they plan to go to Mexico, Los Angeles and San Francisco where they will be employed at a medical research centre.

Monday visitors with Roy and Dorothy Whillans were Frank and Margarette Thomas and family of Edmonton. Tuesday visitors were Vernon, Lorraine and the children.

Weekend guests with Yvonne and Peter Brown were Wayne and Debbie Oliver, and Aage Tathup from Calgary.

Guests with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brown for Thanksgiving dinner at their home, were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Gauhault of Tofield, Dale and Cliff Gossel of Edmonton, Emil, Lucille and Bobby Tiedeman, and Keith and Stanley Brown.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER EARLING, Oct. 8th —Mr. and Mrs. Eberhard Roth and Penny are arriving by plane from Winnipeg to spend Thanksgiving with their brother and family the Helmut Roths and other relatives.

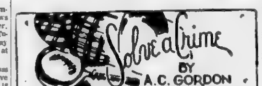
**Sherman Ferre of the Royal Bank, stationed at Nassau, Bahamas, is spending his annual holidays with relatives and friends here.**

Mr. and Mrs. Edof Wilklun and Mrs. Alma Steffen were Sunday dinner guests at the Ernest Anderson home.

September 26th dinner guests at the Martin Olson home in Daysland were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Olson, Kenneth and Velen, and Dale Olson of Olds, Alice, Ed and Edna Aker, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olson, George and Gwen.

Harold Hillaby and Ray Aker were goose hunting at Provost and Veteran and returned home with a dozen of the birds.

Mrs. Ed Knudsen and family and Mrs. Bergman were Sunday visitors with the Theol Wallands at Camrose.

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Mrs. Bennett blurts out her story. "I was seated in my room at my dressing table . . . I didn't even know that John was home. He left very early this morning to do a little hunting. Suddenly, as I was working on my fingernails, I was startled by a shot in the living room here. I rushed in . . . and found him like this . . . dead! I just can't understand why he did this!" She bows her head into her hands and breaks into a fresh fit of sobs.

You have noted that, despite Mrs. Bennett's grief-stricken face, she is an exceedingly attractive woman, and at least 20 years younger than her middle-aged husband. Now you stoop over the dead man's body and, removing the fur-lined mittens from his hands, your eye is caught by the rather fresh-looking scratches on the back of his right hand.

"Can you suggest any possible reason at all as to why your husband should have taken his life?" you ask.

"No . . . so far as I know, his business affairs were in good order. Of course, he always was quite jealous of me, and couldn't seem to tolerate my having too lengthy conversations with other men at any of the parties we attended. He was particularly angry yesterday when some flowers arrived for me . . . from Dick Delmar, the actor. But certainly, there was nothing but friendship involved in that . . . and I never gave him any real reason to distrust me . . . or to do this . . ."

"Have you touched or moved anything at all since coming in here and discovering this?"

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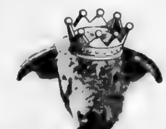

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### ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lawson are pleased to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Verna Edith, to William Harboway, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Harboway of Edmonton. The wedding will take place November 6, 1965, at Tofield United Church, Tofield Alberta. 7p-3083

### FUTURE DATES

**ANNUAL BAZAAR**

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## Tofield High has election

(Joy Warkentin Editor)

[illegible]

### ELECTION

The election was held Wednesday, Oct. 6. Returning officer [illegible] Dean Pike [illegible] enumerators [illegible] Scrutineers were Dean Mar[illegible], Nette Ap[illegible] and Don [illegible].

[illegible] John Sears [illegible] vice-president, Beth Ingram secretary, Dennis Murray treasurer, Gwen Sears social convener, Joy Warkentin editor, Tom [illegible] assistant editor, Judy Moore girls' sports rep., Colin Bowick boys' sports rep., David Lammitt sergeant at arms, and Donald Orobko assistant sergeant at arms.

[illegible] the candidates [illegible] speeches, the [illegible] High will have a good [illegible]

## Ryley and district news briefs

[illegible] weekend visitors [illegible] Mr. Art Park [illegible] Mr. Pedersen [illegible] and his sister Mrs. [illegible] of Estevan, Sask. also Mr. [illegible] and a nephew, Bob Maud, both of Edmonton who were [illegible]

[illegible] of Edmonton.

Richard Mathews is enrolled at the Vermilion School of Agriculture and left this week for the opening of the fall term.

**The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lundin was totally destroyed by fire this past week.**

[illegible] Gus Teare of [illegible] the weekend with him [illegible] Alfred and wife [illegible] and boys of Fort Sask. [illegible]

[illegible] Mrs. Fred Loades [illegible] weekend in Ca[illegible] with their daughter Gerry [illegible]

Don't forget the Cavel Rebekah Lodge tea at [illegible] in the Legion Hall [illegible] Saturday [illegible] October [illegible]

Doug and Marvel Down and family of Athabasca were long weekend visitors with Marvel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Nerassen.

### HOME FROM COLLEGE

Home from Union College at Lacombe for the Thanksgiving [illegible] Stumbo and Johnny Booth, while Larry Booth [illegible] and Jimmy Martin [illegible] Chilliwack, B.C. [illegible] College to spend [illegible] and [illegible] parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Booth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cretney and family of Edmonton were Sunday guests with Mildred's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Booth.

### HERE FROM TORONTO

[illegible] North York [illegible]

[illegible] and Mrs. Elmer Lundin.

Thanksgiving weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pepper were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hutchinson and family of Drayton Valley and Mr. and Mrs. Bert S[illegible] of Red Deer.

[illegible] activities [illegible] meeting in the dining room on Thursday [illegible]

IT'S A PERCH. Now here's a perch few Canadian small-stream fishermen would like to find fighting on the end of their line. It's a seawater perch, caught off the shores of Zanzibar. It's big enough to swallow a man whole, but fortunately, it's a vegetarian.

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# French Canadian independence not all bad, teachers are told

Speaking to his audience as the second person—representing English-speaking Canada—Dr. Richard E. Baird of the department of political science, University of Alberta, Edmonton, spoke straight from the shoulder and told members of the Provost, Killam and Camrose ATA locals, [illegible]

### PULLED NO PUNCHES

Dr. Baird pulled no punches [illegible] beliefs pertaining [illegible] federally, provincially [illegible] and [illegible] French Canadians [illegible]

At the outset of his talk he [illegible] own political preferences [illegible] I support the Liberals because I believe they have a deeper understanding of the problems of French Canada. My second choice would be the New Democratic Party or Progressive Conservatives, and lastly I would take Social Credit".

He said he believed the Social Credit government in Alberta [illegible] a good government in most respects. In full, I think Canada is governed well locally, provincially and federally.

He added that as a student of government, he has developed sympathy [illegible] the men in government. [illegible] people [illegible] Pearson, Diefenbaker, Thompson and Douglas. He said he felt these men were good leaders with the well-being of Canada at heart.

### NO SYMPATHY

Getting into his chosen topic Dr. Baird said he felt people don't sympathize with French Canada. He went on to say he [illegible] are fortunate in [illegible] when their one main problem is the one we have with [illegible] Canada. Other people in the world have the problem of poverty which we don't have to worry about and other people have racial problems.

The French people feel they are alone, said the speaker. French Canada wants self-government apart from the other things they might want. Many people in the world have lost many advantages they might otherwise have had just to get self-government. There is nothing more to the French-Canadian demand for self-government than in the Canadian's desire to be independent from the United States. There are very few demands made by the French Canadian of you that you don't make against the Americans.

### OWN IDENTITY

"The French Canadians have a sense of 'self'. For one thing they have a different language and a separate religion from many of you. You really have the same language and the same religion, mainly, as the Americans. Still you want your own identity from the Americans. Even the American negro has no difference of language or religion from other Americans", he noted.

"You must remember, too", Dr. Baird pointed out, "that the French didn't come to Canada as immigrants. They were here first. Another thing, the French Canadians are of a different economic class. So in French Canadians you have just about everything to set them apart, except race.

"Considering all this, [illegible] expect them to be politically different from you", he said.

Dr. Baird then outlined party politics and the way it affects the French Canadians. "You might think the French Canadians are governing themselves in Ottawa as you are", observed Dr. Baird, but, he added, the one great "defect in Ottawa" is that of parliamentary government.

Our government is based upon party lines to the exclusion of a government based on regional or national lines, putting the French Canadians at a disadvantage", he claimed. "The Southerner in the U.S. knows he is a Democrat, but he also knows his representative is going to vote on regional lines.

Unless the party is distinctively French", Dr. Baird stated, "the French Canadian doesn't see it is a representative government along party lines. They see in the government what we all see—the most obvious characteristics of government as reported through the press. He sees himself represented in caucus or in the cabinet as one of several provinces. He feels his group is one of two, and not one of several.

### PROVINCIAL

"If the French Canadians don't feel the government at Ottawa is theirs, think of their provincial government. This is their self government, but they feel it is not strong enough", claimed Dr. Baird.

He suggested some changes that might help Canadians with their problems. He felt the spending power of the dominion government ought to be changed. For instance, he said the provinces are given the field of welfare under Section 92 of the BNA Act. The preceding section of the same [illegible] however, says the dominion government "can use its power to tax and do anything it wants with the money to invade the provincial field", noted Dr. Baird.

The federal government says it is going to collect money for medicare for instance and none of it comes back to the province unless the provincial government is prepared to go along with the scheme. No wonder the French Canadians want to opt out.

### LIMITATION

Dr. Baird was of the opinion French Canada should have some kind of limitation on federal spending power. "In a constitution change the spending power of the provincial government should be increased", he asserted. "We should also get a dominion government with a greater control of education to make sure the French people of other provinces get the same privileges as those in Quebec".

The BNA Act has been amended with respect to unemployment insurance and pension schemes, "and that ought to go", said the speaker.

"What will we have if these changes are made?" asked Dr. Baird. "Well, we might have satisfaction in French Quebec and we also might have less dissatisfaction in the rest of Canada than you might expect. The most tragic event would be to suppose French Canada can't be satisfied. And if they are satisfied, everything elsewhere in Canada stays the same".

### PRAISES CANADIANS

Dr. Baird wound up his talk with a word of praise. "Canada", he said, "is working with one of the most difficult problems of any. If you want company in your misery, think of the Belgians who have people maintaining the Dutch language and Protestant religion and the French language segment with a Roman Catholic religion. You people, even with your lack of sympathy for the French Canadian, have made giant strides and one of these is the distinctive Canadian flag. I think you'll continue to have this kind of success if you have a Liberal government, and you'll make enormous progress as well with a Conservative, NDP or Social Credit government".

POLITICAL PERSUASION. There are times when a politician must fall on his knees to plead! External Affairs Minister Paul Martin wanted to give this young miss a kiss at a Liberal nominating convention in Ontario's Peel riding, but the little lady repulsed his advances. Friendly persuasion was put to bear, until the reluctant Anna Lisa Weir consented to a kiss.

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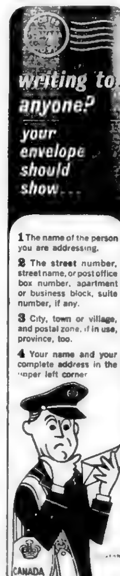
## Holden news

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Williams of Edmonton and baby daughter were visitors with Mrs. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McLeod, over the holiday weekend.

Mrs. Joe Chamulke was home from Edmonton where she is presently employed, and spent the holiday weekend with her family.

Richard Baraniuk of Edmonton spent the Thanksgiving holiday weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Baraniuk.

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[illegible] and Helen Johnson [illegible] weekend [illegible] parents Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Moore.

[illegible] at the home of Mr. and [illegible]

[illegible] enrolled at [illegible] and left this week for the opening of the fall term.

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[illegible] Mrs. Emma Patrick [illegible] parents Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

[illegible] and her family celebrating the great granddaughter Susan's 7th birthday.

[illegible] the Local Rebekah [illegible]

[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Marvel Booth and [illegible] weekend visitors with Marvel's parents Mr. and Mrs. Hans Serensen.

**HOME FROM COLLEGE**

Home from [illegible] College at [illegible] for the Thanksgiving holiday were Patsy Stumbo and Johnny Booth while Larry Booth of Flatbush and Jimmy Martindale of Chilliwack, B.C. also came from the College to spend their holiday with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Booth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph [illegible] and family of Edmonton were Sunday [illegible] with Mildred's [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Booth.

**HERE FROM TORONTO**

Miss Vera Booth eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Booth is home for a month's vacation from the North York Branson Hospital School of Nursing in Toronto. When Vera returns [illegible] taking her [illegible]

Milton and Jackie Lundin and children of Viking were Sunday guests with Milton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lundin.

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## Tofield High has election

(Joy Warkentin, Editor)

[illegible] to the cam[illegible] [illegible] going to Swi[illegible] [illegible] social for the [illegible]

President — John Sears, Terry [illegible]
Vice President — Harvey La Roque, Nette Appleby
Secretary — Beth Ingram, Vicky Kail
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Social Convener — Gwen Sears, Hop[illegible]
Editor — Joy Warkinton, Brenda Eaton
Assistant Editor — Lena Schroeder, Tom [illegible]
Girls' Sports Representative — Donna Schmidt, Judy Moore
Boys' Sports Representative — Colin Bowick, Patrick Kailai
Sergeant-at-Arms — Raymond Lindsay, David Lampitt
Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms — Albert Warwa, Donald Ozubko

For their campaign speeches, the Lolipops were dressed like little children sucking lollipops, [illegible] the Go[illegible] wore hats [illegible] in them.

**ELECTION**

The election was held Wednesday [illegible] Returning Officer [illegible] enumerator [illegible] also Kevin Seabell, polling clerk, Donne Swift. Scrutineers were Dennis Murray, Nette Appleby, Harvey La Roque and Don [illegible] Ozubko.

Elected were John Sears, president; Harvey La Roque, vice-president; Beth Ingram, secretary; Dennis Murray, treasurer; Gwen Sears, social convener; Joy Warkentin, editor; Tom [illegible], assistant editor; Judy Moore, girls' sports rep.; [illegible] boys' sports rep.; David Lampitt, sergeant-at-arms; and Donald Ozubko, assistant sergeant-at-arms.

[illegible] the [illegible] the Junior High will have a good year.

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# French Canadian independence not all bad, teachers are told

Speaking to his audience as the second person representing English speaking Canada, Dr. Richard E. Baird of the department of political science, University of Alberta, Edmonton, spoke frankly from the shoulder and told [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible] ATA locals. "I hope you keep us together, us and the French Canadians, but on the other hand if you don't we're here, the Rocky mountains will still be here, the Great Lakes will be here and the railroads will be here, and they'll still be there. ... What difference does it make if French Canada is [illegible] her independence?" In Europe independent countries have formed a common market which is the most successful of all. A capital example of independent countries living together peacefully is that of Canada and the United States. I submit these relationships are largely satisfactory."

**PULLED NO PUNCHES**

Dr. Baird pulled no punches as he stated his beliefs pertaining to politics federally, provincially and locally, and outlined what the French Canadians wanted in his opinion.

At the outset of his talk he [illegible] political preferences right on the line. "I support the Liberals because I believe they have a deeper understanding of the problems of French Canada. My second choice would be the New Democratic Party or Progressive Conservatives, and lastly I would take Social Credit."

He said he believed the Social Credit government in Alberta "is a good government in most respects. In full, I think Canada is governed well locally, provincially and federally."

He added that as a student of government, he has developed sympathy for the men in government. "I am disgusted with the snide and incredible [illegible] criticism people level at Pearson, Diefenbaker, Thompson and Douglas." He said he felt these men were good leaders, with the well-being of Canada at heart.

**NO SYMPATHY**

Getting into his chosen topic, Dr. Baird said he felt "people don't sympathize with French Canada." He went on to say he felt Canadians are fortunate indeed when their one main problem is the one we have with French Canada. Other people in the world have the problem of poverty, which we don't have to worry about, and other people have racial problems."

The French people feel they [illegible] the speaker. French Canada wants self-government apart from the other things they might want. Many people in the world have lost many advantages they might otherwise have had [illegible] self-government [illegible] nothing more to the French Canadian demand for self-government than in the Canadians' desire to be independent from the United States. There are very few demands made by the French Canadian of you that you don't make against the Americans.

**OWN IDENTITY**

"The French Canadians have a sense of 'self'. For one thing they have a different language and a separate religion from many of you. You really have the same language and the same religion, mainly, as the Americans. Still you want your own identity from the Americans. Even the American negro has no difference of language or religion from other Americans", he noted.

"You must remember, too" Dr. Baird pointed out, "that the French didn't come to Canada as immigrants. They were here first. Another thing, the French Canadians are of a different economic class. So in French Canadians you have just about everything to set them apart, except race.

"Considering all this, [illegible] expect them to be politically different from you", he said.

Dr. Baird then outlined party politics and the way it affects the French Canadians. "You might think the French Canadians are governing themselves in Ottawa as you are", observed Dr. Baird, but, he added, the one great "defect in Ottawa" is that of parliamentary government.

Our government is based upon party lines to the exclusion of a government based on regional or national lines, putting the French Canadians at a disadvantage", he claimed. "The Southerner in the U.S. knows he is a Democrat, but he also knows his representative is going to vote on regional lines.

"Unless the party is distinctively French", Dr. Baird stated, "the French Canadian doesn't see it is a representative government along party lines. They see in the government what we all see—the most obvious characteristics of government as reported through the press. He sees himself represented in caucus or in the cabinet as one of several provinces. He feels his group is one of two and not one of several.

**PROVINCIAL**

"If the French Canadians don't feel the government at Ottawa is theirs, think of their provincial government. This is their self government, but they feel it is not strong enough", claimed Dr. Baird.

He suggested some changes that might help Canadians with their problem. He felt the spending power of the dominion government ought to be changed. For instance, he said the provinces are given the field of welfare under Section 92 of the BNA Act. The preceding section of the same act, however, says the dominion government "can use its power to tax and do anything it wants with the money to invade the provincial field", noted Dr. Baird. "The federal government says it is going to collect money for medicare, for instance, and none of it comes back to the province unless the provincial government is prepared to go along with the scheme. No wonder the French Canadians want to opt out."

**LIMITATION**

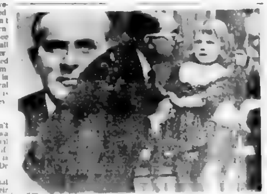
Dr. Baird was of the opinion French Canada should have some kind of limitation on federal spending power. "In a constitution change the spending power of the provincial government should be increased", he asserted. "We should also get a dominion government with a greater control of education to make sure the French people of other provinces get the same privileges as those in Quebec."

The BNA Act has been amended with respect to unemployment insurance and pension schemes, "and that ought to go", said the speaker.

"What will we have if these changes are made?" asked Dr. Baird. "Well, we might have satisfaction in French Quebec and we also might have less dissatisfaction in the rest of Canada than you might expect. The most tragic event would be to suppose French Canada can't be satisfied. And if they are satisfied, everything elsewhere in Canada stays the same."

**PRAISES CANADIANS**

Dr. Baird wound up his talk with a word of praise. "Canada", he said, "is working with one of the most difficult problems of any. If you want company in your misery, think of the Belgians who have people maintaining the Dutch language and Protestant religion and the French language segment with a Roman Catholic religion. You people, even with your lack of sympathy for the French Canadian, have made giant strides and one of these is the distinctive Canadian flag. I think you'll continue to have this kind of success if you have a Liberal government, and you'll make enormous progress as well with a Conservative, NDP or Social Credit government".



POLITICAL PERSUASION. There are times when a politician must fall on his knees to plead! External Affairs Minister Paul Martin wanted to give this young miss a kiss at a Liberal nominating convention in Ontario's Peel riding, but the little lady repulsed his advances. Friendly persuasion was put to bear, until the reluctant Anna Lisa Weir consented to a kiss.

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RYLEY—
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School.
11:30 a.m. — Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Oct. 17th
10.00 a.m. — Morning Worship
11:00 a.m. — Sunday School
8:00 p.m. — Evening Service
Tuesday, 8.00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study
—Sunday Evening—
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## Holden news

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Williams of Edmonton and baby daughter were visitors with Mrs. Williams parents Mr. and Mrs. Jim McLeod, over the holiday weekend.

Mrs. Joe Chamulke was home from Edmonton where she is presently employed, and spent the holiday weekend with her family.

Richard Baranuk of Edmonton spent the Thanksgiving holiday weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Baranuk.

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MacDuff Ottawa report

## Not like the others

OTTAWA.—If Quebec is not a province like the others; neither is the Quebec election campaign like the others.

Not that the parties will say one thing in Quebec, and the contrary in other provinces. The day has long since passed when any major party could get away with speaking out both sides of its mouth, even if it wanted to.

The differences in the Quebec campaign are complex, difficult, and important.

For one thing the scandal issue, which is being used by the opposition parties, has special meaning for Quebec.

All the principal figures in the scandals and the alleged scandals were French-speaking Canadians. The people of Quebec were as shocked as anyone over the revelations of the Dorion report. But they were also offended by a tendency in English Canada towards the thesis that Quebec is, was, and always will be, corrupt.

They have reacted defensively as a people on the question of scandals, and as a result it's doubtful that opposition parties can get much political value out of them.

Furthermore, in the minds of many Quebecers, this whole issue is linked to a much wider issue—the issue of Quebec's relations with English-speaking Canada, and its place in Confederation.

This in itself—the question of national unity—is turning out to be the basic issue in the campaign, and not just in Quebec.

It may be of lesser electoral importance in some provinces. In French Canada it is of prime importance, and therein lies another of the differences in the Quebec campaign.

It would be foolish to say that Quebec voters are not interested in the agricultural and economic platforms being presented by the Federal parties. With a truly depressed rural economy, Quebec has a major concern in governmental efforts to remove inequities and improve standards.

But in general the people of Quebec seem primarily interested in electing a Federal Government which understands it, which can redefine its role in Confederation, which will permit individuals to develop as French Canadians, and at the same time give them a proud and equal role as Canadians.

In the past few years, Quebecers have felt the strain on Confederation as much as any other Canadians. What most of them seem to want now is what many other Canadians want — a Federal Government that can keep the French-English dialogue smooth — that can keep Quebec happy in Confederation.

If this is so, where does it leave the major parties in their quest for votes on November 8?

At the moment, it is easy to predict a big win for the Liberals —50 to 60 of the province's 75 seats. The Liberal party has made a determined effort to clean house in Quebec, dumping many of the overlords and acolytes who lived in the shadows between the government and the underworld.

The housecleaning job seems to have been accepted in Quebec. It hasn't been accepted elsewhere perhaps because of Prime Minister Pearson's refusal to talk about the scandals, or even about what action he has taken.

Furthermore, Quebec is aware that, despite Conservative cries of disunity, the Liberal Government has finally managed to establish a kind of equilibrium in Federal-Provincial matters. The re-shaping of Quebec's role in Canada is being undertaken with more sympathy and understanding than it has been for many years.

As for the Conservatives, the prospects are not as bleak in Quebec as some Liberals proclaim. Mr. Diefenbaker has already campaigned in some rural areas, with some success. There's a fairly good possibility that many votes that went to the Creditistes last time will find their way to Conservative candidates this time.

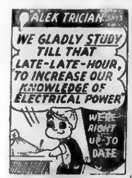
Tory support is likely to be spotty, however, and the organization is in a very bad way. They lack a strong Quebec leader. The failure so far to attract a man like Marcel Faribault to tap the increasingly Conservative-minded city vote is evidence that John Diefenbaker has little more to offer the thinking Quebecer.

The Conservatives had eight seats at dissolution. They might hold their own, even gain a few, but Quebec is definitely not fertile Tory territory.

Nor is it nearly as fertile as it once was for Real Caouette's Creditistes. In many parts of the province which gave him 26 seats in 1962 and 2? in 1963, the word is that the Creditistes are dead.

Some of that vote will go Conservative, some Liberal, and some to the New Democrats. The NDP under its vigorous leader Robert Cliche, is enjoying a surge of support. It may or may not result in the NDP winning its first seat ever in Quebec.

The Liberal Party then, is the favourite. It is also the party with the most to gain and the most to lose. The Pearson quest for majority government must be based on solid Quebec support. The key battlegrounds then will be Ontario and the Prairies. But if the Government somehow loses its Quebec base, it might as well not even bother fighting the other battles.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## At long last

Detractors of the Alberta Treasury Branches for years have pointed to the lack of any information about what is actually going on in the financial operations of this corporation which conceivably could have access to public monies within the province. Among the chief critics, naturally, have been employees of the chartered banks (not the banks as organizations) and members of opposing political parties.

So the publication in this week's issue of some papers of the first record of Treasury Branch operations will find many really interested readers. Admittedly, the report doesn't tell us very much, and there are a number of questions it might raise that aren't answered, but at least it's a start. Whether the new minister, Hon. A. O. Aalborg, is responsible for the change in policy, whether it was coming in due course anyway, or whether it will even continue are questions that only time will tell.

Certainly, the second report will be looked for almost as eagerly as the first will be scanned.

Unfortunately, the report was not ordered for inclusion in The Mercury.

## Black out hits Tories

Regulations affecting the broadcasting industry curtailed any radio announcement regarding the visit to Camrose today of John G. Diefenbaker, controversial leader of the Conservative party. The black-out is imposed on all election advertising in centres having a civic election, and of course, that affects Camrose with its civic election yesterday. For 48 hours prior, the local station or those playing into the area from other centres, were forbidden to accept political advertising from any source.

Conceivably, of course, some smart politician could find a way to outsmart regulations by using a local election to further his federal or provincial campaign if the ruling weren't total, and conversely, some way might be found to use the federal campaign to bolster local electioneering.

Yet it seems absurd when the Leader of the Opposition, and a former prime minister, visits a small centre and can't use the airways to inform people. Small centres aren't so used to having men of this stature visit as not to want to be informed. And whatever your politics, the leader of the opposition, the leader of any party, a member of the Privy Council, a former prime minister, and a potential candidate to be next prime minister, any of these qualifications are sufficient that most of us should be willing to take time to see the man face to face, and take his measure.

Regardless of the principle, we'll bet Diefenbaker actually will make far more mileage, and get for more publicity, out of the black-out than he could possibly have achieved otherwise.

## Duplication

Some residents of the city have been wondering recently if a little economy couldn't be practiced at the provincial level. The remark came out when they learned there is to be a plebiscite on the question of an additional outlet for beer and liquor in the city.

The question raised was why it couldn't have been possible to tie in the ballot either with the city election next week, or the federal election on November 8, and thus save a great deal of extra expense for poll rentals, poll workers, and so on.

It would probably be cavalier to suggest the liquor commission wasn't aware of the other trips to the polls, so the logical explanation would be the extra expense seems warranted in their view in order to eliminate the possible confusion which might otherwise develop. However, it doesn't say much for their estimate of the intelligence of the voters, does it? Or of their interests in economy?

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# George Edward Francis passes at age of 71

George Edward Francis passed away suddenly at his home on Wednesday, Sept. 22, 1965, at the age of 71 years.

Mr Francis was born in Estevan Sask., on Sept. 10, 1894, and came with parents to Edmonton in October of the same year. He came to Tofield in July, 1895, where he resided until his death, except for seven years of homesteading in the Dawson Creek area.

On April 4, 1928, he was united in marriage to the former Laura Skinner of Mitchell, Ontario.

He was predeceased by two sons and one daughter. He is survived by his loving wife, one son Glenn, two daughters (Pauline) Mrs. Charles Rude and Sharon, all of Tofield, also ten grandchildren, two brothers James and Arthur, and one sister (Louise) Mrs. Bert Lovell.

Rev Geo Francisco of Fundamental Baptist Church Edmonton, officiated at the funeral service. A special number was rendered by Mr and Mrs. H Schmidt.

Interment was in the Tofield Cemetery, with Hoveland Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were Joe R Janes, John Wood, Doug Murray, Harold Litwin, George McMann and Gabe Taekema.

**Floral Tributes**

The Family; The Grandchildren, Brothers and Sisters, H. McHefloy.

**Memorials**

To The Family — Willard and Ruth Ferguson.

To Tofield Baptist Church Building Fund — Madelyn, Gerry and Girls; Keith, Ada and Girls, Earl, Garry, Josephine; Reed, Evelyn and Family; Sam and Myrt Sherstianko; Mary Skinner; Leo, Georgina Bauer and Girls, Mary, LeRoy and Children, Evelyn, Lief and Boys; George and Hazel and Girls; Harold, Mildred and Family; Mr. and Mrs. R. Wickenberg; Russel and Mabel Ferguson; Mr and Mrs. Will Mitchell; Esther Henderson; Melvin and Lorna, John and Evelyn, Hazel and Ivan; Wayne and Sharon; Audrey and Pete; Mary, Glenn and Louise, Selma and Sam Cinnamon, Edith Turner; Annie McGinitie; Mrs E A Brown and Ethel; Joe and Audrey Brown; Stanley and Keitha Brown, Lydia and Edie Wideman; Leonard and Evelyne Stauffer and Family; Ivan and Olive Foshaug and family, Gabe, Anna and Bill, Madeleine McCormick, Donald, Ruth and Family, Mrs. Moos, Margaret and Mattie, Doug and Vivian, Verlyn and Ollie Moos; Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stokkan, Mr and Mrs. Dale Rude and Boys, Mrs. Petra Stauffer; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haukeli; Mr and Mrs Pete Leruezmo; Mrs Ragna Heiberg and Disten; Mrs Alma Foshaug; Mr and Mrs Mikal Erickson and Linda, Mr and Mrs Andy Heiberg and Family; Axel and Nita Kindley, Olaf and Nora Anderson, Alice Ashdown; Janet McCowan, Mrs J. W. Attewell, Charlie and Dorothy Oshaldestan; Irene and Bill Wiens, Henry and Agnes McGinitie, Eric and Alice Munkedahl; Jean Othen; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Eggen; Norman and Evelyn Stauffer.

To Tofield Baptist Church Memorial Fund — Lila, Sharsel and family; Dorothy and Lindsay; Rod and Isabel Rudzcki.

To Tofield Municipal Hospital —Leslie and Mabel Jones, Mr and Mrs. C. J. Kallal, Charlie and Mary Roberge and Family.

To Tofield Baptist Church — Horace Seller; Ellen Eaton and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Geo Thompson and Doreen; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Erickson, Ingrid and Thomas Jacobs; Mr. and Mrs J. E. Stinson; Bessie and Lorimer Hunter, Mr. and Mrs Frank Shupe, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ferguson; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wiens; Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter; Joyce and Arnold Swift, Mr. and Mrs Phillip Anderson; Mrs. Anne Anderson; McAllister Family; George Abernethy; Mrs. Walker and Ronnie; Verne and Kay Walker.

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To Bethany Home for Children, Gwynne — Mr. and Mrs. H. Swanson and Family.

To The Lutheran Hour — Joe and Doreen Skinner and Family.

To Tofield United Church Memorial Fund — John and Alice Warner.

To Bardo WCTU — Carl, Alma and Garry.

To Lions Club of Tofield—Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Garford; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Garford.

To World Literature Crusade—Ingolf and Esther Brekkan.

To Lutheran Layman Witness —Clarence, Borghild and Merlin Rude.

To Gideon Memorial Bible Plan —Bev and Muriel Foster and Family; Ivan and Hazel May and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Orvis Kennedy.

To The Heart Fund — Mr. and Mrs. Cal Annis, Dale, Joan and Family, Dennis, Carol and Family, Peter and Myrtle; Mr. and Mrs John Stauffer; Arnold and Edna Janes and Family; Mr. and Mrs S. Pearson.

To The Cancer Fund — Emil and Eugene; Diane and Lawrence; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mosby.

To Ministik United Church Memorial Fund — Helen Hennessy.

**Card of Thanks**

May the Lord's blessing and reward be unto each and every friend, relative and neighbor who has liberally given of themselves on our behalf at this time. We give God the glory for surrounding us with your prayers and concern, also for the memorial and floral tributes.

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The County of Beaver No. 9
Secretary-Treasurer
Ryley, Alberta. 7-nc

# Willowdale news

(Beulah Burnstad)

WILLOWDALE, Oct. 11th — Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hamstra, and Mr. and Mrs. Tees Hamstra of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Mr and Mrs Bill Holowitchuk. Afternoon visitors were Albert Bruce and girls of Calgary, Mrs Johnnie Wagner of Edmonton and Mr and Mrs. John Bruce.

Mrs Cecil Hoffman and family of Edmonton and Mary Lou Scabar spent the holiday weekend with their parents, the Loui Scabars.

Mr and Mrs. Steve Scabar, of Edmonton, visited with the former's mother, Mrs Scabar, at Round Hill on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Ray Butler and family, of Three Hills, spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Mrs. Mary Burnstad.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kushnerick, of Edmonton, spent the long weekend with Mike and Emmet Kushnerick.

Albert Bruce and Debbie and Fern, of Calgary, were Sunday overnight guests at the John Bruce home.

Weekend guests at the Laurie Blades home were Winnifred Blades, Margie Farnell and Carol Campbell of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Don Farnell of Red Deer, Nolan Blades of Calgary and Marion Blades of Wainwright.

## County of Beaver No. 9

## NOMINATION NOTICE

**Public Notice is hereby given that I will attend at the County Office in Ryley on FRIDAY the 5th day of NOVEMBER, 1965, from three o'clock in the afternoon to four o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of receiving nominations for the office of Councillor.**

**2 COUNCILLORS TO BE ELECTED**

Councillors are to be elected for the following electoral divisions:

**DIVISION No. 5**

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# News items from Ketchamoot

MARY MITCHELL

Angus and Eileen Mitchell of Edmonton were Sunday dinner and overnight guests of Harold and Lil Schultz. Lorraine Alan was a guest of Betsy-Ann on Sunday.

Dorothy and Roy Whillans and boys motored to Edmonton on Sunday where they were guests of Martha and Ken Ovelson for a turkey dinner.

On Thanksgiving Day Mr and Mrs. R. Sears and their two ... and sons motored to Camrose to spend the day with Mrs. McCrae and Marg.

Delos Holmes, Patricia and Jimmy Jr and Mrs Alma Holmes of Ministik, were Monday coffee guests in Mary Mitchell's home.

**Last week visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sears and family were Mrs. C. Watts of Victoria, Mrs. Hanson of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Ellen Sears of Tofield.**

Elvira Carlisle returned home Saturday, after spending several weeks in Edmonton.

Mrs. Jean Ray, Ricky and Cheryl and Mr and Mrs. Ron Perry of Edmonton spent the long weekend at the home of Mrs. Lela Sutton.

Miss Joanne Nickerson was a dinner guest with her aunt and uncle, Mae and Bill Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCall and children were Saturday visitors with Chester Coombes. Hugh spent part of the time duck hunting.

**TO GERMANY**

Donald Erickson of Camrose, son of Mrs. Mary Erickson, left by jet plane on Monday from the International Airport at Nisku to fly to Duesseldorf, Germany, to visit his brother in law and sister (Marion), Mr and Mrs Ray Daley. Mr Daley is a member of the First PPCLI brigade of the Canadian Army stationed in Duesseldorf. En route home Donald plans to stop at Montreal and Toronto for a short visit in the two cities. Mrs. Erickson accompanied by her sister in-law, Mrs. Adams of Ryley, took Donald to the airport to see him off.

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# Kingman district news items

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

**HERE FROM MINNESOTA**

Mr and Mrs Ted Melust of Marieta Minn., Mrs Alma Fj... and Charlie Johnson of Camrose and Mr and Mrs. Allen Anderson were Thursday evening guests at the John Johnson home.

Mr and Mrs Herman Swanson were Sunday dinner guests at the John Swanson home at Holden.

Pete Fjeseth and Brian Fjeseth spent the long weekend at ... Mountain where Brian and Douglas have a homestead.

Mrs John Holte and Mrs A. M. Wick motored to Grande Prairie and La Glace for the long weekend. Mrs. Roy Mo... accompanied them to her ... at La Glace after visiting ... at Kingman.

Mr Julia Johnson, Mildred ... and Mrs Olive ... all of Camrose were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the H. W. Johnson home and afternoon visitors with Mrs Ingrid Hovelson.

Miss Gertrude Asp and Yvonne ..., both of Calgary, spent the weekend at their respective homes here.

Ed Davis of Clyde is visiting with the Stan Davis and Wyman Christenson families for a few days.

Mr and Mrs Eric Wruck and family spent Sunday at the Fred ... home in Edmonton and also visited the Alberta Game Farm.

Mr and Mrs Ingvald Ness were Sunday dinner guests at the Mervyn Ness home in Edmonton.

Mr and Mrs Vernon Stavne and Mr and Mrs Wilbert Lysenng and family of the Armena district were Sunday visitors at the Lloyd Bjorgum home.

**OBSERVE BIRTHDAY**

Mr and Mrs Palmer Boness and Mr. and Mrs Louis Erga were among the many guests at the Alan Erga home at Lacombe on Sunday when they celebrated Lane Erga's birthday.

Gerald Johnson of Calgary spent the weekend with his mother and sister, Mrs Brith Johnson and Gail.

Mr and Mrs Bernard Johnson and family of Rimbey were Sunday supper guests at the Wilfred Johnson home.

Mr and Mrs Ted Swanlund and family of Drayton Valley spent the weekend at the Oscar Erga home and also were callers at the Wilfred Johnson home.

Miss Mabel Simonson spent the weekend in Edmonton with Alice Simonson and the Henry Simonsons.

Marge Anhalt, Marie Lee and Mr and Mrs. Dick Snady of Edmonton were Monday visitors at the John Kozak home.

Oscar Simonson had many of his children and grandchildren home over the long weekend.

# Bridal shower honors couple

(Mary Mitchell)

KETCHAMOOT Several ladies of the district attended a ... shower for the newlyweds Mr and Mrs Melvin ...lderson, on Friday evening at Tofield Baptist Church parlors. The room was gaily decorated with wedding bells, and the young couple were seated under a colored parasol.

A pleasant evening was spent playing several contests conducted by Mrs Ashdown. The gifts were presented by Pastor McLean. Ruth Ferguson, sister of the groom, assisted in unwrapping the gifts. A tasty lunch was served by the local ladies.

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# The Diary of a Vagabond

(By Dorothy Barker)

## Spirit of '65

Those of us who live in thickly settled areas of this country may wonder what it is that draws others into the vast reaches of virgin soil muskeg and land covered with brush. It is hard to even imagine the possibility those acres hold a promise of bountiful crops. I was so curious about this attraction I sought an interview with the first citizens of a brand new town.

Mr and Mrs. Owen Jordan are the parents of a son and daughter. When they should have been thinking of retiring and enjoying their seven grandchildren, they decided to make a dream come true. That dream now stands on firm, dry land that was once known as "the worst muskeg in the province". It isn't a castle they built in their imagination during the years they ran a motel in Valleyview, or when they cleared and first farmed their homestead in the northern Peace River country. It is a modern hotel, bank and bus station complex that is a handsome addition to the rapidly expanding business section of High Level, Alberta.

Owen Jordan is a big man with a kind, wrinkle-free countenance familiar to hundreds who have passed his way since the building of the Great Slave Lake Railway by the CN made prosperity possible for proprietor, merchant and settler alike. Until construction started, this northern area of Alberta had millions of acres peopled only by birds and beasts, Indians on scattered reserves and here and there hardy homesteaders.

Perhaps it took a lot of faith in the future, Owen Jordan admitted to me, to spend the best years of their lives several hundred miles north of the nearest city, Edmonton. He spoofed the image most of us have of his part in the northland. "People who live in the southern section of Canada think dog sled is our only means of transportation, that this part of Canada is peopled by Indians on snowshoes and Eskimos in parkas. They have a picture of eternal winter here, when as a matter of fact it was 100 degrees above zero in High Level this summer" Jordan said, however, that once the winter sets in the thermometer seldom rises above 50 to 60 degrees below zero. "When she reaches 20 above we think spring has arrived", he laughingly remarked.

Most years, because the High Level area is practically free of frost and storms during the growing season, wheat crops average 40-60 bushels per acre. The Jordans are proud of their homestead ten miles distant, but let's learn more about that dream of theirs.

If the walls of their 24-room hotel could talk they would undoubtedly gossip about deals that have known millions of dollars to change hands. Lumber contracts, oil leases, crops that will tax the three elevators near the new CN station, rape for the manufacture of margarine and other vegetable oil substances and flax for many manufacturing purposes all add up to this new prosperity for the Peace River Country.

### SCRAP OF PAPER

Jordan and his wife were the first land title holders in High Level. They operated a service station and ran the only store for miles around. When building of the railway was confirmed they [illegible] these two properties and drew a pencil sketch on a bit of paper of the hotel they wanted to build. This was submitted to the Alberta Department of Municipal Development for approval. When they obtained permission to build, they also realized the $270,000 cost would need at least two other partners if the hotel was to develop as they dreamed it should. Two men were found to invest in the undertaking. They are silent partners, "the best in the world", according to Jordan.

Since a year ago last February, every drop of water used in the hotel has had to be hauled from Footner Lake, seven miles away. Residents pay $1.25 for 45 gallons delivered to their homes. This will end when contracts for a new water disposal plant are awarded. Ask the Jordans why they undertook such a hazardous investment under these conditions and they will look at you rather pityingly, as though you haven't a clue about what dreams are made of, and answer, "We love it here, we couldn't live in any other place". They admit, however, that the coming of the railway has had a lot to do with their affection for High Level.

## The weather

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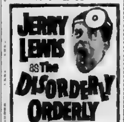


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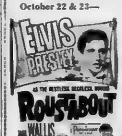


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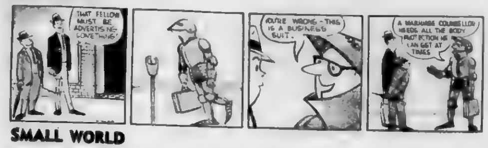


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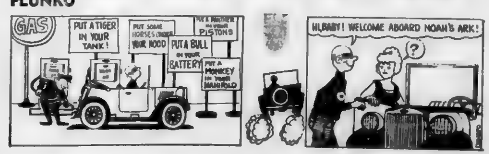

THE FIRST PITCH. Don Drysdale, above, won the honors of hurling the opening pitch for the Los Angeles Dodgers as they met the Minnesota Twins for the World Series. Drysdale has never lost a World Series game. Fellow Dodgers pitcher Sandy Koufax missed the first game, since Wednesday was Yom Kipper, Jewish day of atonement, and Koufax does not play on Jewish holy days.

# Ministik news items

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

As there was no student minister for the United Church services on Sunday, Harold Dunham conducted the service. He was welcomed back after a two-week stay in Tofield hospital.

Mrs. Claude Leach spent the Thanksgiving weekend at home after taking therapy treatments on her leg last week. She returned to the city this week for more treatment.

Norman Pearice of Ardrossan and brother, Grant, of Drayton Valley, helped their father with the hay crop over the long weekend

Albert Horricks, after completing his own combining last week, assisted at the Horricks farm at Namao, returning home on Saturday.

**FARMERS SMILE**

Farmers in the area have replaced their glum faces with broad smiles, as combining and threshing nears completion, making the outlook more promising.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McSporran were Friday afternoon and tea guests of Mrs. S. George, later motoring to Tofield on business.

Several people from the district attended the lovely turkey dinner at Hastings Lake Hall on Saturday evening, where the Ladies' Club once more proved how capable they are at such an undertaking.

Little Kelly Jane McIntyre returned to her home at Westward Ho after spending two weeks with her Grandma and Grandpa McIntyre, at the local store.

Murray Rowland, who is now employed with the CNR at Chauvin, spent the weekend at his home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland.

**1300 AT DANCE**

The management and staff of the local resort of Lakeview were hosts at a Thanksgiving pre-holiday dance for a capacity crowd of 1300 dance fans on Sunday midnight

Wes Dacus and the Rebels were the feature dance band of the evening after being on tour for five months to Mexico, the east coast, the west coast and many other points. Garry McDonnell and his popular Nomads were the supporting band.

Mrs. Margaret Tough of Victoria, B.C., visited Mrs. S. George on Monday, planning to return for a longer stay.

**HERE FROM MANITOBA**

Mrs. George Armstrong of Snow Lake, Man., arrived Sunday to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. W. F. Davenport.

Margaret and Edna Roddick spent Thanksgiving weekend with their parents, Dolly and Jim Roddick Rod Roddick of Edmonton was a Monday guest.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Never esteem anything as of advantage to thee that shall make thee break thy word or lose thy self respecet.

—Marcus Aureleus JWR

# Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The Lakeshore UCW will hold their October meeting at the home of Mrs. Isabel Rudzcki on Wednesday, Oct 20th. Meeting to start at 2 p.m. sharp so please try to be there on time.

**[illegible]**

Sympathy of the district goes to Mrs. (Alice) John Warner of Tofield, and her family, also all relatives of the Warner family on the sudden death of John Warner early Friday morning, October 8th. John, Alice and family were long time residents of the Lakeshore [illegible] a few years ago [illegible] Alice retired and moved to Tofield. Mr. Warner will be sadly missed not only by his family, but by his many friends and neighbors.

**Sympathy also goes to Mrs. Chas. Kallal Sr. and family, and all Kallal relatives on the death Wednesday, Oct. 6th, of Mr. Chas. Kallal at the Tofield hospital.**

Mrs. Lil Ball of Edmonton visited with her sister, Vi, and Elmer Geoglein from Thursday to Sunday.

Harold Sieb of Ladner, B.C., arrived a short time ago and is a guest of his sister, Eleanor, and Ernie Runzer.

Erma and Fred Oynschuk and daughter, Debbie, of Edmonton, were Monday afternoon visitors at the home of Eleanor and Ernie Runzer. En route home, they called in at the home of Ernie's brother, Charlie, and Mickey Niemetz, to say hello to all there.

Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Martha and Emil Tiedemann were Martha's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Goubault of Tofield, and her sister, Adele, and Cliff Gossell of Edmonton.

Mrs. Patsy Loxton and baby, Cheryl, and Patsy's mother, Mrs. Mickey Niemetz were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Ernie and Eleanor Runzer.

Don and Deanna Niemetz and baby son, Sheldon, of Vauxhall, and Gail Niemetz of Edmonton spent the Thanksgiving weekend from Friday night to Monday, at the home of Don and Gail's parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and grandson, Donald Jones, motored to Edmonton on Sunday and were Thanksgiving guests at the home of their daughter, and Donald's mother, Mrs. Vivian Jones They returned home on Monday night

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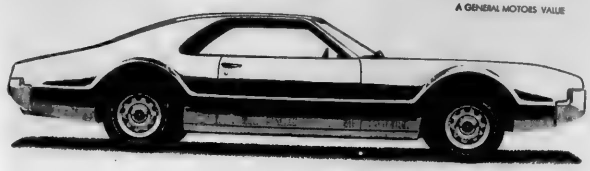

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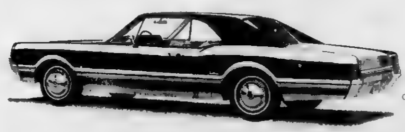

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# Locals

Mrs J A L Smith and daughter, Edith Mary, of Edmonton spent the Thanksgiving weekend at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W Robinson

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Word has been received from Colin Freebury that after a rough but interesting boat trip, he arrived at Haifa, Israel, on October 3rd.

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Kathleen Freebury spent the Thanksgiving weekend with Miss Cheryl Sharp at Drumheller.

On Saturday night "Granny" Hardy, Inga and Joyce Hardy, Gwen Murray, Helen and Gloria Grover and Zip Gray attended a shower held in Camrose at the home of Mrs. Andersen, in honor of Miss Eleanor Reum, whose marriage to Merland Thomas Ytri of Camrose will take place Friday, Oct. 22nd.

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Jean Schacher and children of Edmonton spent the weekend with Jean's mother, Mrs. Kay Fraser.

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Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Stockton were Donna and Garth Franklin of Bruderheim, Kathleen King and girls of Edmonton, Carol Franklin and Shirley Baker of Fort Saskatchewan.

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Mr. and Mrs. Stockton were Edmonton visitors on Monday.

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Sunday dinner guests with Helge and Emma Reger were their daughter, Carol and Wilfred Helgeland and grandsons, Darrell and Donald, of Camrose. They were supper guests with Wilfred's parents, the Selmer Helgelands, of Ryley

Sunday afternoon coffee guests at the Reger home were Mrs. George Undin and Mrs. Rudolf Undin, Darrell and Kathy of Kingman.

## 4-H Food Club re-organizes

The Ryley 4-H Food Club re-organized on Tuesday, Sept. 28, in the Home Economics room. Leaders are Mrs. Pepper and Mrs Annabo, and Fay Olsenberg is assistant leader

Officers were elected as follows: Lucy Disorlais, president; Peggy Fisk, vice-president, Norma Hjelter, secretary, Yvonne Vergette, treasurer, Dolores Nord, social convener, Linda Lyons, club reporter

There were nine members present. Suggestions were made for a dance on Hallowe'en

Meetings will be held the second Tuesday of each month in the Home Ec room at 7.30 p.m.

Capital requirements for investment by business and industry in Canada in 1965 are estimated at $3,419 million for new construction, $3,951 million for new machinery and equipment, $693 million for repair construction, and $1,878 million for repair of machinery and equipment.

## Kingman news items

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Oct. 13th — Mrs. Clarence Simonson and Mrs. Don Murray of Camrose were Wednesday afternoon visitors with Mrs Alex Asp

Mrs. Roy Molvik of La Glace spent Tuesday to Thursday visiting with old friends in Kingman, and was a house guest of the A. M. Wicks.

The Kingman Sewing Club held their first fall meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 29th, at Mrs. I. Ness' home. There were ten ladies present.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Asp, Mrs. Alex Asp and Miss Gertrude Asp attended the silver wedding anniversary celebration for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis at Red Deer on Sunday.

## High school football flash

In Viking on October 8th, Tofield played its first football game. The game was won by Tofield with a score of 13 to 12, with Brian McFadzean and John Wall making the Tofield touchdowns, and Derril Reil making the winning convert

October 13th brought the first game to Tofield, with Tofield and Ryley competing, Ryley winning 43 to 37. While single touchdowns were made by Tofield's John Wall, Greg Whyte, Allan Everitt and Derrill Reil, who also converted one touchdown, and Brian McFadzean made two touchdowns. There was not much support for the teams at either of these games, so once more the public is urged to get out and cheer for their favorite team.

## Ketchamoot news

Intended for Last Week

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketchum and family of Rocky Mountain House spent the weekend with Chester and Harold Coombes. They also were callers at the Ronnie Coombes home.

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

Mrs. George Lee entertained a number of ladies on Saturday evening at her home at a Tupper Tea shower for Miss Betty Lee of Edmonton. An enjoyable evening was spent with games and contests, and a tasty lunch was served. The bride's cake was made and artistically decorated by Alice Gould.

The following young people of the district spent the weekend at home with their respective parents: Raymond McGinitie, Betsy-Ann Schultz, Judy Mitchell, and Irene and Verna Law[illegible]

Lorna Mitchell and her friend Betty Coron of Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell.


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## Sale of Lacombe swine to be held October 28

A sale of Lacombe swine is to be held in the Lacombe Auction Mart at Lacombe October 28th.

This is the fourth annual sale to be sponsored by the Alberta Lacombe Breeders' Association. President of the association is Dan Smith of Fawcett and Bob Prestage of Camrose is secretary.

Offered for sale will be 47 head of bred gilts, open gilts and boars.

Judging takes place at 10:30 a.m., and the sale gets under way at 1:30.

The Lacombe breed of swine is white in color, of bacon type, and with a flop ear. It is low-set and carries a full, meaty ham. Entries for the sale must be an animal born in Canada whose sire and dam are registered in the Lacombe section of the General Stud and Herd Book or in the Canadian National Record for Lacombe Swine, and an animal which is certified to be representative of the breed.

THE OLD WAY. A scene such as the above has become as rare in Canada as the sight of a railway steam engine. But in Gloucester, Eng., farmers still use horses on their binders when harvesting oats. Undamaged straw is required for making straw rope used to pack pipes.

## Shower honors bride - elect

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — A large number of ladies of Holden and district met Friday evening in the parlors of the Roman Catholic Church to honor Miss Betty Chupka, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka, who will become the bride of Stephen Bellman of Edmonton on October 30th.

The room was decorated with a [illegible]'s motif. Seated at the head table with the guest of honor were her mother, Mrs. Mike Chupka, her sister, Patsy, and cousin Miss Marilyn Manchur, Edmonton. Various games were played after which Mrs Grace Appleby made the presentation of many lovely and useful gifts to Betty with the good wishes from all for her future happiness. Betty replied most graciously, thanking all for their kindness. A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses.

## Ryley 4-H Club has 18 members

The second monthly meeting of the Ryley 4-H Clothing Club was held on Tuesday, Oct. 5th. Books, pins, crests and rings were ordered for the members. Total membership this year is 18. Initiation of first year members and leaders followed the business meeting.

## "Big Three" plans party

Joy Warkentin, editor

The Big Three had a meeting on October 13th, and an executive meeting on Monday, Oct. 18th, when it was decided that there would be a platter party. An emcee from CJCA will be coming for the affair. The charge will be 25 cents.

## Ladies' Society meets

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

SPILSTEAD — The Spilstead Ladies' Society held their regular meeting on October 6th at the home of Mrs. June Maunard. A very busy afternoon was spent tying a quilt. A tasty lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Bertha Belcourt in November.

The annual fall sale will be held the evening of November 19th at the Spilstead Hall. Everyone welcome.

## Thomas Budd heads union

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Holden High School Students' Union held their election of officers Friday, Oct. 1st, with the following students being elected to office: Pres., Thomas Budd; vice-pres., Ron Koetke; sec., Gladys Puk; treas., Tharon Appleby, press rep., Vivian Carlson; social convener, Valerie Stambaugh; sports rep., girls, Adeline Puk; boys, Arthur Micklich.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

There is no dependence that can be sure but a dependence upon one's self. John Gay.

—JWR.

## Service board notes

By REX BOYLE

**FALL WEED CONTROL**

During our travels and checking on weed problems throughout the summer it is evident that summerfallow has been neglected. Thistles have made a recovery, following a good cultivation practice during the summer. Wet weather and the rush to get harvesting done has caused delays in all farm work. However, if we should get a break in the weather there is still time to kill perennial weeds before freeze-up. Top growth at this time of year allows roots to store up energy for a quick growth next spring and a good job of summerfallowing can be wasted if perennial weeds are not cultivated or sprayed at this time.

Wild oats are a problem this year, following good control practices during the previous year. Chemical spraying for wild oats has proved that yields have been increased from 5 to 15 bushels per acre. Fall cultivation and seeding next spring will give good control of wild oats.

**PEST CONTROL**

Now is the time to control warbles and lice on cattle. Most farmers will be using "pour on" chemicals. These include Reulene 25E and Neguvon 8%. Neguvon is a new pour-on chemical registered for sale this year. One advantage with this chemical is that no mixing is required as it is used direct from the can. Farmers who wish to use Co-Ral spray are reminded that our spraying unit is available on a

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## Council appoints committee at Monday night's meeting

The Council of the Town of Tofield met Monday evening. Mayor Dr. W. H. Freebury and Councillors Allan, Boese, Everitt, Herndon, Patterson and Swift were present, and Gordon Garford and Const. J. Wall waited on council

Oaths of office were subscribed to by Clrs. Patterson and Herndon for three-year terms.

**COMMITTEES**

The appointment of Committees were as follows: Clrs. Herndon and Everitt, finance, Clrs Everitt and Boese, police and by-laws; Clrs. Allan and Swift, fire and light; Clrs Swift and Patterson, utilities; Clrs Patterson and Herndon, public works, Clrs. Boese and Allan, property, rink, health, welfare and civil defence.

Clr. Allan moved the appointment of Clr. Swift as Deputy Mayor for the coming term.

**BUILDING PERMIT**

G Garford requested Council's approval to build on an acreage situated north of Block C, Plan 1451 NY. It was resolved that approval be granted to Mr Garford

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## Big bingo coming!

A merchandise bingo will be held November 18th in the Community Centre. Members of the Community League are now conducting an advance ticket sale

A free prize will be drawn for from the stubs of the tickets sold in advance, and the prizes at the bingo will be excellent.

## High school students end magazine drive

The end of the magazine drive by the students at Tofield High School brought with it the excitement of the annual ice cream party. Everyone had their fill of ice cream and cake, which was supplied by the losing team [illegible] the drive, the high school girls. [illegible] the prizes for the drive were awarded.

The first-day high salesman prize went to Elaine Sorell and second to Gerald Burkholder. The weekend prize went to G[illegible] Burkholder with Shirley Swift second. The over-all high salesman award was won by Doug Everitt, Glen Burkholder second and Ruth-Ellen Sears [illegible]rd The jackpot awards were won by June Christensen, Ethel Burkholder and Doug Everitt. These prizes were furnished [illegible] the Curtis Publishing Company, according to the amount of sales [illegible] made.

**FOOTBALL**

On Tuesday, the Holden and Tofield football [illegible] in Holden. Tofield won the game 26 to 6. Three touchdowns were made for Tofield by Brian MacFadzean, while Derril Reil made a touchdown, a single point, and one convert. The football schedule ended October 20th, and the Tofield school team had two wins and one loss. The final position of the Tofield team will be determined by the result of the Viking - Ryley game played on the 20th.

## George Glover laid to rest

On October 17th, George Glover, 12023 - 124th Street, Edmonton, passed away at the age of 60 years. He leaves to mourn, his wife, Cecilia; three daughters and two sons, Mrs. Robert (Ann) Sample, Jack, Sharon, John Edmund, and Ann Maria, all of Edmonton; grandson, Dwayne Sample, three brothers, Stanley of Edmonton, Leslie and Norman of Tofield.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday at 10 a.m from St. Edmund's Church Interment was in Holy Cross Cemetery.

## Harvest is almost completed

"The weather of the past week again has been very good for combining".

This is the report from both C. A. Nolan of Tofield and H. B. Berke of Ryley, Wheat Pool grain buyers for their respective areas. Both men add the harvest is practically completed

"Farmers are busy baling straw and putting up the winter's supply of feed and bedding", says Mr Berke

Oat and barley crops in the Tofield area are somewhat lighter than expected, and the same is true of the wheat, according to Mr Nolan. The wheat yield is about 24, oats 50 and barley 30.

At Ryley the wheat is yielding 20, and as at Tofield, oats is yielding 50 bushels to the acre and barley 30.

# Two-party claptrap

There's a great deal of nonsense being talked these days . . . election days, of course . . . about the wonderful merits the country would enjoy if we returned to the simple two-party system. Eliminate the splinter groups, say the proponents of this plan, and we'll have sounder government in Canada. Look at how well the system operates in the United States, say its advocates.

Rubbish.

There wouldn't be splinter parties if the people were satisfied with the choice between the two major parties, which they aren't. And they haven't been for years and years. All too frequently the major difference between the two parties seems to lie in who's in and who's out.

Why, there'd be no Labor government in Britain today if splinter parties hadn't been permitted. There'd be no Social Credit governments in Alberta or British Columbia. And in B.C. at least, Social Credit flourished because the people couldn't tell the Liberals from the Conservatives, and didn't want either one anyway.

There's a great deal of misunderstanding about politics in the States, too. While it generally revolves around the two major parties, there are several splinter parties here and there. Some of our readers old enough to recall Wendell Wilkie and his amazing campaign may be surprised to learn that there were actually seven parties contesting that election. And Wilkie, although leading a "new party" made a remarkably good showing.

While we doubt if any of the "splinter" parties will make much of a show this year in Alberta, we still maintain they contribute a great deal to government. Not being subject to the discipline of the party in power, they must be persuaded their support is warranted for legislation under discussion. Naturally the official Opposition must oppose mightily. But the splinter parties can gee or haw as prudence or conscience dictates. In this field, it seems, could lie the greatest guarantee of responsible government.

# Under 25

The accent today is on youth, and tremendous publicity has been focussed that about a year ago we reached the level where fully fifty per cent of all Canadians were under the age of 25.

Naturally, this persuaded merchants and manufacturers to beam a tremendous portion of their production at the young . . . even more than half, in some instances, since young people provide such a fast moving market often buoyed up by reasonably substantial incomes which are not tied to family responsibilities. On the other hand, older members of the community often do not have so many wants, as their needs are already filled, or even declining.

But surely it's folly for the politician to say "half of the population is under 25", for obviously at least two-thirds of these people haven't the vote . . . nor could they very much affect it even. Whether or no those above 21 have reached the "age of discretion", the range for voters would probably hinge pretty close to the age of 45. And probably much more influence is exercised by those above that level than below.

We applaud the entry of Mr. Preston Manning into the political arena, with his accent on youth and his emphasis on the vigorous drive young people can contribute. We need the spark of youth in government as well as other fields. But let's not go overboard in the matter. Let's not lose our sense of proportion and be mesmerized simply by arithmetic.


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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sears and family and Mrs. Ellen Sears of Tofield motored to Edmonton on Sunday evening to be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dyer.

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

To help celebrate her birthday on Friday evening, Yvonne Brown had the following guests: her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Tiedemann and Mary, Keitha and Stanley Brown, Irene and Sandy Scott and girls, Annie McGinitie and Aunt Ada Turner, and Kenneth, Anne, Oliver and children.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Whilliams, a daughter, Marlene Grace, on Thursday, Oct. 14th.**

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whilliams were to Edmonton on Sunday to see their new granddaughter

Sunday visitors with Ivan and Marie Mitchell were Mr and Mrs. Alfred Sherbeck of Wetaskiwin, Louise Moore and Judy Mitchell of Edmonton.

Mr and Mrs. Lars Olsen of Holden were Sunday evening callers with their daughter, Kay, Ron and children.

**25th ANNIVERSARY**

Last Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mitchell at their home in Edmonton to a pleasant evening, the occasion being the 20th wedding anniversary of the Mitchells.

Sunday guests for turkey dinner at Vergina Sutton's home in Edmonton were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sutton and Brian, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams, Mrs. Ida Williams and Arthur.

**SURPRISE SHOWER**

On Thursday evening, Miss Verna Lawson, November bride-elect, was surprised by her class mates who honored her with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Judy Mitchell in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Godwin and children of Olds were week-end guests of Annie McGinitie and Ada Turner.

Opal and Donnolley McGinitie, Darlene and Floyd, motored to Ryley where they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Munkedahl.

Sunday afternoon coffee guests with Lilly and Harold Schultz were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Strauss and children of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Cal Annis and children of Tofield.


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# Ministik Ladies' Club has October meeting

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

The October meeting of the Ministik Ladies' Club was held at the United Church with nine members present. Roll call was answered by each lady donating a small item for the grab boxes for the fall bazaar on November 5th. November roll call will be answered by "What impressed me most about the bazaar".

Mrs. Keith Williams was chosen once again to be lunch convener of the bazaar and a report by convener Mrs. Andrew Ferguson showed preparations for the affair are well under way.

The club voted a $100 donation to the local hall to be used for continued improvmeent. Tickets for the two merchandise vouchers were distributed.

Entertainment was supplied by Mrs. Frank Swabey who gave a humorous reading, and by Mrs. A. Ferguson, in the absence of Mrs. Joe Davenport, who conducted a contest on "Name the flowers". Prizes were won by Mrs. Frank Swabey, Mrs. S. George and Mrs. Jim Roddick.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth, Mrs. Albert Horricks and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson.

# Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

Sunday, Oct. 10th, was the 18th birthday of Lorraine McLachlan.

Lester and Wilma Odiorne are leaving on Friday for B.C., to visit with relatives and friends there

Graham and Elma Snider were Friday evening visitors at the home of Howard and Neil Malcolm, while Monday evening visitors were Howard's sister, Jean, and husband, Bob Ferrel of Edmonton.

Mrs. Lill Vanbuskirk and boys spent a week at Medicine Hat visiting with her mother.

**FATHER PASSES**

Sympathy of the community is extended to Fred Antoniuk and family on the passing of his fa-[illegible]

**25th ANNIVERSARY**

Relatives and friends gathered at the hall in Hilliard on Saturday evening to help Joe and Ann Motiuk celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary. A lovely supper was served and a night of dancing followed. The happy couple was presented with a clothes dryer as a gift from the [illegible]

# PUBLIC NOTICE!

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that there has been introduced in the Council of The County of Beaver No. 9 a by-law under the provisions of Section 287 of the Municipal District Act, Chapter 215 R.S.A. 1955 with amendments thereto, of which the following is a short synopsis:

AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF LAND, CONSTRUCTING, MAINTAINING AND OPERATING A SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM FOR THE HAMLET OF KINSELLA, WITHIN THE COUNTY OF BEAVER NO. 9, and that a copy of the same may be [illegible] each of the following places:
The County Office in Ryley
Kinsella Hotel, Kinsella

and further that unless, within thirty days from the publication of this notice, at least ten percent of the proprietary electors of the County petition the Council to submit such by-law to the vote of the proprietary electors of the County the Council will proceed and, if it thinks fit, to pass the same.

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—OLOF MONSSON, Secretary-Treasurer. 8-nc

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# The Ryley Times

DOG TIRED. The cool crisp days of autumn are upon us, and the days are growing shorter, and the darkness comes sooner. This pooch isn't concerned, however. To compensate, he gets tired sooner, and so with a yawn, it's off to bed for a catnap . . . er, dognap.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Esther Majakey and Mrs. Emily Roberge, both of Edmonton, Mrs. Mabel Bailey of Tofield, Mrs. Ethel Wood, and Mrs. Martha Tiedemann were Friday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Mary Wood.

Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of John and Mary Wood were their two daughters and their families, namely, Dede and Robert Gonbault and their children, Jack and Judy, and a friend, Gloria Erickson, all of Drayton Valley; Lorene and Jim Francis and family of Viking; Mrs. Gloria (Johnny) Wood and baby daughter, Gloria's brother, Jimmy, and Jean Miller of Stony Plain; also her mother and sister, Mrs. John Miller and daughter, Gloria, of Onoway; David Bollans, Doug Davies and Garry Murphy, all of Edmonton. The men were helping John with the threshing and the ladies spent some time visiting during the afternoon.

Mrs. Roberts of Tofield was a Saturday evening visitor and supper guest at the home of her daughter, Mae, and Howard Ferguson.

Jack Johnston was an Edmonton visitor from Thursday to Sunday.

Evie and Alex Kay and three children of Mayerthorpe arrived Saturday to spend the weekend with her parents, Joe and Tillie Yurkowsky. Also Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests there were George and Ida Niemetz and Ellen Eaton who enjoyed an evening of visiting and playing cards. Mrs. [illegible] was also there for coffee and late evening visiting.

On Saturday, Oct. 9th, Lawrence and Carol Graham and three children of Edmonton were afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Ellen Eaton was a Saturday afternoon visitor and supper guest at the home of Ruth and Roy Wickenberg in Tofield.

George and Ida Niemetz were Edmonton visitors on Monday afternoon.

Lorimer and Bessie Hunter were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Martha and Emil Tiedemann.

Dennis and Jeannette Jacobson and Jennette's sister, Eva Moody, all of Edmonton, were Saturday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Dennis's aunt, Mavis, and Carol Jacobsen and girls.

## Spilstead news briefs

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

On September 19th, a number of relatives and friends gathered at the home of T. W. Fairbrother and helped David and Donald Bertsch celebrate their 19th birthday. Those present besides Mr. and Mrs. Trueman Fairbrother, Ruth, Eileen, and Marvin, were their grandfather, E. Roycroft, their mother and brother, Mrs. J. C. Bertsch and Daryl, Marvin Burris and Maureen, Pat Tesky, Malcome Brandt, Ron Sheinbine, all of Edmonton, and Elaine Sorrell, Conrad Scott Bob Haugen, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brown and Don and Dave Bertsch.

Recent Sunday dinner guests at the T. W. Fairbrother home were E. Roycroft and Mrs. J. C. Bertsch, and supper guests were Don and Daryl Bertsch and Pat Tesky and Elaine Sorrel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barnhard and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones and family were Sunday visitors at the T. W. Fairbrother home.

Bernice Barnhard and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Reger and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones and Judy and Bradly were weekend visitors at the C. A. Barnhard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Marchuck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Olson and son were recent visitors at Mrs. Marion Fairbrother's home.

Mrs. Winder and Larry were recent visitors with the Eastbergs.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiebner were recent visitors at the Ernest Belcourt home.

Howard Anderson from Swan Hills was home recently for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Erickson and girls visited Ernest Belcourts on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mackie were recent visitors with Mr. Mackie's sister at the Clover Lawn Store in Millet.

Thanksgiving visitors at the Ernest Fairbrother home were Dirk and Elaine deFrenne, Virgil and Elsie Fairbrother and family, Cliff and Rena Fairbrother and a friend, all of Edmonton, Herb Sware and family, Oscar Sware, Torger Haugen and Bob.


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## Three new ladies for Holden OORP

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Holden OORP Lodge held their regular meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 12th. Regular business was dealt with and the report of the Chamber of Commerce dinner was given. Three new members were welcomed into the lodge. Eight ladies from Viking OORP Lodge visited, one being Supreme Historian Lady Vivian Gares, who performed the initiation and had the added pleasure if initiating her daughter, one of the new members. At the conclusion of the meeting, a delicious lunch was served by the hostesses, Ladies Elizabeth Nordstrom and Mary Semotuik.

## Locals . . .

Leonard Worton, with the RCAF at Namao Airport, called on his mother, Mrs. Worton, on Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson were in Edmonton on business last Thursday and in the afternoon attended the Anglican Diocesan Life Members' Tea in All Saints Parish Hall. Mr. Robinson returned the same evening, while Mrs Robinson stayed overnight at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J A. L. Smith, returning with her and her granddaughter, Edith Mary on Friday evening. Mrs. Smith and Edith Mary returned home Saturday afternoon.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

The Harry Johnsons were Edmonton callers on Sunday to see her sister, Mattie, in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hilland of Calgary weekended with friends and relatives here and in Camrose

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Babie and family of Vegreville were Sunday guests of the Nick Kushnericks.


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### FUTURE DATES

**ANNUAL FALL SUPPER**

The Annual Fall Supper, sponsored by the U.C.W. of the Tofield United Church, will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 27th, in the United Church, commencing at 5:30 p.m. 8c-3091

**F.U.A. MEETING**

Farmers' Union Meeting will be held in the Tofield Legion Hall on Tuesday, Oct. 26, at 8:30 p.m. 8c-3087

### IN MEMORIAM

VAN BUSKIRK. — In loving memory of Grover Cleveland Van Buskirk, who passed away Oct. 20, 1964:

One long and lonely year has
passed, dear Dad,
Since our great sorrow fell;
The shock that we received that
day,
No one can ever tell.
God gave us strength to meet it,
And courage to bear the blow,
But what it meant to lose you,
No one will ever know.
It's a lonely life without you,
And sad has been the way.
For life at home is not the same
Since you were called away;
It was a sudden ending,
Too sudden to forget—
For the ones who loved you
dearly
Are the ones who won't forget.

—Ever remembered by wife, Sophie, and Family, Dorothy, Vernon, Gilbert, Wilfred, Marvin, Betty and Sylvia. 8p-3059

VERGETTE.—In loving memory of our Husband and Father, who passed away Oct. 25, 1962:

Three years have passed since
the saddest day,
Someone dearly cherished was
taken away;
How lonely, lost and depressed
we may be—
But all we have left is a fond
memory.

—Ever remembered and sadly missed by his Loving Wife and Family. 8p-3095

### ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roth are pleased to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Barbara Louise, to Mr Mervin Yoder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Yoder of Camrose. The wedding will take place on December 30 at the Salem Mennonite Church. 8p-3080

### NOTICES

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### CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all our friends for the floral tributes, cards and donations received in the loss of our loved one, the late Norman J. Gunther. Special thanks to Rev. W. H. McDannold, the pallbearers and Watson's Construction.
—Margaret and Dorothy. 8p-3086

We wish to thank our relatives and friends for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy received during our recent bereavement.
—Mrs. Warner and Family. 8p-3092

We wish to thank our relatives, friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy received during our recent bereavement. Also for the many beautiful floral tributes and many Mass cards. A special thanks also to the pallbearers and to Rev. B. Dribnencky. May God bless you all.
—Fred Eliniak and Family. 8c-2504

I wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stambaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hansen for the beautiful bouquet of flowers; also those who sent reading, magazines, candy, fruit and cards, and took the time to pay friendly visits while I was confined to hospital due to my accident. I wish also to thank Zane Bilyk for the candy and the Holden Legion for the box of chocolates and card, and the driver and his assistant for the prompt service of the ambulance. Thank you one and all again, your kindness was appreciated.
—Clare Anderson. 8c-2506

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Q. Are silver crumb scrapers still in good use at the dinner table?

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# Bardo district news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Oct 20th — Mr and Mrs Chester Hendrickson from New Westminster, B.C., were visitors at the Phillip Anderson home last week, also doing some hunting in the district.

Thanksgiving dinner guests at the Leonard Stauffer home were the Herman Lawsons, Wayne Lawsons, Marvin Moens and Mrs. Vivian Gouglein and Cheryl.

Guests at the Lester Severson home for Thanksgiving were Mrs. Litwin from Tofield, Pat and Margot Williams from Calgary, Ralph and Alice Dahl of Camrose, Grandma Ness, Don and Patricia Litwin and Gregory and Ingolf and Esther Brekkan and Denny. David spent the weekend at home also.

**BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED**

On Saturday evening, Ivan, Olive, Caroline, Phyllis and Ronny Foshaug, and Evelyn and Robert Foshaug visited at the Arnold Johnson home, celebrating the birthdays of Walter and Phyllis.

Phillip and Norma Anderson and family motored to Edmonton on Sunday to visit Norma's mother, Mrs Haugland from La Glace, who is assisting at the Bill Green home while her daughter, Gladys, is ill, suffering from pneumonia.

Mrs. Gunhild Hendrickson of New Westminster, B.C., is visiting friends and relatives. Art and Helen Moen brought her out from Camrose on Saturday and they all were guests with Mrs. Alma Foshaug.

**FORMER PASTOR HERE**

Pastor and Mrs. S. Bue from Pass Lake, Ontario, who came to be present at the graduation of their daughter, Sharon, from the University Hospital in Edmonton, spent Sunday in the Kingman parish, Pastor Bue preaching in each of the three congregations. A fellowship luncheon was enjoyed after the morning services in the Bardo recreational centre, honoring the Bues.

Phyllis Foshaug celebrated her birthday with a party after school when six girls were present. The group included Joan Yader, Marian Hostetler, Evelyn Shmidt, Lillian Rohner, Dorothy Berg and Donna Mosby.

**THANKSGIVING**

The Bjarne Erickson family of Edson and Linda Erickson of Edmonton spent the Thanksgiving weekend at the M. Erickson home; Stan and Bertha Ramstad from Calgary were with the Arnold Johnsons; Caroline Foshaug of Edmonton, with her parents; Carl, Alma, Marie and Garry Nelson of Edmonton, Raymond, Betty and Ricky Brooks of Wetaskiwin at Clarence Rude home; the Ed Look family and Glenn Sitler family from Edmonton at the Elmer Sitler home.

The Peter Bjornsons, Dennis Bjornsons and Dale Bjornsons, all from Edmonton, were visitors at the Glenn Francis home on Saturday, helping Iris celebrate her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mitchell and the Harold Kindley family all from Edmonton, spent part of the Thanksgiving holiday at the Axel Kindley home.

Mr and Mrs. Albert Haukedal spent the Thanksgiving weekend with their son-in-law and daughter, Jack and [illegible] Inns and granddaughters, Carol and Susan at Edson.

Mrs. Olaf Anderson is a patient in the Tofield hospital for a check-up.

**Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Roll have announced the birth of a daughter on October 6th. Tracy Lynn weighed 7 lbs., 13 ozs., at birth.**

Olaf and [illegible] Stokkan visited Dale [illegible] Arlene [illegible] boys at Island Sunday afternoon.

# Former Holden woman passes October 10th

(Mrs. O. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — A former Holden district resident, Mrs. Alvilde O. Algot of Edmonton, passed away Sunday, Oct. 10th. Mrs. Algot was the former Mrs. Ed Grasdal. The Grasdal family farmed east of Holden and later in the Talbot district for many years before leaving to reside in Edmonton.

Se leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, Gustave Algot; three sons, Stanley Grasdal, Lester Grasdal, and Vernon Grasdal, all of Edmonton; five daughters, Mrs. H. Unland (Vie), Mrs. O. H (Agnes) Hamon, Mrs. G. J. (Myrtle) Lefebvre; Mrs. W. R. (Evelyn) Evans, all of Edmonton, and Mrs. R. (Hazel) Smallwood of Seattle, two brothers, Olaf and George Valen, and one sister, Mrs. Julia Logan; 20 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

The funeral service was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 p.m. at Connelly-McKinley Funeral Chapel with Rev. James E. McNeil officiating and interment was in the Evergreen Memorial Gardens.

## Better English

By D. C. Williams

What is wrong with each of these sentences?

1. As soon as he entered into the room, he noticed that the air smelled badly.
2. Neither one of these girls are congenial people.
3. The most predominant feature of this place is its scenery.
4. Let's don't go tonight; I've been to a banquet.
5. Who is he painting that picture for?
6. Each and every one of you are entitled to especial attention.

What are the correct pronunciations of these words?

7. Futile.
8. Solace.
9. Codicil.
10. Resilience.
11. Long-lived.
12. Automation.

Which six words in the following group are misspelled?

13. Nuisance, nutritious, numerology, nuster, numismatics, devoiee, devestation, development, destructible, detrimental, accumen, accustomed, accumulation, acquisitive, acoustics, octopus, oleomargarine, optometrist, onercus, occulist, exhibitionist, exonerate, exhilerate, exuberance, excommunicate, neccesitate, nectarine, negligible, nomenclature, nonentity.

**ANSWERS**

1. Omit "into", and say, "the air smelled BAD". 2. Say, Neither one of these girls IS a GENIAL PERSON". One person cannot be "congenial". 3. Omit "most", since "predominant" implies the superlative degree 4. Say, "Let's NOT go tonight; I ve been AT a banquet". 5. Say, "FOR WHOM is he painting that picture?" 6. Say, "EACH ONE of you (or, EVERY ONE of you) IS entitled to SPECIAL attention".
7. Pronounce fyu-till, accent first syllable 8. Pronounce soll-iss, accent first syllable. 9. Pronounce kodd-i-sill, accent first syllable 10. Pronounce ree-zill-i-ens, accent second syllable 11. Pronounce the "i" as in "life", not as in "lift". 12. Pronounce ah-tawm-a-tawn, accent second syllable.
13. Neuter, devastation, acumen, oculist, exhilarate, necessitate.


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# Holden district news items

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Olsen and family, of Calgary, visited for two days during the Thanksgiving holiday with Glen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson. Also visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Olson during the holiday weekend were Lars' niece and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hendrickson, from Vernon, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gisbelhaus entertained 20 guests at a Thanksgiving dinner Sunday, Oct. 10th. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Gibelhaus and children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pederson, George and Robert from Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus and children, Mrs. N. L. Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Bell.

Mrs. J. A. Gibelhaus was an afternoon visitor and supper guest with Mrs. N. L. Campbell on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Shyba of Calgary, who spent several days and the Thanksgiving holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shyba, returned home last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann with Mrs. Tiedemann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison of Vancouver, were Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen.

Ernie Laskosky was a weekend visitor with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Laskosky. Other weekend visitors were Miss Anne Appleby of Tofield and Bruce Appleby of Edmonton, with their family, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mason, of Edson, were visitors during the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lomnes and family, of Bawlf, attended the wedding reception and dance of their niece, Miss Christian, Saturday, Oct 16, in the Holden Community Hall.

**DAM CONSTRUCTION**

Mr and Mrs. Clint Armstrong spent the Thanksgiving holiday at Mobberly Lake, leaving Saturday evening and returning on the Monday. They were visiting their daughter Ardenna and family, Mr and Mrs Bruce Armitage. Bruce is working on construction of the dam which is being built there. The family will be returning to Manning when the work is completed.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Olaf Chetney brought Mrs. Mary Andrews home a week ago Sunday from [illegible] Hospital, where she had been a patient for three weeks receiving treatment for a very bad attack of the 'flu. We were sorry to hear that she is not yet feeling well and hope she will soon improve.

Glen Hoviand, of Hillsdown, has been staying with his father, Chris Hoviand, and brothers, helping with the combining on the farm. He returned home the end of last week.

[illegible] visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Chetney were Mrs. John Kabish and sons of Jasper, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Gerdies and Mrs. K. Whitehead and daughters of [illegible].

Al Johnson of the Fire Commissioner's Office, Edmonton, was in Holden on Wednesday of last week, checking on a gasoline leak near Ruskenveld's garage. The spot is fenced off until repairs are made.

**NEW BUILDING**

The AGT have had their tenders out this past week for the new telephone building to be built in Holden. It will be on the lots formerly occupied by the old James garage on Main Street. The building now in use will be put up for sale.

**AUXILIARY MEETING**

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Royal Canadian Legion met on Wednesday evening of last week. Regular business was dealt with, reports received and a discussion regarding members attending a district Rally in Camrose, Saturday, Oct. 23rd, was held. The next meeting will be Monday, Nov. 1st, to arrange activities for November 11th.

**TO ONTARIO**

Mrs. Arthur Story left Thursday afternoon on the Transcontinental from Viking for Clifton, Ontario, where she will visit for a month with her son Vernon and family. Mrs. V. Story has had recent surgery and Doris will look after the children and home while her daughter-in-law convalesces.

**RN GRADUATION**

Miss Betty Chupka, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka, who has been nurse-in-training at the General Hospital for the past three years, passed her final exams and is now a qualified RN.

Mr. and Mrs. Chupka attended the graduation of their daughter, Betty, at the graduation exercises of the General Hospital School of Nursing which was held in the Jubilee Auditorium Sunday, Oct. 17th, at 8.30 p.m.

Recent weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Friend and family were Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Makarowski of Edmonton.

In the village of Holden election held Wednesday, Oct. 13th, two candidates, Paul Bablo and Henry Dumlak, contested the councillor's position for the next ensuing three years. Paul Bablo was re-elected to the office.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen were Friday evening visitors in Edmonton. Mr. Hardy attended classes, while Mary visited, and Mrs. Sorensen called on Mrs. Harry Forgan.

Mike Chupka was a Friday overnight visitor in Edmonton, taking back to the city his daughters, Betty and Patsy, and niece, Marilyn Manchur.

## Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. When passing salt and pepper shakers at the table, does one hand them directly to the person who asked for them, or does one put them down on the table within reach of the other person?

A. Handing these articles directly to the person can often prove awkward. I think it is better and safer to place them on the table as close as you can to the other person.

Q. When one is in doubt as to whether or not an invitation can be accepted, how should the acknowledgement be worded?

A. You must not be in doubt when acknowledging an invitation. State definitely whether or not you can accept.

Q. At a small, informal wedding, is it all right for the bride and groom to walk down the aisle together?

A. Yes, if the wedding is small and the bride has no near male relative to walk with her.

Q. Just what is the correct tip for waiters?

A. This varies. Fifteen per cent to 20 per cent of the total amount of the check is usual, except if the check is very low or very high. For example, 10 cents for a 50-cent check—never a nickel. For checks over $20, the percentage may come down to 10 per cent.

Q. When someone other than the bride's father gives her away —such as an uncle or family friend—does the bridegroom give him a gift similar to those given to the best man and ushers?

A. It is not customary to give him a gift.


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# MacDuff Ottawa report . . . . On target

OTTAWA — Last January the Economic Council of Canada published its first annual report or survey entitled "Economic Goals for Canada to 1970". Today, in preparation for its second report, expected before the end of the year, the ECC staff is busily engaged checking on what has happened up to the end of 1965. Figures will be preliminary but indicative and in almost every field the news is good Canadians have been hitting right on target.

One exception that is giving the Economical Council some concern is productivity. With employment increasing and unemployment dropping quite satisfactorily Canada's output per man and output per man-hour is lagging behind the necessary yearly targets if the 1970 objectives are to be reached. Between 1956 and 1963 the Council study shows a yearly average rate of increase of one per cent in output per man and two per cent in output per man-hour. The council said this had to be accelerated to 2.4 per cent and three per cent respectively.

A superficial glance at the performance for 1964 based on Dominion Bureau of Statistics figures has led to reports that at this apex of all economic activity Canadians had achieved the target. In fact they were slightly under and on the results available for six months of this year it seems likely that they will be lagging still further in 1965. If this is so, the fact that Canada is reaching or in some cases outpacing the pattern set by the Economic Council could be disastrously misleading. We could, in other words, be heading into an inflation which before 1970 would wipe out all the gains that seem to have been made.

This gives new urgency to the Economic Council's recommendation for a shake up in the Federal Labour Department and a new labour market policy which would determine real demand and supply of labour, co-ordinate training programmes and relate them more realistically to needs. Divorce of the National Employment Service from the Unemployment Insurance Commission was a wise move. Its absorption in a department which in the opinion of the Council, has failed to provide effective leadership may be unwise. A manpower consultative service has been in existence for nearly a year but seems to be going nowhere fast.

What obviously is needed today in Ottawa is a National Employment Service as the ECC visualized it answerable only to the Minister of Labour and co-ordinating all these programmes under a high priced dynamic executive capable of getting the programme off the ground.

"The national economic loss from inefficient use of manpower resources", the ECC report stated in January, "can be just as great as the economic loss arising from unemployment. Equally important, when there is a mismatching of the supply of and demand for labour in an economy operating at a high level of demand, inflationary pressures inevitably arise".

And Canada's economy at the moment is operating at a high level of demand and is likely to continue to do so for another 12 months at least. In most major fields it is running ahead of the pace set by the ECC projections to 1970. The Economic Council called for an average annual increase in gross national product of 5.5 per cent in real terms. The increase between 1963 and 1964 after allowing for price increases was nearly 6.5 per cent. In the second quarter of this year it was running at an annual rate of $50.9 billion or 9.1 per cent above 1964. Allowing for a somewhat greater price rise would mean an increase above 1964 of 6.4 per cent in volume and the third quarter, when figures are released is likely to make an even better showing.

Consumer spending, the Economic Council said, should increase at an average annual rate of 5.1 per cent. For the first half of 1965 the rate was 6.9 per cent. An increase in employment of 3.1 per cent is called for if Canada is to achieve the goal of an unemployment rate 3 per cent of the labour force by 1970. The Council admitted here that it was setting its sights high but in August the seasonally adjusted rate was down to 4 per cent and there was a year-to-year increase in employment of 4.4 per cent. In each of the last eight months employment has increased by 3.5 per cent or better.

Exports for the first half of the year were admittedly well below the 5.3 per cent target increase set but the reason was obvious. The first Russian wheat bonanza ran out in July 1964 with the result that a comparison between the first half of 1964 and the first half of 1965 showed only a fractional increase in over-all exports. If wheat exports are deleted from both years the increase is seven per cent. With the new Russian wheat deliveries this Fall pushing up the export figure for the balance of the year the target might still be achieved without eliminating the wheat movement.

But the Economic Council was more ambitious in setting a target for the increase in exports of fully manufactured goods. It called for a 10 per cent yearly increase. Between 1963 and 1964 exports of [illegible] excluding food increased in [illegible] value by 34 per cent and the increase between the first half of 1964 and 1965 is 28 per cent.

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**CAPITAL HILL CAPSULE**

Canadians have been keeping discreetly quiet in past weeks while the bill to implement the Canada-U.S. automobile agreement made its tortuous way through Congress. Anything which suggested that the agreement was proving beneficial to Canada was ammunition for American opponents. Now that it is ready for the Presidential signature it can be disclosed that more than 40 Canadian manufacturers of auto parts are planning expansion programs, most of them subsidiaries of American companies. There will be 30 new branch plants in Ontario alone.

**MODERN ETIQUETTE**

Q. Is a guest at an engagement announcement party supposed to bring some sort of gift?

A. No. After all, when you are invited to the party you are not really supposed to know that it is for the purpose of announcing an engagement.

Q. Is it permissible for one's social calling cards to bear any kind of decoration on them?

A. No; this is for business cards. Social cards should be of plain white, engraved in black, and with no embellishment of any kind.

Q. Is one supposed to mail out the wedding invitations with or without the tissues that accompany them from the printer's?

A. With the tissues in place.


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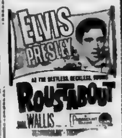
SHOWING—

Friday & Saturday, October 22 & 23—

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## Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnell, B.A., B.D.,
[redacted]

Sunday, Oct. 24th

10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.

Anniversary Service. Preacher: Dr. E. J. Thompson of St. Stephen's College.

"Scared people cause most of the trouble we have in this world".

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Anglican
Sunday Services

8:30 a.m. every Sunday—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. 1st Sunday of Month—Holy [illegible]
11:00 a.m. 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays—Morning Prayer.
O Come Let Us Worship.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule

TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 9.00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Oct. 24th

HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Oct. 24th

10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School

Tuesday, 8:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

Sunday, 8:00 p.m.—Film "Life in a Leprosy Colony". Rev. C. Smith, of the Mission to Lepers.


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## 4-H re-organizes

The Tofield 4-H Beef Club will hold their re-organization meeting on October 28th at 8 p.m. at the meeting room of the Community Hall. The pee-wee club will hold their first meeting on Saturday afternoon at Don Wood's at 2 p.m.

Anyone wanting to join can come to these meetings or let any of the 4-H members know.

## WCTU protests bar opening at supper hour

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Oct. 20th—The WCTU met at the home of Mrs. Alma Foshaug on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Borghild Rude presided at the meeting in the absence of the president and vice-president, and Mrs. Marie Francis acted as secretary in the absence of the regular secretary.

The WCTU motto and table scripture and led in prayer and several ladies took part in the clip sheet, "The political and legal status of Canadian women", which was a continuation from the September clip sheet. It was decided to send a letter to the liquor control board protesting the opening of bars during the supper hour.

Mrs. Anna Toekema read from prayer closed the meeting and the hostess served lunch to the eight members and ten visitors present.

## The weather

| Oct. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 14 | 58 | 36 | 27.08 | —— |
| 15 | 56 | 40 | 27.36 | —— |
| 16 | 52 | 34 | —— | —— |
| 17 | 52 | 30 | —— | —— |
| 18 | 50 | 23 | 27.32 | —— |
| 19 | 47 | 23 | 27.46 | —— |
| 20 | — | 25 | 27.67 | —— |


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**County of Beaver No. 9**

**NOMINATION NOTICE**

Public Notice is hereby given that I will attend at the County Office in Ryley on FRIDAY the 5th day of NOVEMBER, 1965, from three o'clock in the afternoon to four o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of receiving nominations for the office of Councillor.

**2 COUNCILLORS TO BE ELECTED**

Councillors are to be elected for the following electoral divisions:

**DIVISION No. 5**
**DIVISION No. 6**

Given under my hand at the Village of Ryley this 9th day of October, 1965.

**OLOF MONSSON, Returning Officer.**
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## Kingman district news items

(Mrs. J. A. [illegible]erson)

KINGMAN, Oct. 19th — Mr. and Mrs. Herb Storvik and girls of Camrose were Sunday evening visitors at the Homer Schmidt home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Osness and boys were Sunday visitors at the Ray Hanson home in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Acres and family of Edmonton were week-end guests at the Gary Acres home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith and family of Lougheed were Sunday dinner guests at the G. Acres home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Erickson and Karen of Lethbridge were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. E. Schmidt.

Carolyn and Larry Asp of Edmonton spent the weekend with their parents, the H. O. Asps.

Mrs. John Molin of Wetaskiwin and Mrs. Chal Johnson were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. [illegible] Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Rude of Ryley, Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Magneson and Darren of Camrose and Mr. and Mrs. P. Boness were Sunday evening visitors at the Louis Erga home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Erga and family of Meeting Creek were Monday evening visitors with the Louis Ergas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Louch and boys of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with the Gordon Simonsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Simonson and boys of High Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Simonson and Mrs. Tilda Christenson of Camrose were October 10th visitors at the Fred Coykendahl home.

**FORMER PASTOR HERE**

Pastor S. Bue of Pass Lake, Ontario, a former pastor of this parish, conducted the service at Salem Lutheran Church on Sunday evening. Pastor and Mrs. Bue were visitors before service at the A. M. Wick home and overnight guests at the Ingvald Ness home. They left for Edmonton Monday morning where they attended their daughter, Sharon's RN graduation.

## Holden news

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Anderson and children, of Calgary, were callers at the home of Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, during the Thanksgiving weekend, motoring to Viking, where they visited with Muriel's sister and family, the Ernie Mertas. Mr. and Mrs. Barlow are still staying on the farm at their daughter's home, helping until they are finished with the harvesting.

**[illegible] Friends**

Joe Alexander and Henry Oberg spent the long weekend fishing at Moose Lake, and reported a very good catch of jackfish.

Mrs. Mary James was an Edmonton shopping and business visitor on Thursday, also having her eyes checked at the doctor's.

Mrs. Mike Komarnitsky returned home from Tofield Hospital on Tuesday afternoon, after being a patient there for a week while receiving treatments.

Cliff Foran of Beaver Motors was a business visitor in Edmonton Friday afternoon.

Harry Appleby of Vialta Lodge, Viking, visited for a few days recently with relatives.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER EARLING, Oct. 18th —Thanksgiving guests at the Lawrence Pearse home were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Furnell, Jill, Gail and Bobbie, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pearse, Darlene and Wendy of Edmonton, and Phyllis Prickett of England. Jill Furnell recently returned home from a four-month visit in England, her first trip to her parents' native land. Her aunt, Phyllis Prickett, came back with her to visit her sister, Mrs. Norman Furnell, who she had not seen for 11 years.

Plan now to get all those jobs done this winter. Things like having the lawnmower fixed, and the screens mended; having the car tuned up and outboard motor checked; having the drapes cleaned and the rugs shampooed; having the furniture re-upholstered and the electrical appliances repaired; having all those repair and renovation jobs done which can call for a long wait come Spring, but which can be handled quickly, efficiently and easily during the winter season. Ask your bank about a low-interest NHA Home Improvement Loan. Plan ahead. Be a Winter planner now.

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# Link with past is broken with passing of pioneer

On Friday, Oct 8th, Tofield lost one of its most respected citizens in the sudden death of John B Warner, a pioneer of the Strathcona and Tofield districts.

John Warner was born on January 17th, 1889 in Wakefield, Nebraska. In 1899 his parents, Mr and Mrs D W Warner, with their three children, John, Rosella (now Mrs A C Dodds) and Donnelly moved to Canada taking up temporary residence on the edge of Strathcona. After a few months, the Warners purchased and moved to what until recently was the Gold Bar farm. Here, after living for a period of time in a log house, they built the large brick house which is still in existence in the Gold Bar subdivision. D. W. Warner was the UFA member of the federal parliament for Strathcona constituency in 1921-25.

With his brother and sister, John obtained his early education in the East Edmonton country school — a typical "little red school house", his sister, Mrs Dodds relates. Later, John attended Alberta College in Edmonton to obtain a business course.

In 1913, John Warner moved to the Tofield area. In 1915, he built the spacious house north of town in which his son, Alan, now resides.

In 1921, he married Miss Alice Spilsted, a member of the pioneer family after whom Spilsted School district was named. This was the beginning of a particularly happy and companionable marriage. John and Alice Warner had many shared interests. Both delighted in offering hospitality to their ever-extending circle of friends. Both were avid readers, books and current magazines were a vital part of the Warner home. To this marriage were born three sons — John, Herbert and Alan.

The Warners were keenly interested in community affairs. John was Past Master of Palestine Lodge No. 47, AF & AM, and Past Patron of Ionic Chapter No. 72 OES. For many years he was a member of the Lakeshore school board and was also the sec.-treasurer of the Lakeshore charge of the Tofield United Church. He was president of the local UFA organization and a member of the first Tofield hospital board of directors. He was an officer of the Beaver Lake Mutual Telephone Company. As well as being a member of the first Tofield Co-operative Association, John Warner was instrumental in organizing the first Co-op store in Tofield. A sincerely religious man, John Warner was very active in the affairs of the United Church and for many years had been an elder of the Tofield United Church.

Few people have had as many hobbies and interests as John Warner. For many years, of course, farming was his main interest but he was also an ardent sportsman and each fall saw him engaged in big game hunting. An enthusiastic fisherman, he enjoyed many a trip after the wily trout. Curling was his favorite organized sport; he had curled since first coming to Tofield and was prepared to do so again this year. As someone said, on hearing of John's passing, "the rink will not be the same without him."

His three sons and their families brought John great pleasure. There were six grandchildren to enjoy — John's son, Bruce; Herbert's sons, Kevan and Christopher; Alan's children, Michael, Lynn and Jimmy.

In 1957, John and Alice Warner retired from their farm to take up residence in Tofield. Far from suffering from boredom in his retirement, John was all the more keenly interested in living now that he had time to do the things he wanted to do. He was so active that his death on October 8th came as a great shock to his many friends.

His funeral was held on October 11th, 1965, from the Tofield United Church with the Senior Choir and its organist, Mrs. Mary Stinson in attendance and with the Rev. W. McDannold in charge. The pallbearers were Masonic brethren — Don Hardy, Jack Hardy, Graham Allan, Thomas Jacobs, Jack Whyte, John Moore. Under the direction of Bro. Arnold Swift, director of ceremonies, the members of Palestine Lodge participated in the Masonic burial service. Interment was in the Tofield cemetery.

John Warner was a man of deeds, not words. Those deeds and those words gave evidence of his deep involvement in the community. No one enjoyed living more than he, and this enjoyment was reflected in his unfailing cheerfulness and good fellowship for all with whom he came in contact.

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. Jack Stambaugh and young son, of Bruce, moved last week into their new home in Holden, near the Black residence on 50th Avenue which has recently been completed. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mizera and family are moving into the residence vacated by the Stambaughs in Bruce.

Mrs. Laura Christianson, Mrs Mary James and Mrs. Mabel Sizer met Thanksgiving Monday and enjoyed a delicious turkey dinner at the Holden Hotel Coffee Shop.

Sherman Forre, who has been on vacation the past few weeks visiting with his family and other relatives in the district and around Camrose, left by plane for Nassau, the Bahamas, Thursday night, where he is employed in the Royal Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knudson of the Ryley district were business callers in Holden Thursday afternoon, also calling on Ray Hovland. They later drove out to the Hovland farm, calling on Chris Hovland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Sizer and family, from Rycroft, spent the Thanksgiving weekend with his parents and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer. They were also guests with Mr .and Mrs. Mabel Sizer during their visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammer and children of Viking were visitors during the Thanksgiving weekend with Gurene's mother, Mrs. Mabel Sizer.

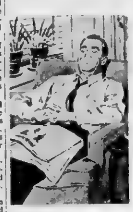
Clarence Berg of Edmonton was visiting with friends around Holden and district during the holiday weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ronnie and family spent the Thanksgiving holiday visiting at Breton, with Harry's mother and sister.

RETURNS FOR VISIT

Mrs. Richardson of Tofield arrived Friday evening to visit for several days with Mrs. N. L. Campbell. Mrs. Richardson is a former Holden resident, when the late Mr. Richardson was teaching in the Holden school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Salk, of St. Paul, were home for the Thanksgiving holiday with Mrs. Salk's parents, Mr and Mrs. Jim McLeod.

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# Council appoints committees at Monday meeting

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for water and sewer services to acreage he intends to purchase north of Block C, Plan 1451 NY, subject to approval of Town Planning. Mr. Gurford will pay for the installation of the water extension from Fifth Avenue to site.

Drainage of alley between Third Avenue and Fourth Avenue East, behind H. Wilkie's property, as reported by the Public Works Committee, would have to run north through the alley behind Main Street. Mr. Patterson reported that the necessary steps would be taken to avoid the possibility of water collecting on Fourth Avenue East.

NUISANCE GROUND

Correspondence from A. Sadownik stating that arrears of taxes owing on Blocks X and Y, Plans 8412 AE and 324 AA be deducted and the balance forwarded to him, was read. However, Henry Thiessen, acting for the Estate of D B. Thiessen, visited the office Monday morning and stated that either the total of $1,000 be paid or the Town would not receive title to the approved nuisance grounds within the County of Beaver No. 9. It was moved that the total be paid and the title acquired.

Correspondence from Provincial Planning was read, asking for Council's opinion regarding property owned by Edna Bowick. Council's unanimous decision was that further sub-dividing could not be approved until water and sewer services are available.

A shed moved onto Lots 27 and 28, Block 7, Plan 8200 S registered in the name of Mrs. Lily Tiedemann, was discussed by Council. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to order the removal of the shed within seven days or the Town would be forced to remove the shed and charge all costs involved against the property.

PENALTY BY-LAW

Const. Wall's request for extra policing staff on Hallowe'en was granted. Discussion of the "Penalty By-Law" took place. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to draw up an amendment by-law to By-Law No. 493 for Council's consideration at the next meeting. The contents of the by-law to state that a third offence is liable to a $5 fine and that a fourth and subsequent offences liable to court action.

WATER BILLS

After much discussion due to an inquiry from the Bank of Montreal, it was Council's unanimous decision that any service charges by the banks for collecting water bills should be charged to the customer and not the Town. The secretary-treasurer brought to Council's attention that water bills paid at the Treasury Branch were not being marked PAID, and for the protection of the customer, the Treasury Branch and herself, she wished Council's approval to have this done. The secretary-treasurer was instructed not to accept any water bills as receipts unless marked PAID and initialled.

PROVINCIAL AID

A circular was read asking the united effort of Towns and Villages to get financial help from the Provincial Government for street and sidewalk improvement. Council agreed to support the idea presented by the Town of Castor. The secretary-treasurer was instructed, with the aid of H. Watson, to write a letter to Hon. Gordon Taylor and to the local MLA, Mr. Gordey. A meeting is to be arranged with Mr. Gordey, neighboring Towns interested and the Town of Tofield.


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# Ministik news items

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

As no student minister has come to the Ministik mission field as yet, Harold Dunham conducted services at the United Church. He announced that Rev. Terry Anderson would send a student as soon as possible to take over the services for the winter months.

RETURNS TO MANITOBA

Mrs. George Armstrong of Snow Lake, Man., left for her home on Friday after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. W. F. Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Swabey were hosts to 17 guests on Thanksgiving Monday.

IS IMPROVING

Mrs. Michael Nasichuk assisted in the coffee shop on Sunday at McIntyre's Store. Mr. McIntyre is feeling much better and is taking on a little heavier work now. He was seen riding his lawn mower getting his lawn prepared for winter months.

Grant Pearice of Drayton Valley and Pat Pearice of Edmonton were weekend guests with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Pearice.

Michael Nasichuk and David Wright spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week at Mayerthorpe with Dave's brother, Sydney.

Visitors at the T. A. Jones home over Thanksgiving holiday were Mr. and Mrs. John Jones on Saturday, and again Monday along with Mrs Benson and son, Marvin, Miss Cheryl Nordstrom and friend, Linda, all of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs Robert Jones and Robbie.

Mr and Mrs. Jim Roddick were visitors with Mrs. George Armstrong and Mrs. W. F Davenport on Wednesday evening. Joe Davenport also called and enjoyed a cup of tea with all.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Liknes and family in Edmonton.

Frank and Arthur Ellett have sold their farm here and spent Saturday moving their effects to Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson attended the rummage sale at South Cooking Lake, sponsored by the UCW.

Among Edmonton shoppers on Monday were Mrs. Helen Hennessy, Mrs. Albert Horricks, Mrs. Frank Swabey and Mrs. S. George.

Alex Kleinschroth is building a barn for Rueben Beinert of the Looma Vista district.


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PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

# Service board notes

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rental basis. Space does permit detailed information on warble and lice control. Regardless of the chemical used, remember that all are about the same price and results of control are comparable. For further information on the use of these chemicals or where they are available, contact our office.

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Several requests for coyote baits have been received. A close check will be made and no 1080 baits will be put out unless these requests indicate that coyotes are actually causing damage to livestock. We must know immediately how many baits, if any, will be used. Strychnine pellets will be available this winter for coyote control.

**MAGPIE TRAPS AND POISONS**

Interest in using our traps has increased and delays are going to be encountered in placing these traps. Farmers who wish to make their own trap may get the plans or use one of ours for a pattern. Poison baits are always available for magpie control.

**[illegible]**

Some concern over the coarse grain seed situation is evident in the area and farmers are advised to check local supplies early. A record amount of seed is expected to be cleaned at the County Seed Cleaning Plant and it is hoped that farmers will book their seed cleaning and treating early in order to avoid the rush next Spring. Tartary Free Periods will be reserved again throughout the season. Contact the manager regarding cleaning requirements as early as possible and take advantage of reduced rates on early cleaning. A lot of publicity is heard about Wind Baffles to prevent grain and screenings from blowing off trucks. This promotion is about in the same category as Drill Box Seed Treatment. Wind Baffles certainly will not take the place of tarpaulins for saving grain and preventing the spreading of weed seeds on County roads.

**TREE PLANTING**

Trees available from the Dept. of Agriculture at Oliver for 1966 delivery are Caragana, Green Ash, Manitoba Maple, Rooted Russian Poplar, Rooted North-West Poplar, Rooted Laurel Leaf Willow, Rooted Acute Leafed Willow, Rooted China Willow, Villosa Lilac, Hawthorn, Honeysuckle, Red Leaf Rose, Mountain Ash, Burr Oak, Siberian Larch, Dog Wood, White Spruce, Colorado Spruce, Lodge Pole Pine, Scotch Pine. There are 350 fruit bundles available from Brooks. These bundles include Nanking Cherry, Pincherry, Ground Cherry, Western Sandcherry and Chokecherry.

Application forms for trees are available at the District Agriculturist Office and from the Agricultural Service Board. I have the tree lists and application blanks with me at all times. By all means get these applications now or as soon as possible, also let us know if you intend to use the County Tree Planter . . . it is free for all County ratepayers.

We see mistakes and poor planning in several shelterbelt and field planting of trees, and recommend that farmers check their plans in order to make the most use of trees. Field plantings less than 100 feet from County roads is certainly not recommended, or approved. Trees that are planted close to roads are snow traps and are in danger of being damaged when roads are sprayed for brush and weeds.

**BRUCELLOSIS VACCINATION**

The County of Beaver will be under a Voluntary Program of vaccination this fall. Restricted Area regulations do not apply, but it is hoped that farmers will continue to vaccinate for Bangs as vaccination and testing are combined in the overall Provincial and Federal control program. There will be important announcements in the local press regarding the Service Board participation in vaccination under the Voluntary plan.

**ROADSIDE SEEDING**

Roadside seeding will be done this fall and farmers who are sowing down backslopes are requested to get their seed as soon as possible. Where grain is to be seeded on backslopes and in ditches, we would appreciate knowing these locations [illegible] October 20.

I would be pleased to discuss the above Service Board projects with ratepayers and would welcome the opportunity of attending meetings throughout the County in order to explain Board programs. The opinions of ratepayers in the agricultural program are very important as a guidance to better farming.

## Jack Whyte receives 25-year service watch

At a banquet held in the Macdonald Hotel, Edmonton, on October 8th, Jack Whyte was presented a gold watch by officials of Crown Zellerbach Canada Limited, in recognition of 25 years' service with Crown Lumber Co. Ltd. Mrs. Whyte received eight sterling silver coffee spoons.

Jack first joined Crown Lumber in the fall of 1939 on a casual basis and in April of 1940 was taken on permanent staff. As an assistant at Tofield in 1943, he was transferred to Irricana as manager of the branch there. In September, 1944, he returned to Tofield as [illegible] taking over from Clyde Sobey who had been transferred to Vermilion.

Jack has been manager of the Tofield branch ever since.

## Locals . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Otto and son, Jim, were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Willis in Edmonton.

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Mrs. A. J. Gierant of Sicamous, B.C., has been visiting with her sister-in-law and family, the Ron Ottos at Tofield.

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Mrs. Barry L. Brooks of Toronto, Drew and Nan, are spending from Wednesday to Friday at the home of Mrs. Brooks parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stinson.

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Don't forget the annual supper sponsored by the UCW of Tofield. For further information see classified section.

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The Town of Tofield is laying sidewalks on the north side of 4th Avenue from Main Street to Alberta Street.

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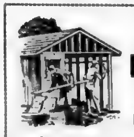
Herb Martin and his father from Medicine Hat were Thursday and Friday visitors in town. Mr. Martin taught school some 50 years ago at the Summer [illegible]

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## Friendship Group aids Hong Kong missionary

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Friendship Group met at the home of Mrs. J. Ruxton on October 21st with 15 ladies present. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. Mary James and the devotions were taken by Mrs. R. Raeder. The members are planning to send another parcel of children's clothing and quilts to the missionary in Hong Kong in the near future. They also agreed to send a donation of $10.00 to their protege in Hong Kong which supplies her with clothing and other necessities so she may attend school. The next meeting will be held November 18th at the home of Mrs. Oscar Ruskenveld, with Mrs. James taking the devotion.

REAL HALLOWE'EN SCARE. It was Hallowe'en night, and a little boy and his dog were on the street, excitedly playing the game of "tricks or treat". Carefree and careless, the boy went running onto the road! A car brake screeched . . . but it was too late. The pet whines for his young master, but the boy doesn't move. The above scene was posed. Mr. Motorist, don't let it become a reality.

## Meyer heads weeklies in province

H. George Meyer, 36-year-old copublisher and editor of The Tofield Mercury was elected president of the Alberta Weekly Newspaper Association

at the close of its 52nd annual convention in Lethbridge Saturday. A member of the executive since 1930, Mr. Meyer succeeds Ron Newsom of The Bashaw Star.

The Camrose publisher began his newspaper career as a printer's apprentice in Nanton, and

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## $300 in prizes for bingo

Ticket sales for the Community League merchandise bingo are advancing rapidly under the direction of C. Annis, A. Swift, R. A. Pike and Wm. Christensen, the committee in charge of this event.

**AN ERROR**

Through error, it was stated previously that the prizes for this super-bingo would be supplied by the local merchants. This was a misunderstanding, at no time did the league plan to ask the merchants to donate. The $300 worth of prizes will be purchased on behalf of the league, by the members of the committee in charge and will be well worth playing for.

Last year, the merchandise bingo was well supported by residents of town and country. The proceeds enabled the league to proceed with its important community services. It is hoped that the November 18th bingo will be equally successful so that the league will be financially able to continue to serve the Tofield Community.

Advance sale ticket holders will have a chance at the $30.00 special prize to be drawn for.

## Tofield oldtimer passes away in B.C.

Gilbert Braaten, an oldtimer of the Tofield district, passed away on October 10th at Port Kells, B.C., at the age of 78 years.

Mr. Braaten came to Tofield in 1920 and farmed west of Tofield for many years before moving to B.C. about 18 years ago. He is survived by his wife and one daughter and two grandchildren.

# Locals

Mrs. Barry L. Brooks, son Drew and daughter, Nan, of Toronto, returned home on Wednesday of this week from Edmonton where she spent a few days with her husband's father and mother, Lloyd and [illegible]

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Don Stinson of Milton, Ont., spent Sunday night to Wednesday morning at the parental home.

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Mrs. Dick Blakley is a patient in the hospital having some check-ups.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jefferson have returned from spending some time at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, the McGillivrays, at Coaldale.

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[illegible] Rev. E. M. B. and Mrs. Wheelock of the Canadian Bible Society were recent visitors at the Anglican rectory, and also called at several homes in the interests of the society.

Mrs. Edith Rogers went to Edmonton to visit for a few days with her nephew and his wife, Blake and Alice Clatterham.

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Barbara and Phyllis Knudson of Estevan, Sask., were Saturday and Sunday visitors with Laura Tiedemann.

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Mrs. W. C. Lancaster was honored on her birthday on Monday afternoon when 14 ladies called to wish her a happy birthday. Also present for the occasion was her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richards of Banff, who are spending a few days with her.

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Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Patterson drove to Wainwright and Irma on Sunday to visit relatives.

**HARVEST FESTIVAL**

Harvest Festival Service at Holy Trinity was well attended, the church being tastefully decorated with fruits, vegetables, grain and flowers. On Laymen's Sunday, the special preacher was Trevor Chapman, M.A., of Sedgewick. He and Mrs. Chapman were later entertained at the rectory.

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The WA life members' annual tea was held at All Saints Cathedral, Edmonton, last Thursday. Present were Mrs. E. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson, Mrs. W. H. Freebury, Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Hammet, Mrs. Hammet being one of the "pourers" during the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Hammett later attended the ordination to the diaconate of the Rev. N. Paterson at St. Michael and All Angels Church, North Edmonton, of which Mr. Paterson is the new incumbent.

## 'Swearing in' of new council

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Council of the Village of Holden met Monday evening, Oct. 18th, for their organization meeting after the recent election.

Present were councillors Budd, Lars Olson, John Semotuik and W. J. Rurka.

Paul Babie, who was re-elected, was sworn in as councillor for a three-year term. Bruce Budd was nominated as mayor for the ensuing year and Lars Olson was nominated as deputy mayor.

Bruce Budd is in charge of finance and police, Paul Babie, water and sewer, Lars Olson is in charge of the Community Hall and the ambulance. John Semotuik of health, sanitation and weed control, and W. J. Rurka of the fire department and public works.

The councillors decided to hold their regular meetings on the third Thursday of the month.

## Young girl dies in boating mishap

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — News was received last week of a tragic accident October 15th to the granddaughter of Mrs. Frank Mohs, a former resident and old-time pioneer of Holden, now of Edmonton. The victim was Donna Mohs, 18 years, the only daughter of Cecil and Mildred Mohs. She had recently graduated from high school with four honors and cash awards. Donna had gone fishing with a friend on Lake Simco, and it is thought that their boat hit a rock, as only the bow was showing when found by the patrol. Donna's body was recovered, but to date the body of her friend had not been recovered by the patrols.

## School committee meets October 12th

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee, held Tuesday, Oct. 12th:

It was moved and carried that Cr. Roddick be appointed the Balloting Delegate, with Cr. Kropielnicki as alternate delegate, to the 1965 A S T A Convention.

**Correspondence**

A letter was read from Chris Schmaltz advising that his son Larry was again attending the Vocational School in Camrose, taking his grade 12, along with automotives. Mr. Schmaltz inquired if the County would pay the tuition and transportation fee for Larry.

It was moved and carried that, if Mr. Pike finds upon investigation that Larry is progressing favourably at the Vocational School, the County accepts the responsibility for tuition fee and transportation costs.

Moved and carried that letter from the Motor Vehicles Branch, advising that the school bus inspection program will be placed under the Inspection Services of the Department of Attorney General as of October 15, 1965, be received and filed.

Correspondence from the Town of Tofield concerning the installation of flashing light protection at Queen Street Crossing in Tofield was referred to the Council. With the correspondence was an account in the amount of $1,004.78, being 50% of the cost of installation charged to the Town of Tofield; the County having agreed to contribute 50% of this cost.

Moved and carried that the correspondence be received and filed and the account paid.

Moved and carried that the Bus Supervisor's Report for September be accepted and that his expense account in the amount

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# Mr., Mrs. Reg Crispin mark 24th anniversary

On Saturday evening, Oct. [illegible], a party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reg Crispin to honor them on their 24th wedding anniversary which fell on October 20th. Twenty-four friends and neighbors gathered at the Crispin home to pay tribute to the happy couple [illegible] the [illegible] of the Anglican Church, Tofield.

A corsage of roses was pinned on the "bride" and a boutonniere on the groom.

The evening was spent with a "wedding bell game". Some poetry was read and the Rev. Mr. [illegible] gave out a few of his usual witty jokes.

Highlights of the Crispins courtship and married life were touched on and a song composed of their travels was sung by three of the girls. Mr. and Mrs. Crispin met in Innisfail, where Reg was manager of the Innisfail Co-op and Georgina clerked in the same store. Thus, their romance began among meat, eggs [illegible] cow salt.

They were married October 20th, 1941, and a brief honeymoon was spent at Banff. In 1945 they moved to Veteran. From there to Sundre and [illegible] to Innisfail and Mr. Crispin came to Tofield as manager of the Co-op Store in August, 1957 and Mrs. Crispin and their family of three girls followed him in October of the same year. Their son was born the following year thus making their family complete: Elizabeth, Joan, Margaret and Bill.

Due to a gradual decline in Mr. Crispin's health, they moved to their present home in 1960.

A lovely lunch was served with the bride and groom of 1941 cutting their cake together.

The three-layer cake was [illegible] decorated with pink [illegible] and the figure 24 [illegible] on it.

A collection was [illegible] and the proceeds went towards the [illegible] at the church in honor of the happy couple.

The evening was very much enjoyed. There will be another anniversary party in the near future.

## School luncheon is a big success

On Tuesday noon, a luncheon was held in the grade [illegible] room, where hostesses were the grade 8 girls [illegible]. Guests were [illegible], Mr. [illegible] and the grade 8 boys [illegible].

[illegible]

## Lettuce in October!

The balmy "Indian Summer" weather last week activated dormant vegetation, and a lovely growth of leaf lettuce was found in her garden by Miss Eva Potter [illegible] Avenue in Camrose. Miss Potter brought a sample to The Canadian office to support her claim for lettuce in October. Flowers, too, have taken on unusual growth during the warm weather.


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## Locals . . .

Mrs. Lyman a Freemont, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth [illegible] of [illegible], spent the weekend with their sister Mrs. [illegible] and other relatives.

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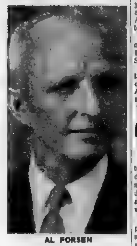
# Barbershoppers name Al Forsen


AL FORSEN

Al Forsen was named president of the Camrose Chapter, Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America, for 1966.

Mr. Forsen is a charter member of the chapter and has held various offices over the years. Last year he was the Camrose delegate to the Evergreen Barbershoppers convention held at Seattle.

He will take over from the present president, Dennis Arial, after the New Year.

Other officers elected at last night's meeting were Bob Reid as program vice-president; Frank Reid, membership vice-president, Ray Proskow, director; Bob Stewardson, secretary, and Stu Hitman, treasurer.

Named delegate to the Evergreen district convention this year was Chorus Director Arne Dahl. The convention is to be held this year at Portland.

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

It was clean-up day at Ministik Hall on Monday. While the men cut grass and cleaned the yard, the ladies cleaned the hall and tidied everything necessary. All enjoyed coffee and lunch after the work was completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Wright of Mayerthorpe were guests at the Gordon Kilfoyle home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick attended the Clover Bar annual constituency convention at the Ardrossan Hall on Monday evening.

W. F. Davenport, who has been a patient in the Tofield hospital for the last three weeks, returned to his home on Friday.

**There has been some "pilfering" in the district, and several residents being victims. However, due to good work on the part of the RCMP, the culprit has been apprehended.**

The ladies' club has been very busy with their fancywork, etc., for the fall bazaar on November 5th, and are asked to take it to the United Church on Monday morning, Nov. 1st, for the convener, Mrs. Andrew Ferguson.

# Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow returned home from Viking on Friday afternoon, where they had spent the last month with their daughter Beth and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta, helping with the harvesting.

Visiting the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ogrodnick, was their daughter Beverly and young son of Edmonton. Also visiting with them during the week was Doris's brother, who was out hunting.

Mrs. Mary James was at Mrs. Campbell's home Friday afternoon, when they finished quilts and packed a parcel from the Friendship Group to ship to Hong Kong, to the Missionary.

A surprise house-warming party was held Wednesday evening, Oct. 20th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Lutz, who have recently moved from the farm into their house in Holden. Earl Hardy made a presentation from friends gathered there of a set of TV tables and hoped that they would be happy in their new home. Mr. and Mrs. Lutz graciously thanked all for the lovely gift and the kindness and good wishes shown them.

The Lutheran W.A. have announced that a film, "Just A Stranger", will be shown in the Holden Lutheran Church on Wednesday, Nov. 3rd, at 8:00 p.m. This is a highly recommended film and everyone is welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pederson, of Camrose, were guests at the wedding, reception and dance on Saturday, Oct. 23rd, of Carol Olson and Leo Rurka. They were also visitors during the afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Grosland.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were in Edmonton Sunday and Monday on business, and with their daughters, Patsy and Betty. Betty will become the bride of Mr. Bellman of Edmonton on Saturday.

TO FOOL THE FOWLS. It may be a foul trick, but this hunter is determined to lure in his prey with a duck deceiver. In the waterfowl season, there's a lot of quacking to be heard among the rushes, and at least half of it comes from hunters' horns.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# The Ryley Times



## Meyer heads...

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worked at Swift Current, Taber and on The Lethbridge Herald for some years before becoming joint publisher of The Nanton News.

In 1950, he moved to Camrose as co-publisher with Ken Petrige, former Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association president, and Charles MacLean, a former AWNA president. Mr Meyer is a former Nanton town councillor and now serves as Centennial Committee chairman for the City of Camrose, third vice-president of the Camrose Chamber of Commerce and is a well known member of the Camrose United Church. He is a past-president of the Camrose Barbershoppers chapter, and won the "Barbershopper of the Year" award last spring.

Elected first vice-president is Tom Ford of the Lacombe Globe. Second vice-president is Lou Drouin, St. Paul Journal.

Other officers include Past President Ron Newsom, Bashaw Star, Secretary John MacDonald, Westlock News, Treasurer Jack Parry, Rimbey Record; Directors Ace Eastley, Sedgwick Community Press, Bob Munro, Vulcan Advocate; Hec MacLean; Fairview Post, and Ashley Cooper, Vermilion Standard.

**TWO SECONDS**

In the better newspapers competition, The Camrose Canadian picked up two second - place awards in its class. One was in the editorial page competition and the other for best all-round paper. Winning the first-place trophies was The Stettler Independent. In the competition for best front page in the larger weeklies class, The Peace River Record-Gazette was judged winner.

The Alberta Weekly Newspaper Association agreed during the convention to take an active role in setting up a journalism administration course at the Southern Alberta Institute of Technology. The Association went on record as being prepared to set up a committee to help plan the proposed curriculum.

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*by Frank Clause AMF Staff of Champions*

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## Modern etiquette

Q. What is the proper length of time for a young woman to wear mourning for her father or mother?

A. There is no "proper" [illegible] of time. This is entirely a [illegible] of her feelings and [illegible]. The wearing of mourning is not nearly so strict a custom as it once was, in fact most people nowadays do not consider it necessary at all.

Q. Isn't it supposed to be bad manners for a person to use bread to sop up the gravy on his plate?

A. Not at all. The proper way to do this is to break off a piece of bread, drop it into the gravy, then use the fork to pick it up.

Q. Is it considered in good taste to mix jewelry — for instance, wear gold earrings and a pearl necklace?

A. This is quite all right. Not everyone can hope to have all her jewelry matching.

Q. In phone conversations, who properly should be first to terminate the call—the person who made the call or the one who was called?

A. This is not too important really. When you get right down to it, the person who becomes tired of talking first or the one who is more pressed for time can rightfully terminate the call.

Q. To whom does a bride address her letter of thanks for a gift that has been sent by a married couple?

A. She writes to the wife and thanks both: "Thank you for the lovely (whatever it was) you and Mr. Turner (or, Jack) sent me, etc."

## Pedestrians 'short-timed' on traffic walk lights

Sufficient time for pedestrians to cross busy intersections on a "WALK" light has been the subject of comment in The Sudbury Star on more than one occasion. In Hamilton the newspaper in that city has also urged a change in the timing of pedestrian lights at downtown intersections.

The other day a coroner's jury investigated the death of a pedestrian. The jury found that "the time is too short between the change of lights for pedestrians to get from sidewalk to sidewalk" at the intersection where the [illegible].

There seems to be a tendency on the part of "traffic experts" to consider the automotive traffic as the great god of transportation to which all much bow. Nor are city councils or their committees much better when they keep silence, or order changes to prolong "WALK" lights for the safety of pedestrians. It doesn't matter what the computers say, or traffic studies snow, there will always be elderly pedestrians who don't step as lively as the "WALK" lights demand. And the timing should be suited to their pace.

—THE SUDBURY STAR.

## Lauber heads Ryley ATA

(M. K. [illegible])

RYLEY — On October 5th, the Ryley sub-local ATA held their first meeting. The officers for the ensuing year are as follows:

Pres., Dale Lauber; sec.-treas., Miss Vivian Ogrodnick; press reporter, Mrs. Emily Stashko; local rep., Tom Kerlee.

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Ryley, Alberta
Pastor [illegible]
Sunday, Oct. 31st
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School
RYLEY —
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.


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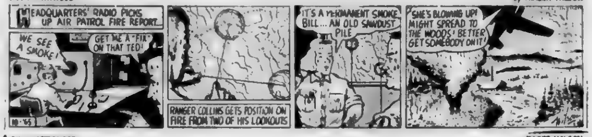


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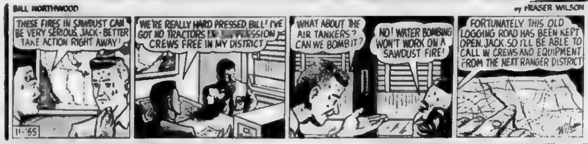



# AUCTION SALE

Acting on instructions received from

## ERNIE RUNZER, Tofield, Alta.

The undersigned auctioneers will sell by public auction on the farm situated on the NW ¼ 27-52-18 W4, located 3 mi. East and 3½ mi. South of the Chipman-Tofield junction on Hwy 16, or 10 mi. North, 1½ mi. East, ½ mi. North, 1½ mi. East and ¼ mi North from Tofield, the following chattels, on—

## FRIDAY, OCT. 29 — 11:00 A.M.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH LUNCH AT NOON

MACHINERY includes Case model D Tractor (all tires nearly new); 8N Ford Tractor with hydr. controlled plow; Cockshutt #33 8-ft. Tiller with seeder box; 28" Case Thresher; 1954 Mercury Truck 250 series. See sale bills for complete listing.
24 HEAD CATTLE, comprising: 5 Holstein Milk Cows; 2 Cross-bred range cows; 2 pail fed calves; 15 Hereford Range Calves, vaccinated for Blackleg. — 6 PIGS, 2 months old.

**BALL & JACOBS AUCTION SERVICE**
AUCTIONEERS AND SALE MANAGERS
Maury Jacobs, Lic. No. 15 Don C. Ball, Lic. No. 5
P.O. Box 370, Edmonton, Alta. Phone 476-1213
CLERK: Boyd Stauffer (47-48)



# Public Auction

FAVOURED WITH INSTRUCTIONS FROM

## ART SCABAR, Ryley

We will sell by Public Auction the following, situated on S.W. ¼ 29-49-19; being 3 mi. South and 1 mi. West of RYLEY; or 9 mi. West of HOLDEN; or 3 mi. East and 2 mi. North of DODDS, on—

## SATURDAY, NOV. 6th.

SALE AT 12:30 SHARP — Lunch At Noon by Ladies

**81 HEAD OF CATTLE**

55 YEARING STEERS; 25 SPRINGING HEIFERS; HOLSTEIN MILK COW, 5 yrs. old, just freshened in July, bred back (real oustanding cow). — These cattle have been on feed for 7 weeks.

**FARM MACHINERY, FEED, ETC.**

1960 G6 MINN.-MOLINE TRACTOR, Twin Hydraulic, Live PTO; MASSEY HARRIS 127 COMBINE, with reel and new motor (cut 300 acres); 12-ft. Krause Tandem Disc on rubber, 2 yrs. old; Cockshutt 14-ft. Deep Tillage Cultivator, Spikes and Shovels (on rubber); Nance-McKee Forage Harvester, all equipped; 30-ft. box (2 yrs. old); Cockshutt Side Deliv. Rake, 2 yrs. old; M-Harris 7-ft. Power Mower, equipped for hydr.; R.T. Wagon & Rack; M-Harris Double Disc Drill, with Fertilizer Attach.; 10 secs. Diamond Harrows with Rolling Draw Bar; 12-ft. IHC Swather, with Transport Trucks (good canvases); Allsen Post Driver, with mounts and hoses (2 yrs. old); Monarch Pump Jack (new); Stock Water Pump (new, never been used); Remington 14-in. Chain Saw; Six 8-gal. Cream Cans; Heat Houser to fit M-M 26 Tractor.

- FEED—Alfalfa and Brome Hay Stack (about 60 tons); 400 lbs. Registered Rape Seed.

MANY SMALL ARTICLES TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION.
TERMS CASH — Nothing to be removed until settled for!
Art is moving to Camrose for the winter and everything will be sold to the highest bidder. Plan to attend this sale.

**FRED J. BROWN** AUCTIONEER, Lic. No. 98, Phone 672-2186, Camrose
**ALVY BORGSTROM** AUCTIONEER, Lic. No. 228, Phone 927-35, Forestburg (48-49)


# Round Hill

(Mrs. E. Wagner)

ROUND HILL, Oct. 25th—Mr. and Mrs. E. Erion and family, formerly of New Norway, have moved into the Bill Mantle house.

**AT WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Banack and girls were at Calmar on Saturday to attend the wedding of Annie's niece, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tomazcheski.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Fergstad and Gale of Bowden were Saturday overnight visitors with their mother, Mrs. Mable Fergstad.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Debnam were callers at the H. Benz home at Galahad on Sunday.

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

Friends and relatives were callers at the Mable Fergstad home to celebrate her birthday on Friday, Oct. 22nd. Those from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Grey and Kenny of Spruce Grove, Mr. and Mrs. C. Fergstad and Gale of Bowden, the Casper Foss family and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Foss of Camrose.

Marjorie Schram was a Saturday overnight visitor with her cousin, Donna, and family, the Doug Odlunds in Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gotheridge and Mrs. Gwen Hohn motored to Erskine on Wednesday where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Jessie Robinson. Mr. Gotheridge acted as a pallbearer. Mrs. Barney Harberg of Camrose went in company with the Gotheridges.


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# DAIRY SALE

ACTING ON INSTRUCTIONS FROM

## ARNDT SKOGLUND, Kingman

We will sell by Public Auction the following Livestock, Feed, etc., situated on the S.E. ¼ 13-49-20; being 1 mile West and 1 mile North of Kingman; on—

## MONDAY, NOV. 1st.

COMMENCING AT 1:00 O'CLOCK — Lunch Available

**50 HEAD OF REAL OUTSTANDING HOLSTEIN COWS AND HEIFERS**

Some of these cows are in full milk and bred back. 9 will be fresh by Sale Time or shortly after; 10 to freshen around Xmas; balance to freshen in February or March.
10 YEARLING HEIFERS — SOME YOUNG CALVES
Records, tests, etc. will be given on day of Sale. In this herd you will find a lot of good big young cows. Be sure to attend - when you buy at this Sale you know what you are buying!
- DAIRY EQUIPMENT — 3-Unit DeLaval Milking Machine, complete with pipes; 18 Cream Cans.
- FEED — 1,000 bales of Alfalfa and Timothy Hay; 1,000 bales of good Green Oat Straw.

TERMS CASH — Nothing to be removed until settled for!

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# AUCTION SALE

Acting on instructions received from

## GEORGE S. PORTAS, Cooking Lake

The undersigned auctioneers will sell by public auction on the farm situated on the SE ¼ 29-51-22 W4, located 2 mi. East on Hwy. 14 from Junction 21, and ½ mi. South, or 1 mi. West and ½ mi. South from the Alta. Game Farm or, 3 mi. West and ¼ mi. South from Cooking Lake, the following chattels, on—

## SATURDAY, OCT. 30 — 11:00 A.M.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH LUNCH AVAILABLE

MACHINERY includes: Model 300 Diesel Tractor Live Hydr. & PTO (like new); New Idea Front End Loader, #503 heavy duty, with Grapple Fork & Bucket; IHC #45 Baler, overhauled. See sale bills for complete machinery listing.
LAND FOR SALE: The half-section, comprising SE ¼ 29-51-22 W4, and SW ¼ 29-51-22 W4 will be offered for sale by Public Auction at 2 p.m. This property can be seen at any time before sale day.
FEED: Approx. 4,000 bus. of good Feed Oats; About 1,000 bales of Tame Hay; A quantity of baled Oat and Wheat Straw.
44 CATTLE: 13 White face Cows, due to calf in March and April; 3 Holstein Heifers, due in Nov.; 6 Holstein Heifers, due in March; 2 Red Cows, due late in Nov.; 4 White face Cows, due in March; 3 Black white face Heifers, due in March; Black Cow, due in Dec.; 5 Black Steers; 2 Hereford steers; 2 White face sucking calves.
HOGS: 3 Sows, due to farrow; 1 Boar; 5 Feeders.

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# Well - known cattle breeder, Charles Kallal, 81, passes

Charles Joseph Kallal, old-timer of the Tofield district, passed away in Tofield Municipal Hospital after a lengthy illness on October 7th, at the age of 81 years, 4 months and 11 days.

He was born in Jerseyville, Illinois, and resided in Tofield since 1911. He was united in marriage to Frances Hansen of Carrollton, Illinois, April 13, 1915. Soon after he took up farming, to which he devoted the remainder of his life.

Mr. Kallal became known as one of Western Canada's best known breeders of Hereford cattle. Due to ill health, Mr. and Mrs. Kallal very quietly, with their family, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in April of this year.

He is survived by his loving wife, Frances; six sons and three daughters, Charles, Joseph and Anthony of Edmonton, Paul, Kenneth, Laurence and Dorothy (Schowchuk) of Tofield, Connie (Hatherton) of North Surrey, B.C., and Margaret (Dickson) of Unity, Sask.; 34 grandchildren, four brothers, William of Westlock, Tony of Ryley, Joseph and Ben of Jerseyville, Illinois, and one sister, Josephine (Hansen) of Carrollton, Ill.

Requiem Mass was held Friday evening, Oct. 8th, in St. Francis Assisi Catholic Church, Tofield, followed by funeral Mass and services Saturday morning, Oct. 9th, at 10:00 o'clock. Celebrant was Rev. Father Scriven, assisted by Father Purcell and Father German. Two grandsons, Jerry and David Kallal, were altar boys. Interment took place in Tofield Cemetery. Pallbearers were his six sons.

**Card of Thanks**

In sincere appreciation and thanks to the Doctors, Nurses and Staff of the Tofield Hospital for the loving care and attention given our beloved husband and father during his illness, also to the many relatives and friends who helped us and expressed their sympathy at the time of sorrow of his passing. May God bless you each and everyone.

—Frances Kallal and Family.

The family wish to express their many thanks to all dear relatives and friends for sympathy expressed, spiritual offerings, memorials and flowers given in memory of their beloved husband and father.

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## Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**

W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Oct. 31st
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "Meet the Elder Brother"
"A man should work eight hours and sleep eight hours—but not the same eight hours".

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**

Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Oct. 31st
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday evening, 8:00 p.m., Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.
Saturday, 7:30 p.m. — Special Young People's Party. Welcome one and all.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**

Anglican
Sunday Services
8 30 a.m. every Sunday—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. 1st Sunday of Month—Holy Communion
11 00 a.m. 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays—Morning Prayer.
O Come Let Us Worship.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**

[illegible]
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 9 00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.


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## FRIDAY, NOV. 5th.

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# MacDuff Ottawa report ... Apathetic election

OTTAWA — An apathetic electorate could mean a considerably reduced total vote in the general election November 8.

Preliminary tabulations show 10,191,825 Canadians eligible to vote in the election. This compares with 9,910,757 in the 1963 election when 7,894,076 voters, or 79 per cent actually cast ballots.

But in this election because of the apparent apathy of the elector, the experts are forecasting that the total vote will be down about 10 per cent. Party organizers believe they will be fortunate if they can persuade 70 per cent of the eligible voters to go to the polls.

"It's a campaign for the professionals", said one Conservative party worker. He said the professionals were enthusiastic and they reported they were encountering interest among the voters. But when you get away from the professional politicians and talk to the average man in the street he is "apathetic" said the Tory.

**PRESSURE BUILDING UP**

Grits are encountering the same apathy out on the hustings. However, they hope that in the last two weeks of the campaign with Prime Minister L. B. Pearson stepping up the tempo of his electioneering and with Conservative Leader John Diefenbaker stumping the hustings at top speed, there may be a new interest generated in the issues, an interest that will arouse the voters and get them to go to the polls.

One official who has had much experience in setting up the machinery for elections, commented, "This is the most apathetic election I've seen in years". This time there were reports of enumerators returning from their door-to-door job with the information that several people had slammed the door shut in their face. Such people did not even want to have their names recorded on the voter's list—"They couldn't care less", one enumerator summed it up.

Meantime the Liberals are not too concerned about the reports of "apathy". They refer to the results of the Gallup Poll which showed that they had 46 per cent support and that the Conservatives had slumped to 28 per cent. This, the Liberals feel, is a good solid lead to hold as they entered the election campaign.

**COUNT ON STAYING POWER**

The Grits hope that those who describe themselves as "undecided" will either finally decide to vote for the party now in power, that is the Liberals, or will just decide to stay at home and not vote. In either case the Liberals think they should have no trouble winning a good majority in the House of Commons.

However, there are those among the politicians and at the political headquarters of the parties in Ottawa who wonder if the "undecided" group might be sufficiently annoyed over an election being called at this time, to adopt the attitude of a "plague on both your houses" towards the two old line parties. If that reaction takes place place it would benefit the New Democratic Party, and might lead to another parliament of minorities.

Mid-way through the campaign the party headquarters said they had detected no significant swing that would benefit any one party. The major issues in the campaign as it developed, appeared to be. Pearson as a leader versus Diefenbaker, national unity, prosperity; scandals and the old age pension.

**APPEAL TO PENSIONER**

John Diefenbaker's promise to raise the universal old age pension from the present $75 up to $100 has proved attractive to many voters. A Progressive Conservative advertisement showing a Dominion of Canada government cheque for $100 with the message that the re-election of a Diefenbaker government means the pensioners will get the $100 cheque immediately, has been effective. Countering this, Prime Minister Pearson has pounded home that the Liberal social welfare scheme providing additional assistance over and above the $75 for those who are in need is more responsible. But pensioners are not too impressed by that argument. The promise of an immediate $25 has a strong appeal.

The Liberals have stuck to their original plan for conducting the campaign. They started off in low gear with the Prime Minister making infrequent sorties to the hustings in the early weeks. He campaigned in low key.

With three weeks left in the campaign Mr. Pearson stepped up his tempo. He winged his way back and forth across the country on board a specially chartered Canadian Pacific Airlines plane.

**BETTER TECHNIQUE**

He has lost the old diffidence that used to handicap him so much in mingling with the crowds. Now he moves easily through the throngs, meeting people face to face, shaking their hand, patting them on the back, exchanging jokes and serious comments. In short, he has improved his technique as a politician on the hustings one hundred per cent.

At first in the campaign he made speeches from prepared texts. But as the campaign proceeded more and more he was inclined to toss text aside and talk to the crowds in his own style, earnestly and sincerely. The real Pearson registered with the audiences, they liked it, and his aides decided that their man was a better performer on the platform when not handicapped by a text. He was more confident, direct and displayed more vigor.

His principal opponent, Mr. Diefenbaker presents a sharp contrast in his platform style. He thunders against the Liberals, blasting them for allegedly debasing politics with wrongdoing.

**MASTER CAMPAIGNER**

As in previous elections he appears to gain greater vigor and strength as each hectic and frantic day passes by. He flays the Liberal administration and makes promises, some of them very costly. He is once again the consummate campaigner and Canadians turn out to listen and watch him in action.

Whether they are turning out because they are impressed by what Mr. Diefenbaker is saying, or because they want to see the colourful and master campaigner in action once again, and are not being persuaded to vote for his party, only the outcome on Nov. 8 will tell. Certainly he is making a tremendous effort and is not sparing himself in this last great bid to win re-election. He knows, as all his party knows, that if he fails this time, it is the end of the political road for Mr. Diefenbaker.

## Palmer-Earling notes

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER - EARLING, Oct. 22. —Combining is finished for this year. The yield was not as good as predicted, due to red rust in the grain, resulting in small kernels and a lower grade. Baling straw is now going on.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Murdock and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Yarham of Edmonton were recent visitors at the Henry Huseby home. They also visited with the Wallace Geibelhaus family at Holden North.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bratrud and family, of Camrose, Carl Nord, DeLoris and Lucy Deshirley, of Ryley, were Sunday guests at the Cliff Bratrud home.

**The Reum families attended the wedding of their niece, Eleanor Reum, and Merland Yttri at the Bethel Lutheran Church on Friday.**

Mr. and Mrs. John Bray, of Red Deer, and Mrs. Carrie Bratrud, of Camrose, were Sunday guests with the Orval Brays at Ryley.

## 4-H'ers plan dance for Hallowe'en

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — The Ryley 4-H Girls' Food Club met for their second meting of the new season to discuss business. The main subject was the Hallowe'en masquerade dance to be put on jointly by the two food club on October 29th in the Ryley Community Hall. Music will be supplied by the "Five Stars", and prizes will be given for the best costumes.

It was decided to [illegible] for first year members, pins for second year members, [illegible] for third year members and spoons for those who are in their fourth year.

Six new members and two new leaders were initiated, and to end the evening, lemonade was served.


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# School committee meets October 12th

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of $65.82 be approved and passed for payment.

CHIEF SUSPECT. Moise Darabaner, above, is top suspect in the sensational charges concerning arson and fraud which have rocked Quebec in the recent weeks. Bodies found in Quebec, murder victims of an underworld purge, are known to be linked with arson and bankruptcy cases.

The secretary-treasurer referred to the Committee the agreement between the County and Kenneth G. Stambaugh of Bruce in regards to storage of the buses at Bruce as drawn up by him.

Moved and carried that the agreement as drawn be accepted by the School Committee and be referred to Mr. Stambaugh for his signature.

Mr. Gibson mentioned that, as there was no light on the gas pumps, it was very difficult for the drivers to read the meter on pumps and also the spouts on the pump hoses appeared to be very short. The secretary-treasurer stated that he would bring these matters to the attention of the Texaco Company Limited.

Mr. Nord stated that he might be able to get Jack Stumbo to apply for his medical and a class A license so that he would be available as a spare bus driver in Ryley.

An application for bursary from John Blades was referred to the School Committee.

Moved and carried that this application be approved.

Mr. Pike referred to the Committee the fact that in the bursary regulations no provision had been made for teachers or students who had taken part of their training at their own expense and who wished to obtain a County bursary for one year to complete their training, and that the following addendum had been added to the agreement on the back of the bursary: "Students or teachers who have taken part of their training at their own expense and who elect to take a County bursary for one year ($400) to complete training in the year immediately prior to teaching for the County would be obligated to the County for one year's teaching service".

Moved and carried that the addendum be approved.

The Committee was informed that 27 of the teachers teaching in the County have had bursaries from the County.

Moved and carried that Mrs. Barbara Fendrick be permitted to reside outside of the Kinsella School District No. 3190 as provided in the School Act, Section 363A.

Moved and carried that the purchase of a new ditto machine for the Kinsella School be approved.

Mr. Pike informed the Committee that the teacher's convention would be held on November 4th and 5th and that some representation from the School Committee was desirable; that the teachers were most anxious that the School Committee be represented. It was moved and carried that Cr. Gibson and Mr. Stinson be appointed delegates to the teachers' convention.

Mr. Pike informed the committee that the drama workshop would be held in Tofield as mentioned in motion 435-65, and that if at all possible the local representatives on the committee should make an appearance at this workshop. Mr. Stinson was requested to attend.

In regards to the Reading Institute at Viking on October 28th, Cr. Roddick and/or Mr. Allen were requested to attend this institute on behalf of the School Committee.

In regards to the additional land required at the Viking school, dealt with by motion 422-65, the committee was informed that Cr. Roddick and Mr. Allen had attended the meeting of the Town Council of Viking on Tuesday, Oct. 5th, and had presented the request. The request had been left in abeyance to be dealt with by the incoming council. Mr. Allen at this time suggested that if at all possible the block north of the block on which the school is situated should be purchased by the county. After some discussion, it was moved and carried that the committee consisting of Cr. Roddick and Mr. Allen continue to work on this matter, trying to purchase the block in question with the distinct understanding that 6th Avenue would have to be closed and included in the area.

It was moved and carried that Mr. Nestor Semotiuk be appointed to represent the School Committee at the principals' meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 27th.

In regards to the building program at Viking the sec.-treas. reported that the notice of the proposed construction had now appeared in two issues of the three papers circulating in the county and that, if no request for a vote was received by October 16th, he would be able to forward the necessary documents to the Local Authorities Board. It was moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In order that the maintenance foreman would have authority to enter the various teacherages to check on furnaces, motors, filters, etc., it was moved and carried that the maintenance foreman Nick Shinmaki, be authorized to, whenever, it appears necessary, to enter any teacherage in the county for the purpose of checking furnaces, motors, filters, etc.

## By George ...

The Printed Word, a publication of J. G. Johnston Associates, had a few comments on the Rand formula, which requires that employees in certain jobs must pay union dues whether they want to or not, and whether or not they are union members. Under the heading "High off the Hog", the Printed Word said:

When students are going back to college, they are likely to be examining the statement of earnings relating to their summer jobs. Some of them were paying union dues when they didn't belong to a union.

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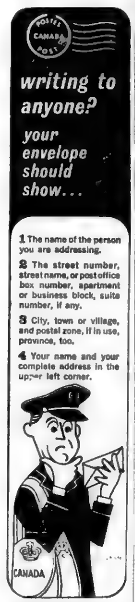
There are several faults in this theory. One is that in what is supposed to be a free country the individual should have the right to decide whether he should support a union or refrain from paying. The second main fault with the theory is that there is no proof available that unionism is beneficial in fact.

If the wages of the packinghouse employees, for example, are high because of the compulsion of union demands, it follows that either the farmer who raises the products processed by the packers will get less, or the consumer will pay more. It is more likely that the consumer will pay more. And the union won't worry about the person on pension or other fixed income who is going to eat hamburger steak while the people who can get more cash live high off the hog.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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Rose Walker and son, Terry, were Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Rose's aunt, Tillie, and Joe Yurkowski.

Geo. and Ida Niemetz were Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Ernie and Eleanor Runzer. Harold Sleb was also visiting there.

Emma and Ed Schultz and Ed's sister, Gertie, and Cliff Raby, all of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Emma's sister, Ida, and George Niemetz.

Garry Yurkowski and a friend from Edmonton spent Sunday evening at the home of his parents, Joe and Tillie Yurkowski.

Lyall and Thelma Wickenberg of Edmonton were Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Lyall's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg.

Jack Johnston was a Saturday evening visitor and supper guest at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg.

Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of John and Helen Tiedemann in Tofield were John's parents and sister, Bill and Mary Tiedemann and daughter, Sharron of Deville and his uncle, Emil, and Martha Tiedemann of Lakeshore.

Bob and Shirley Coover and little daughter of Edmonton were Sunday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Shirley's aunt, Ruth, and Roy Wickenberg.

George and Ida Niemetz were Edmonton visitors on Monday afternoon. Later, they were supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Ida's sister, Vi, and Ted Kremsater, before returning home.

**COUSIN'S FUNERAL**

Frank Norton, Ed Campbell and Mrs. Grace Hallett of Tomahawk, were Thursday overnight and Friday visitors at the home of Ed and Grace's sister, Mrs. Ellen Eaton. On Friday, they all motored to Lamont to attend the funeral of Ed, Grace and Ellen's cousin, Johnny Campbell. After the funeral, all were guests at the Campbell home at Starr, where some of the Campbell relatives met for the first time in over 40 years.

Mrs. Mabel Hannan and her daughter, Carol, and Russel Young and family, and Russell's mother, Mrs. Young Sr., all of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son, Donald.

Marilyn and Don Langille and children of Calgary were weekend visitors at the home of Marilyn's parents, Ollie and Verlyn Moss.

# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Sharon and Richard Strong of Edmonton spent Sunday visiting with Florence and Jimmy Ingram and the girls.

Friday evening, Barney McCrea was the guest of his sister, Jeanie Sears, Pat and the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGinitie were Sunday visitors with their daughter, Alice, and son-in-law, Eric Munkedahl and family of Ryley.

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

Mary Wiens and Agnes McGinitie were guests of Opal McGinitie on her birthday on Monday afternoon. Evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. Herb McAdoo and Pat, Annie McGinitie and Yvonne Brown.

Raymond McGinitie returned to work in Edmonton after being absent for a week due to having dental surgery done.

**Annie McGinitie had the misfortune to fall and fracture her wrist last Tuesday. She was detained in the Tofield hospital for a few days.**

**84th BIRTHDAY**

Kietha Brown entertained a few ladies at her home to honor her mother, Mrs. Annie Lee on her 84th birthday on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parent and son of Mannville were weekend guests of Myrtle and Ab Sutton and the children.

Mabel Lawson and Irene of Edmonton spent the weekend with Martin and Janet Lawson and the boys.

Saturday evening, Mrs. Harboway and Bill and Verna were guests at the Lawson home.

## Football champs

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — The Ryley High School boys who started playing "touch" football this year, played Tofield High in an exhibition game in Ryley on Monday, Oct. 18th, and won by a score of 57 to 14.

Ryley has so far not lost a game, and are the school champions.

# Ministik news items

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Services at the United Church were once again conducted by Mr. Harold Dunham. As there is a shortage of student ministers this winter, laymen will be taking charge of services in the Ministik field, with hopes for a student in the spring.

The Ministik Community Club has planned a masquerade Hallowe'en dance for Friday night, and all are welcome. Lunch will be served.

As the teachers of grades 4, 5, 6, were at a teachers' meeting, pupils of these grades spent the last two days at their homes.

**MOUNTAIN SURVEY**

Keith Williams spent eight days in the Nordegg area on a survey for Ducks Unlimited. The expedition was very rugged, but most enjoyable, and many nights he camped in the open.

**AWARD NIGHT**

It was awards night at Ardrossan elementary school last Wednesday evening. Ann Paterson, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Paterson, won a merit award with an average of over 75% in grade 8. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Paterson and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Kleinscroth and family, Mrs. Bruno Jeske and Christine, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leach, Donna and Brian, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Herricks, Keith and Clifford, Mrs. Ronald Swabey and Cheryl, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schwuchow, Lori and Edith. After presentation of awards, an enjoyable evening of entertainment was had by the large crowd in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Naslchuk, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gill of Tofield, motored to Edmonton to "surprise" the girls' sister, Mrs. Sydney Wright, on her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Monson of Edmonton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick and family.

**Mrs. Russell Wilson shipped out a load of her 1500 turkeys on Monday.**

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Ella Bryan of Winnipeg, who was visiting with her sister, Mrs. Lars Ritland and Mr. Ritland for the past two weeks, was [illegible] guest with Mrs. N. L. [illegible] Sunday evening. Mrs. [illegible] returned home the following Thursday, leaving Viking on the Transcontinental.

Mrs. Richardson of Tofield, who was visiting over the weekend with Mrs. N. L. Campbell, returned home Monday evening of last week, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden driving her home, [illegible]panied by Mrs. Campbell. Mr. and Mrs. Liden and Mrs. Campbell were coffee guests with Mrs. Richardson before driving home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruxton were Saturday evening supper guests at the home of Mrs. Campbell, and to meet Mrs. Richardson.

Mrs. John Lemko and Mrs. Don Manchur and small son were business and shopping visitors in Viking on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Lars Olson was a visitor and coffee guest with Mrs. N. L. Campbell on Saturday of last week to visit with Mrs. Richardson of Tofield, an old friend, who was a visitor with Mrs. Campbell over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Tkaczyk arrived home the early part of last week from their holiday in Vancouver and Victoria.

Mrs. Wallace Giebelhaus has been helping Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus in the M. & M. Store while Marvin is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shyba spent last Sunday visiting with friends at Daysland, and taking advantage of the good weather to get in a game of golf.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Nancy Laskosky, who has been a Tofield Hospital patient for several weeks after suffering a stroke, came out of hospital Sunday afternoon of last week and is staying for the present with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Laskoski, on the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann were Edmonton visitors on Monday of last week, taking into the city Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison, Mrs. Tiedemann's parents, who had been visiting for the past week. They visited with their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Morrison, before leaving by train for Unity, Sask., to visit relatives there for several days before returning to their home in Vancouver.

Mrs. Lloyd Bell was a shopping visitor in Edmonton a week ago Monday, driving in with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann.

**R.N. GRADUATION**

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shyba were dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Mrs. Shyba's brother and family at Sherwood Park on October 17th, and in the evening they attended the Graduation Exercises at the Jubilee Auditorium of nurses from General Hospital School of Nursing, guests of Miss Betty Chupka who was one of the graduates.

**FARM IS SOLD**

Lloyd Clark and his sister, Miss June Clark, have sold their farm and are retiring from farming. The farm has been purchased by Norman Gossman, who will be moving onto it as soon as Lloyd and June leave. The Clark family is one of the old-time pioneer families of the district, and Lloyd has farmed the place since Mr. Clark Sr. passed away many years ago. Lloyd and June have bought the house owned by Mrs. Laura Christianson and presently occupied by Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus, and will be moving into town shortly.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lemko over the weekend were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Halkowich, and brother of Hafford, Sask. The Lemkos' small daughter, Cathy, returned home with her grandparents to visit with them for two or three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grosland and son, of Edmonton, were visitors during the weekend, guests at the wedding and reception on Saturday of Carol Olson and Leo Hurka.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Komarnisky were last Wednesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Chris Hovland and son, Reuben and Ray.

Douglas Hardy of Edmonton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy, during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Grosland and children, of Sherwood Park, were visiting at the weekend with their families, and also attended the Hurka-Olson wedding and reception.

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus spent last week visiting with her daughter Dorothy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Corser, at Erith, returning home with Mr. Giebelhaus Friday evening.

# Tofield High School news

(Frances Schultz)

On October 22nd, members of the Tofield High School attended the party given by the Junior High students. DJ Bob Gibbons supplied the music from CJCA. Those who attended thoroughly enjoyed the affair.

The football season ended last Wednesday with the trophy going to Ryley. An exhibition game on October 25th saw Ryley defeat Tofield 56 - 14. Tofield's touchdowns were made by Vic Wiens and John Wall, who also converted the two touchdowns.

Basketball practise for both boys' and girls' teams will commence next week.

Initiation of the grade 10 students will be held on Friday.

**DRAMA WORKSHOP**

A drama workshop for teachers and students in the County of Beaver will be held in the Tofield High School on November 6th. This is being presented by the drama division of recreation and cultural development branch and is being sponsored by the County of Beaver. Classes will include basic acting, directing and make-up. Participation of some 45 teachers and students is anticipated.

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## Hastings Coulee notes

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

The Ladies' Club met at the home of Mrs. A. Scott on October 21st. They wish to thank everyone that made the turkey supper of October 9th such an outstanding success. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Simpson on November 18th.

**HALLOWE'EN DANCE**

Everyone is busy getting their costumes ready for the Hallowe'en dance to be held at the hall Friday evening. Prizes are for the most humorous and best costumes.

Mrs. Peterson and Mrs. Fontaine are patients in the Tofield hospital.

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## Kingman news

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Oct. 25. — Catechization of the eight confirmands will be held at Salem Lutheran Church on Friday, Oct. 29th, at 8 p.m.

Confirmation service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, October 31st.

The annual LCW Thanksgiving "Ingathering" will be held on Friday, Nov. 5th, at the church. A group from the Bible School will present the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ovelson and girls were Sunday visitors with the John Marciszyn and Alfred Myhre families in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Simonson and boys of Edmonton, and the Gordon Simonson family were Sunday visitors at the Oscar Simonson home.

The Fred Sorensons of Camrose, and Miss Idie Thompson of Edmonton were Monday visitors at the Oscar Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson, Murray and Randal, and Barry Hovelson spent the weekend in southern Alberta hunting antelope and were lucky in getting one of the animals.

At the Clifford Christenson home Wednesday evening, to wish Clifford a happy birthday were Mr and Mrs. Conrad Simonson, Mrs. I. Hovelson, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hovelson and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. N. Hovelson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Christenson and Sharlene spent Sunday with the Thomas Cunninghams at Kelsey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Christenson, Colin and Colleen spent Sunday in Edmonton with the R. Haselgrubers and Geo. Franklyns.

## Shower honors Verna Lawson

(Mary Mitchell)

KETCHAMOOT — A miscellaneous shower was held at the Tofield United Church plarors on Saturday evening in honor of Miss Verna Lawson, bride-elect. About 40 ladies were present to extend their best wishes to the bride-to-be and present her with an assortment of lovely gifts. Mrs. Jeanie Sears made the presentation, and Judy Mitchell and Irene Lawson assisted Verna with unwrapping the gifts, while Louise Moore was in charge of the gift list. Verna graciously thanked all present for the many useful gifts, and local ladies were the hostesses serving a tasty lunch.


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## Teachers to discuss education, automation

*—At convention this weekend*

A group of 550 teachers from the County of Beaver, Edson-Jasper and the Strathcona areas, meeting at the Northern Jubilee Auditorium in Edmonton on Nov. 4th and 5th, will study "The Impact of Automation on Education". From presentations, workshops and discussions within the framework of this conviction theme, these teachers try to find answers to many questions of vital concern to them, such as, "Are our math and science courses behind the time? Do our English courses train students for effective communication and comprehension? What happened to classical literature? Does our physical education devolve physical fitness?"

The keynote address, given by ATA guest speaker Dr. W. D Knill Thursday morning, is entitled "Education For An Automated World". Dr. Knill is associate professor at the faculty of education, U of A. Prior to joining the staff of the university at Edmonton, he was an assistant professor at the college of education, University of Saskatchewan, for two years. He received his early, high school and teacher education at well as his B.Ed. degree in Alberta, his M.A. degree from Montana State University, and Ed.D. degree from the University of Oregon. Dr. Knill taught in rural and urban school systems in Alberta for 18 years. Recently, he was appointed chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Northland School Division. He is the author of numerous articles and two books, and is well known for his interest in the teen-age sub-culture, the Hutterian attitude to education, and education in the northern areas of Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Twenty workshop sessions will be held during the convention.

## Top quality bingo prizes

Prizes will be purchased this week for the Community League's Nov. 18th Merchandise Bingo.

Such prizes as electric mixettes, electric toasters, and other small electric kitchen appliances will be secured by the committee.

A special prize will be given to the person whose advance-sale ticket stub is drawn.

All the prizes will be of excellent quality, and well worth playing for.

Tickets have been distributed and may be purchased from any member of the League.

**Silent plea for help**

They say nothing, these children that live in the dark shadowy world of a Korean slum. They only look. And their eyes tell a thousand stories of hunger, cold and utter privation. These are the children the Unitarian Service Committee is helping with Canadian barley gruel, milk and warm clothing. But there is never enough to go around. In USC hands $1 feeds a child for sixteen days with hot barley gruel or provides milk for 100 days. Contributions should be sent to USC headquarters, 56 Sparks Street, Ottawa 4.

## Masqueraders design many original models

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK — A gay time was enjoyed by all who attended the Hallowe'en masquerade dance on Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick received first prize for the most work on their clown costumes; Keith Williams for men's single, dressed as a Red Devil; Mrs. Bruno Jeske for ladies' single, as a rabbit; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport in the pairs class as the Flintstones; Patricia Holmes as a witch in the little girls' class; and Kerry Peterson as a pirate in the boys' class.

## Shower honors bride - elect

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Friday evening, Oct. 22nd, a number of ladies of Holden and district met in the parlors of the Roman Catholic Church to honor Miss Gladys Danylak, second eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Danylak. The room was beautifully decorated in autumn colors, and seated at the head table with the guest of honor was her mother, her sister, Gloria, her cousin, Dorothy Hladilo, and her aunt, Mrs. Martin Danylak. Mrs. Grace Appleby and Mrs. Kay Chupka were in charge of the various games where were played, and presentation of many useful and lovely gifts was made by Mrs. Grace Appleby to the bride-to-be with the good wishes from all for her future happiness. Gladys thanked all most graciously for their kindness, the lovely gifts and the good wishes for her future. The ladies served a delicious lunch.

## County to try spraying by air

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The trustees of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 held their regular monthly meeting Friday night, Oct. 29th, in the office of the sec.-treas. Present were trustees Oscar Afseth, Hans Huseby, Nick Laskoski and secretary Ray Hovland.

Regular business was attended to and a letter was read from the County of Beaver No. 9 Service Board re: the spraying of ditches by air. They advised that they were willing to do three miles on an experiemental basis —free of cost, the location to be decided later.

Fasco started cleaning some ditches the first part of this week.

## 4-H Hallowe'en dance voted a big success

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY—The Hallowe'en masquerade dance sponsored by the Ryley 4-H Food Clubs on Friday, Oct. 29th, in the Community Hall attracted a very enthusiastic crowd, and the evening was voted a big success. The costumes were varied, and at midnight when the masks came off, the prizes were awarded as follows: most original, Edwin Davick and Margaret Caney, as Arabs; comic, Eric Larson as a clown; best all round, Lorraine Sadownyk and Moreen Frebrowski, witches.

The Sadownyk orchestra, "The Five Stars", supplied the music, and Lucy Diserlais was master of ceremonies. Judging the costumes were Mrs. Emily Stashko, leader of the girls' 4-H Clothing Club, Peter Muskedal, leader of the Beef Club, and Bob Westmancoat, leader of the Dairy Club.

## Community League has November 2nd meeting

The regular meeting of the Tofield Community League was held on Tuesday, Nov. 2, in the Community Centre, with 16 members present and president John Buergen in the chair.

Since a quorum had not been present for the October meeting, the minutes of the September meeting were now read and approved, after which Hans Christensen gave his treasurer's report.

It was decided on motion of J. E. Stinson and Lionel Borton to delay the painting of the Community Centre until Spring.

The League's annual Christmas Carol Festival was discussed, and it was decided that George McFadzean be approached to coordinate arrangements for that event.

Jack Whyte, reporting for the Theatre committee, stated that the weekly shows are realizing a profit of $16 per show.

Jack Whyte moved and J. E. Stinson seconded a motion to the effect that the supper previously held annually to welcome new residents, be cancelled. The motion carried.

Suggestions were made as to a winter's program of entertaining events. It was moved by Dr. Freebury, seconded by W. Christensen, that Ed Regehr, Norman Glover and Lionel Borton form a committee to co-ordinate and promote a variety of entertainments in the Community Centre during the winter months.

The matter of the Sportsman's Dinner was tabled until January.

To clarify a confusing situation for the cashier at the weekly shows, it was agreed that student prices at shows apply to High School students only

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

"The Church is the only institution that exists for the sake of those who do not belong to it".—The late Archbishop Temple. —J.W.R.

## William Dickson passes in Unity

Word has been received of the sudden passing of William (Bill) Dickson of Unity, Sask.

Funeral services were held Thursday forenoon at Galahad, with interment in the soldiers' plot in the Tofield Cemetery Thursday afternoon.

He is survived by his wife (the former Margaret Kallal) and four children

Bill, as he was known, worked in the local CNR station about 15 years ago, and was a CNR agent at Unity at the time of his death.

# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Nov 2nd — Mr and Mrs Ronald Otto and Jimmy of Tofield, who recently joined the Bardo Lutheran congregation were honored at a fellowship dinner on Sunday after the morning services.

OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Dinner guests at the Lars Rude home in celebration of Lars' birthday were Grandma Foshaug, Mr and Mrs. Carl Nelson and Garry from Edmonton, Mr and Mrs. Raymond Brooks and Ricky from Wetaskiwin and Mr and Mrs. Clarence Rude and Merlin Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Anderson, Mr and Mrs Alvin Lehman and family, Mr and Mrs. Arnold Johnson and Mr and Mrs Wilbur Stauffer and family

Grandma Foshaug, Mrs. Petra Stauffer, Albert and Agnes Haukedal and Arnold and Mabel Johnson were recent supper guests at the John Puttor home at Sherwood Park. Otto Johanson, who recently returned from a trip to Norway, showed pictures taken of the many places he visited

Mrs. Anne Anderson Albert and Agnes Haukedal and Leroy and Mary Finseth and children attended confirmation services at Kingman on Sunday afternoon when Lois Simonson was one of the confirmands. The Haukedals and Finseths were supper guests at the Simonson home after services

Cathy Green of Edmonton is spending some time at the home of her uncle and aunt, Phillip and Norma Anderson, while her mother is a patient in the hospital

**Word has been received of the sudden death of Bill Ray of Rockford Bridge. Mrs. Ray is the former Juliet Jevning who was born and raised in this district.**

Olaf Prygstad, a lay preacher from Saskatchewan, is conducting Evangelistic meetings at the Bardo Recreation Centre commencing Sunday evening and each evening the following week at 8 o'clock All are welcome

Lawrence Anderson and son, Donald, from Edmonton, who were doing a bit of hunting in the district on Saturday, were callers at the Olaf Anderson home

A number of the young people made the rounds for tricks or treats on Saturday evening Otherwise, Hallowe'en night was rather quiet.

The Leroy Finseth family visited in Edmonton on Saturday Mary's brother, Elmer Johnson, is steadily improving but will remain in hospital for some time

# Kingman news items

KINGMAN, Nov. 1st — Confirmation service was held at 2 p.m. Sunday afternoon at the Salem Lutheran Church with Rev. G. Ostrem officiating. Confirmands are Patsy Brady, Lorraine Olson, Alice Bjorgum, Ann Bjorgum, Ronnie Mizera Roger Osness and Daniel Christenson.

The annual Ingathering will be held Friday evening, Nov. 5th, at 8 p.m., at the Lutheran church. The CLBI will present the program.

Mrs Ernie Pearson and children, Mrs. W. Roberts and Mrs. A. M. Wick spent last Thursday at the G Ringen home at Lindbrook

OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Visitors at the Raymon Johnson home on Sunday afternoon to wish Mrs. Johnson a happy birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hovelson and family, Mrs. Brith Johnson and Gail; Mrs. I. Hovelson, Mr. and Mrs Albin Anderson and Randy and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hovelson and girls. Evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Sture Johnson and Ernie and the Orville Hjelters of Ryley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Acres, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Solback and son, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Solback, all of Amisk, were last Sunday dinner guests at the Gary Acres home.

Pastor and Mrs. N. Elfert and girls of Camrose were Sunday evening visitors at Mrs. E. Schmidt's home.

# Evangelistic week at Bardo

Special evangelistic meetings will be conducted in the Bardo Community Centre November 7 to 12, under sponsorship of the Bardo Lutheran Church

Olaf Frigstad, a Lutheran layman from Frontier, Sask., will be holding services at the centre each evening starting Sunday, Nov 7th, at 8 p.m., through to Friday evening. Services will be held each evening at 8 p.m. with the exception of Monday when it will begin at 8.30.

Mr Frigstad will be remembered by many as he conducted services at Bardo last year and previous to that at Round Hill.

Besides farming on a large scale, Mr. Frigstad is also interested in public affairs. He has served for many years as reeve and counciller for the county surrounding the Frontier area

However, he still finds time to bring the message of salvation to the many people who come to hear his clear-cut messages.

Mr. Frigstad is also one of the leaders in the Gideon organization and has done much to promote the work of this group.

It is interesting to note that Pastor Arthur Dahlen, who has accepted a call to the Kingman parish, is the present minister at Frontier.

The public is cordially invited to participate in these services each evening.

## Locals . . .

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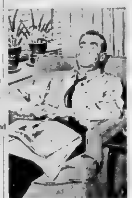

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Lars Ritland was taken to hospital at Tofield Sunday of last week to have treatments for arthritis in her back.

**The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Shihinski had a finger injured last week while playing on the teeter-totter and was taken to hospital where it was necessary to have part of the appendage amputated, as infection had set in.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Mertz and children were visitors and dinner guests Sunday of last week with Beth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow.

Hans Huseby and Abe Black were business visitors in the Lamont district last Thursday.

AT FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow motored to Viking Monday of last week visiting for a few days with their daughter, Beth, and family, the Ernie Mertas. They attended the funeral of Wm. Robinson, a neighbor of the Mertas, who was killed October 23rd on his farm when his tractor overturned, pinning him underneath. Mr. and Mrs. Barlow returned home Thursday afternoon.

The Pioneer Group will meet Thursday, Nov. 4th, at the home of Mrs Carrie Olson. A cordial invitation is extended to those interested

Mrs. T. A. Liden entertained several friends for coffee a week ago Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka drove to Edmonton Friday evening to attend the wedding rehearsal of their daughter, Betty.

Visitors and dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden Sunday of last week were Mr. and Mrs George Mohler and Mr and Mrs Jensen, all of Camrose. The Lidens, Mohlers and Jensens were visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell in the evening.

Mrs Grace Bilyk was an overnight patient in the Tofield hospital Tuesday, having tests and a check-up, returning home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Mary Semoliuk was helping in the post office while Olga was away.

WINS AWARD

David Hladilo, who has been taking a course in commercial cooking for the past two years at the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology, won an Alberta Hotel Association award which was presented at the awards day ceremonies held Wednesday afternoon, Oct 27th. David is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hladilo.

Mr and Mrs Tommy Chupka and small son, Randy, were visitors Sunday of last week with the latter's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Tkaczyk.

Mr and Mrs. H. S. Beveridge, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Foran and Mrs Bertha Sanderson motored to Edmonton Tuesday evening, Oct. 26th, and attended the Don Cossack Chorus and Dancers concert held in the Jubilee Auditorium.

Former Holden residents and operators of Anne's Lunch Cafe, Mr. and Mrs. John Burkhart, were recent visitors, calling on several friends in the district.

Mrs. John Lemko and Mrs. Mary James were shopping visitors in Camrose Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Allan, Mr and Mrs. T. A. Liden and Mrs. Campbell were in Edmonton Sunday afternoon and were visitors and dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. William Brushett, former Holden residents.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kelley and children were weekend visitors at Rimbey the weekend of October 23rd, with Mr. and Mrs. John Story and family.

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus entertained several friends at tea on Friday afternoon.

IN HOSPITAL

Kennie McLennan was injured and taken to Tofield hospital last week, where he is at present a patient.

Bruce Budd was a caller at the Chris Hovland home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Afseth were visiting with Mrs. Afseth's father and brother the weekend of October 23rd, at Outlook, Sask.

BUILDING CONTRACT

It is understood that Watsons of Tofield has been awarded the contract from AGT to build the new telephone building in Holden which is to be completed by December 31st, 1965. The building will be a big improvement to that part of Main Street.

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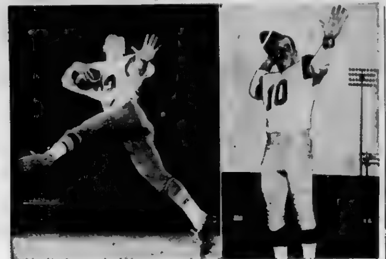

TWO WINNERS. Two players with the Montreal Alouettes have been selected for special awards. Terry Evanshen, left, has received the Gruen award for outstanding rookie of the year, while Bernie Faloney, right, has won the Jeff Russel Trophy for the player most useful to his team.


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## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Vestmancoat)

Mrs. Roland Booth had a Hallowe'en party for the children on Saturday, Oct. 30th, and her little guests made quite a picture in their Hallowe'en attire.

Mrs. Ivor Annebo, who has been residing in Killam for some time, moved back into her residence in Ryley recently.

**MOVE TO EDMONTON**

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carlsen and family moved this past week to make their home in Edmonton. Before leaving, Mrs. Carlsen's friends had a get-together one afternoon and presented her with a farewell gift, with a weiner roast for the children at supper time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lindskoog of Drayton Valley were weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. George Cline. Mrs. Lindskoog and Mrs. Cline are sisters.

A number of people from here attended the Reformation Festival at the Jubilee Auditorium in Edmonton on Sunday evening, sponsored by the Edmonton Lutheran Council.

## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Church services were conducted at the United Church with a layman from Edmonton conducting.

**SETTLES IN EDMONTON**

After a month's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Les Whitford, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Aldrich, Ronnie, Diane and David, of Dartmouth, Nova Scotia, are settling in Edmonton in the Ottewell area. Mr. Aldrich, who is Mrs. Whitford's son, has retired from the Royal Canadian Navy after 20 years of faithful service, and has taken a position in the engineering department of the Alberta Government Telephones.

John Jones of Clover Bar visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Jones, on Saturday.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Harmond Jones of Edmonton called in before Harmond leaves for Lesser Slave Lake to work for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch and Beverly were Edmonton visitors on Sunday.

Among weekend shoppers in Edmonton were Mrs. Helen Hennessy, Mrs. T. A. Jones and Mrs. E. B. Leach.

**Sympathy is being extended to Jim Roddick from friends and neighbors on the loss of his brother, Bob, of Edmonton, on Monday evening, Nov. 1st.**

**HERE FROM CALIFORNIA**

Afternoon and coffee guests at the Jim Roddick home Sunday were Mrs. Ralph Walton of San Diego, Calif., Rod Roddick and Edna Roddick of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick and Leona. This was a small reunion of cousins while Mrs. Walton was here from San Diego.

Members of the ladies' club met at the United Church Monday morning to bring in their fancywork to be priced and other articles for the fall bazaar.

A start on the Christmas program got underway on Saturday as several boys and girls gathered at the home of Mrs. S. George to practice songs.

Mr. and Mrs. George Horricks of Namao were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horricks and sons.

Little ghosts and goblins were out in full force Saturday evening for tricks or treats. Some lovely and original costumes were noted on many of the children.

As two acreages have been sold on the former Ellett farm, workers are busy putting a municipal road leading to the property.

## Ryley wins trophy

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER EARLING, Oct. 29th. The County of Beaver football season came to a close with the Ryley High School team winning the trophy after defeating Holden, Viking and Tofield.


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NOTICE is hereby given that the assessment roll of the said municipality, made under the provisions of the Assessment Act, has been prepared and will, for thirty (30) days, be open to inspection at the office of the secretary-treasurer of the municipality during business hours and that any person who desires to object to the entry of his name or that of any other person upon the said roll or to the assessed value placed upon any property must, within thirty (30) days from the date of this notice, lodge his complaint(s) in writing with the secretary-treasurer of the municipality.

DATED this 2nd day of November, 1965.

GARNET J. BURNSTAD,
Secretary-Treasurer.

# NOTICE

Re:

## BRUCELLOSIS VACCINATION

Within

## The COUNTY OF BEAVER

**The County of Beaver #9 will be under the Federal Brucellosis Control Area Regulations this fall. Restricted Area Regulations do not apply whereby all heifer calves must be vaccinated within the proper age group.**

Compulsory vaccination over the past fifteen years has lowered the incidence of brucellosis to a point where Federal Testing could be carried out with a minimum of reactors.

The Agricultural Service Board is anxious to co-operate with cattle owners who wish to continue vaccinating for Brucellosis and will carry on the Fall vaccinating program by notifying farmers when the veterinarian will call.

The County will be divided into six or seven districts and one organizer will do the notifying in each district. Dr. Beldfell of Viking will do the vaccinating for the entire County.

Space does not permit an outline of Federal and Provincial regulations regarding vaccinating in a Federal Control Area where cattle are to be sold locally and for export.

Vaccinating fees will remain the same as in the past.

No second calls will be made and farmers are expected to have their calves confined and separated before the veterinarian calls.

Cattle men are urged to take advantage of organized vaccination in order to protect their markets and assist in the Federal Control Program.

We expect to get the Voluntary Program under way in four or five days time.

Agricultural Service Board
County of Beaver #9
RYLEY, Alberta.

A. ROBERT CROSS, Secretary-Treasurer (10-11) (10-11)



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### ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kerby, of Nanaimo, B.C., are pleased to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Adrienne Margaret, to Arthur Garry, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Francis of Tofield. The wedding will take place November 27th at Mayland Heights Baptist Church, Calgary. 10c-3094

## Church notes

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Sunday, Nov. 7th

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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.

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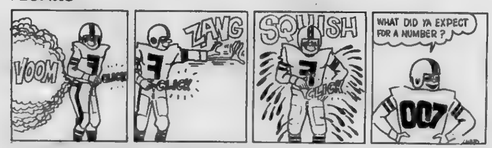


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I DON'T THINK IT USED TO BE LIKE THIS!
THEN WHY WILL YOU SACRIFICE YOUR GUN OF OUR HIKE?
WELL, THE HUNTING SEASON HAS OPENED.
AND I AM GOING TO SHOOT RIGHT BACK AT ANYONE WHO SHOOTS AT US!

## SMALL WORLD

I'M THINKING OF SOMETHING A CRAZY COMEDY COULD...
WHAT?
DIDN'T TEACHERS USED TO BE MORE OF A SAP FOR YOUR JOKES?
SURE.
AND DON'T SHE SAY SOMETHING ABOUT A PIG AND THEN YOU SAY SOMETHING?
SURE, SURE, SURE.
THAT'S WHY I THOUGHT I'D BE A NATURAL FOR A MUSICAL COMEDY.

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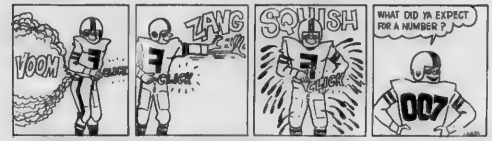


## CYNTHIA

WELL, NEVER GET ACROSS IF THIS KEEPS UP.
AND MOM SAID WE HAVE TO LEAVE FOR HOME EARLY!
I HAVE AN IDEA BUDDY.
QUICK, SET ME TWO CANS AND SOME PAINT.
Hmm
GREAT IDEA, CYNTHIA!

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MY FATHER IS VERY PARTY CONSCIOUS.
RAIN!! I ALWAYS HAVE TO GET SOAKED WHEN IT RAINS
MY FATHER ALWAYS SAYS I CAN PLAY IN WATER IF I'M WEARING MY LIFE JACKET.

# County council meets October 14th

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of Council of the County of Beaver No. 9, held Thursday, Oct. 14th

**Business Arising from Minutes**

In regards to the Kropelnicki Beaver Hill Lake Flood Control Scheme, the secretary-treasurer informed the Council that he had discussed the proposed meeting of the farmers affected with A Strome the engineer in charge of the proposed scheme. Mr. Strome had suggested that, as it was getting late in the season, it might be better to defer actual construction until next year and in the meantime organize the project rather than rush the work without due consideration to all factors. It appeared that some of the parties concerned were not satisfied with the proposed survey and that a re-survey would have to be done on part of the proposed scheme.

It was moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to Mr. Dmetro Myski's claim for cows killed, the secretary-treasurer referred to the Council a letter from Peckover & Halwa Investigators and Adjustors Ltd. The letter stated that in the opinion of the investigators no liability rested with the County.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and concurred [redacted].

In regards to the matter of Rural Road Inventory, it was moved and carried that this matter be deferred until after the AAMD Convention as, no doubt, some information on this matter will be forthcoming at the Convention.

In regards to the proposed grant to entice a physician to settle in the Village of Holden, the secretary-treasurer stated that he had discussed this with the Chief Municipal Inspector, having his opinion conformed that a grant could be given under the provision of Sec. 287 (b) of the Municipal District Act.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Concerning grants applicable to the Municipal Parks at Camp Lake and Nugget Lake, the secretary-treasurer stated that an amount of $120.43 still remained available from the grant and that this amount could be used towards gravel around the picnic shelter at Nugget Lake.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the request for a survey of Ross Creek, the secretary-treasurer reported that he had discussed this with the secretary-treasurer of the MD of Lamont and had followed his procedure in forwarding a copy of the letter to the Department of Water Resources for their attention.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and action concurred in.

In regards to the fence damage lodged by Messrs. Donald McGinite and Louis Showchuk, the secretary-treasurer referred to the Council correspondence from Jubilee Insurance Agencies Ltd. However, the information in the correspondence was quite ambiguous, and it was moved and carried that this matter be referred back to the Insurance Agencies for further clarification.

In regards to the sewerage system at Kinsella, the secretary-treasurer reported that By-law No. 190 had now received approval by the Local Authorities Board and it would be necessary to advertise this by-law as well as By-law No. 190 under the provisions of Section 251 of the Municipal Districts Act, with the by-law posted for a period of 30 days, during which time ten per cent of the proprietary electors of the county could petition the Council to submit the by-laws to a vote of the proprietary electors. If such petition was not forthcoming, the Council could proceed to consider the by-law and, if considered advisable, finally pass them.

Moved and carried that the required advertising and posting of notices be proceeded with.

The bridge requests for 1966 was referred to the Council and the information submitted to the secretary-treasurer.

Moved and carried that bridge requests as dealt with at this time be submitted to the Department of Highways.

**Correspondence**

A letter from the Canadian National Railways in regards to widening or relocation of roads at railway crossings and the procedure that must be followed was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the con-

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# Ross Creek district news briefs

(Iris Bilan)

October 21st marked the fourth wedding anniversary of Gene and Lynne Schacher, and October 30th was the anniversary of Ivan and Florence Malcolm's wedding.

Mrs. Patmore and Mrs. Mary Ferrel attended the Hadassa bazaar held in Edmonton on Wednesday afternoon.

**Ed and Gertie Pryma and family have moved from Ross Creek to take up residence in [redacted].**

Graham and Elma Snider were Sunday afternoon coffee guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs Von Gaza

Ray Cossey and Craig Snider are two of the new members to join the Tofield 4-H club

**Sympathy of the district goes out to the Herchuk and Stadnik families on the passing of their father. Also sympathy to Maurice Beauregard, who attended the funeral of his uncle held at Regina on Monday.**

Mrs. Alice Cossey's mother, Mrs. Bailey of Tofield, visited with Ralph, Alice and family on Tuesday to Friday of last week.

October 30th was the birthday of Mrs. Mary Malkewich and Mrs Mickey Niemetz. A number of ladies from the district dropped in on Mickey in the afternoon to wish her a happy day.

Howard and Nell Malcolm and boys were Saturday visitors at the home of Howard's sister, Ellen, and husband, Bruce.

Ivan and Florence Malcolm are spending a week at High River visiting Florence's sister, husband and family, while Florence's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Haggerty of Drayton Valley are staying on the farm and looking after the children.

George and Winnie McLachlan and John and Gertie Ferrel spent a few days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McLachlan of Calgary, and with the Duncan families at Stettler.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Lester and Wilma Odlorne took Lester's father, Wyman Odlorne to the University Hospital on Monday where Wyman will be a patient for three weeks. En route home Lester and Wilma called on Joe and Verna Sadowskie at Lindbrook and had afternoon coffee with them.


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# County council meets October 14th

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tents be noted and the letter received and filed.

Moved and carried that the Field Crops Branch of the Department of Agriculture be advised in response to their letter that the County wishes to use 1000 bales during the coming winter.

The secretary-treasurer referred to the Council a letter from the Department of Lands and Forests Parks Branch with enclosed payment of $6,894.57 in settlement of claims made under the Provincial Parks Municipal Aid Programme concerning the Parks at Camp Lake and Nugget Lake.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed.

**Court of Revision**

Moved and carried that letter from the Workmen's Compensation Board with cheque in the amount of $935.47, representing the merit rebate for the year 1964 based on the maximum rebate of 25% of the assessment, be received and filed.

Moved and carried that letter from Calgary Power Ltd. with a refund cheque of $50, to adjust construction contribution towards the cost of extending electric service to the Kinsella grader shed, be received and filed.

George Hughes from Hu Harries and Associates Ltd., the assessors for the County, discussed the Court of Revision for the general assessment with the Council at this time. The secretary-treasurer reported that some 650 parcels had been appealed so far and that the last day for appeals was October 15.

After some discussion, it was moved and carried that Court of Revision be held November 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26, and December 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22 and 23rd.

Mr Hughes stated that 30 to 35 parcels could be dealt with in one day and this, of course meant that the Court of Revision would extend into the month of January at least.

**Pound Complaints**

B. M. Lazarenko's complaint was referred to the Council. The secretary-treasurer reported that he had informed Fred Sorechuk, the owner of the animals, of the recommendation of the Pound Committee and informed him that he could appeal the recommendation in writing the office no later than Oct. 14th, or that he could appeal personally to the Council on that date.

Mr Sorechuk did not appeal in writing nor did he appear at the meeting, and it was moved and carried that the recommendation of the Pound Committee as referred to the Council on Sept 16th be confirmed, and that the investigation fee be assessed to Mr Sorechuk.

Mrs. Mary Lockhart's pound complaint was referred to the Council. The secretary-treasurer reported that he had notified Louis Holden of the recommendation of the Pound Committee and that he could appeal the recommendation prior to the Oct. 14th meeting by forwarding the appeal in writing, or he could personally appeal to the Council at the Oct. 14th meeting.

Mr. Holden appealed the recommendation on Oct. 14th. However, the Council was of the opinion that the recommendation was just and fair, and it was moved and carried that the Pound Committee's recommendation be confirmed, and that the investigation fee be assessed to Mr. Holden.

Some discussion ensued in whether or not the County's own road equipment would be able to complete the construction program, and it was considered that this was not possible.

It was therefore moved and carried that Crs. Gibson and Kropielnicki contact Mr. Simmonds, the contractor on the Special Contingency Grant Road, and endeavor to get him to do the road construction work for them.

A letter from Flagstaff-Beaver Auxiliary Hospital and Nursing Home District No. 20, advising that Cr. Roddick's term of office on the board expires Oct. 31, 1965, was referred to the Council. Cr. Roddick could be re-appointed for a further term of two years, or a new member could be appointed if the Council so desired.

Moved and carried that Cr. J. H. Roddick be re-appointed as a member of the Board of the Flagstaff-Beaver Auxiliary Hospital and Nursing Home District No. 20 for a further term of two years as from Nov. 1, 1965.

It was moved and carried at 5:10 p.m. that this meeting now adjourns, to re-convene at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 19th.

**RE-CONVENED MEETING**

The Council re-convened in regular meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 19th.

**Special Contingency Road**

A delegation, consisting of Messrs. Nick Laskosky, Lud Mielarnaka, Mike Sopwinyk, Fred Tchir and Jim McLeod, interviewed the Council in regards to the Special Contingency Road south of Holden and the fact that the work on this road had been stopped for the year with a part of the road uncompleted to the N.E. corner of Sec. 10-49-16-W4th. Mr. Laskosky stated that the contractor had advised him that it would take some $4,000 to complete the road to the point mentioned, and he suggested that the County complete the road and be reimbursed by the Provincial Government next year. The secretary-treasurer stated that he had made this suggestion to E. Belsheim Sr., district engineer, who had stated that this could not be done. It was pointed out that this particular portion of the road was dry at the present time but would, no doubt, be wet in the spring, so that the work could not be done until the season was well advanced, and this would result in the people using the road having to put up with detours and construction conditions for a considerable length of time. Mr. Laskosky stated that the people using the road were fed up with this situation and requested that the matter be referred to the proper authorities. It was also mentioned that it was intended to put a light coat of gravel over the unfinished portion of the road and that this gravel would be lost during construction next year.

It was moved and carried that the Department of Highways be requested ... if at all possible, complete the road to the N.E. of 10-49-16-W4th.

**Viking School Building Committee**

The Superintendent referred to the fact that John Allen, who had been the member from Viking on the School Committee, was not now on the Committee, and that someone should replace him on the Viking Building Committee.

Moved and carried that Cr. Johnston be appointed to the Viking Building Committee.

A letter from the department of water resources concerning the drainage problem in Sec. 13-50-18-W. 4th was referred to

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## Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. When two or three married couples go out to dinner together, should the men be attentive to their own wives—such as seating, helping with wraps, etc.—or does each help one of the women who is not his own wife?

A. Each man helps the woman who happens to be nearest him at the time.

Q. I've just been told that a bride properly has about six months in which to write her thank-you notes for wedding gifts received. Is this true?

A. Indeed not! Good taste dictates that she acknowledge her gifts as soon as possible after she receives them. Six months is more than five months too long!


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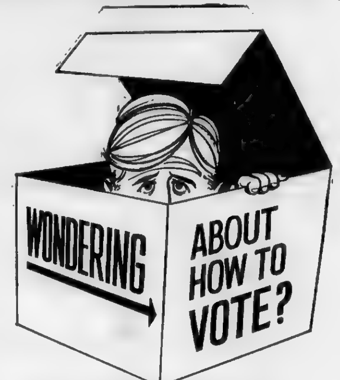


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# Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. He is apt to be here very [illegible]
2. I have no desire at all to go in the house .
3. Keep me posted on the development, and I will be back in a few days
4. In so far as I know, he told the absolute truth to us all.
5. The more one thinks of this man, the more he admires his outspoken, ingenious manner.
6. Directly she appeared on the stage, the audience applaud[illegible]

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Coupon.
8. Abyss.
9. Lascivious.
10. Peccadillo.
11. Peregrination
12. Plethoric.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Pianos, sopranos, tomatoes, vetoes, credoes, paraphenalia, peninsula, p i n n a c l e, parachute, polygamous, perceive, siege, sieve, siezure, siesta, reservoir, residue, resonance, resistible, retrouse, obituary, oblique, oblivious, absolescence, ostracise, indefatigable, navigable, managable, incorrigible, irresistible.

**[illegible]**

1. Say, "He is LIKELY to be here very soon", and omit "now". 2. Omit "at all", and say, "INTO the house". 3. Say, "Keep me INFORMED OF the developments, and I SHALL RETURN". 4. Omit "in" and "absolute", and say, "So far as I know, he told the truth to ALL OF US". 5. Say, "The more one thinks of this man, the more ONE admires his o u t s p o k e n, INGENUOUS manner". 6. Say, "AS SOON AS he appeared".

7. Pronounce koo-pawn, and not "kew-pawn".8 Pronounce a-biss accent second syllable 9. Pronounce la-siv-i-uss accent second syllable. 10. Pronounce peck-a-dill-oh accent on third syllable. 11. Pronounce pair-eh-gri-nay-shun principal accent on fourth syllable. 12. Pronounce pleh-thore-ick accent second syllable.

13. Credos, paraphernalia, seizure, retrousse, ostracize, manageable.

# Modern Etiquette

Q. Is it necessary to reply to a wedding invitation, and if so, what is the correct form?

A. Invitations to the wedding itself do not require an answer. But if a reception card is included, one answers in the traditional third-person form—"Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Lindsay accept with pleasure Mr. and Mrs. John L. McLean's kind invitation for Saturady, the tenth of June".

Q. At which side of the plate should the napkin be placed when setting the table?

A. If you set your table with place plates, the napkin is placed on the plate. If food is on the table when the guests are seated, the napkin is put at the left of the plate.

Q. Should bridge prizes be wrapped or left open?

A. It is much nicer and in better taste to wrap them attractively.

Q. Should a man remove his hat while talking with a woman in the lobby of a hotel?

A. He certainly should.

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## Holden news

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mielimaka were dinner guests and afternoon visitors Sunday with Mrs. Mielimaka's parents, Mr. and Mrs Mike Zuzak.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell left for Leduc Monday and was an overnight visitor with her daughter, Marjorie, and family, the Ken Campbells. She was then leaving Tuesday for Calgary where she will be visiting for a week or more with her niece, Muriel, and family, the Ted Andersons.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann and Mrs. G. H. Taylor were business and shopping visitors in Edmonton Monday.

The M and M Store has had a new door installed this past week, which greatly improves the appearance of the building.

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# Locals

Sunday guests at the Pete Ozubko home were Marlene and Jim McKay, Bob Ozubko and Gail Niemetz of Edmonton, and Sharon and Larry Yoder, the occasion being Mr and Mrs. Ozubko's 29th wedding anniversary Lynda Kallal of Edmonton was a weekend guest of Lynda Ozubko.

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and daughter Edith Mary, accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Chapman of Edmonton and Mrs. McKee of Wetaskiwin, spent Sunday in Tofield They all returned to Edmonton early Sunday evening. Mrs. Chapman and Mrs. McKee were the guests of Mrs. Edith Rogers for the day

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Chilkewich and daughter of Fort Saskatchewan were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chilkowich's home.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jefferson have sold their house to Beve and Ron Brown, the Browns to take possession the first of December.

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Last Friday evening, 15 ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. Les Grover, then going to the home of Mrs. John (Pearl) Chubaty to surprise her on h e r birthday.

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Ella Young and Geraldine and Mrs. Young Sr of Camrose were Tuesday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Campoeu.

Mrs. Annie Chilkewich spent Monday in Edmonton visiting with her daughter, Miss Evelyn Chilkowich who has just returned from her vacation in Europe. Evelyn reports having a wonderful and most interesting tour of eight countries and the major cities. While in Rome, she took part in the Papel audience and received her blessing. Another highlight of her trip was visiting the Seminary of Vellernoissen near Paris, where her brother, Tony, had studied for three years.

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Mary Forhaug is still in hospital. Hoping she will be well enough soon to be home again after five weeks, are all her friends.

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Mrs. Hazel Dyer of Edmonton visited on Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Sears Sr., who is a patient in the Tofield hospital.

## THE WEATHER . . .

| Oct. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 27 | 53 | 48 | 27.70 | —— |
| 28 | 60 | 53 | 27.40 | —— |
| 29 | 50 | 46 | 27.35 | —— |
| 30 | 46 | 40 | —— | —— |
| 31 | 40 | 30 | —— | —— |
| Nov. | | | | |
| 1 | 57 | 30 | 27.48 | —— |
| 2 | 46 | 27 | 27.73 | —— |
| 3 | — | 10 | 27.94 | —— |

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## Kingman news

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

Mr. and Mrs. Len Liddell and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the Wilfred Johnson home

Guests at the Wm. Simonson home on Sunday after the confirmation service, were Mrs. J Holte, Miss Mabel Simonson, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Magneson and Mrs Willie Simonson of Camrose. Mr. and Mrs. Alan Magneson of Bawlf, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Finseth and family and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haukedahl of Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Wruck were Friday visitors with Mrs. Fred Andial in Edmonton

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Whillans and family of Edmonton were Saturday evening visitors at the Ray Ovelsor home. The John Marcinyns were weekend visitors there.

**MOVES TO CAMROSE**

Mrs. O. P. Haugen was pleasantly surprised on Thursday afternoon when 14 ladies called on her for a little get-together before she leaves for Camrose to reside. She was presented with a parting gift, and a bountiful lunch was served by the ladies Mrs Paulson has rented a suite at the Martin Bjorgum home in Camrose.

Dr. and Mrs. Chester Roaning and Mrs. Mary Qually of Camrose were Saturday afternoon visitors at the Ingvald Ness [illegible]

## Holden ATA has October meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Holden ATA sub-local met October 25th for the regular meeting Mrs. Grace Appleby, representative to t h e local association, gave her report, and Mr. Randall was introduced into the ATA. A report of the Hardisty Zone meeting on "Long Range Planning" was given by Mrs. Pearl Allan, Mrs Appleby, Lars Olson and William Ogrodnick. The schools in t h e County of Beaver will study and make recommendations concerning their own sections. By May these reports will be co-ordinated

The meeting was visited by teachers from Bruce

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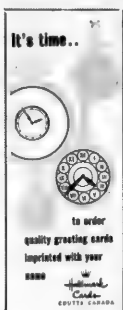


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# County council meets October 14th

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the council. The department wanted to know if the county wanted to have a survey undertaken on this drainage problem and if so to advsie the office to that effect. It was moved and carried that we do request a survey of the drainage problem in Sec 13-50-18-W 4th.

Correspondence from the acting Chief Maintenance Engineer, department of highways, concerning the special contingency road appropriation for 1966 was referred to the council.

It was moved and carried that the following projects be applied for:

1 Completion of grading and gravelling of the current project on DH 345H south of Holden

2. New project—E. of NE 15-49-16-W 4th—south of Highway 14, north 8¼ miles to the Correction Line, thence 4 miles west and north 4 miles to the County boundary. As an alternate route it be suggested that the road be continued north from the Correction Line to the boundary of the County.

3 Regravelling as considered necessary by the district engineer.

The sec.-treas. reported that he had, at the request of the Reeve, advertised for sale two portable hoist frames that had been in use in the shop in Ryley with a closing date of Friday, Oct 22nd. It was moved and carried that the shop committee be authorized to deal with these tenders.

It was also moved and carried that a tax sale be held on Thursday, Dec. 30th, at 2:30 p.m. and that a reserve bid be placed on each parcel of four times the assessed land value plus the appraised value on any buildings located on the land.

It was moved and carried that in view of the fact that the regular meeting in November would fall on Remembrance Day, the meeting be hled on Wednesday, Nov. 10th.

Correspondence from Alberta Emergency Measures Organization concerning the county's application in the financial assistance program for the 1966-67 fiscal year was referred to the council.

It was moved and carried that the Alberta Emergency Measures Organization be advised that the county wishes to participate in the 1966-67 fiscal year civil defence emergency measures financial assistance program.

A letter from the village of Holden advising that Nestor Semotuik had been elected by acclamation as a member to the school committee was referred to the council.

It was moved and carried that Nestor Semotuik be appointed to the county's school committee.

A letter from the agricultural extension service to Ed Chappell of Ryley concerning proposed drainage in SE 6-49-17-W 4th of seven pc. holes into the existing drainage system was referred to the council. The sec.-treas. stated that he had referred this matter to Mr. A. Strome of the department of water resources who had stated that he did not think that the drainage would overload the existing system and that the proposal could be approved, provided that arrangements were made whereby the water could be held back in case of heavy run off.

It was moved and carried that the proposed drainage system be approved subject to regulations set out by the department of water resources and that Mr. Chappell be advised that he will have to do the work at his own expense and that the county is unable to furnish the equipment for this work.

The council decided that three new graders, complete with snow plow and wing, should be obtained and that the Adams grader located at Ryley, the Austin-Western grader located at Viking, plus the two Richardson graders located at Ryley be traded in on the new graders.

It was moved and carried that tenders be called for three graders with 150 to 180 horsepower motors complete with snowplow and wings.

The sec.-treas. informed the council that he had received assessment appeals after the expiring of the deadline for the appeals and he asked for directions in this matter. It was moved and carried that assessment appeals submitted after October 15th not be accepted.

The sec.-treas. referred to the centennial grant program and the fact that the village of Ryley had accepted the county's offer to waive a portion of its grant to the village and that under the regulation a waiver must be passed and submitted by the village with its application for the grant. It was moved and carried that the sum of $1,956.00 be waived to the village of Ryley.

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| Bonds, Debentures plus Accrued Interest | 44,141,126 |
| Reserve Fund | 3,696,516 |
| Other Assets (Prepaid expenses, etc.) | 261,877 |
| | $128,975,958 |
| **LIABILITIES** | |
| Deposits | $128,690,323 |
| Other Liabilities | 12,751 |
| Surplus | 272,884 |
| | $128,975,958 |

### CONDENSED PROFIT and LOSS STATEMENT

Year Ending March 31, 1965

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Total Revenue | | $ 6,512,858 |
| Operating Expenditures | | 5,115,706 |
| Operating Surplus | | $ 1.397.152 |
| Distribution of Operating Surplus: | | |
| To Reserve Fund | $ 397,152 | |
| To General Revenue Fund of Province | 1,000,000 | |
| | | $ 1,397,152 |

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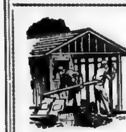

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## Teacher librarians attend city seminar

Five teacher librarians from the County of Beaver, Mrs. Harriet Ruddy of Ryley, supervisor of instruction for the County, Mrs Anne Slavik, librarian at Viking school; Mrs. Edna Bowick, librarian at Tofield school; Mrs. Pearl Allan, librarian at Holden school; and Dale Laub. er, librarian at Ryley school, attended the fall seminar of the ATA library council, held in Barnett House, Edmonton, last Saturday.

The conference got under way with a panel discussion of "The School Library as an Instructional Centre".

Miss Alma Webster, library specialist, Edmonton public school board, gave information on organization of the picture file in the library

"A demonstration of the multimedia approach to learning" was presented in the afternoon

Mrs B Friderichsen from the County of Strathcona served as secretary of the seminar, and A R. Penny, principal of Grandview Heights School in Edmonton, was director of the one-day meeting

This conference, a combination of presentation and discussion, should help teacher librarians improve the already valuable service they give to schools.

## Frank Fane returned to Ottawa

Frank Fane, Progressive Conservative candidate for the Vegreville federal constituency, was re-elected to Parliament in Monday's election, with a considerable majority over the four other candidates running in the field.

All opponents lost their $200 deposit, as failing to gain 50% of the votes cast for Fane. They were Nick Kuzyk, Liberal; Metro Tomyn, Social Credit; Norman Flack, NDP; and Walter Mackowecki, who ran on the Communist ticket

Voting was fairly brisk at the polls, as considerable interest has been aroused during the nomination of Fane as PC candidate Many were somewhat surprised at the poor showing of Liberal Nick Kuzyk, as he had been quite popular at meetings during the campaign

## Curling Club elects officers

A meeting of the board of directors of the Tofield Curling Club was held in the curling rink on Saturday, Nov. 6th.

The following officers were elected: pres., Geo McFadzean; vice-pres., Arnold Swift; sec., Graham Allan; treas., Wm. Christiansen; ice comm., C. Patterson; draw comm., Wm. Davison, J Whyte.

Fees were reduced to $25.00 per shareholder; $30.00 per non-shareholder; one night mixed curling weekly for non-members $15.00 per year. It is hoped that this will encourage more members to curl.

## Centennial Caravan in fall of '67

An eight-trailer Centennial Caravan, one of eight such caravans which will be touring Canada during the Centennial Year, 1967, will be stopping in Camrose from October 13th to 17th. The caravan touring Alberta will be known as No 7. It will spend six months in this province, the Northwest Territories and the Yukon, bringing to residents the story of Canada from the earliest times up to the present

The caravan with its eight trailer units and tractors will be set up in a special pattern on the exhibit site in Camrose, which will be a portion of the Fairgrounds. The location was checked out earlier this year with Centennial Committee Chairman George Meyer, with approval of the City Office

Seven of the trailers will contain a continuous story display, while the eighth will be a service unit. There will be a central exterior exhibition area as well, which will contain regional displays.

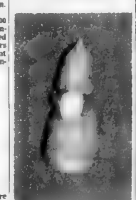
Caravan No. 7 will enter Alberta at Milk River on May 1, 1967, and will terminate its tour at Drumheller on Tuesday, November 2, 1967. It will travel 8,039 miles, and will make 95 exhibit stops, 81 of these in Alberta

Both the Federal Centennial Commission and the Alberta Centennial Committee have expressed the hope that communities which will be visited by the Centennial Caravan will use this as an event around which to centre other centennial activities

STAGE FOR LOCAL SHOW

The Caravan will be equipped with stage areas and facilities for the presentation of local programs featuring folk singers and dancers, bands, orchestral groups, drama or pageant presentations, during its visit to each community. The Camrose Centennial Committee will be considering ways of adding local flavor to the caravan's visit here

Inside the trailers, many modern electronic and film techniques will be introduced to aid the telling of the story of Canada, and it is hoped that the viewers will enjoy an experience unlike any they have had before and emerge with a new awareness of their Canadian identity.



## Carrot grows through ring

While gardening or building in Wainwright some years ago, the late Bob McKay apparently lost a gold ring. It was found around the middle of this carrot recently by the present residents of the Wainwright house, and was returned to Mrs. McKay who lives in Tofield. The ring has lost none of its sheen.

—Photo by Peter Nickel.

## T.H.S. organizes basketball practise

(Elaine Walker)

Basketball practice has been organized and is well under way. There have been very good turnouts for both the boys and girls' practice. The schedule for the first three games is as follows.

Nov. 26th—Holden in Tofield
Dec. 3rd—Ryley in Tofield
Dec 10th—Tofield in Viking.

Friday, Nov. 12th, will be a holiday for the students in Tofield as their parents and teachers hold their first parent-teacher day conference.

## Thursday's the night for bingo!

Last minute preparations are being completed for the second annual giant merchandise bingo sponsored by the Tofield Community League. This event will occur in the Community Centre Thursday, Nov. 18th, commencing at 8 p.m.

The committee in charge of ticket sales reports good progress while the committee in charge of prizes reports an excellent selection of small electric appliances has been secured.

Tickets are still available from any member of the League and will also be sold at the door the night of the bingo.

### THE WEATHER . . .

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## Election in two divisions

The sitting councillors for Divisions 5 and 6 of the County of Beaver, Arthur L. Gibson and Reeve Edwin M Magneson will have opposition in their bid for re-election to the county council. Election day is December 4th

County Secretary Olof Monsson advised The Mercury that at last Friday's nomination meeting, nominations were received for councillors in the county for Arthur L. Gibson and Harry Christian, Division No 5, and Edwin M Magneson and George A. Knudslien, Division No. 6.

"....RODNEY, IF GRANDMA WANTS A SCREW-DRIVER IT'S HER PRIVILEGE...."

# Feeling of kinship

People in this district must have felt a sense of identity with the millions from New York to Montreal who went without electric power for several hours Monday and Tuesday, for power shortages in this district are not entirely unknown. One of the worst in years was the disastrous storm last winter which interrupted power over a very wide area, in some districts for a week or more.

Yet it's hard to imagine even the havoc such an interruption would cause in densely populated metropolitan areas such as New York, where complete blackouts are almost unknown. Even such a complex item as traffic ground to a standstill as traffic controls were inoperative. Motorists were dependent on the gas in their cars as electrically operated pumps refused to deliver. Communications, cooking, merchandising . . . everything, almost, ground to a halt.

But the opportunities for break-ins and burglaries were wonderful, as alarm systems failed to operate, too. We can feel for them, here, but the problem is so different it's almost too hard to imagine.

# Sure, it's worthwhile

Well, the election's over, and many people are wondering if it were all worthwhile, and if it proved anything.

Of course it was, and of course it did.

Even though there was never any clearly demonstrated necessity for the election in the first place, it served its purpose. It proved pretty conclusively there aren't enough Canadians who would support the Liberal party under Mr. Pearson's leadership . . . to return them with any more members than they had at dissolution. It proved pretty conclusively that John Diefenbaker is far from finished in his own party, as he was able to pick up more seats than he had held.

And it proved even more clearly that a growing number of voters have lost their feeling for either party, and are swinging to the NDP side. Whether they would actually vote for them to form a government or whether it was just a protest vote remains to be seen, but the fact remains that nationally two out of nine voters lent their support to the party of the left.

Sometimes history repeats itself, and apparently, sometimes it doesn't. When Diefenbaker a few years ago asked for a majority government after several hectic months in office in a minority position, the country gave him a majority the like of which may never be seen again. When Pearson asked for it, voters seemed almost deaf. Perhaps the circumstances differed tremendously in the two cases, but right now, it seems, the voters aren't at all averse to letting the politicians struggle it out on the floor of the house. Perhaps they feel they get better government that way, no matter how thwarting this may be to ministers or government leaders.

The test will come in seeing whether we have loyal and responsible opposition, or merely obstruction and politicking.


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## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Sorry, folks, that there was no Lakeshore-McKenize news last week as your reporter has been a patient in the Tofield hospital for the past ten days Hope to do better soon

Jean and Richard Jenkins and baby, Cindy, of Grassland, arrived on Saturday and were overnight guests at the home of Jean's brother, Ronnie Walker They were visiting with Jean's mother, Mrs. Ila Walker both Saturday and Sunday at the Tofield hospital where she is still a patient. They left on Sunday evening for their home after also visiting Jean's other brother, Vernon and Melvin and their families.

### HOME FROM COAST

George Abernethy arrived home on Sunday night after having attended the wedding of his niece's son and also visiting relatives at the coast, both in B.C. and Washington.

Sandy and Pauline Petrovich of Edmonton motored here Sunday afternoon and visited Pauline's mother in the Tofield hospital They also had a visit with Pauline's sister, Jean, and new baby who were also visiting their mother

Congratulations go to Billy and Luck Miskew on the birth of their new son on October 20th at the Tofield hospital.

### PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER

On Thursday evening last week approximately 50 ladies from Ross Creek, Lakeshore-McKenzie and Tofield districts and town attended a shower in the Tofield United Church basement in honor of Florence Eaglesham, daughter of Mrs. Marie and the late Jim Eaglesham of Lakeshore. Florence was the recipient of many lovely and useful gifts, and a lovely luncheon was served by the ladies sponsoring the shower. Florence's marriage to Elmer Saugmoen of Ross Creek will take place on Saturday Nov. 13th at Tofield

Joe and Ellenor Jones accompanied Joe's nephew, Harold and Esther Reynolds of Bremner on a motor trip to Czar on Sunday morning, Oct. 31st, where they were all guests of Joe and Ellenor's son, Russel, and Jean Jones for the day They returned home the same evening.

Jim MacDonald and son, Jimmy of Okotoks were Sunday luncheon guests at the home of Jims' sister-in-law, Mary, and John Wood on their way home from Bonnyville where Jimmy has purchased a farm.

Jack and Helen Gray and family of North Cooking Lake, and Jack Johnston were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son, Donald

Joe and Ellenor Jones motored to Bremner on Friday evening where Ellenor attended a shower in the church there in honor of Joe's niece, Lorna Reynolds whose wedding will take place in the near future.

Donald Jones returned home last weekend after spending several days as a patient in the Tofield hospital

**Mrs. Ethel Wood motored to Forestburg on Tuesday to attend the funeral of Walter Henderson, whose wife, Sally, has been a friend of Ethel since girlhood.**

Norman and Vivian Jones of Edmonton motored to Tofield and were Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Vivian's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and also their son, Donald Jones, who makes his home with his grandparents and attends school in Tofield.

Mrs. Blanche Ob[illegible] of Holden was a visitor at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg on Saturday. While here, they all visited several patients in the Tofield hospital including your reporter, who were former friends and neighbors of the [illegible] when they lived at McKenzie, also some from Holden

### FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

Lest we forget.

Today is Armistice Day. We pay tribute to our valiant dead who gave their all that we may still enjoy the freedom of this vast and glorious land.

You are gone, but your spirit still lives on. Sleep in peace, your sacrifice was not in vain as your sons are ready to take up the torch again

—JWB

# From the mail bag

## Damage at Holden

Holden, Alta.,
November 1

Editor, The Mercury:

Hallowe'en is over, but quite a number of boys decided to spend their Sunday, doing more damage, to the vacant house on my property. After breaking more windows they smashed down the back door with a grain auger.

This vandalism was reported to me by the person who saw them, and I have informed the police, and from now on the parents will be held responsible for any further damage

Some parents should follow the advice of Premier Manning, and take their misbehaved children out to the backshed and inflict a few slaps on their backsides to smarten them up

One wonders what is in store for such boys, who have no respect for elderly people Their future looks grim These boys are 12 and 14 years old, and should know better

Please, let me remind you that these boys go to church Maybe they have never heard, "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you"

Mrs Mary James

## Kingman news

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

Mr. and Mrs Palmer Boness and Mrs Emma Hagen moved to Camrose on Friday for the winter. Mrs. Boness will be working at the Bethany Home

Guests at the Lloyd Bjorgum home on Sunday after their daughter, Ann's confirmation, were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bjorgum and family, and Mr and Mrs. Ralph Badrey of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Bjorgum and family, Mr and Mrs. Wilburt Lyseng and family, Pastor and Mrs G Ostrem, Mr and Mrs. Oscar Skogness and family, Mr. and Mrs Oscar Neilson and family, Edwin Lyseng and Mrs. Martha Lyseng, Mrs Anne Anderson, Mr. and Mrs Seem Donald Mr and Mrs Finn Ness and boys, all of Camrose, and Mrs Ole P Haugen and Alan Flemming of Kingman

Wednesday evening visitors at the Conrad Simonson home to wish Mrs. Simonson a happy birthday were Mrs. E. Wruck, Mrs. G Acres, Mrs. A. Anderson, Mr and Mrs Oliver Thompson, Mr and Mrs Fred Davis and Fred Evenson.

Mrs. R. Klein, Mrs. B. A. Johnson and Mrs. Egil Lien spent the weekend in Camrose with Mrs Albanus Johnson and visited with several friends while there

Mr. and Mrs Earl Lowe and family of Stony Plain and Mrs Tilda Christenson of Camrose were Sunday dinner guests at the Fred Coykendall home.

WHAT IS AUTUMN? To a hunting dog, it is a cool, crisp morning, waiting patiently by his master's side among the reeds of a pond, until a rifle shatters the silence, and then there is a job only he can do. It is the chilling waters as he runs to retrieve his master's prize, and the satisfaction of the feel of feathers under his teeth.

## Mrs. Sroka marks 80th birthday

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Nov. 10.—On Saturday, Oct. 23rd, a party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kaluzny in honor of Mrs. Kaluzny's mother, Mrs. Tekla Sroka, who was celebrating her 80th birthday. Many relatives, friends and neighbors from Bruce, Holden, Viking, Edmonton and Daysland were in attendance to wish her "happy birthday", and a pleasant social evening was spent.

At the hour of 10:00 p.m. the eighty candles on the birthday cake, which had been baked by her daughter, were lighted, and all sang "Happy Birthday" to the honored guest; also the traditional Polish "Sto Lat".

Father Adams spoke a few appropriate words and wished her a happy birthday from the Parish, hoping she would have many more. Sam Stepanick of Edmonton with a few well chosen words presented Mrs. Sroka with gifts from all. Mrs. Sroka thanked everyone for their kindness and gifts and her family for giving the party, and for the good wishes of all.


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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Manchur attended the wedding reception of Don's cousin, Miss Betty Chupka, on Saturday, Oct. 30th, held at the Highway Motor Motel, Highway 14.

Mrs. Peter Gizoski was a shopping visitor in Edmonton a week ago Wednesday, driving there with Mrs Helen Tiedemann and Mrs. G H Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were business callers in Viking on Monday of last week

**Mr. and Mrs. Max Zuk are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Sunday, Oct. 31, at the Tofield Hospital.**

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black were guests at the wedding reception of Miss Betty Chupka on Saturday, Oct. 30th, at the Highway Motor Motel, Edmonton, also at the open house held Sunday evening at the home of Mr and Mrs. Mike Chupka in Edmonton

Jack Houston of Edmonton was a recent visitor in Holden and district, calling on friends and looking after his farming interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow left Wednesday of last week to visit for a week or more with their daughter Connie and family, Mr. and Mrs. MacDougall, at Spirit River, where Connie is on the teaching staff. Their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta, of Viking, drove them to Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Barlow then taking the bus from Edmonton to Spirit River.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

Dick Loney of Alix was a Wednesday visitor with his parents, Mr and Mrs. R. Loney, when Mr. Loney Sr. was taken to Tofield Hospital in the ambulance to have x-rays taken. Dick was also visiting Sunday, to look after his father.

Mrs. John Joher is home from Camrose Hospital, where she underwent surgery, and is making good recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer and family were business and shopping visitors in Camrose Friday.


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# The Ryley Times



## Ryley district news

(M. K. Westmancoat)

The annual three-day convention of the 4-H organization was held last week in Edmonton at the Corona Hotel with approximately 250 officials and leaders registered, coming from all points in the province. Attending from Ryley were Mrs. Eileen Magneson and Mrs Erna Maaren, leaders of the boys' [redacted] club, "The Cooksters", and [redacted] leader of the dairy club.

'CHARIVARI'

Approximately 25 [redacted] gathered together on Saturday evening, Nov 6th, for a combined charivari and housewarming party at the home of Peter and Willy (Wilhelmina) Munkedal. A very jolly evening was enjoyed playing games, and Doug Down presented the honored couple with a purse of money and wished them every happiness. The ladies present served a lunch at midnight.

Lloyd and Sharon [redacted] and children of Edmonton, were visitors over the weekend with Lloyd's parents, Mr and Mrs Ole Hagen, and joined their friends at the Peter Munkedal house party on Saturday evening.

Doug and Marvel Down and family of Athabasca were here for the weekend, and Marvel's parents, Mr and Mrs Hans Nernaasen, returned to Athabasca with them on Sunday evening for a short stay there.

### Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Last week, Mr and Mrs Nick Ruzka and [redacted] sons of Edmonton and Ole Haugen of Shonts were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz and family.

Mrs. Frank Melin of Enderby B.C., was a recent overnight guest of her sister, Mary, and Ivan Mitchell.

UCW MEETS

The Ketchamoot UCW met last Friday at the [redacted] ley Brown. Gifts for the Oliver Mental Hospital [redacted] were brought and forwarded there.

Sunday dinner guests with Kay and Ron [redacted] and family were Chester and Harold Coombes and Mr and Mrs. [redacted].

AT WEDDING

A number of people from the district attended the wedding of Miss Verna Lawson and Wm Harobway of Edmonton, who were married on Saturday afternoon in the Tofield United Church.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth Brown and four children motored to Medicine Hat to spend the weekend with Mrs. Brown's mother.

Weekend guests with the Harold Schultz family were Betsy Ann Schultz of Edmonton and her friend, Janet Stuemher of Wetaskiwin.

Mr. and Mrs Buck Godwin and family of Olds made a short stop with Mrs. Godwin's mother, Annie McGinitie and aunt, Ada.

Ivan and Marie Mitchell, Mr and Mrs Mike Buchak of Vernon visited with Chester Coombes on Monday afternoon.

Dorothy Whillans attended the Johnny Cash show in the Edmonton Gardens on Saturday evening.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell on Sunday were Mrs. Mitchell's brother, Edward Buchak, sister-in-law, Anne, and children of Calmar, her parents, Mr. and Mrs Mike Buchak of Vernon, B.C., and Mr. and Mrs Charles McLeod and family of Lindbrook. Mr. and Mrs. Buchak are staying for the week.

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## Another busy year for Lions Club of Ryley

Ryley Lions Club started its fall activities with the regular dinner meeting September 9th. The club started its fourth year with 18 active members and one member at large.

The second dinner meeting was held on September 23rd when two students from Ryley High School, who had attended the United Nations Seminar in Banff last summer, were guests of the club. Miss Patricia Brown had been sponsored by the club and [redacted] had been sponsored by the Ryley Canadian Legion and the Ryley School Staff. The two students gave a very good report of the activities at the seminar and appeared to have gained some valuable knowledge as well as having had an enjoyable time.

The club, as in previous years, will take an active part in assisting different organizations by canvassing. A canvass for funds for the Red Cross Society was conducted during the month of October and canvassing for the CNIB will be conducted during the month of November. The annual sale of nuts will start during November and will continue through to Christmas. The club will, as in former years, sponsor the New Year's dance in Ryley.

A pool was operated during the World Series, netting the club $100.00. Of this, $80.00 was donated to the Pony-Peewee baseball club in Ryley to assist in purchasing uniforms.

Six new members joined the club in October, bringing the roster to 26 active members and one member at large. The member at large is Don Wray, former CNR agent at Ryley, now stationed at McBride, B.C.

### Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q When I receive an invitation to a certain social function, how do I determine whether to wear formal dress or not?

A If the invitation is engraved, it will usually state whether or not the affair is formal. If issued personally or by phone, the host or hostess should give this information. If nothing is said at all, and you are uncertain, by all means ask what you are to wear.

Q I've been told it's improper to breathe upon one's eyeglasses when cleaning them in public. True?

A. True. In fact, it's best to avoid cleaning the glasses at all in public — but when absolutely necessary, do it without the aid of your breath.

Q What are the "cocktail wines?"

A Chilled dry sherry or dry champagne is often served instead of cocktails. A chilled dry white wine, such as moselle, is preferred by some.

Q I have just received an invitation to a cocktail party on an informal card, and there is no "R.s.v.p." on the card. Should I reply anyway?

A. Under these conditions, it is not necessary to reply.

Q When men and women are seated alternately at a dinner table, is it proper to serve all the women first?

A This is neither proper nor practical. The guests should be served in regular sequence, whether man or woman.


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| PINEAPPLE JUICE—Malkin's, 48 fl. oz. | 3 tins $1.00 |
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| SMALL LOUISIANA SHRIMP—Sealord | 4½ oz. tin 49c |
| SMOKED OYSTERS—Sealord, 3⅔ oz. | 3 tins 79c |
| ROUND STEAK—Gov't Graded Red or Blue Beef | lb. 79c |
| SMOKED PICNICS—Shankless, Ready to Eat | lb. 45c |
| RUMP OR STANDING RIB ROASTS Gov't Graded Red or Blue Brand Beef | lb. 45c |
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| ORANGES—Calif., Sweet and Juicy | 7 lbs. $1.00 |
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### FUTURE DATES

ANNUAL XMAS BAZAAR

The Annual Christmas Bazaar, sponsored by the Evening Group of the U.C.W., will be held Saturday afternoon, Dec 4th, in the United Church basement. Christmas cake orders will be taken by Mrs. H. Christensen, phone 662-3341. A small recipe book containing [redacted] recipes of U.C.W. members will also be presented for sale. 11-12-13-14c-3107

ANNUAL BAZAAR

Holy Trinity W.A., Afternoon Branch, will hold their Annual Bazaar on November 20th, in the Library Room. There will be the usual sale of sewing and home baking, as well as lunch. 7-11-12p-3086

### IN MEMORIAM

COOKSON—In loving memory of mother, Mrs. Olive Cookson, who passed away November 13, 1964:

A cluster of beautiful memories,
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### Modern Etiquette

Q Is it necessary for a woman to rise from her chair when acknowledging an introduction?

A. While not considered necessary, nor generally expected—still I do like to see a woman rise when acknowledging an introduction, because it does indicate a more genuine pleasure over the meeting.

Q. When you MUST use your handkerchief at the dinner table, should you excuse yourself and turn your head to use the handkerchief without leaving the table?

A You turn your head slightly, use your handkerchief as quietly as possible—and it is not necessary to excuse yourself.

Q Is it ever permissible for the parents of a young man, who has just become engaged, to make the announcement?

A. No. Only the parents of the bride-elect are entitled to do this. If she has no parents, then her nearest relative has the privilege.

Q. When writing a note to decline an invitation received in the mail, should one make it formal?

A This depends altogether upon the nature of the invitation itself. If written formally (in the third person), then your reply is written in the same style. If written informally, you reply in the same vein.

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### Church notes

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10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "Mystery of Seed and Soil".
"A person with a one-track mind has no way to side-track a prejudice".

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8.30 a.m. every Sunday—Holy [redacted].
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Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

LUTHERAN CHURCH
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Nov. 14th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m. Sunday School
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service

TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Nov. 14th
10.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
8.00 p.m.—Evening Service
Tuesday, 8.00 p.m.—Bible Study.
Missionary Conference
November 17, 18, 19 and 21
Speakers: Miss Helen Penner, India, Mr and Mrs. Dale Snyder, Brazil, Rev F. Chapman, Spanish Guinea. Services each evening at 8.00 o'clock.

### FOR RENT

BASEMENT SUITE; available Dec. 1st. Apply J. R. Francis, Phone 662-3160. 11-12-13c-3111

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mamowski's daughter was rushed to Tofield Hospital on Tuesday of last week for treatment and was a patient there most of the week.

Mrs. Lars Rilland is still a patient in Tofield Hospital, receiving treatments for a back ailment and while making progress slowly, she may be there for some time yet.

David Tiedemann was in Edmonton on Thursday and Friday during the Teachers' Convention having dental work done. He motored there with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy and returned home with them Friday afternoon. Earl attended the convention and Mrs. Hardy visited.

A. L. Gibson was in Edmonton Thursday and Friday attending the Teachers' Convention as delegate from the County of Beaver No. 9.

OORP NIGHT

Sixteen ladies of Holden Lodge OORP visited the Viking Lodge November 2nd, attending their regular meeting, and taking the "travelling gavel", which was presented to Viking Lodge in appropriate manner. The ladies report an enjoyable visit, and enjoyed the delicious lunch at the conclusion of the meeting.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer returned home a week ago from Viking, after visiting there for a week with her daughter Lorene and family.

Mrs. Lars Olson visited in the city on Thursday and Friday of last week while Mr. Olson attended the Teachers' Convention.

We were sorry to hear from Arthur Story last week that his mother, Mrs. John Story, who makes her home with her granddaughter Florence, Mrs. Koop Spannenberg and family in Edmonton, is not in good health. Mrs. Story has reached the ripe age of 86 and until the last few weeks has kept busy doing beautiful crochet work.

NOTE CHANGE OF MEETING

The Friendship Group will meet November 18th at the home of Mrs. Mary James instead of at the home of Mrs. Oscar Hurkenveld.

Mrs. Allen Jones of Edmonton was a visitor over the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Carrie Olson, and brothers.

Mrs. John Lemko held a Stanley party on Sunday, Nov. 7th at which 20 ladies of Holden and [illegible] attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Komarowsky and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Faryna of Edmonton left last Friday evening to visit for the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Urbane Zak at Saskatoon, Sask. Mrs. Faryna and Mrs. Zak are sisters.

FISHING TRIP

Joe Alexander and Henry Oberg left Thursday to spend a few days on a fishing trip. Gene Bulyk delivered the mail on RR2 Friday morning and Geo. H. Taylor delivered the mail on RR1 Saturday.

Harry Appleby of Vialta Lodge, Viking, spent the weekend of Oct. 30th visiting with his families in Holden. The following weekend his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Robinson of Edmonton, visited with him at Viking.

J. A. Gorbelhaus was a visitor in Edmonton on Saturday evening.

Roy Nichols was an evening visitor and coffee guest with Mrs. Mary James one evening this past week.

Carol Sizer motored to Edmonton on Wednesday evening to visit for a few days with her sister Verla and husband and family, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad were shopping visitors in Camrose last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sagert and family and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Tkaczyk, all of Edmonton, were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shanley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lemko were shopping visitors in Vegreville on Friday evening.

Alan Tiedemann of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, driving here Friday evening.

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DEAD SEA SCROLLS. The oldest Biblical manuscript in existence, a 2,200-year-old fragment of Exodus, along with the Dead Sea Scrolls written in 250 B.C., are in Canada. On display in a Toronto museum, the scrolls were discovered in 1947 by Arab shepherds. Above, Fred Howell of the museum staff holds one of the scroll containers, centre is Jordanian curator, Adwan Hadini, and right is Dr. A. D. Tushingham, chief archaeologist at Toronto's Royal Ontario Museum.

CAMPAIGNING. Francois Mitterand, a non-Communist leftist, who served in President de Gaulle's post-liberation cabinet but opposed his return to power, is actively campaigning for the presidency of France, determined to oust Le Grand Charles.

## ELECTION NOTICE

### Election by Electoral Divisions

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an election will be held for a COUNCILLOR for Electoral Division No. 6 of the County of Beaver No. 9 for the year 1966 and the election will take place on Saturday, the 4th day of December, 1965, from [illegible] o'clock in the forenoon to five o'clock in the afternoon.

The Electoral Division has been provided with the following polls:

**Poll No. 1 is at Bardo Recreation Centre— S.W. 6-50-18-W.4th**

**Poll No. 2 is at County Office—Village of Ryley**

**Poll No. 3 is at Residence of J. Weir at Shonts— S.E. 21-50-18-W.4th**

[illegible]

Given under my hand at the Village of Ryley [illegible] day of November, 1965.

OLOF MONSSON,
Returning Officer

Persons Entitled to Vote

(1) Every person of the full age of twenty-one whose name appears upon the voters' list by virtue of [illegible] at the assessment [illegible]

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BOARS brought $25.00 to $50.00 each.
SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, Nov. 13:
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# ALBERTA JUNIOR CITIZEN OF THE YEAR BULLETIN:

## 1965 AWARD WINNERS ANNOUNCED!

Calgary Power is proud to present this year's winners of Junior Citizen of the Year awards. They are enterprising boys and girls who have made worthwhile contributions to home and community. The winners were selected by a panel of weekly newspaper editors from scores of worthy young Albertans. We gratefully acknowledge the help and active participation of Alberta's newspaper editors, who have also been instrumental in making this program a success. We also thank the responsible men and women of our Alberta who sent in Alberta Junior Citizen of the Year nominations.

These courageous and enterprising young winners received their awards during the Alberta Weekly Newspaper Convention in Lethbridge, October 22.

From left to right (front row)

**THERESA BECHER, Bashaw, Alberta**
Theresa, a beautifully natural lyric soprano, unselfishly gives her talent to her community. This 16-year old girl passed two music examinations with honors. Nominated by Mrs. J. G. Pearson of Bashaw.

**TIM ALENIUS, Thorsby, Alberta**
This heroic 13-year old boy saved his cousin from drowning when he fell through the ice while skating on Pigeon Lake. Nominated by William Grasiuk of Thorsby.

**JOANNE TUPKAL, High River, Alberta**
13-year old Joanne was stricken with polio when she was only 11-months old. She has spent most of her life in the hospital. She sets an inspiring example to other handicapped youngsters by living a next-to-normal life. Nominated by Mrs. George Fisher and Mrs. H. J. Kinzell of High River.

From left to right (back row)

**DUANE AND DAVID LINKLATER, Haynes, Alberta**
13-year old Duane and 15-year old David have shown an unusual sense of responsibility by taking complete charge of farm duties while their father was sick. Nominated by Mrs. J. Linklater of Clive.

**FAY JOHNSTON, Didsbury, Alberta**
Fay, who is just 15 years old, has had complete charge of her home for 4 years. Undaunted by her great responsibilities she still has time for many community activities. Nominated by Mrs. James Currie, Didsbury.

**JUDITH RUTLEDGE, Wainwright, Alberta**
The only girl in a family of 6 children, 15 year old Judith cheerfully looks after her invalid mother and young brothers. She maintains high marks in school and is active in the local 4-H club. Nominated by Mrs. D. K. Roach of Wainwright.

**DOUGLAS PRICE, Turner Valley, Alberta**
Douglas is the President of the Oilfield Teen Club. These far-sighted teenagers serve hot "meals-on-wheels" to senior citizens in their area. They are a responsible group of boys and girls giving worthy service in their community. Nominated by Graham Smith of Calgary.

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## Fall bazaar is a huge success

(Mrs. J. Reddich)

MINISTIK, Nov 1.—Once more the annual fall bazaar sponsored by the Ministik Ladies Club proved a huge success. The convener, Mrs. Andrew Ferguson wishes to thank all who attended from near and far to help make it so successful. She also thanks all who helped in any way.

Ralph Leach was winner of the $15 voucher, and Bill Rodick won the $10 voucher. Winners of the three hampers were Mrs. Walter Grimmer of Edmonton, Delores Holmes and Mrs. Michael Nasichuk.

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You hurry to the apartment that has been shared by the two young men, Roger Scott and Thomas Byers. At about 6 15 p.m the distressed-looking Roger Scott and the apartment building manager meet you at the young man's door. You enter and immediately see the body of Thomas Byers lying on the floor of the sitting room, a bullet hole in his right temple and a gun lying on the floor near his outstretched hand.

The police doctor bustles into the room at this moment, makes a thorough examination, and then pronounces that the man has been dead for at least two hours. You then turn to young Scott.

"Tom was always a fine roommate", he says. "Always fair about sharing expenses, and such. But he did have a violent, almost uncontrollable temper . . . had a way of flaring up over the most trivial matters. Earlier this afternoon . . . I think about two o'clock . . . he went into one of his tantrums because he noticed that I had borrowed one of his ties. We exchanged a few words . . . then I left him here to cool off I went to the Midtown Cocktail Lounge, had a couple of drinks, then left there at about 3:30 and took in a movie. I came back here just a few minutes before six o'clock and found Tom . . . lying there . . . dead!"

You point to the dark blood stain on the right cuff of Scott's white shirt. "Did you touch the body?"

"Oh, yes . . . I did", he admits "I wanted to see if possibly he was still alive. I felt his heart, and I guess my sleeve must have brushed against some of the blood on the side of his head".

"Whose gun is that?"

"It's mine . . . I have a license. Tom, of course, knew I kept it in my dresser drawer . . . under my shirts".

You gaze reflectively at him for several long minutes, then say, "I'm afraid you'll have to come to headquarters with me I'm somewhat dubious about some of the testimony you have given me".

Why are you dubious?

SOLUTION

According to Roger Scott's story, he found Tom Byers dead at about six o'clock and had accidentally acquired the bloodstain on his shirt cuff while examining the body at that time. But the doctor has told you that Tom Byers has been dead for at least two hours, and in that time the blood would have congealed and would not have stained Scott's shirt cuff.

## Pioneer Group plans tea, sale

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Nov. 10. — The Pioneer Group met at the home of Mrs. Carrie Olson on November 4th, with 11 ladies present. Devotions were taken by Mrs. J A.. Giebelhaus, being Matthew, chap. 25, verses 31 to 64, from the modern version on the "Final Judgment".

Mrs Mary James acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. Campbell, and also read a chapter from their study book on "Belonging To A Family".

The Group also made final plans for the fall tea and sale of work to be held Saturday, Nov. 20th, in the United Church parlors. They will also hold a sale of home baking, and donations to this will be appreciated

CURLING
A GENERAL MEETING OF THE
TOFIELD CURLING CLUB
WILL BE HELD AT THE CURLING RINK
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15 AT 8:00 P.M.
PLEASE ATTEND!

## ELECTION NOTICE

### Election by Electoral Divisions

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an election will be held for a COUNCILLOR for Electoral Division No. 5 of the County of Beaver No. 9 for the year 1966 and the election will take place on Saturday, the 4th day of December, 1965, from nine o'clock in the forenoon to five o'clock in the afternoon.

The Electoral Division has been provided with the following polls:

**Poll No. 1 is at Holden Community Hall**

**Poll No. 2 is at Nick Laskoski's Residence—N.W. 11-48-16-W.4th**

**Poll No. 3 is at Polska Hall—S.E. 25-47-16-W.4th**

I will at The County office in The Village of Ryley on Monday, the 6th day of December, 1965, at twelve o'clock, noon, sum up the votes and declare the result of the election.

Given under my hand at The Village of Ryley this 9th day of November, 1965.

OLOF MONSSON,
Returning Officer.

**Persons Entitled to Vote:**

(a) Every person of the full age of twenty-one years whose name appears upon the voters' list by virtue of being on the assessment roll.

(b) Every person whose name does not appear on the voters' list pursuant to clause (a) who is a Canadian Citizen, of the full age of twenty-one years and who has continuously resided in the division in which the election is being held for a period of six months immediately preceding the day fixed for the nomination of candidates.

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## All 11 children home to mark Campbell anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Campbell who have resided in the Round Hill district all their married life, celebrated their golden wedding on August 22nd, 1965, with an open house reception in the Round Hill School Auditorium. Five hundred guests from Barrie, Ont., Vancouver, Calgary, Edmonton, Grande Prairie, and many other district points gathered to extend their best wishes to the honored couple.

Mrs. Campbell, the former Agnes Law, came to Alberta from the United States with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Law, in 1902.

Mr. Campbell came to the Round Hill district with his parents in 1906 from Ontario. They were married on October 13th, 1915, in the McDougall United Church, Edmonton, with Rev. Armstrong officiating.

ALL CHILDREN HOME

To this union were born three daughters and nine sons, 37 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Eleven surviving children were present for the occasion, all seated at the head table with their parents. They are: Albert of Grande Prairie, William of Vancouver, Lester of Edmonton, Margaret (Pike) of Camrose, Donald Jr. and George of Ryley, Shirley (Stenarud) of Holden, and Doreen (Haugen), Thomas, Robert and Stewart of Round Hill.

The bride and groom of 50 years ago received their guests in the gymnasium which was decorated with gold and white streamers and bells, enhanced with many floral bouquets, some of them being gifts from relatives and friends.

The lovely anniversary cake was baked by the three daughters and beautifully decorated by Mrs. Mabel Fergstad, Mrs. Ken Olson and Mrs. Ken Johnson were in charge of the guest book.

The short program was very capably emcee'd by Fred Gotheridge. It consisted of two solos by Valerie Johnson, song by six granddaughters, recitation by Colleen Stenarud, Highland dance by Barbara McCalder, solo by Mrs. Herman Lawson, duet by Mrs. Leonard Stauffer and Mrs. H. Lawson, and some musical selections by Herman, Leonard and Wayne Lawson.

Henry Quail proposed the toast to which Mr. Campbell capably replied.

Bishop Stauffer spoke a few words and asked the table blessing.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell received many lovely gifts. Albert, on behalf of the family presented his parents with two golden easy rocking chairs. Gifts from the grandchildren were a large bouquet of flowers and a gold enscrolled chrome mirror presented by Linda Campbell. The great-grandchildren presented a corsage and butonnaire. Charlie Quail made a presentation of a purse of money from their many friends and neighbors, and Mrs. Henry Quail also spoke a few words to the bride.

Greetings were received from the County of Camrose by Albert Olson, from the MLA Chester Sayers of the Battle River-Camrose constituency; and by Ed Majeski, Round Hill school principal.

Other messages of congratulations were received from Prime Minister of Canada, Lester Pearson, Premier of Alberta, Ernest Manning, and Lt.-Governor J. Percy Page.

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## Hallowe'eners break windows at Centre

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Nov. 8th —During Hallowe'en vandalism was done at the Salt Lake Community Centre in Earling, when about 38 window panes were broken plus some window frames. Police are investigating.

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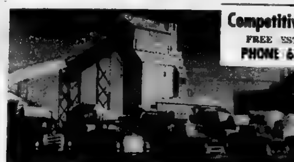

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# Pensions and politics

OTTAWA. — There is at least one good thing about federal elections — they give Canada's older folk more attention and more benefits than they're ever apt to get any other time.

The election just concluded was certainly no exception.

Pension promises fell thick and ripe from the lips of every party leader, in spite of the expectation that the new Canada Pension Plan would take this matter out of politics for all time to come.

At least, that's what the Liberals had expected.

Back in 1963 when Judy LaMarsh introduced the first, feeble version of the Canada Pension Plan, she remarked that no longer would old age pensions be a political football.

In the same speech, however, she was so bitterly partisan, that she practically assured that pensions would continue to be a political football.

**NO END IN SIGHT**

The path towards the Canada Pension Plan was rocky, and beset with provincial pitfalls. But eventually it was traversed, and the contributory plan to assure all older Canadians a reasonable security will go into effect in January.

What financed the Liberals, was that.

But they reckoned without the other parties' interest in pensions for the two and a half million Canadians who are now 65 who get no special benefit from the Canada Pension Plan.

These people instead benefit only from the flat-rate old age pension of $75 a month, payable next year at age 69, and by 1970, at age 65.

It was this flat rate pension, rather than the Canada Pension Plan, which became the election issue.

**HISTORY ALL OVER**

There was considerable irony in the whole situation. History seemed to be repeating itself. There were the Liberals confident that the Canada Pension Plan was a wonderful achievement, as it was. Suddenly they were surprised and hurt when the Conservatives, the New Democrats, and the Socreds turned on the heat over the flat rate plan.

Each of these parties offered to increase the flat rate pension from $75 to $100 a month. They advertised it and promoted it all over the country with good effects.

It began to look like 1957, when John Diefenbaker blasted the St. Laurent Government for its measly increase of $6 in the old age pension.

"The six-buck boys", he called them, and went on to win the election, helped it must be confessed, by a great many other factors of the time.

**MEANEST TEST**

Jolted into action, Mr. Pearson quickly began an exposition of the Canada Assistance Plan. Beforehand, he had merely mentioned this program which is being worked out with the provinces to provide security for old people, the sick, and the disabled. He outlined the manner in which older people who needed it, could get pensions of up to $135 a month under the Canada Assistance Plan.

John Diefenbaker pounced on this. Older people who needed, he said, meant a means test, and that was "The meanest test of all".

Those pensions, he pointed out, would not be paid to everyone on application, but only to those who needed them. Those who didn't need the extra money would get only the flat rate of pension of $75 a month.

**LOST GROUND LOST FOREVER**

He, however, proposed to give $100 a month to everyone, regardless of need.

The Liberals were caught on the pension issue, just as they were in 1957, and were never able to regain ground on this particular front.

It was an old, old pension story. The first federal and universal old age pension was paid in January, 1952. It was the princely sum of $40 a month, payable at age 70. There was an election in 1953. The Liberals won.

Just before the 1957 election, the ageing St. Laurent Government thought it advisable to make an increase to $46. The six-buck increase was used with devastating effect by Mr. Diefenbaker in the subsequent campaign.

When the Conservatives came to power, they added a $9 increase, in November 1957, to make the pension $55 a month. Then just before the 1962 election they increased it again to $65 a month.

**UP AND AGAIN UP**

In October, 1963, the new Liberal Government under pressure from the majority opposition, increased the pension to $75. Then the Liberals announced a plan to pay the pension to everyone at age 65, gradually reducing the age from 70 over a five - year period.

Now the pressure is on for an increase to $100, payable eventually to everyone at age 65. If this is done, by 1970, the cost of the old age pension will be $3,600,000,000 a year.

Only the Conservatives have offered an idea about where this sum of money should come from. Mr. Diefenbaker says it should come from the Canada Pension Fund. But he ignores the fact that Quebec has its own funds, and that the other provinces, by law, will control the Canada Pension Fund.

His plan, in fact, could be carried out only by amending the Canada Pension Plan, which would take two years and require the consent of all nine provinces.

But in the great pension auction, difficulties of achievement never deterred any politician. He just makes the promise. The experts will have to carry it out.


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## Auxiliary prepares for Remembrance Day

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Nov 10—The Ladies Auxiliary to the Royal Canadian Legion held their monthly meeting November 1st, with a good attendance of members. Regular business was attended to and reports received.

A very interesting and concise report of the Convention held in Camrose October 23rd was read by Miss Carol Sizer. Plans were discussed and completed for the luncheon to be held in the Legion Hall after the November 11th parade and service, for Legion members, their wives and invited guests.


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The Agricultural Service Board is anxious to co-operate with cattle owners who wish to continue vaccinating for Brucellosis and will carry on the Fall vaccinating program by notifying farmers when the veterinarian will call.

The County will be divided into six or seven districts and one organizer will do the notifying in each district. Dr. Bidstrup of Viking will do the vaccinating for the entire County.

Space does not permit an outline of Federal and Provincial regulations regarding vaccinating in a Federal Control Area where cattle are to be sold locally and for export.

Vaccinating fees will remain the same as in the past.

No second calls will be made and farmers are expected to have their calves confined and separated before the veterinarian calls.

Cattle men are urged to take advantage of organized vaccinating in order to protect their markets and assist in the Federal Control Program.

We expect to get the Voluntary Program under way in four or five days time.

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# Palmer-Earling notes

(Mrs. Jos Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING, Nov. 8th —Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pearse, Kelly, Paul, Scott and Leslie, and Mr and Mrs. Bill Pearse, all of Edmonton were weekend guests at the Lawrence Pearse home.

Sunday evening guests at the Frank Urlacher home for Frank's birthday were Mr. and Mrs. John Sharuga, Mr. and Mrs Carsten Orme, Mrs. JoAnne Shuster, all of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reinhart and Garry, and Mr and Mrs. Leo Urlacher of Bawlf, Phillip Urlacher of Daysland, Anton Peter, Jimmy, Kay and Ann Peter and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peter Sr.

Mrs. Bill Steffen and Wanda and Mrs. Alma Steffen were Sunday visitors at Kingsmen with Mrs. Gyda Rindahl.

**MOVE TO CAMROSE**

Mr and Mrs. Mike Chrystian moved to Camrose last Friday to reside. Mrs. Chrystian is employed at St. Mary's Hospital. Their son, Kost Chrystian, and wife have taken over the farm.

The Lewis Porres and Jack Vassberg were Edmonton callers on Wednesday.

Alice and Edna Aker, Mrs. John Bruce and Mrs. Joe Knudsen were at Mrs. Lewis Porre's on Tuesday for a quilting "bee".

**21st BIRTHDAY**

Guests at the Sam Olsen home Sunday afternoon marking Dale's 21st birthday were his grandfather, Ed Christian, Rose and Jim Christian of Edberg, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olsen, George and Gwen of Daysland, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hillaby of Kelsey, Ed, Ray, Joe and Alice Aker, the John Bruces and Lewis Porres.

Henry Cuthbert of the Canadian Red Cross Society, Edmonton, was a Monday caller at the Joe Knudsen home.

Colleen Steinarul, nine years, and Sheila Steinarul, seven, celebrated their birthdays Thursday evening at the Cecil Steinarul home, when Lola Steinarul, Sandra Murry, Ryley, the three Neby sisters of Dodds, Bonnie Tesin, Jacqueline and Vivian Vassberg and Gail Porre came after school to spend the evening.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Brainard, a son on November 3rd, a brother for Dale and Ricky.**

**AT SILVER WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bratrud and Keith, Mrs. George Mosby, Diane Campbell, Chester and Clara Farre, Ladvig, Arnold and Bert Howelands restored to Vallalla Centre to attend the silver wedding there of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gunderson on Sunday, Nov 7th.

Missionary Olive Bjerkseth left Wednesday for Grande Prairie to visit the Herman Reums.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Douglas and Joan of Edson were Thursday overnight guests with the Jack Vassbergs.

# Ministik news items

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

At United Church on Sunday the congregation was informed that six laymen of different United Churches in Edmonton would alternate on Sundays at the church here during the winter months.

Grant Pearce of Drayton Valley spent the weekend at home with his parents, Mr and Mrs Alex Pearce.

**WINTER IN SASKATCHEWAN**

Mrs. Paul Stepanow left Saturday by train for Wilkie, Sask where she will spend the winter with her grandparents Mrs. T. A. Jones will care for Jimmie, Bernice and Rosemary while she is away.

Several school children have been confined to their beds due to severe cases of flu. Among these are the children of the George Kleinschrotts. We hope they will soon be well and back at school.

**85TH BIRTHDAY**

The family of Mrs. Annie Oliver gathered at her home to honor her on her 85th birthday on Sunday. Friends and neighbors add their greetings to this fine lady on this special occasion.


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# Mr. and Mrs. Faryna mark 45th wedding anniversary

Mr and Mrs. Prokip Faryna were feted at a family dinner at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs. Bill Babie at Vegreville on November 7th on the occasion of their 45th wedding anniversary. All of their 6 children and 12 grandchildren were present: Mr and Mrs Nick Kushnerick and Bobby of Holden, Mr and Mrs. Joe Wynnyk, Jim, Linda and Patrick of Edmonton, Mr and Mrs. Ray Holyk, Christine and Karen of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Faryna, Debbie and Teddy of Holden, and Miss Dora Faryna of Vegreville. Their oldest grandchild, Jerry Kushnerick, was absent due to illness.

Special guests at the banquet were Rev. Fr. Wynnyk, OSBM, childhood friend of Mr. and Mrs. Faryna and Rev. Father Shewchuk, OSBM.

## Former residents have re-union

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE — Mrs Mary Wood and Mrs. Mabel Bailey went to Edmonton last Wednesday morning on the bus to join in a meeting of former Tofield residents now residing in Edmonton.

They were dinner guests of Mary's sister-in-law, Mrs. Esther Majakey, then all attended the re-union gathering at the home of Mabel's sister, Mrs. Emily Hoberge.

After the re-union was over, Mabel stayed the night with Emily while Mary stayed over until Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Evie Halwa and returned home Friday evening. Mabel stayed over the weekend, visiting relatives. Mrs. Vi Geoglein also attended the re-union, having motored up just for the day.

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# Locals around the town

TASTY TIDBIT? Winnipeg agricultural researcher Ben Berck has suggested North Americans should learn to eat insects, since they are a rich source of protein. He said population increases in the world will demand new food supplies, and pointed out that more than 600,000 species of insects have food possibilities.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W J Thomson were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs. David Thomson, Mr and Mrs. H. Jans and Miss E. Blake of Edmonton, Mr and Mrs. A. Richardson of New Westminster, B.C., Mr. and Mrs. R Blakely, Mr and Mrs. C. Blake, Mr. and Mrs. R .W Ferguson and Mrs. E. Moore, all of Tofield. Mrs. Jans and Mrs. Richardson are the former Yvonne and Jean Blake, respectively.

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Bob Nahrebeski was the winner of the Community League $100 bill.

Dwight Sears was the winner of the Tofield Legion Art and Art $20 bill.

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AT DEDICATION

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Allan and family spent Sunday visiting with Graham's mother at Westlock. While there they attended a dedication service at which time a new entrance to the church was dedicated to the memory of Rev. and Mrs. D. K. Allan.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Webb and Cathy of Edmonton spent last weekend at the parental Lorne Lee home.

Mrs. Dan Fitzpatrick from Calgary visited with her mother, Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. May Ferguson over the weekend. Mrs. Roberts accompanied her daughter to Calgary Sunday night for a week's visit with the Fitzpatricks.

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## HSA plans workshop in Wetaskiwin

Stressing discussion on the new structure of Home and School, delegates from all over this part of the province will meet in Wetaskiwin Saturday afternoon for a workshop convened by Mrs. Cliff Hilgartner, director for area 8.

Included will be representatives from the counties of Ponoka, Leduc, Wetaskiwin, Camrose and Beaver.

Purpose of the gathering will be to inform members of the changed aims and methods of Home and School, adopted at the recent convention following prolonged study. Mrs. Hilgartner will be chairman for the program, and will also conduct the last session. Films and group discussion will be used to emphasize leadership training and program planning.

Featured members of the instruction panel will be Ed Glasser of Edmonton, second vice-president of the provincial federation, discussing the new structure and aims of Home and School, Barry Spielman, the federations' public relations chairman, Mrs. Leroy Nelson of Ohaton speaking on group dynamics and Mrs. Kore Bohmer of Bawlf, in charge of programming discussions.

Sessions will be held at Clear Vista School Saturday afternoon, November 13th, and are open to anyone interested. In the morning, the area committee will meet with Mrs. Hilgartner.

In the first six months of 1965 labor disputes caused the loss of 1,182,000 man-days of employment.

## Mike Hnybida injured in fall

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Nov. 10.—Mike Hnybida suffered a painful accident last week when he fell down the basement in Allan's Hardware and had to be taken to Tofield Hospital, where he is still a patient. He required several stitches in his forehead, and suffered bruises and shock.

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# Holden Legion marks Remembrance Day

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Nov. 17. — The Remembrance Day parade and service was held November 11th by the Holden Legion and Auxiliary. While four Sea Cadets mounted guard at the Cenotaph, wreaths were placed in remembrance of those on the Roll of Honor, by various organizations: Holden Legion, Comrade Bud Szaer, Legion Auxiliary, Mrs. Mary James; Provincial Government, Earl Hardy, former M.L.A.; Village of Holden, Deputy Mayor Lars Olson; B.P.O. Elks, Zane Bilyk, and the Sea Cadets, Officer in charge Eugene Bilyk.

Gerald Ruskenveld sounded the Last Post and Reveille, then the parade marched to the Community Hall, where a short service was held, with Father Lozynsky giving the sermon, and Mrs. G. H. Taylor the pianist.

A buffet luncheon was served at 12.30 p.m. in the Legion Hall for Legion members and their wives, auxiliary members and invited guests.

## Advisory committee has November meet

The advisory committee of Sub District No. 309, Group 2 of the Alberta Wheat Pool held their fall meeting on November 5th, with 22 committee men, Delegate I. Ness and P.R.R. Tom Knight in attendance.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman A. Lukawiecki, and several items of interest were discussed under the direction of Mr. Knight. Mr. Ness also spoke briefly to the group.

## Duck finds a home

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — While duck hunting earlier this month north of town, Ernie Sadownyk shot and wounded a pure white duck which has caused much excitement among the local sportsmen. The duck has now recovered and has been turned over to W. C. Bowthorpe's bird sanctuary at Round Hill.

## League plans carol festival

With the approach of the Christmas season, most choirs have begun preparation of their Christmas music, and as in past years, the Community League is sponsoring a Christmas Carol Festival, on December 15th.

A massed choir will again contribute its usual fine music to the festival, this year under the direction of Miss Glenda Patterson, A.Mus., B.Mus. All choirs, as well as interested individuals are invited to take part. Rehearsals will be held Nov. 25, Dec. 2, 9 and 14, at 8:00 p.m., in the United Church basement.

Along with the joy, satisfaction and spiritual uplift which comes from singing fine music well, choirs will benefit from the knowledge and experience gained by working with a well-qualified director, and it is hoped everyone will take advantage of this opportunity offered by the Community League.

Any choirs which would like to contribute to the festival, and have not been contacted, please get in touch with G. McFadzean.

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

We are happier in many ways when we are old than when we were young.

"The young sow wild oats; the old grow sage".—Winston Churchill. —J.W.R.

# Enthusiasm rife for mixed curling

A general meeting of the Tofield Curling Club was held in the curling rink Saturday with a good attendance of members. It was decided that curlers could pick their own rinks this year, both in the men's curling and the mixed curling.

There seemed to be high enthusiasm for mixed curling. Rinks are welcomed from adjoining areas; fees are $15 per year, with one game a week.

Curling will start in the next week or so, and all prospective members in both the men's and mixed clubs should contact any member of the executive if they wish to play.

## Afternoon curling meeting planned

The curling season is here again, the afternoon curling club is again preparing to get in full swing. The annual meeting of the club is planned for this Saturday at the curling rink.

The regular routine operation for the coming season will be discussed. Election of officers will be held, and the treasurer's report given. All those who wish to curl in the afternoon are urged to attend this meeting.

## New executive conducts first 4-H meeting

The first regular meeting of the Ryley 4-H Beef Club was held on November 4th, at the home of Mr Munkedal. The new executive took their offices at this meeting. They are: Gary Weins, president; Darryl Lyons, vice-president; James Panisc, secretary; Gary Kropelnicki, treasurer. The adult leader is Peter Munkedal and his assistants are William Maaren and Bob Hammer.

Since the calf weigh-in was on October 30, at the Lyon's Ranch, it was felt that the roll call be answered by giving the weight and sex of their calf. Thirty-two of the 36 members were present at the meeting.

Mr. Moore of Tofield gave a very interesting talk on "Care and Feeding of Club Calves", and Barry Seniuk told the club of his experiences at Club Week in Olds.

The meeting adjourned, and Mrs. Munkedal served lunch to the members and adults who attended the meeting.

# Parents, teachers meet Friday

On Friday, Nov. 12, the first Parent teacher Day of this year was held. The day was very successful, with eighty-six per cent of the parents attending. For those parents who were unable to attend, they may contact their children's teachers for an appointment at their convenience.

Two basketball games will be played in Tofield this week. Thursday night the High School boys will play the boys from the Holy Redeemer College. Then, Friday night the High School boys and girls will play two teams which will be brought from Edmonton by Harold Ferguson and Marian Hardy.

The mixed afternoon curling will begin at the end of the month.

A Career Day is being planned for the High School students. When the plans are better known further information will be available.

## Hegre Ladies' Aid elects officers

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Nov. 12th —The Hegre Ladies' Aid met November 10th at Mrs. M. Rasmusson's home for their monthly and annual meeting. Officers are: pres., Mrs. Adolf Pehrson (elected); vice-pres., Mrs. M Rasmusson, sec.-treas., Mrs Johnny Storvick, card comm., Mrs. Dennis Huseby. Next meeting will be Wednesday, Dec. 8th at the home of Mrs. Duane Huseby.

## 100 years old

The children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and great great grandchildren of Mrs. Lena Stauffer met at Duchess, Alberta on August 25, 1965, on the occasion of her one-hundredth birthday anniversary. With Mrs. Stauffer in the above picture taken on this occasion are her children, left to right: Lydia and Emma of Duchess, Will, John and Sam of Tofield, and Joe of Duchess. Living descendants also include 17 grandchildren, 86 great grandchildren, and seven great great grandchildren.

For many years she was a resident of the Tofield-Ryley area, moving here from Nebraska with her husband and family in 1911 to a farm near Dodds, now occupied by the Maynard Stauffer family. Her husband passed away in 1913, and she has made her home with her son and daughter, Joe and Lydia, since that time. She moved to Duchess about 20 years ago. She has been an invalid since suffering a broken hip several years ago. Prior to that, she had been a very active person. At the gathering at Duchess, several people recalled examples of how very agile she was even in her 60's and 70's. For some years it had been her ambition to live to be 100.

"BUT I DON'T SMOKE"

# By George!

At long last I have driven over the portion of Highway 36 between the towns of Taber and Hanna This is a part of Alberta I had never seen had wanted to see for some time, but the opportunity had not presented itself until the past weekend when I paid a visit to a couple of publishers in that neck of the woods.

The highway, when completed, will be a dandy link between the part of the province in which we live and the southeasterly portion The road is straight north and south over most of the route The portion I travelled passes through no towns, the main reason being that there are very few towns to pass through The road touches only the outskirts of Taber, Vauxhall and Duchess, and is about six miles from Brooks and Hanna.

Only a portion of the south part is paved, and strangely enough I was most pleased to find this out on my return trip Sunday, for the snow was falling fast in the south country, and packing onto the pavement to make it icy and hazardous. The gravelled portion presented no problem at all in this regard. A traveller on the Trans-Canada Highway between Brooks and Calgary last Sunday said traffic was moving very slowly due to ice. This concludes the report from the "Sunny South"!

The snow was getting quite deep, but about 10 miles south of Stettler I drove out of it completely From Big Valley to Camrose there wasn't a flake.

And I'd be willing to bet that the snow in Southern Alberta is twice or three times as deep right now as here Our weather may be a little colder at times through the winter but one thing is sure—at least it's a little more stable than what the Southerners of this province endure

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## ELECTION NOTICE

### Election by Electoral Divisions

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an election will be held for a COUNCILLOR for Electoral Division No. 5 of the County of Beaver No. 9 for the year 1966 and the election will take place on Saturday, the 4th day of December, 1965, from nine o'clock in the forenoon to five o'clock in the afternoon.

The Electoral Division has been provided with the following polls:

**Poll No. 1 is at Holden Community Hall**

**Poll No. 2 is at Nick Laskoski's Residence— N.W. 11-48-16-W.4th**

**Poll No. 3 is at Polska Hall—S.E. 25-47-16-W.4th**

I will at The County office in The Village of Ryley on Monday, the 6th day of December, 1965, at twelve o'clock, noon, sum up the votes and declare the result of the election.

Given under my hand at The Village of Ryley this 9th day of November, 1965.

OLOF MONSSON,
Returning Officer.

**Persons Entitled to Vote:**

(a) Every person of the full age of twenty-one years whose name appears upon the voters' list by virtue of being on the assessment roll.

(b) Every person whose name does not appear on the voters' list pursuant to clause (a) who is a Canadian Citizen, of the full age of twenty-one years and who has continuously resided in the division in which the election is being held for a period of six months immediately preceding the day fixed for the nomination of candidates.

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# News briefs from Kingman district

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Nov. 9th. — Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simonson and family of Edmonton were Sunday supper guests of Miss Mabel Simonson.

Dr. D. M. Asp spent Wednesday to Thursday with his mother Mrs. A. Asp, and brothers Bert and David. Mrs Asp and David went back to Calgary with him, returning home Saturday with Miss Bertrude Asp and Mrs. L. Boyd who spent the weekend with the Asps.

**CONFIRMATION SUPPER**

Guests at the Torkel Oseen home on October 30th, in honor of Rodger's confirmation were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bratrud of Holden, Pastor and Mrs. Palmer Olson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Olav Olson, Elaine and Vernon of Bawlf, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hanson and Mr and Mrs. Ray Hanson and family of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kinnee and family, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Olson and Afton, Miss Alma Harber, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bratrud and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Christenson and family.

Salem LCW will meet on Nov. 18th (note date) at 8 p.m., at the home of Pastor and Mrs. G. Ostrem in Camrose.

**Mrs. E. Schmidt left for Victoria, B.C., last week, to visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ron McLean.**

Mr. and Mrs. L. Erga were Sunday dinner guests at the Melvin Magneson home south of Camrose, and evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. P. Bonesss.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simonson and Mrs. A. Holte were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Sirois of Tofield.

Supper guests at the Wm. Bjorgum home on Oct. 30th, following Alice's confirmation were Mrs. Esther Hanson of Bethany, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison of Dafoe, Sask., Mr. and Mrs. Russ Hanson and family and Miss Judy Grams of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Giles of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Ovel Bjorgum and family, Mrs. Helga Evenson, Fred and Orville, Donna Gibson, Linda Fleming and Donald Schmidt.

**The Fred Coykendall family have moved into their lovely new home.**

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Smith and family of Edgerton were Sunday visitors at the Wm. Bjorgum home.

Mrs. Pete Fjaseth spent Saturday to Tuesday in Edmonton visiting with her father Gust Bard, and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Harrison of Dafoe, Sask., spent a few days recently at the Ovel Bjorgum home. Mr. Harrison is Mrs. Bjorgum's brother.

Hospital patients this week are Mrs. Gary Acres at Killam Hospital; Mrs. Olaf Heie and Mrs. Garnet Ferguson in St. Mary's Hospital, where both are undergoing surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Boness of Camrose were Monday supper guests at the Ingvald Ness home.

Mr and Mrs. Lloyd Bjorgum and family attended the silver wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Neilson at the Moose Hall in Camrose on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seljehaug were Monday evening visitors with the Emil Slettons, Camrose North.

The Girls' Club has resumed meetings at the school Tuesday evenings at 7:30. Mrs. C. Christianson and Mrs. Vernon Grundberg are the leaders, with the help of other mothers when required.

Mrs. Martha Lyseng of Armena spent last week with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bjorgum.

# Palmer-Earling notes

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING, Nov. 12th —Mr Ennis of Tofield has been cleaning the local drainage ditch with his drag line on the Kast Chrystian farm the past week.

Some people from this district attended the Armistice Day services at Ryley on November 11th and others at Bawlf.

**45th ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs Nick Kushnerick, Jerry and Bob attended the 45th wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Faryna of Holden Sunday at the home of their daughter at Vegreville.

Weekend guests with the Duane Husbys were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Maris and Alison and Brewster of Edson, and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Whitson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mosby, Bev and Brian spent the week in Sovereign, Sask., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Carlson and Myrna of Camrose North were Sunday visitors at the Ed Knudsen home.

The Herman, Gordon and Allan Hillands and Ernest Ferren, all of Calgary, were guests at the Tenant-Roth wedding on November 6th and also called on relatives.

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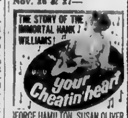


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# Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. Neither you or I ever goes there, and I am very disappointed.
2. I bought two pairs of stockings, but I don't choose to wear them.
3. I can't find it nowheres, and I wonder what you hid it for.
4. You didn't used to go there, until your stocks depreciated in value.
5. I saw him around seven o'clock as his car went round the corner.
6. As I take it, his death is daily anticipated.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Financier.
8. Raison d'etre (reason or justification for existence).
9. Monism.
10. Chiropodist.
11. Genus.
12. Sobriquet.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Coherency, bankrupcy, ascendancy, truancy, heresy, franchize, fleur-de-lis, fraternize, fusillade, chastise, nautilus, surplus, surplice, surcease, nuclius, au revoir, audacity, audatorium, au gratin, augury, misprint, misstatement, misplace, mishapen, miscellaneous, supervise, authorise, amortize, cauterize, improvise.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "Neither you NOR I ever GO there, and I am very MUCH disappointed". 2. Say, "I bought two PAIR of stockings, but WOULD RATHER NOT wear them". 3. Say, "I can't find it ANYWHERE, and I wonder WHY you hid it". 4. Say, "You didn't go there FORMERLY, until your stocks depreciated", omitting "in value". 5. Say, "I saw him ABOUT seven o'clock as his car went AROUND the corner". 6. Say, "As I UNDERSTAND, his death is daily EXPECTED". "Anticipate" usually means to look forward to with approval or enjoyment.

7. Pronounce FIN-an-seer, accent on last syllable; and not "FINE-an-seer". 8. Pronounce reh-zawn-dau't'er, accents on second and third syllables. 9. Preferred pronunciation is mawn-iz'm, accent on first syllable. 10. Pronounce kigh-ropp-oh-dist, accent second syllable. 11. Pronounce jee-nuss, accent first syllable. 12. Pronounce sobri-kay, accent first syllable.

13. Bankruptcy, franchise, nucleus, auditorium, misshapen, authorize.

# Ross Creek news

(Iris Bilan)

(Intended for last week)

Ladies of the district called at the home of Mabel Hauer on November 3rd in the afternoon, to wish her a happy birthday.

**Sympathy of the district is extended to Paul Jacobs and his family on the passing of his wife, Anna.**

After visiting with Mrs. Beth Lauder at the Lamont hospital, Bill and Belle Lauder of Keep Hills, and George and Jenny Lauder of Edmonton were visitors at the home of Arthur and Mary Ferrel.

The United Church Women held their monthly meeting at the manse in Lamont, the evening of November 3rd, with a good attendance of members.

The ladies of Tofield, Lakeshore and Ross Creek attended a bridal shower held in the basement of Tofield United Church on November 4th to honor Miss Florence Englesham.

Mrs. Beth Lauder of Edmonton, a former resident of Ross Creek, is a patient in the Archer Memorial Hospital, Lamont.

**BIRTH**

Congratulations go to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sallowich on the birth of a daughter.

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# Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. Upon being introduced for the second time to Miss Jones, is it all right to say, "I already know Miss Jones"?

A. This sounds a little abrupt, almost as though it were too much trouble to make a second acknowledgement. I think it would sound much better to say, "I have already had the pleasure of meeting Miss Jones".

Q. When lettuce, parsley, or watercress are placed around an item of food to garnish it, may this properly be eaten?

A. If this a part of your individual serving, and you wish to eat it, you have a perfect right to do so.

Q. When there is to be a double-ring type of marriage ceremony, with the bride and groom exchanging rings, who pays for the groom's ring?

A. The bride.

## ELECTION NOTICE

### Election by Electoral Divisions

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The Electoral Division has been provided with the following polls:

**Poll No. 1 is at Bardo Recreation Centre— S.W. 6-50-18-W.4th**

**Poll No. 2 is at County Office—Village of Ryley**

**Poll No. 3 is at Residence of J. Weir at Shonts— S.E. 21-50-18-W.4th**

I will at the County Office in The Village of Ryley on Monday the 6th day of December, 1965, at twelve o'clock, noon, sum up the votes and declare the result of the election.

Given under my hand at The Village of Ryley this 9th day of November, 1965.

OLOF MONSSON,
Returning Officer.

**Persons Entitled to Vote:**

(a) Every person of the full age of twenty-one years whose name appears upon the voters' list by virtue of being on the assessment roll.

(b) Every person whose name does not appear on the voters' list pursuant to clause (a) who is a Canadian Citizen, of the full age of twenty-one years and who has continuously resided in the division in which the election is being held for a period of six months immediately preceding the day fixed for the nomination of candidates.

# The Ryley Times



## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs John Komarnisky and family of Edmonton were visitors at the home of Mrs Komarnisky's mother, Mrs Sharawara, on November 11th

Mrs N L. Campbell, who has been visiting with her niece, Muriel, and family, the Ted Andersons in Calgary, returned to spend the weekend with her daughter, Marjorie, and family at Leduc and was expecting to be home Tuesday evening

Lloyd Clark and Miss June Clark have moved into the house recently purchased from Mrs. [illegible] Christianson Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus and daughter, Debbie, who have been living there, are presently staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hopper


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## BOWLING WITH THE STARS

*by Pat Patterson AMF Staff of Champions*

**Wearing Apparel**

Before you can get into the actual mechanics of bowling, there are some prerequisites which are necessary to your game. The first concerns wearing apparel.

Bowling does not require special wearing apparel as do other sports. However, the game can be much more enjoyable if your clothing is comfortable, and permits the necessary freedom of motion.

Men seldom have much of a problem in their wearing apparel. Their trousers are usually conducive to freedom of leg movement, and as long as their shirts do not bind in the shoulder and arm area, they are considered "action free".

Women, however, are more apt to violate the rules of wearing apparel for bowling and should be more selective in choosing proper attire. Too often the novice will attempt to bowl in either too tight a skirt, or too full, i.e., a ballerina type. The ladies should try to outfit themselves with a flared or semi-flared skirt which will allow a full stride and ample leg movement.

The woman's blouse should have a capped or short sleeve with plenty of room in the back to allow for natural arm swing, even above the eye level.

## Service and wreath-laying honors dead of two wars

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — The Ryley Canadian Legion Branch No 102 held services on Remembrance Day at 11 a.m. There was a short service at the cenotaph; Lorne Booth was the bugler, and sounded "The Last Post" and "Reveille" as the flag was lowered and raised on the flag pole, and the color party dipped and raised their colors. Legion colors were carried by Garnet Burnstad and Don Campbell, and the Ladies' Auxiliary colors by Mrs. Julia Anderson and Mrs. Barbara Harback

Wreaths were laid by Elmer Anderson in memory of the first war dead and by Harold Vergette for the second war. Prayers were said by Pastor Stanley Rude Then the Legion and Auxiliary members paraded with the color party to the Community Hall for the Canadian Legion service conducted by Pastor Rude.

After the service, Legion members and their wives and families enjoyed a hot turkey dinner in the Legion Hall, where places were laid for approximatly 125 The Auxiliary Ladies were in charge of arrangements

At the end of the dinner, the draw was made for the auxiliary raffle, and little Susan Fisk was declared the winner of the nice electric mixer and bowl with stand. The proceeds of this raffle will be turned over to the Canadian Legion Scholarship Fund for veterans' children.


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I pledge myself to give you the same untiring, dedicated service that I have always given as your Member of Parliament.

Again on behalf of my leader, the Rt. Hon. John Diefenbaker, the Progressive Conservative Party and the Vegreville Federal Progressive Conservative Association, and, of course, myself, I say thank you from the bottom of my heart to all those who in any way contributed to my re-election.

—Frank Fane.



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### CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, floral tributes, spiritual bouquets and memorial donations during our recent bereavement in the loss of our husband and father A special thanks to the Tofield Canadian Legion.
—Margaret Dickson, Robert, Ruth, Rita and Allan. 12p-3120

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**ANNUAL BAZAAR**
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### IN MEMORIAM

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### ENGAGEMENTS

Mr and Mrs. Charlie Herbert, of Tofield, are pleased to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Donna Mae, to Richard James Oslund, son of Mr and Mrs. Joseph Oslund of Tofield. The wedding will take place December 17, 1965, at the Tofield United Church. 12p-3114

### NOTICE

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### CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to Dr. Freebury, the Hospital staff, Mrs. Stinson, the pallbearers, friends and relatives for their acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and floral tributes, during our recent bereavement in the loss of our beloved mother and grandmother.
—The Family of the late Mrs. Ada Louise Van Buskirk. 12p-3119

### FOR SALE

We wish to thank all those who attended our housewarming party and who helped to make it such a happy time Thanks for the lovely gifts and for the silver collection, which will be used to purchase a painting for the living room Special thanks to the Alfred Ericksons and Adolf Pehrsons for their assistance.
—Rudy and Barbara Starcheski 12p-3610

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## Modern Etiquette

Q. Is it all right to ask one's hostess for an extra dish or plate, when one's own service plate is not large enough to accommodate the food?
A. Better not. By so doing, you would in effect be criticizing your hostess' service. It would be much more tactful to cut down the portions of each food to the size of your plate.

Q When a man meets a woman on the street and walks with her, and she is carrying several packages, should he offer to carry them for her?
A. Only if the packages seem heavy, or if she is loaded down with a number of them. Otherwise, it is not necessary.

Q. Is it correct to write a note wishing a girl happiness after you have read the announcement of her engagement in the newspaper?
A. A note of good wishes is ALWAYS in good taste.

Q Would it be proper for me, the bridegroom-elect, to be present at a shower that is being given for my fiancee?
A. Since these are usually all-female parties, it would hardly be in good taste for you to attend. It would, however, be all right for you to put in an appearance towards the end of the party to help your fiancee home with her gifts.

Q. Is it in good taste to use correspondence cards?
A. For the short, informal type of notes, these cards are very popular and in good taste — for both men and women. However, they should be used only for strictly informal correspondence.

Q If, after meeting and talking with a business acquaintance of my husband, he says, "It's been a pleasure to meet you", what can I say?
A. Just "thank you", accompanied by a smile, is enough.

Q Should an usher at a church wedding offer his arm to every woman he escorts down the aisle, whether he knows her or not?
A. Certainly.

Q. I have on occasion noticed some women wearing rings over their gloved fingers. Is this correct?
A. Indeed not.

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

The first Social Credit Whist Drive of the season will take place at the Hall on Saturday, Nov. 20th

**HALL RENOVATED**

A work party call for Nov. 13th was quite well attended, and a good start was made on the renovation planned for the hall this coming year. Even the ladies turned out with a pot-luck dinner for the men, as well as helping with the work.

The Hall Board has planned a Grocery Bingo for Friday, Dec. 3rd, at which time the 50-50 raffle will take place.

## 4-H'ers have hayride

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — There was a good turn out on Saturday evening, Nov. 13th, for the hayride arranged for the members of the Ryley Dairy Club Meeting at the Hillerud farmstead, they went off to the picnic grounds at Nugget Lake in the Dodds district, and although the evening was quite cold, all were agreed that the venture had been an enjoyable one

## Holden OORP has November meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, NOV. 17.—The Holden Lodge O.O.R.P. held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening, Nov. 9th, with a good attendance of members. They received one new member into the Lodge.

Regular business was attended to, and the report of the Chamber of Commerce dinner, to which they catered the week before, was read. They were also advised that the Scholarship cheque had been sent to the eligible student attending Holden High School, namely Arnold Lund of Bruce, who had the required qualifications.

Lunch hostesses for the evening were Ladies Ida Mason and Bertha Sanderson.


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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs Ellen Eaton returned to her home on Friday afternoon after having spent 13 days in the Tofield hospital.

Mrs. Ila Walker returned home after spending some time as a patient in the Tofield hospital. We all hope she continues to improve and will be able to be out and around again.

Geo. and Ida Niemetz motored to Vauxhall on November 6th and spent from Saturday to Monday with their son and family, Don and Deanna Niemetz, and little son. They returned home Monday night.

**Harold and Irlene Sieb and children, Greg and Joan, returned to their farm on November 3rd, after having spent the past three or four years living at Ladner, B.C. Welcome back folks.**

**HERE FOR FUNERAL**

Don and Gladys Van Buskirk of Strathnabor, B.C., who have been visiting relatives both in the Ross Creek and Kethchamoot districts, have left for their home after attending the funeral of Don's mother, Mrs. Ada Van Buskirk, on Monday.

Wm. Ginnever of Alberni, B.C., arrived on November 11th at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Marie Eaglesham, where he is at present visiting. He also attended the wedding of granddaughter, Florence Eaglesham, to Arnie Sagmoen on Saturday, Nov. 13th.

**SAGMOEN-EAGLESHAM RITES**

Congratulations go to the newlyweds, Arnold and Florence Sagmoen whose marriage took place in the Anglican Church in Tofield on Saturday, Nov. 13th. A reception catered to by the Lakeshore UCW was held in the United Church basement with nearly 100 guests present. The happy couple was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts and all wished them a long and happy married life.

Florence is the only daughter of Mrs. Marie Eaglesham, and the late Jim Eaglesham of Lakeshore, and Arnold is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sagmoen of Ross Creek.

Don and Gladys Van Buskirk of British Columbia, were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen.

**Morley Jacobsen returned home from the Tofield hospital last week after undergoing an appendectomy.**

Geo. and Ida Niemetz were Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg motored to Holden on Sunday where they were dinner and supper guests at the home of Lars and Blanche Olson.

Geo. and Ida Niemetz motored to Edmonton on Monday afternoon. They were evening visitors and luncheon guests at the home of George's sister, Erma, and Fred Onyschuk, before returning home.

Jack Goubault and his sister, Judy, also his friend, Gloria Erickson, all of Drayton Valley, arrived Wednesday evening. Jack and Gloria were overnight guests at the home of his grandparents, John and Mary Wood, while Judy stayed for the weekend at the home of her aunt, Martha, and Emil Tiedemann, and with her cousin, Mary.

Robert and Dede Goubault of Drayton Valley, and Dede's nephew, Dougie Haiwa of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood. Their daughter, Judy, returned home with them in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Paschen and family of Edmonton were dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein on Remembrance Day.

Irlene and Harold Sieb and children, and Harold's nephew, Dennis Baker of Saskatchewan, were Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Irlene's brother, Charlie, and Mickey Niemetz.

Barbara Baines of Edmonton spent from Tuesday to Sunday visiting at the home of her aunt Mrs. Ethel Wood, and son Donald.

Mrs. Ethel Wood and Mrs. Ollie Moos were Friday noon luncheon guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Pat Glover in Tofield where they also visited with Miss Loretta Ross of St. Albert, who was spending a few days with Pat.

Mrs. Martha Tiedemann accompanied her daughter, Yvonne and Peter Brown and Peter's mother, Mrs. Keitha Brown, all of Kethchamoot, on a motor trip to Edmonton on Monday, returning home that evening.

CARS CAN KILL. Traffic accidents take a heavy toll of lives every year on Canada's highways, but some people believe air pollution from exhausts on cars is even deadlier. Pressure is now being placed on the auto industries to produce "cleaner" exhausts, and it is hoped exhaust controls will be wide-spread by 1968.


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## Ross Creek district news briefs

(Iris Bliss)

Sympathy of the district goes out to the Van Buskirk families on the passing of their mother, Mrs. Ada Van Buskirk.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hadburg were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Cleary.

Ernie and Margaret Vickery and Mildred MacKellar, all of Edmonton, were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Howard and Nell Malcolm, after which they visited with Ivan and Florence Malcolm and family.

Graham and Elma Sauder and son, Craig, spent a weekend visiting with relatives at Grande Prairie.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Donald and Gladys Van Buskirk of Prince George, B.C., have spent two weeks visiting with relatives and friends. Gladys's sister, Mrs Mary Ferrel entertained relatives at a supper held in her home last Thursday evening in honor of Donald and Gladys.

Joe and Verna Sadowski and Lester and Wilma Osborne were Sunday afternoon guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford.

The Lamont High School girls basketball team won their game Saturday, which was played at Cold Lake.

## Mrs. Van Buskirk passes Nov. 11

(Mrs. Ellen Bates)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE — Sympathy of the district goes to the members of the late Bob Van Buskirk family on the death of their mother, Mrs. Ada Van Buskirk, and to all other relatives. Mrs. Van Buskirk was the widow of the late Bob Van Buskirk and former old-time resident of the Ross Creek district. She passed away on Thursday, Nov. 11th, in the Tofield hospital after having suffered a stroke a short time before.

## B of M makes awards to rural farm leaders

A competitive $100,000 awards program to develop leaders in farming communities all across the country was announced this week by Horace Seller, manager of the Tofield branch, Bank of Montreal.

The program, the B of M's Canada Centennial Farm Leadership Awards, is open to any man or woman engaged in full-time farming.

There will be 50 awards of $2,000 each, half of them in Western Canada. Their purpose, in the words of G. Arnold Hart, president of the bank, is "to encourage and expand leadership qualities in people in rural areas to enable them to meet the problems arising from growing technological and scientific advances in agriculture and vastly changed economic conditions".

Women are encouraged to apply, because of the important part they play in rural life. As well, owners, tenants, relatives or employees can apply, irrespective of education or age. The only conditions are full-time employment in agriculture.

Award winners will be selected on the basis of their past record in community activity, recommendations of organizations they have worked in, and the value and feasibility of the projects they have chosen themselves to improve their personal contribution to their communities.

Application forms, naturally, can be obtained from either of bank's branches. In looking at details of the plan, Mr. Seller told The Mercury "The aim is not to produce better farmers, so much as it is to produce better citizens, who can assume leadership roles in developing their own communities".

## Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
**W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D.**
Minister

**Sunday, Nov. 21st**

10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.

Rev. Walter Hammil, Rector of Holy Trinity Anglican Church, will lead the worship and preach the Word.

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Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ..... 10:30 a.m

MINISTER—
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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**Ryley, Alberta**
**Pastor Stanley Rude**
**Sunday, Nov. 21st**

HOLDEN—
10:30 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School

RYLEY—
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Pastor Don McLean**
**Sunday, Nov. 21st**

10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service

Closing Day of Missionary Conference. Guest speaker: Rev. F. Chapman, Spanish Guinea

Tuesday: 8:00 p. m. — Prayer Meeting.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m. — Young People's Meeting.


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## Another Jones film is coming to Tofield soon

Shortly, Tofield area residents will have the opportunity of seeing one of the most unusual and complete films ever produced on the colorful wildlife of the Canadian Rockies. Six years in the making "Canada's Mountain Wilderness" was filmed by well known Edmonton naturalist-photographer, Edward T. Jones, whose television wildlife films are known by most Canadians. As a lecturer for the National Audubon Society of New York, his wildlife film programs are presented in some 234 cities throughout United States and Canada. Also as one of the founders of the Alberta Wildlife Foundation, a non profit organization dedicated to the conservation of our natural resources, he has given to many thousands of western Canadians

The film is a product of six seasons of filming in the Canadian Rockies, depicting not only the magnificent scenery, but concentrating on the fascinating wildlife of the region. Some of the highlights of the all color film include face close-ups of mountain goat, sheep, elk, moose and bear, rainbow trout six to eight pounds in weight spawning in the crystal clear mountain lakes, and fascinating birds rarely filmed.

Caused as family entertainment, this is one film no Canadian can afford to miss. "Canada's Mountain Wilderness" is coming to Tofield later in November. More details will be carried in The Mercury Advertising columns next week.


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## Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Lyle Grosland, with her mother from Calgary, has been visiting for the past two weeks with relatives and friends in Vancouver and Victoria.

**WINS AWARD**

The $50 scholarship award which is presented annually by the Holden OOHP Lodge, was recently awarded to Arnold Land of Bruce who was a student at Holden High School and had the highest percentage in this year's grade 12 departmental examinations.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Budd and family left early Thursday morning to spend the weekend visiting with Mr. Budd's mother at Brandon, Man.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Komarnisky and family left Thursday morning to spend the weekend visiting with relatives at Spirit River

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Padlecki and family of Edmonton were Remembrance Day visitors in Holden with friends, and Joe attended the luncheon held by the Holden Legion in their hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Litun and family, former Holden residents, were visitors on Remembrance Day with the Tony Basaraba's. Mr. Litun also attended the Legion luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lauzon and children were recent week-end visitors in Calgary with her family.

Mrs. Olga Bilyk, who has been under doctor's care the past two weeks, has been taking a week off from her duties in the post office to recuperate. Mrs. Betty Kostiw has been helping Gene this past week in the post office.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Manchur, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Cooper and Mr. and Mrs Geno Bilyk attended the supper and evening's entertainment at Viking held by the Viking Legion on Thursday evening. Mr. Bilyk, Mr. Cooper and Mr. Manchur also took the Sea Cadet Troop to Viking Thursday afternoon to participate in the Remembrance Day ceremonies

Sam Sroka of Edmonton was a visiting for a few days last week with his mother, Mrs Perka Sroka

Mrs. Irene Strilchuk and boys were Camrose visitors last Friday.


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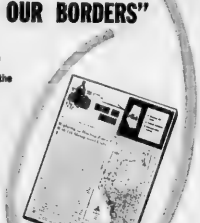
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# Locals

**IT'S A BOY!**

Mr and Mrs. Erhard Kaltenhauser (nee Miss Shirley McArthur) of Los Angeles, Calif., wish to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Carl Erhard, on October 27, weighing 6 pounds, 15 ounces, and measuring 19½ inches.

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Miss Louise Moore left by Air Canada November 16th for Ontario. In Belleville, she will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan May, and in Otawwa at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pederson. Mrs. May is Miss Moore's sister, Hazel, and Mrs. Pederson is her sister, Audrey.

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Mrs. Carl Blake spent last week at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Denis Blakeman in Edmonton.

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Mr and Mrs. Jefferson moved on Friday to their new home in Coaldale

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Lorette Ross from St. Albert visited around town a few days last week.

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Rev and Mrs. Orum from Calgary spent from Wednesday to Friday with Ella and Don Hardy

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Mr and Mrs. Geo. W. Ismond of Abernethy, Sask., were visitors at the home of Mr Ismond's sister, Mrs. J. E. Stinson and Mr. Stinson from Monday afternoon until Wednesday morning.

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**OLDTIMER PASSES**

Funeral services for Mrs. Ada Van Buskirk, 82 years, were held from United Church Monday last, conducted by Rev. W. H. McDonnold. Mrs. Van Buskirk came to the Ross Creek district about the year 1882 or 1883 and was a real oldtimer for this area.

**EDUCATION DEGREE**

Denis John Blakeman will receive a Bachelor of Education degree in vocational education at the fall convention on the Edmonton campus on Saturday, Nov. 20th. Mr. Blakeman is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. C. Blake of Tofield.

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Monday evening visitors at the Reger home for Helge's birthday were Pete and Anne Chilkowich and Carlyn. Tuesday afternoon coffee guests were George and Alma Undin, Pete and Oliva Erickson and Orval, while evening visitors were Herb and Mary McAde.

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A number of ladies surprised Mrs. S. Knudslien and helped her celebrate her birthday on November 13th.

**BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED**

Alan and Florence Barnhad entertained on Sunday to a chicken and ham dinner for a combined birthday party for their grandson, Gerald Reger, on his first birthday, his aunt, Mildred, and his Grandad Helge. Those present were their daughter, Mildred and Ron Newlove, and granddaughter, Leona; their daughter, Dorothy and Allen Reger and Gerald, another grandson, Lloyd Barnhard and son Edward, all of Edmonton, Helge and Emma Reger of Tofield; and a cousin from the USA. A very enjoyable time was had by all.

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Leonard and Mary Lawson and children and Wayne and Janice Lawson and daughter of Calgary spent the weekend with their parents.

## Another Norway rat found in Edmonton

Evidence of more rats in Edmonton was found last week.

Dr. G. H. Ball, city medical health officer, reported that a large black rat was found dead in a garage near the southside Canadian Pacific Railway yards.

"This is the fourth or fifth Norway Rat discovered in Edmonton in the past two or three weeks. We don't know how serious the invasion is, but we ask Edmontonians to continue to keep a sharp lookout for them", Dr. Ball said.

**BREED RAPIDLY**

Dr. Ball urges constant vigilance. Two rats could mean 50 or 100 more soon because "only two or three within a short time", he said.

The medical health officer added that two and possibly three of the rats were discovered alive in the city and were killed. One such rat was run over by a truck and left dead on the street. At least two more were killed by city residents and their presence reported to the city health department

Norway rats, says Dr. Ball, could be black, brown or grey. The most important feature in identifying the rats is its long, hairless brown tail.


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## Infants baptized at Skudesnes Church

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER EARLING, Nov 12th —At the Sunday services at the Skudesnes Church, two infants were baptized by Pastor P. Olson: Charlene Louise, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs Elmer Bruce, with Jerry Bolding and Janet Bruce the sponsors; Barry Neil, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Vassberg, with Mr and Mrs. Orval Kvale the sponsors


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**BULLETIN:**

**OILFIELD TEEN CLUB ORGANIZES "MEALS-ON-WHEELS"**

Back row (left to right): Ronald Link, Black Diamond representative; Lawrence Rest, Vice-President; Douglas Price, President. Front row (left to right): Arlene Lang, Sec.-Treasurer; Maureen Detler, Social Convenor; Marion Snethlage, Social Convenor.

Senior citizens in the Turner Valley district are grateful for the foresight and concern of a group of enterprising teenagers from this southern Alberta community.

The Oilfield Teen Club began its "meals-on-wheels" project last Christmas to give aged and infirm citizens a good Christmas dinner. That was just a start. Hot, nutritious meals are now supplied regularly.

The Oilfield Teen Club has been active in many other ways. It has adopted a Korean boy through the Foster Parents Plan, worked for the Cosmopolitan Club, furnished a room in the Turner Valley hospital and sponsored social and educational activities. One member recently won three University scholarships, including a national award by the Canadian Legion.

We congratulate the Oilfield Teen Club—this year's Group Award Winner. Our thanks to Alberta's Weekly Newspaper Editors for their active co-operation in the Alberta Junior Citizen of the Year program, sponsored by Alberta's investor-owned electric utility companies.

**This is one of a series of Junior Citizen Award announcements. Our special thanks to Graham Smith, Editor of the North Hill News and nominator of the Group Award winners.**

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## New books at library

The proceeds from tag day were used to provide new books for the Tofield public library.

**NON-FICTION**

"Israel", by Joan Comay. Introduction by Golda Meir. Illustrated with maps and photographs. A nations today book. Golda Meir Israel's minister for foreign affairs.

"Coins and Coin Collecting Made Simple", by Laurence Brown. New, complete, authoritative guide to coins of the world, and the techniques of successful collecting.

"A Treasury of Hobbies and Crafts", by Michael Estrin. This book introduces you to the fun and "how to do it" procedure of hobbies and handicrafts. For the beginner and through advanced stages of leathercraft, plasticraft, drawing, doll-making, soap sculpture, etc

"The Story of the United Nations", by Katherine Savage. This book is extended and brought up-to-date for all group reading.

"Canadian Coins and Modern British Coins", by H. C. Taylor. Catalogue and price list including a brief history of Canadian coins.

"Hobbies for Boys", by Hal Vermes. A guidebook to adventure and learning in the arts of collecting, communication, crafts and nature, science and sports.

"Hobbies for Girls", by Jean Vermes. Introducing the junior miss to leisure time of fun and learning in the arts of collecting crafts, etc.

**YOUTH**

"The Long Way Home", by Margot Benary-Isbert. A thirteen-year-old East German orphan adopted by an American family — the bewildering and great abundance of everything makes Chris feel lost in the new world and family.

"Mystery at Love's Creek" by Betty Cavanna. Crime on the cattle ranch.

"The Haunted Fort" by F. Dixon. The Hardy boys.

"Growing up with the Norman Conquest", by Alfred Duggan. From this account of the year 1087, we learn about food, clothing, houses, travel and general outlook of the time and prospects of the younger people

"The White Calf", by Cliff Faulknor. A Little-Brown award for 1965. An autographed copy of the Calgary author's story of Eagle Child" and Indian boy who found the "White Calf"

"Danger is the Password" by Phyllis Fenner. Stories of wartime spies.

"The Scarlet Raider" by Joseph Icenhower. Mosby's Rangers of the Southern States, the summer of 1863. The boy joined the Union Army and learned how to play a man's part in a man's war.

"The Clue of the Black Flower" by Carolyn Keene. The Dana girls mystery. The circle of footprints.

"The Brass Idol Mystery" by Helen Wells. Vicki Barr series

**EASYREADERS**

"Take a Nap, Harry" by Mary Chalmers. Harry and his motherly Mother

"The Mouse and the Motorcycle" by Bev Cleary. 7 - 11 age reading.

"The King, the Mice and the Cheese" by Nancy Gurney

"I wish that I had duck feet" by Theo LeSieg

"I had trouble in getting to Solla Sollew" by Dr. Seuss.

**"THANK YOU"**

Open house is an opportunity for the public to view the books of their library, meet the ladies that give their time to make the public library possible and enjoy a cup of coffee. When giving gifts to your friends, remember a book makes a lasting gift. A sincere "thank you" to all those who donated and helped with the tag day held in October

## Salem LCW elects new executive

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Nov. 8th. - The Salem LCW held their annual business meeting recently at the church when the slate of officers for the ensuing year was read by Mrs. Ovel Bjorgum, and is as follows: president, Mrs. J. Holte; vice-pres., Signe Boness; secretary, Mrs. Wm. Bjorgum; treasurer, Mary Bjorgum; stewardship sec'y, Mrs. Bill Simonson, education, Mrs. L. Ness; flower committee, Mrs. A. M. Wick and Hazel Anderson; auditors, Mrs. T Oaness and Mrs. L. Bjorgum; visiting committee, Mrs M Bronnum, memor-


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## Bardo

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO Nov 9th. Mrs Alma Foshaug and Mrs Petra Staufler were Sunday afternoon visitors at the M Erickson home. Linda was also home for the weekend

Caroline, Mervin and Diane Krogen of Edmonton, spent Sunday with the Ivan Foshaugs.

**WCTU PLAQUES PRESENTED**

Presentation of plaques were made at Sunday School to the following children whose names appeared in the White Ribbon Tidings recently: Grace Heiberg, Carol Anne Francis, Ivey Mosby, Lyle Heiberg and Walter Johnson. Lorna McMann and Bill Takema from Tofield, and Beverlee Burnstad from Ohaton also received plaques from the Bardo WCTU.

Mrs Iris Francis and children spent the weekend in Edmonton at the home of her parents, the Bjornsons. Olaf Anderson accompanied them and visited at the home of his son Lawrence and family.

Visitors at the Ingolf Brekkan home to celebrate Donny's 11th birthday were the Garth Evans family of Edmonton, the Art Haugen family from the Amisk Creek district, and Patricia and Greg Litwin.

Olaf and Alice Stokkan were Sunday afternoon visitors with Axel and Nita Kindley.

Olive and Evelyn Foshaug, Mary Fosseth and Patricia Litwin attended the LCW workshop at Bawlf on Saturday.


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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby were Sunday evening visitors with Bert's father, Harry Appleby, at Vialta Lodge, Viking, a week ago and Mr. Appleby was a weekend visitor with his family this week.

Mrs Mary Andrews, who has not been feeling well the past few months, entered Vialta Lodge, Viking, a week ago as a guest.

TEA AND SALE

The members of the Holden United C.W. and the Pioneer Group wish to remind the ladies in the district that their fall tea and sale of work is being held Saturday, Nov 20th, at 2 30 p.m. in the church parlors. There is a very good selection of aprons and handiwork and many novelties, making suitable Christmas gifts and decorations, also a table of home-baking. A cordial invitation is extended to all to enjoy afternoon tea and pick up some Christmas gifts.

POOR FISHING

Joe Alexander and Henry Oberg, who were on a fishing trip for a few days a week ago, did not have any fishing luck. With the weather turning colder and snowy, they found the lake freezing around the edges and their lines freezing and breaking when trying to cast. In the Bonnyville area, there was about eight inches of snow.

David Andrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Andrews of Calgary, and Miss Elaine Wattam, also of Calgary, were visitors over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad. They also visited David's grandmother, Mrs. Mary Andrews at Viking. Mrs. Andrews has been in the hospital there for a few days but was returning to Vialta Lodge this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Shevchook and daughter attended the wedding of Dennis's sister to Eddie Piasta in Edmonton on Saturday, and the wedding reception held at the Towne House Motor Hotel, Leduc. The wedding was held at St. Josaphat's Cathedral.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Slywka were Sunday visitors with Martin's mother, Mrs. William Slywka.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mielimaka, Mr. and Mrs. Lud Mielimaka and Mr. Mike Zuzak were visiting Saturday with Mrs. Zuzak at the University Hospital where she has had recent surgery, and is making very good recovery. They also called on Mrs. Annie Zowtuik, also a patient in the University Hospital, after recent surgery, and hear that she is feeling very well and hoping to be home within several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were visiting in Edmonton on Sunday and Monday, also on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lemko left Friday to spend the weekend at Hafford, Sask., visiting with Mrs. Lemko's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Halkowich. Their small daughter, Cathy, who has been staying with her grandparents for the last three weeks, will be returning home with her parents.

Mrs. Olive Good was a business visitor in Edmonton Monday of last week.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Lars Ritland, who has been a patient over two weeks in Tofield hospital, was able to come home the early part of last week, much sooner than was expected.

Mrs. Nancy Laskoski is home after spending two or three weeks at Killam Auxiliary Hospital receiving treatments and was able to get out Monday, Nov. 8th, and cast her vote.

Mrs. John Romaniuk is a patient in Tofield hospital.

Miss Paula VanCouwenberge is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose, and we were pleased to hear from her sister that she is improving.

Mrs. Geo. Albrecht, who has not been well this past year was taken to Vegreville hospital the later part of last week.

A. Schaur Sr., who has been in poor health for some time, was taken to an Edmonton hospital last week and had surgery, and it is reported his condition is serious.

Mike Haybids, who has been a hospital patient in Tofield since his fall two weeks ago, has had the stitches taken out of the cut in his forehead, but is still unable to get out of bed.

Mrs. Mike Zuzak, who had not been feeling well for the past few weeks, was taken to the University Hospital Edmonton, Wednesday for surgery

Mr and Mrs Bruce Bud entertained a number of friends at a coffee and card party Saturday evening of last week.

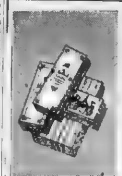
# William Charles Dickson passed away October 31st

William Charles Dickson of Unity, Sask., former resident of Galahad, passed away suddenly Sunday, Oct. 31st. Mr. Dickson was born in Biggar, Sask., on March 22nd, 1922. He was employed by the CNR for 19 years, and was a Flying-Officer with the RCAF in the last war. He married the former Margaret Kallal.

Besides his loving wife, he is survived by two sons and two daughters, Robert, Ruth, Rita and Allan, now residing at Tofield. He is also survived by his mother, Mrs. [illegible] Dickson, Chilliwack, B.C.; five sisters and one brother, Mrs. Margaret Cormack, Agassiz, B.C., Mrs. Elizabeth Brett, Regina, Sask., Mrs. Dorothy Taylor, Humbolt, Sask., Mrs Agnes Condon, North Burnaby, B.C., Mrs. Ida Kerslake, Kelowna, B.C., and Adam Dickson, Halifax, N.S.

He was predeceased by his father in 1962.

Prayer services were held at St. Donatus Catholic Church in Galahad on Wednesday evening, Nov. 3rd. Funeral services were held Thursday at the Galahad Presbyterian Church. Guard of honor was former by members of Legion No. 231, Galahad. Pallbearers were fellow members, Mack Fewster, Gordon Allan, Clement Kuefler, Art Blumhagen, George Vincent, William Washburn. Interment at the Tofield Legion plot with members of the Tofield Legion present.

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# Sister passes in Edmonton

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Nov. 17 — Miss Krezanowski, who is on the staff of Holden School, received the sad news Tuesday, Nov. 9th, that her sister, Mrs. Paulette Elaine Bricker of Edmonton, aged 21 years, passed away after a short illness. Mrs. Bricker leaves to mourn her loss: her husband Larry, of Edmonton, her parents, Mr and Mrs. Paul Krezanowski of Viking, and five sisters.

Prayer service was held Thursday Nov. 11, at 8.00 p.m., at the Park Memorial Chapel, Vegreville, and Requiem Mass was Friday, Nov. 12, at 10:00 a.m., at Ranfurly Ukrainian Catholic Church, with Rev R. Starodub the celebrant. Interment was in St [illegible] Cemetery, Edmonton.

The sympathy of friends is extended to Miss Krezanowski and her family in their loss.

# Willowdale news briefs

(Beulah Burnstad)

WILLOWDALE, Nov. 16th — Mrs. Roxburgh and Donna of Edmonton spent Thursday with the Laurie Blades'

HOSPITAL NEWS

Little Bruce Holowitchuk is a patient in the Mundare hospital. He was admitted last week.

Mrs. Paul Holowitchuk is home from the Mundare hospital after a two-week stay there

Henry Quall passed away suddenly on Thursday, Nov. 11th at the Camrose hospital. He was 79 years of age. Funeral services were held in the Trondhjem Church on Saturday.

A number of relatives and friends gathered at Mrs. Mary Burnstad's home Thursday afternoon to help Lydia celebrate her tenth birthday

Mrs. Bill Savage of Winnipeg left Friday for home, after spending a week with relatives here.

Mrs. Jot Toule is employed at Nelson's Jewelery Store in Camrose.

Mrs G. Hohn is now settled in her home in Round Hill and the Palmer Pedersons have moved into the house vacated by her.

Mr. and Mrs John Bruce visited with the Ole Hjelters in Tofield on Sunday afternoon

## LCW meets in Camrose

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Nov. 9th. — The LCW members were invited to the home of Pastor and Mrs. G. Ostrem in Camrose for thier November meeting on Wednesday afternoon, with 22 members present and several visitors from Tofield and Camrose

Mrs. Norma Anderson led in devotion, Mrs. Mary Finseth conducted the Bible study, Mrs Borghild Rude had charge of the worship offering, and a group of ladies rendered a number in song. Bernice Heiberg, president, extended a welcome to Mrs Harold Sitler who expressed her desire to become a member of the LCW

The December meeting will be in the form of a Christmas party and gifts will be exchanged.

## Election results for country polls

(Mrs. J. Knudsen)

PALMER EARLING, Nov 13th — Election results at Salt Lake Community Centre P.C., 50; Lib., 1; Soc Cred., 12, NDP, 1

There were 64 votes cast out of 90 elegible voters. The DRO was Don Campbell Jr., and the poll clerk was Mrs. Don Campbell

Results at the Shaw Community Centre P.C., 60, Lib., 1; Soc. Cred., 13; NDP, 10.

The DRO was Art Scaber and the poll clerk was Bill Steffen A total of 84 votes were cast out of 115 elegible voters.

Results at the Likness poll at the Evan Kvale home: P.C., 52, Lib., 1, Soc. Cred., 18; NDP, 8

The DRO was Esben Sorenson and the poll clerk was Evan Kvale.

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# Tofield League activities spike community interest

The League's committee on entertainment possibilities for the coming winter has been hard at work, and a very interesting series of events is in the offing. Each of several organizations in Tofield has been approached to secure, or provide, an evening's entertainment, for which the League will pay the expenses and take the profits. These events will occur at three- or four-week intervals.

The committee in charge of bring up these events is headed by Norman Glover Members of the committee are Dick Mutlow, Ed Itegehr and John Baergen.

BARBERSHOPPERS HERE

First on the list will be a concert by the Barbershop Quartet from Camrose on Jan. 24, 1966. As well as excellent music, this concert will feature other entertainment. This event has been arranged by the Tofield branch of the Canadian Legion

Sometime later in the winter, the active Lions' Club of Tofield will present another event for enjoyment of Tofielders. The Community League hopes to present a Variety Night, and the Tofield Drama Club, under the direction of Father Scriven will be presenting a three-act play.

An evening with three one-act plays under the direction of C. F Annis will be presented in this series of events. Mr Annis recently won the Best [illegible] award for the Zone Three

This series of events will conclude with the Sportsman's Banquet in May

These events will appeal to everyone In the near future tickets will be on sale. Single tickets for each event, or a book of tickets for the entire series may be purchased.

Prize Hereford

Mrs. H. Watherill of Tofield shows a Hereford bull entered at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto, on which hopes rode high for another Alberta championship.

## Mrs. Hilmer Olson to head LCW in '66

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — The Lutheran Church Women held their annual meeting in the church parlors on Thursday, Nov. 11. Bible Study was led by Mrs. Irene Olson. A special service for ingathering of Treasure Chests was led by Mrs. Kathleen Hurum. All reports showed a very successful year.

Officers for 1966 are as follows: Mrs Hilmer Olson, president; Mrs. Paul Schwanke, vice-president; Mrs. Otto Hurum, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Ralph Mason, education secretary, Mrs. Lawrence Hurum, stewardship secretary; Mrs. Melvin Olson, cradle roll; Mrs Olaf Smorlie, sunshine secretary.

# New secretary for weeklies

Miss Evelyn Rogers, editor and publisher of the Athabasca Echo, was appointed secretary of the Alberta Weekly Newspapers Association at the first meeting of the new executive Saturday in Edmonton

Miss Rogers agreed to accept the position on very short notice, filling [illegible] suddenly when the former secretary, John MacDonald of the Westlock News found that pressure of his own business forced him to give up the post. Mr MacDonald's paper, like the town in which it is published, is going through a period of rapid expansion at this particular time.

Mr MacDonald had been secretary of the Association for the past three years.

## Ryley DA office open twice weekly

Frank Kehoe, assistant district agriculturist at Camrose, advised The Mercury this week he will be spending every Thursday and Friday in the Ryley district agriculturist's office

In order to meet as many farmers as possible, he will try to attend as many meetings as possible in the County of Beaver dealing with agricultural aspects.

Mr Kehoe hopes many farmers in the area will take advantage of this offer to serve the county

TO MONTREAL

Lloyd Fergusson left on Thursday for a two-week holiday in Montreal.

## Curling begins today

Curling got under way in Tofield today. Regular draws in both mixed and regular men's and ladies' curling will start on Monday, Nov. 29th. Mixed curling will be on Tuesday and Wednesday of each week, regular mens' and ladies' draws on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays.

The rink is available for ice rental on the weekends or afternoons on Monday, Wednesday and Friday Anyone wishing to rent ice can get in touch with the caretaker, phone number 662-3551.

## Carol festival December 15th

The Christmas Carol Festival, held annually by the League for many years, will be held on Dec 15 Arrangements are in the hands of George McFadzean, and the massed choir will be directed by Miss Glenda Patterson, A Mus., B Mus., of Tofield

# Vernon Walker heads afternoon curlers

The Afternoon Curling Club met Saturday evening to organize their activities for the coming [illegible]

The club is again planning to curl twice weekly, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, with games to get underway by 1:30 p.m. The club is still short a few curlers, and anyone wishing to curl in the afternoons is urged to give their name to either Bob Wyllie, Ron Googlein or Andy Heiberg by 7:00 o'clock Monday evening, Nov. 29, as draws for the rinks will be made that evening

The fees this year will be the same as last year, $15 for the season

Officers elected to run the club for the coming year are: Vern Walker, president, Earl Rose, vice-president, Andy Heiberg, secretary-treasurer; and the directors, Ron Googlein, Carl Jacobson, Emil Goubault, Louis Shewchuk, Jim Ingram and Donnelly McGinitie.

# Anniversary party held for Mr. and Mrs. H. Sutton

On Saturday evening, Nov. 13, friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs Gordon Kyle to honor Mr and Mrs. Harold Sutton, who celebrated their 19th wedding anniversary on Nov. 9th.

A corsage of lily-of-th-valley was pinned on the "bride" and a white carnation on the "groom".

The evening was spent with some exciting games, poetry and jokes. Mr. and Mrs. Sutton were presented with a lovely anniversary cake decorated with pink roses and the figures 19 printed in gold

A lovely lunch was served, with the bride and groom cutting their cake together. A collection was taken and the proceeds go towards the finances of the church in honor of the happy couple.

All present agreed it was a most enjoyable evening.

## Eaket to speak at CC supper

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Holden and District Chamber of Commerce will hold their monthly supper December 7th, at 6 30 p m in the Holden Community Hall Guest speaker for the evening will be J E Eaket, general manager of Northern Alberta Dairy Pool He will speak at a public meeting in the hall commencing at 8 30 p m on the future of the NADP and the future of Dairy Farming in Canada.

The subject should be of particular interest to many in the community. Everyone is welcome to attend.

## 4-H'ers elect new officers

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — At the recent reorganization meeting of the Holden 4-H Beef Club the following members were elected as the new officers Marilyn Tymchuk, president, Steve Mulkoski, vice-president; Marion Stuart, secretary; Faye Laskoski, treasurer; Eileen Stuart, club reporter; H. Stuart, club leader; and Don Hultholm, assistant.

The adult committee consists of Allan Zwierschke, A. C Zwierschke, A. Gibson and Mr. Mavos.

# Ladies' Club aids charity

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

HASTINGS LAKE — The Ladies' Club met recently at the home of Mrs Sampson. The annual list of donations to be sent was made, including Crippled Children, Red Cross, CNIB, Cancer Fund, Salvation Army, Col. Mewburn Veterans' Hospital, St. Josephs', CARE, and Retarded Children.

Saturday, Dec. 18th, has been set for the Christmas concert at the hall

The next ladies' meeting will be at the hall on Thursday, Dec. [illegible]

Guest Editorial

# ... The last chance

"In building the government the lines of least resistance were not followed. A dozen men who deemed themselves sure of cabinet rank found themselves overlooked; five of fifteen portfolios went to men imported from provincial arenas without Dominion parliamentary experience. Laurier knew the kind of government he wanted and he provided himself with such a government by the direct method of getting the colleagues he desired wherever he could find them." (Laurier: "A Study in Canadian Politics," by John W. Dafoe).

Looking back, it is easy to see how we slipped into our present mess. Reverse what Laurier did in 1896 and we have what Pearson did in 1963. Now, miraculously, he has a second chance. In 1963 the lines of least resistance were followed. A dozen men who deemed themselves of cabinet rank were not overlooked. There was no search for the right kind of colleagues whever they could be found. Instead we got, with some notable exceptions, not a cabinet but a political hodge-podge, and left in charge of the practical side men who were discredited then and are more discredited now. From the beginning the guide lines were old loyalties and past favors.

Mr. Chevrier became the adviser on Quebec, a disaster; Mr. Walter Gordon, a political dilettante, Minister of Finance, with predictable results; Miss Judy LaMarsh, who had proved her lack of judgment by participating in the public charade of the Truth Squad, became Health Minister. Jobs were found for Mr. Pickersgill, who has for years done duty as an outport Machiavelli, and for Mr. Benidickson. Mr. Dupuis was appointed against advice. A Guy Rouleau could sit in the Prime Minister's office.

Quebec, after Mr. Chevrier departed for London, was handed over to Mr. Favreau and Mr. Lamontagne, and remained in their charge when it was amply clear that neither was competent nor, indeed, determined enough to do the job. Both survive today as members of the cabinet.

All this time there sat in the House of Commons young, able men and women. Miss Pauline Jewett is no longer there. She may well have been beaten because she was never given the kind of political recognition to which she was entitled. Mr. Turner was left in the twilight of a second-class department. Mr. Mackasey (Verdun), Jean-Luc Pepin (Drummond-Arthabaska), Joseph Chretien (St. Maurice-Lafleche), Richard Cashin (St. John's West), John Stewart (Antigonish-Guysborough), defeated Monday, and others, waited unrecognized or with minor recognition.

Mr Pearson, it is said, will never change. His qualities, we are told, make him a success in formulating policy. He lacks the qualities for success as a politician. This may be so. In that case there is little hope for us. But Mr. Pearson is also a man of great intelligence who can respond to events. He has been given another chance. He can now, if he wills it, clean out the incompetent and the discredited from his cabinet and from among his advisers, and start afresh; he does this or he will take the Liberal party down with him to annihilation. He will not always have Mr. Diefenbaker to keep him in office.

—THE MONTREAL STAR.

# Winter housecleaning

Housecleaning time usually comes in the spring or fall, but for Lester Pearson it looks as though the time will be in the next two or three weeks. While he is cagily waiting for the official returns from the election on December 8, he can gain time to shuffle and reshuffle the various players in front of him, trying to line them up in the strongest positions possible for the next term in Parliament.

Mr. Pearson has the opportunity to make big yards politically if he will simply face up to the difficult obligation of removing those members who in the past cabinet showed themselves unworthy of cabinet trust. No one likes the hatchet job, but there comes a time when it has to be accepted; after all, it's far better to suffer even the loss of a right arm if it's badly infected than to have the infection race through the entire system.

A LOOK AT THE SUN. When the earth-orbiting Apollo manned missions are launched, one of the duties of the U.S. astronauts will be to photograph the sun through large astronomical telescope mounted on their space vehicle. In space, the sun can be observed free of most atmospheric distortions.

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# ..New faces

OTTAWA. — Finance Minister Walter Gordon's resignation only three days after the general election that failed to produce for Prime Minister Pearson the majority he wanted has set in motion a struggle for power between the two wings of the Liberal Party. The struggle has been intensified because the outcome of the election appears to have speeded up the date on which the present leader of the party may choose to retire.

By resigning as he did the former finance minister also put the pressure on at least three other members of the cabinet. Privy Council President Guy Favreau was shocked by Gordon's action and it immediately stirred up speculation that he would be the next to move out of his front bench seat. The pressure was also on State Secretary Maurice Lamontagne and Postmaster General Rene Tremblay to quit their posts.

**TWO FAVORITES**

The names of two men as front runners for the post of finance minister are Trade and Commerce Minister Mitchell Sharp and Robert Winters, ex-cabinet minister turned industrialist.

Sharp is acting finance minister, until the post is filled. He, as a member of Pearson's Cabinet, already is regarded by many as having the inside track.

Robert Winters, retired from politics after he suffered defeat in the Nova Scotia riding of Queens-Lunenberg in 1957. He had held several cabinet posts in Mr. St. Laurent's Liberal administration, and is regarded as a favorite of business and investment circles for the finance job.

At his farewell press conference, Mr Gordon was asked if his going would mean that the "philosophical right wing" of the Liberal Party would take over and ditch his economic policies. He said he was confident his policies would be carried on and pointed to the Prime Minister's letter accepting his resignation and key paragraph.

**GOOD JOB**

It read: "I also want to express my deep appreciation for what you have accomplished as minister of finance in putting into effect fiscal policies which have done much to bring about and maintain the expansion and prosperity Canada at present enjoys, and for your effort to ensure that Canadians maintain the maximum control possible over their own economic and industrial development as essential to the development in the nation. You know that I share this objective with you"

It appeared that the Prime Minister wanted the Gordon policies carried forward. If that is the case then the choice for finance minister will be probably Mitchell Sharp rather than Robert Winters.

**THROW BACK**

**Mr. Winters is looked upon rightly or wrongly, as one of the "old guard right wing". He was a protege of the late C. D. Howe and it was Howe that got Winters into politics in the first place. The left wing element of the party that has been pushing the social welfare program forward at a rapid rate do not look too kindly on the idea of Winters taking over the finance portfolio. They would view that move as a "throw-back" to the kind of Liberalism that they rebelled against in 1958 and 1963.**

Mr Sharp on the other hand was sympathetic to some of Gordon's policies. But, he did not go along entirely with the protectionist ideas calculated to discourage foreign investment.

Mitchell Sharp has worked in the cabinet and has helped carry forward some of the economic ideas that Gordon advocated and that the Prime Minister appeared to endorse. Consequently, Sharp will likely be more favorably considered for the finance post than Winters who has been out of the political stream for nearly a decade.

**LOOK FOR LEADERSHIP**

This could bring on a first rate battle for power behind the scenes. Those wanting the party left of centre will resist mightily any attempt by the more moderate thinking groups to run down the centre or slightly right of centre.

The battle for power is not just for the finance portfolio, but for the future leadership of the party. There is no doubt that if Sharp gets the nod as finance minister his stock will rise rapidly as a possible new leader. Should Winters be finance minister then it will give him a boost upwards for that day which is coming — and coming sooner now than many Liberals had thought prior to November 8—when Mr. Pearson decides to retire.

Meantime the pressures will build up again on his political opponent John Diefenbaker to step down gracefully. The vigorous and hard fought campaign succeeded in re-establishing Diefenbaker in the Conservative Party as a stronger leader than he was before the election.

**HARDLY ENOUGH**

But he failed to regain power. And with the Liberals winning 131 seats his great ambition to stage a comeback and once again be Prime Minister has been thwarted.

As the weeks and months pass the ambitious men within the Conservative party will once again start manoeuvring to try and bring about the retirement of the leader. Some are hopeful even now that he will decide to call it quits in the very near future. But others [illegible] that they know that "the [illegible] is convinced that he and [illegible] alone was able to bring about the situation where the Liberal [illegible] denied their majority. He [illegible] recently has no desire to retire [illegible] is eager and anxious to [illegible] at his political opponents [illegible] Parliament.

But much as Mr. Diefenbaker will want to stay [illegible] in office the betting [illegible] that within a year [illegible] leadership convention [illegible] be in the cards. The anti-Diefenbaker element within the party ranks in Parliament has been strengthened considerably with George Hees and Davie Fulton both will make determined drives to win the national leadership of the party.



# Ministik and district news items

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

United Church services were held with Frank Wiggins, layman of Edmonton, conducting. Mr. Turner rendered a solo "The Lord is My Shepherd". Next Sunday services will be taken by Bob Stacey.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Horricks of Namao were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horricks.

Friends and school pals are sorry to know that Frank Wilson is a pneumonia patient in Tofield hospital and a speedy recovery is wished him by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grummett of Calgary were in the district on Friday visiting relatives and old friends.

**The municipal road crew completed the two roads they had been building on Tuesday, moving their equipment to Fort Saskatchewan on Wednesday.**

Among Edmonton shoppers on Monday were Mrs. Keith Williams and David, Mrs. Frank Swabey, Mrs. Les Whitford, Mrs. Effie Nasichuk, Mrs. Ralph Leach and Mrs. S. George.

Beverly Loch and Linda Holmes were Edmonton visitors on Thursday.

Bruce George, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas George and Mrs. Walter George, all of Edmonton, did some painting and fall cleaning for their mother, Mrs. S. George on Friday.

Church services were conducted at the United Church by layman Bob Stacey of Edmonton.

**SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT**

A work crew of the County of Strathcona has recently completed installing weeping tile at the Ministik school. This should certainly be a big improvement over the previous arrangement, and lighten the duties of janitor, Les Whitford.

Mrs. Alex Pearice, son Norman, and grandson, Duane, were Sunday afternoon tea guests of Mrs. Helen Hennessy.

**A speedy recovery is wished Gary Ferguson who is a patient in University Hospital in Edmonton. He had the misfortune of having a piece of steel lodged in his eye.**

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys have moved to their farm home here for a few months of the winter, from summer residence at Mossleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Jeske sent another shipment of their 500 turkeys on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport were Edmonton shoppers on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill George and Georgina of Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. S. George.

Ronald Ferguson attended the RCAF cash bingo at the Edmonton Gardens Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Douglas George, former resident here, was the winner of $1000 on bingo number one.

Glenn Ferguson and Richard Heitman, Ronald Ferguson and Barbara Lochtie visited Gary Ferguson in University Hospital on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Verden Sears and Mrs. Joe Davenport have completed plans for the grocery bingo to be held at Ministik Hall on Friday, Nov. 26th.

Ann Paterson spent the weekend with her aunt, uncle and cousins, the Bruce Patersons, of Looma.

# Kingman district news items

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Nov. 23rd. Sunday visitors with Mrs. J. A. Holte were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen of Holden, Mrs. Mary Erickson and Donald of Camrose, and Miss Mabel Simonson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Ness spent the weekend in Edmonton, and Mr. Ness went on to Calgary to attend the Alberta Wheat Pool convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Acres were at Lougheed for the weekend. Adelle and Colman who had spent the past week with their grandparents, returned home with them.

# Start winter truck program

Truck registration for provincial government winter work starts Thursday, Nov. 25. Necessary forms are available in the Highways Building, Edmonton, and in the offices of the District Engineers at Medicine Hat, Lethbridge, Calgary, Red Deer, Edson, St. Paul, Peace River and Grande Prairie. Truckers interested must register before Dec. 31, 1965.

The program will be primarily in more remote areas of the province, with a reduction in the amount of stockpiling in the cen[illegible]

The gross earnings amount will be set at $1,200 per owner called to the work. However, this figure may be adjusted, depending number registering and the amount of work available through the winter.

The truck registration system, introduced some years ago in Alberta, is designed to distribute work among gravel dump truck operators presently in the business and depending wholly on this work for their living. The system is not a guarantee of employment, but endeavors to distribute work among as many truckers as possible.

Only one truck per owner may be registered. This plan has not been adopted to provide work opportunities for truck owners who operate trucks as a side line, and who have other major income sources. In past instances, large firms, professional men, and others, who have substantial business endeavors and also own trucks, have registered units. This is certainly outside the intent of the program, and is considered wholly unfair to truckers requiring this limited source of income during the winter months.

Truckers receiving a call must be prepared to go to work on the date set in the dispatch issue.

Much of the hauling is in isolated areas and a number of the haul routes will be across muskeg terrain and out of some of the major river valleys. The operators must, therefore, be competent and the trucks in good operating condition.

## Shower newlyweds, Mr. & Mrs. N. Tenant

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Nov. 19. Friends and relatives assembled at the Skudesnes church Wednesday night to honor and shower the newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Norman Tenant (nee Kathleen Roth).

Master of ceremonies for an interesting program was Mrs. Lewis Forre, and Mrs. Ed Knudson was at the piano. Mrs. L. Forre made the presentation speech and Janet Bruce, Denise Sorenson and Mrs. Tom Brown assisted the couple to open the many nice gifts. Norman and Kathleen both expressed their appreciation for the gifts and program, and extended an invitation to all to visit them at their farm home, the former Hilland place.

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# The Ryley Times



## Ladies' Club plans many social affairs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK — The November meeting of the Ministik Ladies' Club was held at the United Church with 13 members present. Roll call was answered by "What impressed me most at the annual fall bazaar?" Roll call for December will be a small article for the fashion shop at the Provincial Mental Institute at Oliver.

Plans for the children's Christmas program have been started and Mrs. Keith Williams will be lunch convener for this.

The ladies drew names for their own Christmas party and Madam Martha Rouyier and Miss Terry Regier graciously offered their home for this affair.

A grocery bingo was planned for November 26th, proceeds to be for improvement of the community hall. Mrs. Verden Sears and Mrs. Joe Davenport were chosen conveners.

Happy birthday was sung for five club members who have birthdays in the month of November, namely Mrs. Ralph Leach, Mrs. Pat Paterson, Madame Martha Rouyier, Mrs. Gladys Roddick and Mrs. Jim Roddick. Each received a box of chocolates and birthday card. Entertainment was supplied by Mrs. Jim Roddick in the form of a "guess the object" contest. Mrs. Albert Herricks was the winner, with Mrs. Pat Paterson consolation prize winner.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Helen Hennessy, Mrs. Tom Jones and Mrs. Claude Leach.

## Theodore Shehinski passes at 83 years

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —Residents of Holden and district and many friends were saddened to hear Tuesday afternoon that Theodore (Fred) Shehinski passed away in the hospital at Daysland at the age of 83 years. Mr. Shehinski has been in poor health for the past few years.

He is survived by his wife Anna, three sons and six daughters, Harry and Paul of Edmonton, John of Holden, Mrs. (Nadia) Francis Creden, Mrs. (Mary) Pat Bauchman, Miss Kae Shehinski, Mrs. (Pearl) Fred Papirnuk, Miss Angela Shehinski and Mrs. (Emelie) Walter Papirnyck, all of Edmonton. 15 grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren.

Prayer services were held on Thursday evening, Nov. 18, at 8:00 o'clock, at Park Memorial Chapel, Edmonton, and on Friday, Nov. 19, at 8:00 p.m. at Coppernick Hall. Requiem Mass was Saturday, Nov. 20, at 10:00 a.m., at the Ascension Ukrainian Catholic Church at Coppernick, with Rev. B. Lozynsky the celebrant. Interment followed in the church cemetery.

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## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Johnnie and Marguerite Fish spent a long weekend in Edmonton combining business with pleasure, and visiting with their son, Jim, and family, and with old Ryley friends now living at Fort Saskatchewan.

Percy Pepper of Ohaton visited with his sister, Mrs. Jerry Pepper and family over the weekend.

Mrs. Winnie Johnson of Holden spent the weekend in Ryley with her mother, Mrs. Amy Pepe.

TO GREY CUP

George Bekker and Darryl Albrecht left by car on Friday afternoon, Nov. 19th, for a holiday in Eastern Canada and the US. They will attend the Grey Cup game in Toronto on Saturday, Nov. 27th, and then a National League game and some of the NHL hockey games.

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid will hold their annual turkey supper in the dining room on Saturday, Nov. 27th, starting at 5 p.m.

On Friday, Nov. 19th, the Lutheran Church held their annual mission program which was successful in every way. Over $80 was collected for mission work.

MOVES TO BETHANY

Mrs. Caroline Davick left this week to make her home in the Bethany Home in Camrose. Mrs. Davick, now 86 years of age, has lived in the Ryley district for over 50 years, and before she left, a party was held in her honor in the Lutheran dining room on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 17th. Mrs. Margaret Bugge was mistress of ceremonies, and presented Mrs. Davick with a farewell gift and a purse of money on behalf of Ryley friends wishing her at the same time happy days in her new surroundings. Mrs. Davick responded with gracious thanks.

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## Ross Creek district news briefs

(Mrs. Iris Bilan)

Winnie McLachlan, Isabel McLachlan, Nell Malcolm and Elma Snider were one of the guest rinks invited to take part in a friendly game of curling at the Balmoral Curling Rink in Edmonton on Thursday. The ladies were served a lovely hot luncheon before the game, with lunch afterwards. Everyone had a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stadnick of Edmonton were Saturday visitors at the home of their son Peter and his wife Lill.

Graham and Elma Snider and son Craig were Sunday visitors at the home of Elma's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hennig, and Elma's brother Milton and his wife Rita, all of Andrew.

Grant Becker and Alvin Hissy spent the weekend at Cold Lake.

Joseph McLachlan and Stanley Klatchuk spent Wednesday evening playing bingo at the Edmonton Gardens.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Rose Weytowich and son Randy were both patients at Mundare Hospital.

George McLachlan is a patient at the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton. After undergoing surgery on Friday, he is making a good recovery.

**Walter and Helen Olan attended a wedding at Mundare on Saturday, at which their daughter Vicky was a bridesmaid.**

Relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mike Svitch on Sunday to help him celebrate his 70th birthday.

AT WEDDING

Alvin and Mabel Hauer and Stan and Liz Schacher were weekend visitors at Medicine Hat, to attend the wedding of Gary Eiserman, son of Ted and Dora Eiserman, former residents of Ross Creek.

TWO BAPTISMS

The infant daughter of Ivan and Florence Malcolm and the infant daughter of Neil and Violet Bailey were baptized in the United Church, Ross Creek, on Sunday. Violet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mohr, of Josephburg, and her brother Earl, and Neil's sister and brother-in-law, Joan and Peter Kwasnecha and family, and Clarence Haggerty, all of Edmonton, were supper guests at the home of Neil and Violet in honor of the occasion. Ivan and Florence were coffee guests at the home of Howard and Nell Malcolm after the ceremony.

Fred and Irene Antoniuk and family attended a 25th wedding anniversary and house-warming Saturday evening in Edmonton for Fred's brother John and wife, who have recently moved into a new house.

Saturday night visitors at the home of John and Josie Herchuk were Ralph and Alice Cossey and family, and Nick and Mary Holowychuk.

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

The first Social Credit whist drive held on Saturday was well attended with nine tables being played. Winners were ladies' high, Mrs. E. Halverson, low, Mrs. M. Gladue; gents' high, Andy Scott, and low, W. Gladue. The next whist drive will be Saturday, Nov. 4th. The group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Scott Wednesday, Nov. 17th. The next meeting will be at the Dunham home Wednesday, Dec. 8th.

Final plans have been made for the Christmas grocery bingo to be held Friday, Dec. 3rd, at which time the 50-50 raffle will take place.

Ralph Dunham and Ray Peterson left last week to work at logging for the winter.

Art Dunham is a patient in Tofield hospital.

Mrs. E. Peterson is visiting Ernie in Camrose for a few days.

## Locals . . .

Wednesday visitors with Mrs. Frank Kortzman were Thelma Chandler, Louise Haskins, Vi Yates, Franklin Ray, all of Edmonton, and John Pruden.

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Richard and Alice Kortzman spent last weekend visiting with Joe Pruden at Drayton Valley.

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## Church notes

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W. H. McDonnold, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Nov. 28th

10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "The Holy Spirit Speaks To Our Day".

"Those who complain about their lot would do well to build something on it".

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Anglican
Sunday Services

8:30 a.m. every Sunday—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. 1st Sunday of Month—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m. 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays—Morning Prayer.
O Come Let Us Worship.

CATHOLIC CHURCHES
Winter Schedule

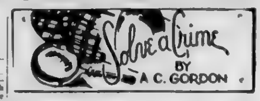
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........11:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........11:00 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:30 p.m.

LUTHERAN CHURCH
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Nov. 28th

HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Nov. 28th

10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 8.00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.
Thursday, 7:30 p.m. — Young People's Meeting.
Sunday Evening — Film-strip series: "The Land of Palestine".




YOU ARE THE DETECTIVE

You are walking along the dark street shortly after midnight, when suddenly you hear the sound of shouting coming from "Mike's Diner", a small hamburger and snack shop you have just passed. After first trying the front door and finding it locked, you run down the alley alongside the restaurant until you find the rear door. Under your touch, the door swings open and you find yourself in the dimly-lighted [illegible] of the eating place.

A [illegible] voice comes through the door of a closet, "Let me out! I'm in here! The key's on the [illegible] there somewhere".

You find the key, insert it in the lock of the door which then bursts open to reveal a thin, dark-haired young man wearing an apron and a cook's hat. "A hold-up", he exclaims. "The guy came in through that back door about twenty minutes ago. I was out in front closing up the joint . . . had [illegible] finished counting the money [illegible] was about to stick it in the safe. I had already locked the front door, but I guess I forgot all about the [illegible] door. Anyway, this guy suddenly walks in on me . . . told me he had found the back door open, and that he wanted some cigarettes and a couple of candy bars. I gave them to him and rang up the 50-cent sale on the cash register. Then, when I looked up, he had a gun pointing at me".

By this time you and the young man are out in the dining room where your eyes take in the long counter, the row of stools in front of it, and the cash register behind the counter with its "No Sale" sign showing. You saunter over to the front door, noting that its lock is set, also that the curtains are pulled over the front window facing the street.

"I'll admit I was kind of peeved at first about this guy coming in the back door", the young man blurts out. "[illegible] I swallowed his story about [illegible] cigarettes and candy. You can imagine how I felt when I suddenly looked in that gun. Well, there was all the money lying in front of the safe, and he stuffed it all into his coat pockets . . . and then he told me to get into that closet where you found me. He locked the door and I heard him drop the key on the floor, then he told me I'd better keep my mouth shut for at least five minutes, or else he'd come back and blast me. I think I managed to keep quiet for maybe two minutes . . . then I started yelling . . . and that's when you came in".

"Can you give me a description of the robber?" you ask.

"Sure. About five foot ten, blue eyes, a nose that looked like it once was busted, crooked teeth, light brown hair. He had on a suede jacket, grey pants, and black shoes . . . a blue shirt, but no tie".

"I must compliment you", you then say. "That's a very fine and complete description ... of someone who doesn't exist!"

"What do you mean?" splutters the young man.

What DO you mean?

SOLUTION

You suspect the young man of an attempt to stage a fake robbery. There was one little slip-up in the story he related to you. He told you that he had rung up a 50-cent sale on the cash register. Yet you found the "No Sale" sign showing on the register.

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## Solve -a- crime . . .

**YOU ARE THE DETECTIVE**

You hurry to the apartment that has been shared by the two young men, Roger Scott and Thomas Byers. At about 6 15 p.m. the distressed-looking Roger Scott and the apartment building manager meet you at the young man's door. You enter and immediately see the body of Thomas Byers lying on the floor of the sitting room, a bullet hole in his right temple and a gun lying on the floor near his outstretched hand.

The police doctor bustles into the room at this moment, makes a thorough examination, and then pronounces that the man has been dead for at least two hours. You then turn to young Scott.

"Tom was always a fine roommate", he says. "Always fair about sharing expenses, and such. But he did have a violent, almost uncontrollable temper . . . had a way of flaring up over the most trivial matters. Earlier this afternoon . . . I think about two o'clock . . . he went into one of his tantrums because he noticed that I had borrowed one of his ties. We exchanged a few words . . . then I left him here to cool off. I went to the Midtown Cocktail Lounge, had a couple of drinks, then left there at about 3.30 and took in a movie. I came back here just a few minutes before six o'clock and found Tom . . . lying there . . . dead!"

You point to the dark blood stain on the right cuff of Scott's white shirt. "Did you touch the body?"

"Oh, yes . . . I did", he admits. "I wanted to see if possibly he was still alive. I felt his heart, and I guess my sleeve must have brushed against some of the blood on the side of his head".

"Whose gun is that?"

"It's mine . . . I have a license. Tom, of course, knew I kept it in my dresser drawer . . . under my shirts".

You gaze reflectively at him for several long minutes, then say, "I'm afraid you'll have to come to headquarters with me. I'm somewhat dubious about some of the testimony you have given me".

Why are you dubious?

**SOLUTION**

According to Roger Scott's story, he found Tom Byers dead at about six o'clock and had accidentally acquired the bloodstain on his shirt cuff while examining the body at that time. But the doctor has told you that Tom Byers has been dead for at least two hours, and in that time the blood would have congealed and would not have stained Scott's shirt cuff.

## Weather . . .

| Nov. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 17 | 30 | 6 | 27.50 | —— |
| 18 | 22 | 14 | 22.70 | —— |
| 19 | 22 | 11 | 27.52 | .5" snow |
| 20 | 31 | 11 | 27.36 | tr. snow |
| 21 | 31 | 13 | 27.34 | —— |
| 22 | 23 | 7 | 27.38 | 1.30" snow |
| 23 | 10 | 8 | 27.57 | .10" snow |
| 24 | — | -6 | 27.85 | —— |

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Pearse were Sunday visitors at the Gust and Walter Oslund homes, Ryley North.

The Joe Knudsons were Sunday dinner guests in Daysland with the Ralph Knudsons.

Mrs. Carl Sorenson spent three days during the week in Camrose with her mother, Mrs. M. Mcadahl.

Sunday supper guests at the Fred Nordworski home were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Teske, Bonnie, Colleen and Ronald, Mr and Mrs. Dan Teske of Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stambaugh and Kevin of Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Erickson, Brent and Brenda of Drayton Valley, Mr and Mrs. Norm Hogland and Shanon, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fisk and Susan of Ryley.

Orval Bray is a patient in an Edmonton hospital, and Mrs. Cliff Bratrud a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose.


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PIGGY SOWS sold up to $110.00 each and Gilts brought up to $80.00 each.
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# The Diary of a Vagabond

(By Dorothy Barker)

## No fleas on this market

I am one of the Market Staff was awarded [illegible] and [illegible] Market. [illegible] residents [illegible] the three [illegible] with a little awe [illegible] made aside in those days when [illegible] Ladners were [illegible] and [illegible] down alone houses, the tall mill [illegible] looked like a vast [illegible] to them.

[illegible] the mill race where we were greeted by the smell of French [illegible] and coffee. No country [illegible] auction or flea market could be complete without these [illegible] odors.

The proprietors run a unique one. Used family furniture dealers and collectors and those with their neighbour to sell were settled along the fence on [illegible] the broad. Their wares, many of them collector's items, were displayed on long wooden tables in some instances planked junk [illegible] on wool blankets on the ground with home made signs declaring them to be bargains at any price from 25c to a dollar.

It was a chilly fall day. Grey ominous clouds scudded across the sky but the weather did not deter customers with a nose for a bargain or long sought antique, from lifting items and exclaiming, "oh and "ah" both over price and quality of the thousands offered for sale. There were buttons at $1.50 and pressed glass marked from $1 in a charge out of all bounds. A fur muff one merchant cuddled over his round figure could be bought for $2.50 the fleas attached but no one seemed to have the courage to deprive him of his comfort.

It wasn't until we had almost made the rounds and I had remarked sorrowfully that I missed the wrangling of the European Flea Market merchants that we met up with a dealer who whispered in my ear, "offer me a price, dearie, for any item you fancy and I'll make a deal." This was what I had hoped our flea market would be like. Bargaining and dickering is half the fun of the market sorrowfully that I missed the wrangling of the European Flea Market merchants that we met up with a dealer who whispered in my ear, "offer me a price, dearie, for any item you fancy and I'll make a deal." This was what I had hoped our flea market would be like. Bargaining and dickering is half the fun for dealer and customer alike. There wasn't anything I really coveted in her array of authentic antique glass and china until I found a small ultra modern and useless polychrome shelf marked $2.50. Chipped and scarred it looked so forlorn on the fringe of her blanket of bargains I offered her a dollar and expected to settle for at least $1.75. With alacrity she rolled it in a piece of newspaper and as though she were offering me the crown jewels tucked it under my arm and extended her hand for payment. It was a rather weak end ing to my hoped-for exchange of ideas. Was it a bargain? I wonder. But it made the days outing complete

# Kingman district news items

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

IT'S TWINS!

KINGMAN, Nov. 15 — Mr and Mrs Jean Marcinyszyn (nee Doreen Dodson) of Edmonton announce the birth of twins, a boy and a girl on Nov. 11 Mr and Mrs Ray Overton are the proud grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Holte, of Grande Prairie, announce the birth of a daughter, Lynn May, on Nov. 10—a sister for Shelly

**Mrs. Madelon Brunsom left for Alameda, California, last week, where she will spend the winter months.**

Clifford Christen accompanied Vincent Betz on a hunting trip to Fox Creek, near Swan Hills, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Hansen and Ian and Nola of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hall and Heather of Camrose, were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Willie Bjergum home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hutchinson were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Norton, at Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Simonson, of Edmonton, were Sunday callers at the John Johnson home, and dinner guests with the Homer Schmidts.

Donald Johnson, of Calgary, spent Thursday to Sunday with his mother and sister, Mrs. Britt Johnson, and Gail.

Mr. and Mrs. Abbie Anderson and Randy were Sunday dinner guests with Audrey Anderson and Diane Lundstrand, in Wetaskiwin

At the H. Hovelsen home on Sunday afternoon, to wish Ingrid Hovelsen a happy birthday, were Mrs. Britt Johnson and Donald and Gail, Mr. and Mrs. N. Hovelson and family and the Allen Anderson family

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Johnson and Kathy and Karen, and Miss Amy Arlingen were Edmonton visitors Monday, and also called on the Gunnar Barlunds.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wrack and family visited with the John Schmeichen in Edmonton on Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Johnson, of Camrose, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Britt Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold News spent Monday and Tuesday in Edmonton. They were accompanied to the city by Mrs. Mary Quatley of Camrose

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis, of Edmonton, and Mrs. Fred Davis Jr., of Stony Plain, were Sunday callers at the C. D. Simonson home


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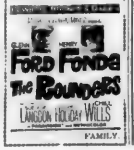


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# Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

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2. I don't hardly think my theme script is identifial to yours
3. This idea is in accordance to the one you previously presented.
4. He ascended up the stairs and round there was a difference in the front and rear bedroom.
5. The oldest of her two sons was born and raised in Canada

6. General of we girls came near missing the train

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Replica a. Passe
8. Hilarious b. Concerto
9. Malaprops c. Coma

**Which on words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Brethren, benefitted, benign ance benevolence, benefactor, benzine, benedictine
14. bishella, chaise lounge, longitudinal lounge, loquacity, paranoia, criticism, asthmatic, criticism, pharmacist, embezzle, felon, concerto, salvo mellennie invulnerability, invasion, invocable, invisible, inveterate, inverted, ecede, procedure, intervene supervede

1 Say. The boy, as well as his brothers and sisters WAS hungry 2 say "I don't think or I hardly think my mathematics is identical WITH yours 3 Say, "in accordance WITH the one" and not "up and say, "a difference BETWEEN" 5 Say, "The OLDER of her two sons was born and REARED in Canada." 6 Say, "Several of the girls ALMOST MISSED the train"

7 Accent first syllable, not the second 8 Pronounce first syllable as "hill", preferred 9 Pronounce mal-apt-me-pose, principal accent on final syllable 10 Pronounce pay-say, accent second syllable. 11 Pronounce kote-chal-tse, accent second syllable 12. Pronounce the "o as in "comb", and not as "comma"

13 Benefited, chaise longue, parasom, embryo, invisible, supersede

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# High school sports report

(Elaine Walker)

Last Thursday evening the boys from the Holy Redeemer College and the boys' basketball team from Tofield met in Tofield. After a close and exciting game, the Holy Redeemer boys moved ahead to win 64 to 53

Also Friday evening, the Tofield gym was crowded with spectators to watch the Homecoming games. Playing against the high school girls were former team members Marian Hardy, Dianne Hoover, Kathy Freebury, Judy Finn, Linda Kallal, Elma Baergen, Betty Neufeld, and Sharon Berties. The boys' team met former players Harold Ferguson, Floyd Taylor, Chuck Noble, Jack Nolan, Larry Murray, Bill Glover, Glen Wunder, Dwight Maurer and Ken Appleby. Both games were very close and ended in tie scores, indicating that the high standard upheld in Tofield's past is being upheld very well by present teams and coaches

Cheerleading activities are well underway, and our cheerleaders will be out cheering on our teams at the game against Holden on Friday. Everyone is reminded that these games provide very good entertainment, and urged to support our teams


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# School committee meets Nov. 9th

Following are the minutes, in part of the regular meeting of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee held Tuesday Nov. 9

The meeting was called to order at 10:05 a.m. by the Chairman Cy Roddick.

It was moved and carried that the minutes of the October 12th meeting be confirmed as written

Moved and carried that the Debenture Statement 58 dated Oct 26th be accepted

**Additional Land Required at Viking School**

In regards to the additional land required at the Viking school, the committee was advised that Cy Roddick and Mr Allen together with the Superintendent had attended the meeting of the Town of Viking Council, Tuesday, Nov 2nd. At that time the Town of Viking advising that the Town of Viking would sell to the County of Beaver the entire block of land between 48th Avenue and 47th Avenue and between 54th Street and 51st Street, less an area 40 by 70 feet registered in the name of Northwestern Utilities Ltd., for the nominal price of $1.00 was referred to the committee. The town would proceed to have 50th Avenue closed between 50th Street and 51st Street and transfer title to this area of land to the County providing the county would, at its expense, open up 47th Avenue and improve it to the standard that 50th Avenue is at the present time and that, in the event of paving 47th Street, the county would agree to pay the appropriate frontage tax. The Town of Viking would have to have access to the proposed avenue closure for the maintenance of water and sewer lines. The area including most of the present school grounds, to be fenced with 7-foot chain-link fence by the county and the county to assume at the cost of the legal work in preparing the necessary transfers and to pay for the registration of title to the land acquired.

Cy Roddick reported that, in his opinion, the meeting with the Viking Town Council had been very satisfactory. As to the cost of opening up 47th Avenue he was of the opinion that this would be a very nominal rent. The cost of fencing the area would possible amount to some $ to 7 thousand dollars. It was considered by the committee that the offer should be accepted and it was moved and carried that the Town of Viking be advised that the County of Beaver accepts the proposals as outlined in the letter and agrees to abide by the stipulations in the letter

In connection with the building program at the Viking school, the sec 4-teas reported that the necessary documents had been forwarded to the Local Authorities Board on October 18th but that to date approval had not been received for the borrowing of the necessary money. It was, however, considered that approval would be forthcoming within a very short time. It was moved and carried that the report be accepted

Teacherages re Village of Holden
Correspondence from Wm. Kitt of Edmonton complaining of the school committee not considering the purchase of his house in the Village of Hold n for a much larger but indeed purchasing the house of Bruce McDonnell at a much higher price was referred to the committee. The secretary reported that he had informed Mr. Kitt that all available houses in Holden had been considered by the school committee and that the committee had been of the opinion that the house purchased from Mr McDonnell was the best purchase considering the age and condition of the buildings

It was moved and carried that the letter be received and filed and the secretary-treasurer's action be concurred in

It was moved and carried that correspondence from the Work-

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# All Kingman HS graduates attain honors standings

Mrs. J. A. Anderson

KINGMAN, Nov 22 — The Kingman Home and School meeting on Friday was the occasion for honoring the 12 Grade 9 graduates of last June. They are Mary Kyle, Anne Bjorgum, Alice Bjorgum, Larry Coykendall, Wanda Dueck, Linda Flemming, Jerry Hendrickson, Lavina Liebock, Douglas Olsen, Lois Simonson, Wayne Tollefson and Roger Oaness.

Since these students account for the entire Grade 9 class, Kingman school had one of the best passing averages in the county and ranks well above the provincial average. The home and school award of $25 was presented to Jerry Hendrickson, and the presentation of crests was made by the principal, A. Cumberland.

A challenging address was given by Ken Dahl, principal at the Hay Lakes school.

Mrs. Ralph Urquhart reported on the resolutions at the annual general Home and School Association meeting.

Mr. Winder's Grade 6 and 7 class won the room banner for the best percentage of parents in attendance.

# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Alan Tiedemann of Edmonton motored home Friday evening and spent the weekend visiting with his family, Mr and Mrs Henry Tiedemann and brothers.

**The AGT crews have been busy this past week around Holden, stringing heavy cables preparing for the dial system which is to be installed about July, 1966. Watsons (Tofield) are also making good progress on the new telephone office building on Main Street.**

Mr. and Mrs Marshall Slywka of Sherwood Park were Sunday visitors with his mother, Mrs. William Slywka.

Mr and Mrs Eric Ca son of Dawson Creek, B.C., were Friday overnight visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad Mrs. Raghnild Hagrud of Edmonton, a former old-time resident of Holden, came along with them. They also visited with other friends in the district.

Mrs. Alice Jones of Edmonton was visiting over the weekend with her mother, Mrs Carrie Olson.

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He could not climb out. Linda skated furiously for her home to bring help, but her father's repeated efforts to reach Pat were prevented because the ice kept cracking.

Then young Tim came into view. Quickly sizing up the situation, he crawled out to the exhausted Pat and caught him by the hand.

He inched even closer, grasped the collar of Pat's jacket, and slowly pulled him onto solid ice. Then Mr. Alenius took over with towels, blankets and hot water.

We congratulate Tim. Our thanks to Alberta's Weekly Newspaper Editors for their active co-operation in the Alberta Junior Citizen of the Year program, sponsored by Alberta's investor-owned electric utility companies.

**This is one of a series of Junior Citizen Award announcements. Our special thanks to Howard Bowes, Editor of the Leduc Representative and to Tim's nominator, William Grasiuk of Thorsby.**

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# Bardo

Mrs. C. M. Rude

BARDO Nov. 23—Guests for lutefisk dinner at the Glenn Francis home on Sunday included the Leroy Finseth and Charles Rude families, Mrs. George Francis and Emil and Gene Rude Little Shirley Rude's birthday was celebrated that day

Mrs Helen Metz from Cooking Lake and her son-in-law and daughter, Bob and Corrine Curry and five children from Edmonton were recent visitors with Mrs. Anne Anderson. The Bill Greens from Edmonton were visitors at the Phillip Anderson home the same day. They came to take their daughter, Cathy, home after she spent several weeks with her uncle and aunt on the farm during the illness of Mrs Green.

The ladies from Bardo spent Wednesday and Thursday at the parsonage in Kingman painting and cleaning to get it ready for the arrival of the new pastor and family. Several of the men also have spent some time repairing the property.

Mrs Petra Stauffer, Grandma Foshaug, Eysten Heiberg and Ingolf Esther and Donny Brekkan were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Axel Kindley home.

Mrs Anne Anderson and the Philip Anderson family were dinner guests at the Eric Forsburg home in the Gwynne district on Sunday.

Sam and Selma Cinnamon were Sunday dinner guests in Tofield at the John Sirois home.

The Lawrence Anderson family from Edmonton visited Lawrence's parents, Olaf and Nora Anderson on Sunday.

**Michael and Borghild Erickson are the proud grandparents of a new grandchild, the chosen daughter of Olaf and Janet Erickson of Niagara Falls.**

# School committee meets Nov. 9th

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men's Compensation Board, in connection with the 25% merit rebate that the county had received in respect of the year 1964, be received and filed.

It was moved and carried that advice from the Alberta School Trustees Association Zone 3, that the next meeting would be held on December 8th, 1965, be received and filed.

**Governor-General's Award**

Mr. Pike reported that the Governor General's Award had been awarded to two students this year, namely Glenn Allan and Dryan Dale Nordstrom, from the Viking school. He stated that the medals were on hand as well as the wrist watches, that the County were giving to the winners, and that the awards would be given during the week of November 21st. It was moved and carried that the report be accepted.

It was moved and carried that the bus supervisor's report for the month of October, 1965, be accepted and that the expense account in the amount of $55.04 be passed for payment.

**Spare Bus Drivers**

It was moved and carried that Jack Stumbo be appointed spare bus driver at Ryley with retainer, that Charles Barker be appointed spare bus driver in the Viking, Bruce and Kinsella area and that Robert Kope be appointed spare bus driver in the Tofield area.

It was moved and carried that ASTA administration bulletin no. 8, containing the resolutions to be referred to the 1965 annual convention, be received and filed.

The superintendent reported that he had received a bursary application from Leroy Durand from Edmonton and that this teacher, having one year training, appeared very satisfactory and should prove an asset to the county's school system when he completes his training. It was moved and carried that the report be accepted and the application approved.

In regards to the teacher from Pakistan, Surjit Bains, the superintendent reported that Mr. Bains had not yet arrived having been advised by telegram that he was further delayed, but that he would most likely be arriving towards the end of November.

The superintendent referred to the street south of the school grounds up to the school in Ryley and the fact that this street was being used by general traffic and that, in his opinion, this street should be restricted to school buses and staff cars. It was pointed out [illegible] the street in question is county property, having been construct[illegible] and maintained by the county. It would be necessary to have a bylaw prohibiting vehicles except school buses and staff cars to travel over this road with the necessary penalty clauses It was moved and carried that this matter be referred to the Village of Ryley with the request that a bylaw be passed.

John Cwihula, bus supervisor at Holden, attended the meeting at this time and inquired just what his duties were to be He had been told that he was to keep the two bus garages at Holden clean that he would have to check tires and oil on the buses stationed at Holden and take them up for servicing whenever necessary. Mr. Cwihula had been of the opinion that he was supposed to be on call during the mornings and evenings, while the buses were out on the road and that this kept him from obtaining steady work. He was advised that he did not have to "stand by" that, if a bus broke down on the road, the driver was to contact the principal of the school who in turn would try to obtain a spare bus or have one of the regular buses go out after it got back in from its run. It was mentioned that the garages at Holden at the present time were badly in need of cleaning and Mr. Cwihula agreed to clean the garages, provided that he was paid extra for this work and a good wheelbarrow supplied. After the initial cleaning he would keep the garages clean on his regular pay of $7.00 per bus per month.

It was moved and carried that the duties of Mr. Cwihula be: to keep the garages clean, to check the bus tires, to check the oil; and to take buses to Ryley for servicing; and that extra pay be allowed for the initial cleaning of the garages.

**Teacher Recruitment**

In reference to the program of recruiting teachers as it had been carried out during the past year, the superintendent informed the committee that Mr. G. M. Gault, the superintendent, who had handled the interviews for Zones 2 and 3, was of the opinion that this was not a satisfactory arrangement, that he, in fact, had not been able to obtain for his own county the necessary qualified teachers. He and Mr. Pike were of the opinion that it was more satisfactory if, for instances, the two of them went together for the purpose of recruiting teachers and hired the satisfactory teachers on the spot. It was mentioned that this would no doubt come up at the Zone meeting on December 8th, it was therefore moved and carried that this matter be tabled to the next meting of the school committee

**Tenders for car Plug-ins**

In regards to the car plug-ins at the various schools, the superintendent referred to the committee tenders for nine plug-ins at Holden in the amount of $315, six plug-ins at Ryley in the amount of $155, and six plug-ins at Tofield in the amount of $175 submitted by Watson (Tofield) Ltd. It was moved and carried that these tenders be accepted.

# HS yearbook the perfect gift

(Elaine Walker)

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# Ross Creek news

Mrs Alice Cossey and son Ray, Mrs Elma Sakler and son Craig and Mrs. Violet Bailey and daughter Jane and son Dennis attended a 4-H Club meeting at the home of Paul Kallal, Lindbrook, on Saturday afternoon

Mr and Mrs. Alex Ford, Wilfred and Shirley Ford and family and Lester and Wilma Osborne were Sunday dinner guests at the home of John and Thelma Jackson in Edmonton. Later, Lester and Wilma visited with Lester's father, Wyman Osborne, at the University Hospital, where he is still a patient

## *NORAD 'briefing' held at Lamont*

(Mrs. Iris Bilan)

ROSS CREEK.—Friday evening the Lamont 287 Air Cadet Squadron and Canadian Legion of Lamont sponsored a NORAD telephone briefing, held in the Lamont High School Auditorium.

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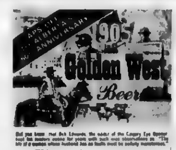


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## Lakeshorc-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Sunday visitors and afternoon luncheon guests at the home of John and Mary Wood were their two daughters and their families, namely, Evie and Vic Halwa and children of Edmonton, Mrs. Dede Goubault and daughter, Judy of Drayton Valley, Mary's niece, Nola and Roy Herbert and young son and another nephew, Harold Bethel, all of Edmonton; also Al and Susie Jones and Mrs. Clara Rogers, all of Tofield.

Saturday evening, overnight and part of Sunday visitors at the home of Johnny and Gloria Wood were Gloria's cousin, Allan and Loretta Sauer of Viking. They were on a motor trip to B.C for a visit and stopped off for a short visit with Gloria and Johnny.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Emil Goubault of Tofield is a patient in the University Hospital where she underwent surgery. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Johnny Wood was a patient in the Tofield hospital from Saturday until Tuesday where he underwent several tests.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and daughter Mary, also Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot were Sunday afternoon coffee guests at the home of Sandy and Irene Scott of Lindbrook.

Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg spent from Thursday to Saturday in Edmonton with her daughters, Mrs. Vivian Jones and Miss Janet Wickenberg.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton spent from Thursday to Tuesday in Tofield with her daughter-in-law, Mrs Evelyn Eaton and family.

Mrs Isabel Budzcki and Mrs Mavis Jacobsen were Friday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ila Walker. Mrs. Kay Walker was also a visitor.

**UCW MEETS**

The Lakeshore UCW met at the home of Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg on Wednesday of last week with 13 ladies present. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent with all current business taken care of. Luncheon was served by the hostesses, Ruth Wickenberg and Ellen Eaton. The next meeting will be the Christmas meeting held at the home of Mrs. Irene Warner.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Janet Lawson and Ethel Carlisle were weekend patients in the Tofield Municipal Hospital.

Miss Cummings of Tofield was a guest of Mrs. Peter Brown on Friday afternoon.

Sh[illegible] and Shannon Gudmundson of New Sarepta are visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs Stanley Brown while their mother is a patient in the Tofield hospital.

Lorna and Judy Mitchell of Edmonton were weekend guests of Ivan and Mary Mitchell.

Mrs. Peter Brown entertained a number of relatives at her home on Wednesday evening, on the occasion of Peter's birthday. They were Mr and Mrs. Emil Tiedemann and girls, Mr. and Mrs Sandy Scott and girls, Clive Gudmundson and girls, Mr. and Mrs Stanley Brown and Mr. and Mrs Ken Oliver and family.

Betsy Ann Schultz and Judy Finn of Edmonton spent the weekend with Betsy Ann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J E. Stinson of Tofield were Sunday evening coffee guests of Harold and Lilly Schultz.

Roy Fleming left Saturday to spend some time visiting with relatives at Fort McLeod.

## LCW has 'farewell' for senior member

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-FARLING, Nov. 19. The Ryley LCW gathered on Wednesday to honor their senior member Mrs. Caroline Davick, [illegible] years, before her departure to Camrose and present her with a parting gift from the ladies.

Mrs. Davick still quite active will be a resident at Bethany Home, going there Nov. 18. She will be missed in Ryley where she was a faithful worshipper at church every Sabbath, and taking an active part in the LCW


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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow who spent the past two weeks visiting at Spirit River with their daughter, Connie and family, the MacDougalls, returned home Thursday evening. They then went by bus to Viking and were overnight visitors with their daughter, Beth, and family, the Ernie Mertas, driving home on the Friday.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Geo. Albrecht, who was a patient in Vegreville hospital for several days receiving treatments, came home the early part of last week. We were sorry to hear that Mrs. Albrecht is not well.

We were sorry to hear that Mrs. Lars Ritland, who returned home from hospital Sunday, Nov 7th, had to go back to hospital at Tofield the end of the week to receive further treatments for arthritis in her back.

Mr and Mrs. Otto Hurum moved from the farm the beginning of the month and are now settled in the house they recently purchased from Harry Michlich.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell of Leduc took their mother home Tuesday afternoon and were dinner guests with her. Mrs Campbell spent a few days with her family on her way home from Calgary where she visited for a week with the Ted Andersons.

Mrs. Earl Hardy returned home Sunday evening of last week after spending a week at Vancouver visiting with her aunt.

**GRANDSON ON TV**

Mrs. N. L. Campbell was pleased to receive the news last week that her grandson Jimmie, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell, is to be the guest artist on the Harry Farmer Recital Sunday, Nov. 28th, on Channel 3 TV. Jimmie is becoming quite a talented young man playing the clarinet, piano and saxophone. This show is on from 1:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Sorensen and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann were shopping and business visitors in Edmonton a week ago Monday and attended the show "The Sound of Music."

Mrs Mary James was a visitor in Edmonton Monday of last week for a check-up on her eyes, driving in with Mr Ruxton.

Mrs Ruxton went to Edmonton by bus Friday morning to attend a social function given by Rev. Vogan of Edmonton for the graduands of St. Stephen's College. Mrs. Olaf Smorlie was in charge of the children while their parents were away.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson motored to Edmonton early Thursday evening where Mr Olson attended a meeting, and Mrs. Olson spent Friday visiting with her daughter, Bernice, and family.

Mr and Mrs. McLennan and son, Jimmie, were Camrose business and shopping visitors Thursday of last week.

**HOME FROM EAST**

Mrs. Arthur Story returned home the weekend of November 20th from the east where she spent the past month with her son, Vernon, and family. She also visited with her sister, Pearl and husband for a couple of days on her way home.

**BA DEGREE**

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus went to Edmonton by bus Friday morning to meet Mr Giebelhaus and their daughter, Edna. They attended the fall convocation of the University of Alberta on November 20th at which Edna received her BA degree. Miss Giebelhaus is presently on the teaching staff at Jasper where she has been for the past several years. Mr. and Mrs. Giebelhaus returned home Saturday evening accompanied by their daughter.

Hugh Clendenning, former accountant at the Royal Bank, was a caller on friends in Holden last Thursday afternoon. Hugh, who is now with the bank in Lethbridge on foreign exchange, was visiting with his family in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennie McLennan left by train Monday for Vancouver, B.C., to visit with their son and his family for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Nichols were shopping and business visitors in Camrose Thursday of last week.

**TURKEY BINGO**

The Holden Elks are holding a turkey bingo on Friday, Nov. 26th, in the Community Hall. Twenty games will be played and door prizes will be drawn from the advance sale tickets. All proceeds from the bingo go for the support and upkeep of the skating rink. Remember the date and be out to support this community effort and the chance of winning a turkey.

Mike Hynbida returned home from Tofield hospital Saturday where he had been a patient for the past three weeks after he had a fall in Allan's Hardware.

Mr. Hooper, whose condition worsened, was taken to Tofield hospital in the ambulance Saturday morning.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer returned home Friday evening after spending the past week visiting with her daughter and family at Viking. Her daughter, Gurene, took her home.

**MOVE TO EDMONTON**

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hladilo have bought a home in Edmonton in the Bonnie Doon district where the family is now living and their daughter attending school. Leo drives from Edmonton to look after the farm.

Mrs. Melvin Olson, Mrs. Hilmer Olsen, Mrs. Paul Schwanke and Mrs. Otto Hurum attended the LCW workers conference in Viking on November 13th.

The ladies of the R. C. Church are sponsoring a Christmas turkey bingo Friday, Dec. 3rd, at 8:00 p.m. in the church basement. The ladies are busy selling advance tickets. A cordial invitation is given to all bingo fans.

The ladies of the UCW held a very successful tea and Christmas bazaar Saturday and wish to thank all those who attended

# A LETTER . . .

## To the Electors of Division 5, County of Beaver No. 9

After you people have listened to some of the outstanding speakers of various platforms for the past two months, I feel quite humble in writing this letter to you. Nonetheless, we still have to look after our affairs close to home. I therefore have taken it upon myself to stand for election on Dec. 4th as your representative and servant for Div. 5, County of Beaver. Some of you electors know me personally, others do not. Inasmuch as I would like to visit you all right now, but it would be physically impossible, I will just say this—I have always taken interest and taken part in local community affairs. In this, my record speaks for itself. And if I may add, I like this sort of work.

Now, with this promise, I will ask for your vote. Your affairs as taxpayers and the affairs of the County will always be looked after ahead of my own personal affairs. If elected, the first thing I would like to do is get together with all the taxpayers of Div. 5 at some central point and get to know all your problems firsthand, also to discuss some of the problems of this County with the taxpayers. When I ask you to send me as your servant to the County, ladies and gentlemen, I mean just that. The wishes of the taxpayers must be carried to the Council meetings, and not the wishes of the Council imposed upon the taxpayers, and this, if elected, I intend to do. This is all I will say for now, but once again I ask you to give me a vote on Dec. 4th so that I may work for you and your benefit. Three years is a very short time and then you can decide for yourself to what I have said.

Thank you all.

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Holden, Alberta.


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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Sunday visitors with Opal and Donnelly McGinitie were Mr. and Mrs Frank Bruha and family of Shonts and Mr. and Mrs. Herb McAdoo and Pat.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sutton and Brian motored to Rabbit Hill on Sunday to visit with Harold's brother, Don, and family.

On Sunday, Dorothy and Roy Whillans and boys visited in the Armena district with Wilbur and Kathleen Throndson and family.

Mrs. Clara Whillans of Hardisty Home and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas were Tuesday callers at the Roy Whillans home.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Chester Coombes and Jim Williams are patients in the Tofield Municipal Hospital.

Wayne Carlisle spent a few days last week at the home of Kelly Wiltzen at Ross Creek, where they went deer hunting together.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown spent a few days last week visiting with Nola and Buck Godwin and family in Olds.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Anderson and family of Camrose and Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Wiltzen and family of Ross Creek were Sunday visitors with Ethel and Don Carlisle and family.

Mrs. Van Buskirk Sr. of Edmonton passed away on Friday in the Tofield hospital. She was mother of two district women, Mrs. Pete Foyd (Bertha) and Mrs. Gene Carlisle (Dorothy). The funeral was held Tuesday and burial in the Tofield cemetery.

Sunday visitors with Keitha and Stanley Brown were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gill and family of Drayton Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gill, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Oliver and family and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brown.

## Bardo WCTU discusses "Working Mothers"

Mrs. C. M. Rude

BARDO, Nov. 22—A poem read by the president, Mrs. Mary Finseth, opened the November meeting of the WCTU at the home of Norma Anderson Nov. 10th.

Mr Frygstad from Saskatchewan read from the Bible and also gave a short address.

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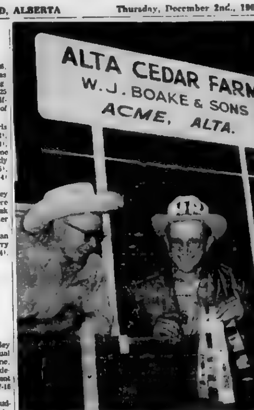


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Lunch was served to the players after the games.

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John Tiedemann has been making a collection of early Alberta car licence plates. He has one for each of the years 1918, 1919 and 1920.

The 1920 plate is number 16603, with white numbers on a green background.

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Scoring for the Ryley girls were: Mary Ann Osada (12), Peggy Fisk (9), Kay Fisk (4), Evelyn Kozack (4) and Darlene Kubin (3). For Viking: Judy Golka (8), Wyonne Johnston (5), Judy Hiel (4), Joan Hafso (4) and Ardis Cottrell (4).

The Viking boys downed Ryley 37-36. Viking boys' scorers were Ron Chillibeck (22), Jim Bolyak (5), Gene Hiel (4), Jim Barker (4) and David Ash (2).

Ryley scorers: Lorne Lehman (12), Warren Kushnir (10), Garry Wiens (10) and Gordon Pope (4).

## 'Homecomers' the winners!

On November 20th, the Ryley High School held their annual Homecoming Basketball game, when the Homecoming teams de[illegible] both of Ryley's present teams. The girls' score was 17-16 and the boys' score 55-41.

The Homecomers' teams included: Girls—Carol Wiens, 7 points, Noelle Wideman (7), Faye Olsenburg, Geraldine Kozack (2), Gail Kirkelund, Leona Wiens, Vivian Owen and Irene Johnson. Boys—Lorne Knudslein (4), Lawrence Kathan (2), Doug Lehman, Dennis Patrick, Glen Knudslein, Garry Pepper (1), Jim Chapelle (5), Ervin Wiens (15), Robert Lysio (2), Stanley Boettger, Doug Kolodychuk, Randy Norton (10), [illegible] Kozowny, Barry Clark (6) and Lorne Booth (12).

Lunch was served to the players after the games.

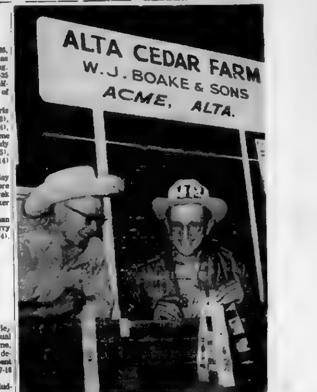
A hay ride was held by the Ryley High School Students Union on Wednesday, Nov. 18.

## Brownies 'fly up' to Guides

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — On Tuesday, Nov. 23rd, five members of the Holden Brownie troop were honored by their fellow Brownies and their mothers at a "fly-up" ceremony into the Guides. The Brownies were Debbie Giebelhaus, Beverly Sherger, Dianne McDonell, Carol Stecyk and Marlene Kelly, who were presented with their wings by the Brownie leader. As they were received into the senior group, each had their wings pinned on by the Guide leader. These Brownies had passed the tests required, being the Tenderfoot Badge, Enrollment, the Golden Bar and the final one, the Golden Hand.

At the conclusion of the evening's ceremonies, the Brownies served coffee and cookies to their visiting mothers and friends.




SPORTING RIBBONS

Allan Zwierschke of Holden and Bill Boake of Acme show some of the honors won by their entries in the Shorthorn classes at the Royal Winter Fair, in Toronto.

## Old license plates added to historical collection

John Tiedemann has been making a collection of early Alberta car licence plates. He has one for each of the years 1918, 1919 [illegible].

The 1920 plate is number 16803, with white numbers on a green background.

The 1919 [illegible] plate bears black numerals 11661 on a white background. The "A" in Alta has been given a flourish rather than the usual straight lines.

The 1918 licence plate is of particular interest to the Tofield Historical Society. When Donald Rudacki found one for the same year, the secretary of the Historical Society wrote to Motor Vehicle Bureau to obtain information re. the colors used that year. The reply stated that, "the information available indicates that black letters on a medium yellow background were used". However, the 1918 licence plate which Mr. Tiedemann owns is in excellent condition and bears the white numerals 29873 on a black background.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Historical Society is making reservations through Imperial Oil agent, Don Hardy, for the film, "Village In The Dust", for showing at the annual meeting of the Society, which it is hoped will be held on January 28th. "Village In The Dust" is the story of painstaking archaeological re-discovery of an Indian village in Eastern Canada, and should prove fascinating to all who are interested in the preservation of our country's past.

ETHNIC PROGRAM

Any ethnic group interested in participating in the Society's proposed ethnic night program is invited to get in touch with any member of the Society. Any of the following would be most interested to have your comments: Harold Schultz, Conrad Patterson, Dave Heidebrecht, James Francis, S. Dunham, W. Lancaster, Mrs. Neil Phillips, Mrs. [illegible]

## Kingman man at Pool meet

President G. L. Harrold opened the 43rd annual meeting of the Alberta Wheat Pool on November 23rd in the Palliser Hotel, Calgary. Sixty-seven of the 70 elected delegates were on hand.

Ingvald Ness of Kingman was named to an order of business committee, along with Emile Cammaert of Rockyford, James McNab of Beaverlodge and Fred Hallworth of Taber.

# West of where?

Most people in this area are familiar with land descriptions that tell you a farmer lives in one or another quarter of a certain section, in some township and range, all West of the Fourth Meridian. (A few miles west of Wetaskiwin it's west of the Fifth Meridian.)

But the question of the moment is: Fourth Meridian from where? and why?

This all started when a school pupil asked his teacher, who thought he was reasonably well informed. But he couldn't come up with the answer, so he came to The Canadian. We've got part of the answer, but we're far from complete, and probably some of our readers really do know.

Most readers know the prime meridian, or zero meridian, if you wish, runs through Greenwich, England. And there are 360 of them around the earth. Well, the Alberta-Saskatchewan boundary is the Fourth Meridian we refer to, and it's certainly a lot more than fourth from Greenwich. It's not the 104 abbreviated, either. Tracing back on a series of maps, we find this part of the geodetic survey of Canada, and the zero meridian for purposes of this survey runs just east of the Manitoba-Ontario boundary.

But why it runs there we don't know. Was it part of Captain Palliser's survey of the prairies? Is there some other basis in Canadian survey? And why is the provincial boundary not used? Maybe it has to do with the older style survey used in Ontario many years ago, where areas 100 chains square were named concessions, much as our square mile is named a section. Incidentally, the 100 chains measured a mile and a quarter, or 6600 feet. It might be interesting to know how and why we switched from surveying in concessions, with its decimal advantage, to sections.

# By George!

Provincial and municipal governments usually spend more on goods and services than the federal government and the patterns of expenditure of all sorts are changing in such a way that the provinces and municipalities are taking a larger and larger share of the increasing total, according to the Bank of Montreal's November Business Review just issued. This will come as no shock to most people, but how it has developed over the years makes for interesting reading.

The B of M notes that total government outlays on goods and services have almost doubled in relative importance since the 1920's, from about nine per cent of gross national product in 1926 to about 18 per cent in 1964.

It also notes that, while federal government spending of this sort has been less than that of provincial and municipal governments in most of the post war period, this situation prevailed to an even greater degree before the war.

The bank observes that, on the other hand, federal spending on subsidies, debt charges and transfer payments to persons has always been larger than such spending by the other levels of government. However, the provinces and municipalities have been catching up fast, largely as a result of greatly increased grants to private non-commercial institutions, notably universities and hospitals.

"Looking to the future . . . continued strong growth in the costs of protection of persons and property may be expected to parallel increased urbanization", the B of M states.

"In addition, the development of rapid transit systems and highway networks to accommodate growing demands for mobility should give rise to an increasing burden of expenditures for transportation and communications.

"Health, which is one of the fastest growing categories, will no doubt continue to be an increasing object of government expenditure, particularly if current proposals for universal medicare schemes are presented.

"Similarly, the new universal pension plans could well lead to an even higher percentage of government outlays being devoted to social welfare".

# Santa Claus and suicides

At first it seems an anomaly that while most sections of the community are rolling out the brightly colored paper and the sparkling tinsel decorations for Christmas, brightened with Christmas lights, some of our mental hospitals, police forces and groups assisting the less fortunate are gearing for the year's heaviest onslaught of suicides.

For it's at Christmas that many people reach the lowest depths of their lives, as they face a season of festivities they cannot join in, of family gatherings they do not share, and of new life and hope when their lives hold no promise of hope.

One organization which has traditionally recognized the importance of preventing this dangerous depression is the Salvation Army. During its century of service to mankind, the Army has made it an important part of its ministry to bring some of the joy of this holy season to those who are out of the mainstream of life. Another group in this city is the Merry Christmas Fund.

But groups such as these can't do it all alone. There's room for us all to get into this act, and the more taking part, the better the show will be. There's still lots of time to make your own plans for helping, either personally, or through a donation to one or more of the many funds which are doing such a fine job.

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# Perspective

So many things are a matter of perspective, and frequently the viewpoint changes in the light of the perspective from which it is looked at. In this vein, it's maybe a little easier to justify the current tremendously disturbing situation in Rhodesia if we relate the population to something we know close to home.

So, very roughly the white population compares to all the residents of Edmonton living north of the Saskatchewan river, while the blacks compare roughly with all the people, of whatever color, living west of Kenora, Ontario. Or, in other words, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia.

Fancy, for a moment, all of these people being governed completely and absolutely and without any voice of their own, by those Edmontonians living on the northside.

Does the perspective hinder or improve your viewpoint"


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# Beaver county council meets Nov. 10

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9, held Wednesday, Nov. 10th:

**Grader Purchase**

At this time the Council dealt with the tenders for three motor graders with snowplow and wings:

George Gallimore for R. Angus (Alberta) Ltd. submitted a tender for three No. 14 Caterpillar Series D. graders in the amount of $115,800.

G. Skolan, Construction Equipment Co. Ltd., submitted a tender for three Letourneau-Westinghouse Motor Graders in the net amount of $88,146.

H. Hansen, Industrial and Road Equipment, submitted a tender for three Galion Motor Graders in the net amount of $75,175.

Alex Mearns, Ferguson Supply, submitted a tender for three Champion Motor Graders in the net amount of $71,000.

The different tenders were carefully scrutinized, and it was decided to leave the decision to the adjourned meeting.

It was moved and carried that this meeting now adjourns until 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 11th.

**RECONVENED MEETING**

The Council reconvened in regular meeting on Thursday, Nov. 11th.

Consideration of grader purchase was continued.

After some considerable discussion, it was moved and carried that arrangements be made for the purchase in January 1966 of three Champion Motor Graders from Ferguson Supply Limited as per the tender submitted, less scarifier, for a net price of $71,039, and further that arrangements be made to rent these graders for the balance of 1965.

**Business Arising from Minutes**

In regards to the sewerage system in the Hamlet of Kinsella, the secretary-treasurer advised the Council that the 30 days required for posting of the summary of the by-law expired on November 15th and that it then would be necessary for the Council to finally pass the by-law if they intended to go ahead with the proposed construction. He suggested that, if the Council wanted to expedite the application to borrow the necessary funds it should call a special meeting for the purpose of passing the by-law. The Council was of the opinion, however, that the work could not be completed by March 31st and a higher cost than originally contemplated would be involved.

It was therefore moved and carried that the report be accepted and that the matter be given further consideration at the regular meeting in December.

In regards to the Special Contingency Road, the secretary-treasurer referred to the Council a letter from J. P. Church, Acting Chief Maintenance Engineer, in this matter. It was indicated that the work had been completed to the N.E. corner of Sec. 10-49-16-W4th. A letter from Nick Laskoski, one of the delegation that interviewed the Council in this matter, thanking the Council for their support in the request that this road be completed and with a request of the ratepayers using the road be conveyed to the Department of Public Works.

Moved and carried that the information be accepted and the correspondence received and filed.

In regards to the drainage problem, the secretary-treasurer reported that he had referred the matter to the Dept. of Water Resources and had been advised that the problem was listed for a survey later this winter.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

The secretary-treasurer reported that two tenders had been received for the chain-hoist frames. The large frame had been sold for $20 to John Kondrowski and the small one for $10 to John Storechuk.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and action concurred in.

In regards to the Ross Creek and Elk Horn Creek drainage problem, the secretary-treasurer stated that he had been advised by the Dept. of Water Resources that a survey crew was working on this problem at the present time and that a report should be received in the not too distant future.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

**Correspondence**

Correspondence from the Dept. of Public Welfare concerning Preventive Welfare Services was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the correspondence be received and filed and that the Dept. of Public Welfare be advised that the Council approves in principle in the proposals outlined in the correspondence.

A letter from the Town of Viking, requesting that the Council considers a blanket waiver to the Town of Viking for any unclaimed amounts of the centennial grants, was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that this matter be deferred to the December meeting.

Letter from the Bruce Stampede Association applying for the Centennial Grant under the auspices of the Bruce Stampede Association. The Association proposed to add an extension to the Community Hall for the purpose of building washrooms and installing running water. The project would cost approximately $2,500 and the Stampede Association was willing to match or better the amount of the Centennial Grant. The secretary-treasurer advised the Council that the Centennial Grant available would be $694, to which the County would add $342, making a total of $1,036.

Moved and carried that the request be approved and the necessary action taken in this regard.

**PFAA Report**

Information from the P F A A Branch advising that Twp. 49-1-W4th had been reconsidered by the Board of Review at the meeting no. 13 on October 26, 1965, concerning the 1964 awards, Sec. 36 having been added to the original decision.

Moved and carried that the information be accepted.

The secretary-treasurer informed the Council that he had, at the request of the Town of Viking, waived the County's Centennial Grant, in the amount of $4,222, to the Town of Viking.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and the action concurred in.

**Impounding of Animals**

The secretary-treasurer reported that C. Peiker had impounded nine head of cattle, including one bull, the property of Frank Moysey and that a committee comprised of Crs. Weatherill and Magneson had investigated the

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# The Ryley Times

Larry Hiss, left, 17-year old from Beiseker, Alta., receives Canadian National Railways challenge trophy as world wheat champion. Making presentation at Royal Agricultural Winter Fair in Toronto is Douglas V. Gonder, right, vice-president of CN's Great Lakes Region, while Denise LeBlanc, Miss CN, offers her congratulations.

## Rebekah presents Grade IX award

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — On Saturday, Nov 20th, at the homecoming games in the Ryley school gym, Mrs W B Ruddy, as Vice-Grand of Cavell Rebekah Lodge, presented Kenneth Hillerud with a pen and pencil set, an annual award given by the lodge to the student who achieves the highest aggregate marks in the grade 9 examinations. Kenneth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hillerud of Ryley.

## Shower for baby

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — A baby shower was held on Sunday afternoon, Nov 28th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tubby Pope, for their infant granddaughter, Charmaine Podlusny. The afternoon was spent playing contest games, all of which had the baby theme in the answers.

Geraldine Kozack made the presentation of the gifts to Marilyn for her daughter, in a pink and white decorated rocking [illegible].

The sources of Canada's 1964 $22,436,000,000 labor income were: agriculture, forestry, fishing, trapping and mining, $1,188 million; manufacturing, $6,579 million, construction, $1,584 million; utilities, transportation, communication, storage and trade, $5,900 million; finance services (including government), $7,247 million, supplementary labor income, $918 million.


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| AYLMER BEANS Boston Brown, 20 oz. tins | 2 for 59c |
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### FUTURE DATES

ANNUAL XMAS BAZAAR

The Annual Christmas Bazaar, sponsored by the Evening Group of the U.C.W., will be held Saturday afternoon, Dec. 4th, in the United Church basement. Christmas cake orders will be taken by Mrs H Christensen, phone 662-3241. A small recipe book containing favorite recipes of U.C.W. members will also be presented for sale. 11-12-13-14c-3107

PWUA MEETING AND CHRISTMAS PARTY

The PWUA Meeting will be held at the home of Mrs Elmer Goeglein, with a Christmas party and exchange of gifts. Visitors welcome 14p 3131

### PERSONAL

MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN would like to get light housekeeping for gentleman bachelor. Phone 662-3392, Tofield, for interview, or write R MacGregor, RR2 Kingman, c/o Trueman Fairbrother 12-13-14p-3115

### ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gray are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn Blanche, to Mr Allan Fair of Lacombe. The wedding will take place December 18, 1965, in the Tofield United Church. 14p-3130

### IN MEMORIAM

MALKEWICH. — Treasured memories of Kathleen, our only daughter and sister, who left us November 29, 1960, at the age of 18 years:

Five sad and lonely years have [illegible]
Since our great sorrow fell;
The shock that we received that day,
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And sad has been the way;
For life at home is not the [illegible]
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Geraldine Kozack made the presentation of the gifts to Marilyn for her daughter, in a pink and white decorated rocking cradle.

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# Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1 I met up with some friends who told me they value your friendship above any other.
2 She stayed outside of the house until she saw her neighbor go in her garage.
3 He got to the party without knowing nothing at all about it.
4 Do you know who I can get to do the work proper?
5 Everyone of you should be careful of your clothes.
6 We don't propose to interfere, even though there are less than four people present.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7 Extricable. 8 Disputant. 9 Pica. 10. Eviscerate. 11. Ad valorem. 12. Hiatus.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13 Oscilate, annihilate, ventilate, mutilate, conciliate, wield, weird, shield, seize, sieve, ungovernable, unparalleled, unkempt, unnecessarily, unnoticeable, commandeer, volunteer, financeer, repartee, committee, derivation, derision, derogatory, dereliction, dermotology, appropriate, appreciate, approximate, appathetic,

**ANSWERS**

1 Omit "up", and say, "value your friendship MORE THAN any other". 2. Omit "of", and say, "saw her neighbor go INTO her garage". 3. Say, "He ARRIVED AT the party without OUR knowing ANYTHING about it". 4. Say, "Do you know WHOM I can get to do the work PROPERLY?" 5. Say, "Everyone of you should be careful of HIS clothes". 6. Say, "We don't INTEND to interfere, even though there are FEWER than four PERSONS present"
7 Accent FIRST syllable, not the second. 8. Accent FIRST syllable, not the second. 9. Pronounce pee-ka, accent first syllable 10 Pronounce ee-viss-er-ait, accent second syllable 11 Pronounce add-va-lee-rem, accent on third syllable 12. Pronounce high-ai-tuss, accent second syllable
13 Oscillate, weird, unparalleled, financier, dermatology, apathetic

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## Palmer - Earling news items

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Nov 28th —Following the Sunday services, the Sunday School superintendent, Eddie Knudson, Pastor Palmer Olson, the teachers, Mrs. R. Vassberg, Mrs. F Aspenes, Mrs George Mosby, Mrs. R Beattie and Mrs. Allan Helekson held a discussion. The Christmas program will be held for Skudesnes and Zion Churches December 23rd at Zion

Pastor Olson has been conducting Bible Studies Thursday night at Skudesnes In December, they will be held at Zion Church.

Charles Ostby of Warner was a Monday visitor at the Richard, Jack and Mary Vassberg homes.

**Leslie Sorenson, who is taking his second year varsity in Edmonton, left by plane Friday for Montreal where he played football with the Huskies in their final game.**

Mr. and Mrs Dennis Meadahl, Keith, Karen, Cheryl and Randy of Camrose and Mrs. A Farness were Sunday visitors with the Carl Sorensons.

**ANNIVERSARY, BIRTHDAY**

Mr and Mrs Henry Stensrud and Elmer, Mr. and Mrs Marv Stensrud, Carolyn, Cheri and Nora, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spaulding, Wesley, Karen, Marilyn and Cheryl and Mrs. Jenny Lockhart were Sunday guests at the Sam Lockhart home for their wedding anniversary which falls on her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ferre and Chester spent the weekend at Calgary with the Ernest Ferres, Herman Hillands and Ray Elanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sorenson, Denise and Eldon, and Galen Schalker were recent visitors at Gull Lake, Sask., where they visited Carl's cousin, Mrs. Clara Nordquist.

**30th ANNIVERSARY**

Approximately 65 people called at the Alvin Bratrud home on Sunday afternoon when open house was held in honor of their 30th wedding anniversary. The reception was planned for the couple by the children, Lyle, Keith, Mrs. Shirley Rempel and Mrs. Joyce Bergquist catering.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Urlacher and Clifford were guests at a family gathering Sunday night at the Leo Urlacher home at Bawlf

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# Bardo and district news items

Mrs. Anne Anderson is visiting friends and relatives in Edmonton for a few days.

**BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED**

A pot luck dinner celebrating the birthdays of Mrs. Harold Sheltz and Olaf Haugen was held at the old farm home where Olaf resides. Those present were Mrs Clara George and family and Nick and Marie Ruska and family of Edmonton, Richard and Beatrice Foshaug of Camrose, Harold and Lily Sheltz and children of Ketchamoot district, Art and Loretta Haugen and family, Olaf and Alice Stokkan and Olive Foshaug and family.

Two birthdays were celebrated at the home of Leonard and Evelyne Stauffer on Friday evening when the honored guests were Pete Lorbekmo and Kenny Stauffer. Visitors for the occasion were Herman and Grace Lawson, Pete and Leota Lorbekmo, Petra Stauffer, Phillip and Norma Anderson and family, Leif and Evelyn Foshaug and Robert and Ivan and Olive Foshaug and family.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Inga Ness was discharged from the Tofield hospital after being a patient there for over five weeks. Her daughter, Mrs. Walter Scott, came from Edmonton on Sunday to bring her mother back with her where she will spend the first part of the winter.

Ralph and Alice Paul of Camrose called at the Lester Severson home on Sunday after visiting Alice's mother, Mrs. Ness, in the hospital.

Talbert Foshaug of La Glace, who is employed with an oil company in Calgary, spent the weekend with relatives. Grandma Foshaug and Talbert were Sunday dinner guests with Geo. and Marg Foshaug. In the afternoon, George Foshaug, Arnold and Mabel Johnson and Walter, Leif and Evelyn Foshaug, Gladys Rude and children and Berghild Rude visited with Talbert at the home of Grandma Foshaug.

Sam and Selma Clemensen, Sharon and Craig Stroh, Harold and Betty Anne Sitler and Alice Sitler visited at the Herman Swanson home in the Kingman district on Sunday afternoon.

Arnold and Mabel Johnson and Leif and Evelyn Foshaug were visitors at the Johnny Baergen home in Tofield on Sunday evening, celebrating Johnny's birthday.

Walter Johnson entered St Mary's Hospital in Camrose on Friday where he had dental work done, returning home Sunday.

## And we quote

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At fifteen years of age, Judith Rutledge has proved herself a worthy Junior Citizen by her unselfish care of and devotion to her family. Judith's mother, a courageous victim of ill health, is now confined to a wheel chair.

For over four years Judith, the only girl in a family of six children, has cheerfully taken over the cooking, baking, canning, freezing and laundry in the ranch home. Her older brothers are busy with outside work. Judith is also responsible for the care of her younger brothers.

This heavy load of responsibility has not prevented Judith from doing well in school. She also finds time to be an active member of the 4-H Greenshields Beef Club.

We congratulate Judith. Our thanks to Alberta's Weekly Newspaper Editors for their active co-operation in the Alberta Junior Citizen of the Year program, sponsored by Alberta's investor-owned electric utility companies.

**This is one of a series of Junior Citizen Award announcements. Our special thanks to L. D'Albertanson, Editor of the Wainwright Star-Chronicle and to Judith's nominator, Mrs. D. K. Reach of Wainwright.**

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs Pete Mielmaka and Mr and Mrs Lud Mielmaka were in Edmonton on Tuesday to visit with the girls' mother Mrs Mike Zazak who is a patient in the University Hospital having undergone surgery Mrs Zazak is not well as she has undergone surgery twice and her condition was not too good on Tuesday of last week Pete and Lud returned home late at night while Olga and Annie stayed over for a day or so until Mrs Zazak's condition showed some improvement

Marvin Giebelhaus who is a hospital patient is making satisfactory progress The store is being very capably looked after by Mrs Dorothy Giebelhaus, assisted by Mrs Wallace Giebelhaus

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

On Monday, Nov 22, Mrs. N. L. Campbell entertained at a turkey dinner in honor of Chris Christenson, an old family friend, who celebrated his birthday Wednesday Guests were Mrs Mary James, Mrs. Carrie Olson, her sister Mrs. Alice Olberg of [illegible] Mrs. Laura Christianson, Mrs Mabel Sizer, Mrs Edna Parsons and the guest of honor Mr Christenson During the afternoon Mrs Laura Christenson, on behalf of those present, presented Mr Christenson with a small gift in honor of his birthday All spent a pleasant social afternoon, and were also supper guests with Mrs Campbell

Mr and Mrs Joe Faryna, of Edmonton were recent weekend visitors with their families, Mr and Mrs Alex Faryna and Mr and Mrs. John Jober

**B.A. GRADUATION**

Mr and Mrs J A Giebelhaus entertained their families and friends Saturday evening of last week in honor of their daughter, Miss Edna Giebelhaus, who had received her B A. degree at the University of Alberta Convocation in the afternoon Those present to offer their congratulations to Edna were Mr and Mrs. Albert Pederson and sons from Camrose, Mr and Mrs Reuben Giebelhaus and family, Mr and Mrs Harold Giebelhaus, Mrs. Lloyd Bell, Mrs N L Campbell and Mr and Mrs T A Liden. A pleasant social evening was spent Miss Giebelhaus and her friend, also from Jasper, returned to Jasper on Sunday evening, where she is on the teaching staff

May Hovland, village secretary, was in Ryley Wednesday afternoon on village business.

**Mr. and Mrs. Arden Hillman (nee Betty Michlich) of Bourque Creek are happy to announce the birth of a son Wednesday, Nov. 24. This is the first grandchild for Harry Michlich, who was handing out cigars last Friday.**

Mrs Frances Shead, of Edmonton, was a visitor with her mother Mrs Richard Loney, on Wednesday of last week Mrs Loney and her daughter also visited with Mr Loney, who is a patient in the Tofield Hospital.

Mrs. Carrie Olson, who spent two days in Edmonton visiting with her daughter and sister and doing a little Christmas shopping, returned home the end of the week

Douglas Hardy, of Edmonton, was a visitor during the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy

**[illegible]**

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Christiansen, of Edmonton, was christened in a quiet ceremony Saturday, Nov. 20, being given the name Debora Elaine. The wee girl is the first great-grandchild for Mrs. Laura Christianson Mrs. Christianson entertained twelve guests, all immediate family, for lunch and coffee the following day, Sunday the 21st. Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Christianson, who now reside in Kelowna, B.C., were unable to be present for the occasion due to the snowy weather and road [illegible]

David Tiedemann motored to Edmonton Friday evening with Mr and Mrs Earl Hardy, staying over until Saturday evening with his brother Alan. Mr Hardy, who was attending lectures, and Mrs. Hardy returned home Friday night

Mrs Laura Christianson left on the trans-continental trains today from Viking for Regina, where she will be visiting with her sister, Mrs Elvina Benrud and family for several weeks, and also help her sister celebrate her 90th birthday

Mrs Adel is helping clerk in the drug store during the pre-Christmas and Christmas season.

Mr and Mrs. Geo H. Taylor were Sunday afternoon visitors with their son and family, Mr and Mrs Robert Taylor, in the Viking district

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann and Mrs Geo H Taylor were in Edmonton on Monday on business and shopping.

# B of M assets near $5 billion

Loans of well over $3 billion and an assets figure nudging $5 billion are highlights of the Bank of Montreal's 148th annual statement for the year ended October 31. The figures were announced today by Horace Sellar, manager of the Tofield branch.

They said [illegible] totalled $3,168 million, while assets stood at $4,997 million And, the bank reached new peaks in deposits and earnings, they reported

Total deposits reached a new high of $4,086 million, including Canadians' personal savings of $2,167 million. These savings show an increase of $137 million over the 1964 figure.

The total loan figure of $3,168 million includes an increase of $456 million in the key category "commercial and other loans".

The bank's net earnings, on operations of more than 970 offices in Canada and abroad, also set a new record at $18,780,353, the managers reported. The earnings figure is an increase of $875,470 from 1964 Provision for taxes is $19,410,311

The bank's 34,000 shareholders are receiving dividends of $2.27½ per share, or a total of $13,820,825 this is 7½ cents a share more than in 1964

The managers said that "quick" assets amounted to $1,850 million, effecting a strong liquid position

# Lakeshore -

(Mary Mitchell)

**IN HOSPITAL**

We were sorry to learn that Mrs. Emil Goubault is once again a patient in the University Hospital in Edmonton and hope she will soon be home again

The 342 slaughtering and meat packing plants in Canada in 1964 shipped products valued at $1,081 million, paid out $894 million for materials and supplies and $113 million in wages and salaries

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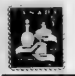

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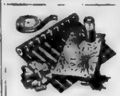

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# Pioneer woman of 1892, Ada Van Buskirk passes

The Tofield district was saddened by the passing of another of its old-time pioneers, on November 18th, 1965, at the Tofield hospital

Ada Louisa Van Buskirk was born August 30th, 1883, at Shepherds' Bush, England, and immigrated to Canada with her parents Mr and Mrs. John Wood three brothers and three sisters in 1885 After living in Eastern Canada for a few years they came to the Ross Creek district north of Tofield, in 1892. In 1911 she married Robert Van Buskirk and except for a few years spent building railroads in southern Alberta, they farmed in the Ross Creek area until they moved to Edmonton in 1947

She was predeceased by her husband in 1948, and leaves to mourn her loss, one brother, Harry Wood of Dawson Creek, B C , two sons, Merril of Valleyview and Maurice of Ross Creek; two daughters, Bertha (Mrs. Peter Floyd) and Dorothy (Mrs. Gene Carlisle) both of Tofield; two step-sons, Elmer of Everette, Wash and Donald of Hixon, B C one step-daughter, Alyce (Mrs Jim Hyslop) of Edmonton, 23 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren Besides her family, she will be sadly missed by her many friends and neighbors, for her generous hospitality and kind deeds to all

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# Bardo

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Nov. 30th — Sunday School December 5th at 10 a.m and evening services at 8 o'clock

The annual meeting of the Bardo Lutheran congregation will be held at the Community Centre on December 8th at 8 o'clock.

The WCTU meets with Mrs Marie Francis in Tofield December 8th at 2:30 p.m.

Pastor and Mrs. G. Ostrem of Camrose were Sunday dinner guests at the Leroy Fiseeth home after services.

Olaf and Nora Anderson were visitors with relatives in Edmonton on Sunday.

Glenn and Iris Francis and Charles and Pauline Rude motored to Calgary on Saturday where they attended the wedding and reception of Glenn and Pauline's cousin, Garry Francis and Miss Adrian Kirby at the Maynard Heights Baptist Church.

The Francis children were cared for by their grandparents, the Bjornsons in Edmonton Mrs Thiessen of Tofield was in charge of the Rude children

Raymond and Betty Brooks and Ricky of Wetaskiwin were Friday overnight visitors at the Clarence Rude home, returning to Wetaskiwin on Saturday afternoon.

# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs Henry Tiedemann attended the shower held Sunday evening of last week in Bruce, at the home of Mr and Mrs. Vernon Pratt for their new baby daughter Sponsored by the ladies of the Bruce Lutheran L.A., many lovely and useful gifts were received for the wee lady A pleasant social evening was spent playing various quiz games and giving readings. The evening concluded with the hostesses serving a delicious lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stanley returned home Saturday evening of last week, after spending a week and a half in Edmonton visiting with relatives.

Lawrence Bityk left two weeks ago for Edmonton, where he is presently employed He has been working for the past four or five years at Revelstoke Building Materials lumber yard.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Annie Zowtuk is now out of the University Hospital, Edmonton, where she was a patient for a few weeks, undergoing surgery, and is staying with her daughter Mary and family for a while to convalesce. She is beginning to feel much improved in health.

Mrs. Mike Chupka visited with Mrs Mike Zazak, who is a patient in the University Hospital, Sunday afternoon of last week, and called in again on the Monday evening

Mrs. Alice Olberg, of Edmonton, was a visitor over the weekend of Nov 20th with her sister, Mrs. Carrie Olson, returning home on the Tuesday morning Mrs. Olson also went to Edmonton on Tuesday morning to visit for a few days with her sister and daughter Mrs. Alice Jones

Russ Christianson, his wife Norma and their daughter Sandra of Edmonton were recent Sunday visitors with Mrs. Laura Christianson

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## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Henry McGinitie were Harvey and Pauline McGinitie and family of Viking, Eric and Alice Munkedahl and family of Ryley, and Donnelley and Opal McGinitie and Floyd and Darlene.

Patsy Sears of Calgary was home for the weekend with the family and her parents, Jessie and Pat Sears.

On Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. George McMann and Mrs. Henry McGinitie attended the 25th wedding anniversary in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bauer of Tofield.

A number of ladies gathered at the home of Mrs Peter Brown on Tuesday afternoon for lessons on the liquid embroidery, given by Mrs. Vi Bereton of Lindbrook.

Henry McGinitie, Ron Brown and George Arbon left last week on a big game hunt near Edson.

Yvonne Brown had the misfortune last Tuesday of cutting her finger severely, requiring six stitches to close the wound.

Gary Sears of Jasper and Dwayne Sears of Calgary spent the weekend at home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sears.

Esther and Harry Ketchum and children of Rocky Mountain House spent the weekend with Harold Coombes. They also visited with Esther's father, Chester Coombes, who is a patient in the Tofield hospital.

Mr and Mrs R. W Hudacki and family of Lakeshore were Sunday visitors with the Gordon Kyle family.

## Tofield FUA protests 'Daylight Saving'

At the November 15th FUA meeting held in the Legion Hall Herb McAdoo was appointed delegate to the annual convention at Edmonton December 6th to 11th. If possible he was to go before the convention to protest "Daylight Saving Time" proposed by the government. It was agreed that this would be a detriment to the farmer.

If information is correct and local option votes can be taken on this idea it would create utter confusion, with the possibility of standard time and daylight saving in an adjoining town.

If the towns want more daylight, the simplest plan would be to open stores at 8 a.m. instead of 9 a.m. rather than changing the clock.

Canvassing is about half done with some 80 units signed up. It is hoped to double this before the end of the campaign. One of the "kicks" presented to the canvassers was that there should be at least one or two joint meetings (FWUA, FUA) during the season. To meet this complaint, the next meeting of the FUA on Tuesday, Dec. 14th at 8.30 p.m. Legion Hall, the FWUA is being invited. The delegate's report will be given at that time.

You are reminded that monthly meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at 8.30 p.m. It would help if more members turned out so that more discussion could be had. Anyone not contacted by canvassers see the secretary, Earl Rose.


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# Ministik news items

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

United Church services continued as each Sunday brings one of six layman delegates to this field for winter months. Mr. R. Turner took services last Sunday, introducing several Christmas carols to his congregation as Christmas rapidly approaches.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Annie Oliver returned to her home last weekend after a stay in Tofield hospital.

Frank Wilson also returned home after a week's stay in hospital suffering a pneumonia bout.

Mrs. Joe Davenport is a patient in hospital with a mild case of pneumonia and her friends all wish her a speedy recovery. Mrs. Ralph Leach is taking care of Doris while Mrs. Bill Roddick cares for Phyllis and Lorainne.

Gary Ferguson, who had been a patient in University Hospital with an eye injury, came out of hospital Friday and stayed in Edmonton with friends for a few days before returning home.

### ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Ministik Hall Association has been called for Wednesday, Dec. 15th at 8.30 p.m. It is hoped there will be a good attendance to discuss the business of the hall.

### SUCCESSFUL BINGO

Despite a very cold evening, the grocery bingo proved a huge success. A good crowd attended and an enjoyable evening spent. A gaily decorated Christmas cake was raffled to help swell the funds of the hall. This was won by Joe Davenport and tickets were sold by Mrs. Alex Kleinachroth. Conveners Mrs. Verden Sears and her helpers thank all who helped to make this affair so successful.

Mr and Mrs. Jim Roddick, Mrs. S. George and Mrs. Frank Shupe attended the Social Credit Association banquet held at the Jubilee Auditorium on Wednesday evening.

We are glad to report that all the 'flu victims are well on the way to recovery. The George Kleinachroth family and the Jim Holmes family seemed to have been hardest hit.

Ms. Ronald Swabey is once again employed at Woodwards in Edmonton, working in the toy department.

Glenn Ferguson and Richard Heitman motored to Drayton Valley on Sunday to visit Grant Penrice.

Mrs. Irene Williams' granddaughter, Carol and three children were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr and Mrs. Keith Williams and family.


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# Kingman district news items

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Nov. 29th — Salem LCW will meet December 9th at 8 p.m. at the church (note the change of date). Mission boxes are to be brought to this meeting.

Salem congregation will have their annual meeting at the church on Saturday evening, Dec. 11th.

The Mission Circle will meet December 8th at 2 p.m. at Mrs. Merlin Simonson's home.

Mrs. Fred Andaal and children and Harry Wruck and Cathrine, all of Edmonton, were weekend guests at the Erick Wruck home.

Mr and Mrs. Grant Grosland and girls of Holden were Sunday visitors with Mrs. J. A. Holte.

### HUNTING TRIPS

Ray Ovelson, Harley Schmidt, Bob Kerr, Gust Ekdahl, spent several days on a hunting trip and were lucky in getting a moose.

Hugo Hovelson, Warren Johnson and Mike Willisko are away on a hunting trip to Lodgepole and Cynthia.

Miss Lavina Lickoch spent the weekend in Camrose with her grandmother, Mrs. Olaf Anderson.

The Kingman Sewing Club met at Mrs. Art Cumberland's home on Wednesday. The next meeting will be on January 26th at the Albin Anderson home.

Mr and Mrs. Ben Hirsch and Joan of Camrose were Sunday visitors at the Steve Lickoch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Acres and family were weekend visitors with relatives in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ellis of Edmonton were recent visitors at the Fred Coykendahl and Annie Coykendahl homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Asp and Mrs. A. Ekdahl attended the dedication of the addition to the Evangelical Free Church at New Norway on Sunday.

### FAREWELL PARTY

A farewell party was held for Mrs. Brith Johnson and Gail on Wednesday evening when a large crowd of neighbors and friends gathered to wish them well. Mrs. Johnson has sold her farm to Norman Hovelson and has purchased a house in Camrose but will be living with her mother, Mrs. Albanus Johnson, until spring. Albin Anderson, on behalf of those gathered, presented her with a purse of money to which she expressed her thanks. Mrs. Johnson and Gail moved to Camrose on Saturday and the Hovelsons moved to the farm.

## Locals . . .

Donna and Garth Franklin and girls of Bruderheim visited with Donna's parents last week. She also visited her sister, Vivian, who is a patient in the Tofield hospital.

## County elections to be held Saturday

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Nov. 28th —An election for Councillor for the County of Camrose will be held Saturday, Dec. 4th. Poll no. 4 in the Likeness district, will be in the shop at the Richard Vassberg farm (the former G. Green place) SW 29-47-17-W 4th.

An election, County of Beaver, Saturday, Dec. 4th, Division No. 5. Poll no. 1 is at Holden Community Hall; poll no. 2 at Nick Laskoski's residence NW 11-48-16 W 4th, poll no. 3 at Polska Hall, SE 25-47-16 W 4th. Polls will be open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## The weather

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| 27 | 16 | 5 | 27.67 | —— |
| 28 | 14 | 5 | — | —— |
| 29 | 23 | 4 | 27.47 | —— |
| 30 | 22 | 6 | 27.44 | —— |
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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Lorene and Jim Francis of Viking were Wednesday visitors and dinner and supper guests last week at the home of Lorene's parents, John and Mary Wood.

Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg motored to Edmonton Sunday evening with her daughter, Janet Wickenberg of Edmonton, and will spend a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Vivian Jones.

Donna and Frank Edwards of Elk Point spent from Monday to Wednesday last week at the home of Donna's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Emil and Martha Tdiemann were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil's nephew, Johnny and Helen Tiedemann in Tofield.

Larry and Shirley Eaton and children, Margie and Ronnie, were Thursday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Larry's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

### 80th BIRTHDAY

Carl and Mavis Jacobson and girls motored to Edmonton on Sunday, taking with them a birthday dinner to help Mavis's father, Julius Jacobson, celebrate his 80th birthday, along with approximately 20 or more other relatives and friends who attended the dinner. During the afternoon, 20 guests called in a surprise visit to wish Mr. Jacobson happy birthday and all enjoyed afternoon lunch and coffee together. Mr. Jacobson was a former resident of the McKenzie district before retiring to Edmonton several years ago. All his former friends and neighbors wish him many more happy birthdays.

### DEMONSTRATIONS

A lovely social evening was held last Friday at the home of Mr and Mrs. Bill Lazarenko, when demonstrations on organic make-up, soaps and vitamins were the highlights. Guests included Mrs. Stan Schacher, Mrs. Charlie Niemetz and daughter, Mrs. Patsy Loxton, Mrs. Irene Sieb, Mrs. Art Trost, Mrs. Mel Walker, Mr. W. Kuhn and daughter, Linda, Mrs. Max Kuhn, Mrs. Morowski, Mrs. Homeniuk, Mrs. L. F. Begum. The demonstrators were Mrs. Wanda Pietrzak and Mrs. J. Lazarenko, both of Edmonton.


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# Beaver county council meets Nov. 10

(Continued from Page Ten)

claim for damages on Oct 29th The amount claimed was $85 and the committee concurred in the claim.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and that Mr Moy[illegible] be advised of the recommendation by the committee, Crs. Magneson and Weatherill, be confirmed.

**Borrow Pit Problem**

A burrow pit problem on S.E. of 10-49-16-W4th had been investigated by a committee consisting of Crs Magneson, Gibson and Kropielnicki on Nov 3rd, 1965 The report indicated that this area, covering between three and four acres, had been used in the construction of the road adjoining the east boundary of the land in question. The area used originally had very shallow topsoil and it had therefore been impossible to replace it to anywhere near the original condition The area had been reasonably well levelled and had been reseeded to a forage mixture by the County The report indicated that, since a burrow pit had been necessary, payment for compensation was justifiable and the committee recommended that a sum of $200 be paid to the owner of the land as full compensation of damage.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted, the recommendations concurred in and the committee, Crs. Gibson, Kropielnicki and Magneson, be confirmed as the committee having attended to this business.

A report submitted by Crs. Kropielnicki, Roddick and Magneson concerning crushing and stockpiling of gravel at Andresen's pit at Kinsella was referred to the Council, as was a cost quotation from Rudyk and [illegible] berg

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and that [illegible] quotation be accepted.

It was moved and carried that the Council meets on Friday, Dec 3rd, to consider the rural road survey and that the Consulting Engineers who indicated an interest in conducting this survey for the County be invited to attend this meeting

**Returning Officer's Report**

The Returning Officer's report in regards to the nomination meeting, Nov 5th, was referred to the Council. The report advised that.

Arthur L. Gibson and Harry Christian had filed nomination papers in Division No. 5, and

Edwin M. Magneson and George Knudslien [illegible] filed nomination papers in Division No 6;

further that an election would be held on Saturday, Dec. 4th, 1965.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.


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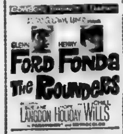


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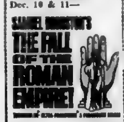


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## Bellman - Chupka rites solemnized Oct. 30th

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — On October 30th St Josaphat's Cathedral in Edmonton was the scene of a lovely late afternoon wedding when Miss Betty Chupka, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs Mike Chupka of Holden and Edmonton, became the bride of Steven Bellman of Edmonton in a double-ring ceremony Father Basil performed the ceremony before an altar banked with huge bouquets of 'mums

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was radiant in a floor-length gown of white silk crepe with a matching train. She wore white gloves and a scalloped veil which was centred by a pearl trimmed bow and carried a bouquet of white orchids and ivy which had been flown here from Hawaii.

Miss Patricia Chupka, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Miss Marilyn Manchur, cousin of the bride, and Miss Valerie Harrisin, all wearing matching jade green floor-length gowns with cuptal tiaras. Each wore white gloves and carried a tapered bouquet of bronze 'mums.

The groom was attended by Paul Bellman, Gunner Anderson and Brian Bellman, all of Edmonton, and ushers were Gordon Lucas, Michael Lawson and Tom Conway.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs Chupka chose a two-piece dress of beige silk crepe complimented by brown accessories and wore a corsage of talisman roses. Mrs. Bellman, mother of the groom, chose a smart two-piece jade green dress with matching accessories, and wore a corsage of yellow roses.

A reception and dance were held later in the evening at the Highway Motor Hotel.

The bride's table was centred with a beautifully decorated three-tiered wedding cake topped with miniature wedding bells and flanked by six large candles set in tall silver holders.

Joe Chamulke was master of ceremonies and Harry Michlick, uncle of the bride, proposed the toast to the bride, which was ably replied to by the groom.

Out-of-town guests were from Vancouver, Calgary, Coleman, Two Hills and Holden and district.

For a six-week honeymoon trip to the Hawaiian Islands, the bride chose for travelling, a blue tweed suit with matching accessories and wore a corsage of talisman roses.

The happy couple will reside in Edmonton on their return.


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## Tofield Comm. League deals with varied agenda

The regular meeting of the Tofield Community League was held on December 7th in the Community Centre with the president, John Baergen, in the chair and eleven members present.

On motion of L. Borton and N Glover the minutes of November meeting were adopted as read. The treasurer, Hans Christensen, read the financial report, which was adopted by the meeting on motion of H Christensen and Dick Mutlow

Jack Whyte, reporting for the theatre committee, said the receipts from the shows and the popcorn booth averaged $100 during the month of November. The shows during the holiday week will be presented for only one night each, Dec. 27 and Jan. 1st.

The Community League's share of the Community Santa Claus treats was $30 It was moved by N Glover and seconded by Dick Mutlow to pay this bill

A turkey bingo will be held on Dec 18th, under the sponsorship of the League. Norman Glover and Dick Mutlow will look after the necessary arrangements, and Johnny Baergen will secure the turkeys

The Carol Festival of Dec. 15 was discussed, and N. Glover and D Mutlow appointed to make arrangements Due to a recent illness, Miss Patterson will not be able to conduct the massed choirs, and Dave Sagert, a bachelor of music student at the University of Alberta, will replace Miss Patterson.

The Hogarth Puppets will be one of the big events for January A guarantee of $200 is required from the League.

N Glover reported on the series of programs arranged by various organizations for the League.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Community League will take the form of a pot-luck supper, as in past years D W Jacobs and Ted Burchard were appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

The nominating committee for next year's slate of officers is to consist of John Baergen, Jack Lampitt and Bill Christensen.

The New Year's Eve dance was discussed On motion of N Glover and D Mutlow, Karl Meyer will be given the franchise to supply lunch at the dance.

## New food centre at College

Alumni members present for this year's Homecoming at C.L.C. were given a preview of the new dining room and kitchen facilities on the lower floor of Convocation Centre. Wives of school presidents presided over the pouring of tea, as follows: Mrs. T. Skretting, representing Mrs. A. H. Solheim; Mrs. C. A. Ronning, Mrs. Georg Mel, and Mrs. G. Loken.

The new kitchen and dining room was completed early in November. An official opening will be announced later.

—Photo by Langbell Studio.

## Hogarth Puppets coming

The world famous Hogarth Puppets will be appearing across Alberta in January under the auspices of the Drama Division of the Recreation and Cultural Development Branch of the Government of Alberta.

They are being presented here in Western Canada for the first time on the North American continent after extensive tours in Australia, New Zealand, Africa and [illegible], and wherever [illegible] have appeared they have [illegible] widely acclaimed They will be in Tofield January 6th

Ann Hogarth is well known in England as the creative genius behind Muffin, the Mule, for whom she writes the scripts and pulls the strings, and today her Muffin books have been translated into Russian. Together with her husband, Jan Bussell, they have performed around the world.

The tour in Alberta is sponsored in association with Holiday Theatre in Vancouver and the British Council

Newspaper critics around the globe have been generous in their praise of these fabulous performers, and the British Arts Council has referred to it as one of the best shows of its kind available anywhere.

## Upset in county election

George Knudslien scored an upset victory in the County of Beaver election in Division Six Saturday as he upset incumbent Edwin M Magneson. Mr. Magneson had been reeve for the past several years. Mr. Knudslien polled 144 votes to Mr Magneson's 89

In the election in Division Five, Arthur L. Gibson was re-elected. He was opposed by Harry Christian, the latter receiving 106 votes while Mr. Gibson had 188.

The election results were announced officially Monday by Olaf Monson of Ryley, returning officer.

### From the scrap book

Live every day as if it were a heaven-sent gift— it is . . . and as fully as if it were your last day on earth—it could be.

—J.W.R.

### Tofield High loses basketball games

The Junior High basketball game was held at Ryley on Wednesday, Dec. 1st.

The Tofield girls lost to the Ryley girls by a score of 14-21. Mr. Annis and Mr. Voegtlin were the referees. The cheerleaders attended the game and chocolate milk was served to the players.

The Tofield boys' team was also defeated by the Ryley team by a score of 20 to 28.

Leo Rurka, physical education instructor at Tofield, is the coach of both junior high teams this year.

### Ladies' Society meets at Brunner home

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

SPILSTEAD — The regular meeting of the Spilstead Ladies' Society was held on W[illegible], Dec. 1st, at the home of Mrs. Birdie Brunner in Edmonton, with eight members present. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent. It was decided to donate $20 to Bethany Children's Home at Gwynne.

The next meeting will be held in January at the home of Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother.

## Son phones from England

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —Geo H Taylor had a pleasant surprise Sunday morning on receiving a long-distance 'phone call from his eldest son Brian and family, presently residing in Sutton, Surrey, England, and his sister, Miss Kay Taylor, who also resides in Sutton. They were calling to congratulate and offer birthday wishes to him for his birthday the following day, Dec. 6th Mrs Taylor also spoke with them and with their three-year-old grandson [illegible].

It is three years since Brian, his wife and baby son left Canada, spending two and a half years in Holland visiting relatives and where he was employed by Richard Harris & Son, consulting engineers Since the latter part of June they have been in England, Brian being employed by the Bechtel Company in London.

## Holden, Bruce unite to form one ATA unit

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Dec. 4.—The Holden-Bruce Sub-local of the A.T.A. met November 29th in the Holden School Library.

As the Bruce teachers have decided to join the Holden Sub-local, it will now be known as the Holden-Bruce Sub-local Mrs. Dorin will still be the representative from Bruce school.

Mrs Grace Appleby, representative to the local, gave her report.

The representatives from the County of Beaver for planning the 1966 fall convention are Mrs Pearl Allan, Holden, Mr Voegtlin, Ryley; E. Kindley, Viking Tom Karlee, Ryley, is chairman of the Education Committee and Randy Ness, Holden, is chairman of the Sports Committee The salary schedule committee comprises Lloyd Cribb, Cal Annis and Oleh Shykora

The group divided into two committees to carry out the study of long-range planning—one group studying "Educational Finance" and the other studying "Analysis of Present Activities".

Chairmen and recording secretaries were chosen Their findings will be sent in the end of April

### Weather . . .

| Dec. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 1 | 31 | 10 | 27.41 | —— |
| 2 | 36 | 25 | 27.33 | —— |
| 3 | 42 | 7 | 27.58 | —— |
| 4 | 42 | 36 | 27.41 | —— |
| 5 | 31 | [illegible] | —— | —— |
| 6 | 34 | 9 | 27.53 | —— |
| 7 | 36 | 16 | 27.70 | —— |
| 8 | — | 19 | 27.53 | —— |

### Beaver 4-H Council has only executive chosen from members

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Dec. 4.—The Beaver 4-H Council held a re-organization meeting on November 23, at the Holden Community Hall. Clubs represented were Viking Beef, Viking Dairy, Holden Beef, Ryley Clothing, Ryley Food (boys), Ryley Beef and Tofield [illegible]

The Beaver Council is the only 4-H Council in Alberta where the executive is made up of 4-H members It was decided to retain this system rather than have an adult council or mixed council.

A new slate of officers was elected as follows Reg Minchau, president; Peggy Fr[illegible]k, vice-president; Eileen Stuart, secretary

The council planned for a curling and skating rally to be held in Viking in February

Discussion topics included a Centennial project and the possibility of having an inter-provincial 4-H exchange of members to this county

The evening concluded with the serving of lunch to the visiting clubs.

# Reprehensible

Word of the poisoning of a group of pigs on Socred leader Robert Thompson's farm must have brought a sickening feeling to thousands of people, both supporters and opponents of Mr. Thompson's candidacy. It might make you wonder what kind of warped mind would perpetrate a wanton sort of deal like that.

No good could possibly come of it, and all that results is the loss of a considerable value of livestock, and the building of a great deal of sympathy for the afflicted politician. Certainly the pigs couldn't have voted for Mr. Thompson, but probably a number of people who otherwise wouldn't have done so might react this way.

It smacks so much of the old world tactics we thought had been left behind that it comes as a blow to realize how thin is our veneer of democracy.

# Bank rates jump again

Action by the United States government this week in curtailing as far as practicable heavy borrowings by Canada, coupled with advice to American subsidiaries in this country to slow down their Canadian expenditures, provided the spur needed for the Bank of Canada to announce a sharp increase in the bank rate, by a full half of one per cent.

Coupled with an already high expansionist economy, the pressure on interest, and the shortened supply of money can lead to only two things: increased interest rates, and tight money. Indeed, the effect is already being felt across the country and investment money is becoming harder and harder to find.

It's an ill wind, they say, that blows no good, and this wind may just possibly have the effect of increasing the pressure on Canadian commercial firms to reveal more of their operations to their shareholders. Canadians have often been called cautious and conservative, but wisdom born of sore experience has taught them this lesson. We don't say that episodes like Windfall, British Mortgage and Atlantic Acceptance couldn't have happened in the United States .. far from it. But rules of the stock exchange there do give the investor more protection.

Indeed, the recent amazing revelation that Canadian shareholders in the CPR couldn't find answers to their questions until the American SEC demanded the information before permitting share trading in that country was enough to scandalize responsible businessmen in this country.

There's lots of money in Canada, but it wants to be assured a reasonable climate for venture. Witness recent bond issues floated in Alberta by the government or telephone company. Witness dominion government sales of savings bonds. Witness the recent tar sands issue here in Alberta. And many more like it. Each one of them proves there's money begging for a place to help.

But it wants a sporting chance.

What a contribution would be made to this country's development if someone could open up the avenues providing this sporting chance. Strides which today look gigantic would be dwarfed by the development we'd see if this resource could be harnessed

# Concern for future

Keen concern was voiced last month at the semi-annual board meeting of the American Lutheran Church over a drop in enrollment in the church's four schools of theology. From 1960 to 1965, the schools, including that in Saskatoon, reported a decline of twenty per cent in enrollment. Similar drop-offs have been reported by other denominations, leading to a grave concern for the future supply of ministers.

In a country which calls itself Christian, this will be a matter for concern among thousands of thinking people, whether church-goers or not. There is probably no single reason behind the decline, but today's growing secularism is probably partly responsible, as may also be the emphasis on material well being

In this area, it is worthy of note that things material have been looking up in recent years for ministers generally, across the country

# How far color TV?

Alberta Government Telephones, in company with seven other companies making up the Trans-Canada Telephone System are busy these days making technical changes to their microwave network, making possible the carrying of color television.

Both Canadian networks have announced they will be telecasting in color by early in 1967, so accommodation has to be ready in time

How soon local programs will be changed, of course, is anybody's guess, and how soon any substantial number of owners will provide color receivers is another big question. One thing is sure, the already tremendous costs of advertising on television will become almost astronomical by comparison


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# MacDuff Ottawa report

**STORM WARNINGS**

OTTAWA — Storm warnings that Canada may be rocked by a major medicare controversy even more violent than the turbulence that developed over the medical service scheme in Saskatchewan in 1962, were sounded recently. The warnings were heard during the working conference on the implications of a health charter for Canadians.

Sponsored by 11 national organizations to educate church, labour, private welfare, farm, student and women's organizations, about health issues and proposals for medical care insurance, the conference attracted nearly 250 delegates. The conference is timely in light of the Hall Royal Commission that recommended a national health services plan for Canada. Prime Minister L. B. Pearson has set Jan 1, 1967, as the target for implementing medicare across Canada.

The Canadian Government at a federal-provincial conference earlier this year, subject to parliamentary aproval, has said it will support provincial medicare plans by means of a fiscal contribution of pre-determined size. This proposal does not require detailed agreements governing the medicare plan. It only calls for a general federal provincial understanding as to the nature of the health programs which will make a federal fiscal contribution appropriate.

**BASIC CONCEPTS**

The Federal Government has laid down four criteria on which such an understanding should be based. They are

1. The scope of the benefits should be all the services by physicians, both general practitioners and specialists.
2. The plan should be universal. It should cover all residents of the province on uniform terms and conditions.
3. The plan must be publicly administered either directly by the provincial government or by a provincial government agency.
4. Each provincial plan should provide full tranferability of benefits when people are absent from the province or when they move their homes to another province.

The report of the royal commission headed by Hon. Emmett M. Hall, Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada, has already generated considerable discussion. It was with a view to providing a forum for public debate and contributing to a greater public knowledge of medicare that the conference on health services was convened.

**SOFT, BUT CLEAR**

**The great medicare debate was thereby transferred to the main ballroom of Ottawa's plush Chateau Laurier hotel. There an officer of the Canadian Medical Association and a Commissioner of the Saskatchewan medical care plan, put forward their opposing views. They did not engage in any fancy verbal fireworks, nor any heated debate. Both directors were soft-spoken men who set out their arguments—but loud and clear the [illegible] warnings came through to the delegates.**

Mr Justice Hall opened the conference with an address in which he contended that the economy can afford increased health and education costs at the same time. He said there cannot and should not be any question of a clash or of priority between the needs of better education and those of good health. He argued that the Canadian economy is strong enough to carry concurrently these two essential services.

He was followed the next day by Dr John E F Hastings, at the University of Toronto. Prof. Hastings said that the issue of "medicare" has "in effect been settled" as a result of the federal provincial meetings earlier this year

**STILL FAR TO GO**

But it was far from settled" in the views of Dr Victor Goldbloom of Montreal who represented the Canadian Medical Association, and Dr Samuel Wolfe, medical director of the Saskatoon community clinic in Saskatchewan, where government medicare is now functioning.

Dr. Goldbloom insisted that doctors must have the right to opt out of any national or provincial medicare program. He pointed out that the Saskatchewan plan gave them that right, but the doctors had to fight for it.

As long as that door is left open—as long as doctors are free

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# Provincial scene

By JOHN WARREN

The Alberta School Trustees met in Edmonton last week and came up with enough suggestions to change the whole course of education in the province. Whether any action will be taken on the various resolutions, reports and public pronouncements is of course, another matter. Many of the ideas advanced appear far too radical for immediate government action.

A report that could alter the whole pattern of rural education was presented by the former head of the department of secondary education at the University of Alberta, Dr L. W. Downey. It says only the larger urban high school 500 students or more offer completely adequate programs.

Dr Downey suggests that as many as 30 rural high schools might be brought under a central "supervising" principal. He says each "campus" on the high school complex would offer only some courses or some grades. The school year would be divided into terms to concentrate on certain subjects. Residences would have to be provided to house students for periods from a day to [illegible]

The report was thorough, frank, refreshing in its novelty and possibly valid.

It will undoubtedly be filed.

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Rural and urban delegates came up with another difference of opinion that is now parked in the lap of the provincial government.

The rural spokesmen pointed out that teachers of fine arts and recreation subjects are pretty scarce for smaller schools. And they asked that people qualified in certain fields be allowed to teach—with or without the credentials called for by the department. The city delegates who have fully qualified people to call on, said no.

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Any fears the government or the liquor control board may have had about live (?) entertainment in beer parlors and cocktail lounges were premature. The fact is that right now most of the hotel men aren't interested in much more entertainment than their patrons already provide.

Liquor board chairman Peter Elliott [illegible] applications for singing and swinging has been so slow to come in that he hasn't even been able to lay down ground rules on what's proper and what isn't.



# MacDuff . . .

(Continued from Page Two)

to walk out—they'll walk in. If you bar that door, they'll break it down to walk out", he told the conference.

"This", he said, "is the major lesson of Saskatchewan. If it is not learned we will be in danger of going through the same thing again and that would be very unfortunate for Canada"

Dr Wolfe let fire with this verbal blast: "There has been a lot of nonsense spoken in recent years about government sponsored medical care plans and their supposed evils".

**BEST OF BOTH WORLDS**

He defended the scheme now operating in Saskatchewan. He said, "There is no reason why we in Canada cannot have the best of all medical worlds—a national plan run by the provinces, an intelligent and informed public and satisfied, self-governing health professions".

Dr Wolfe added however, "Now having said all this, I am not naive enough, having lived through the medical care controversy in Saskatchewan, to believe that these matters can be carried out without major conflicts both between doctors and certainly between the profession and the public".

**Dr. Hastings agreed that there would be considerable controversy in the future before the medicare plan finally became operative. He said, "The skirmishing is by no means over and the sound and fury may well rise to new crescendos in the months ahead, but of the end result there can no longer be any doubt.**

**EVENTUALLY, ANYWAY**

Before it ended, the conference set out the economic reasons why Canadians would in the end turn to a government-sponsored medicare program. Prof. J. J. Madden of the Economics Department at Guelph University also argued that Canada has sufficient doctors to supply the needs that would result from the nation-wide program. He admitted that the plan at first would lead to longer queues for physicians' services. But after a decade the country would have been able to step up its training of qualified young men and women to meet the mounting demands, he believed

As to cost, the economist believed that by 1991 all Canadians on the average, would be getting three time as much health service as they did in 1961. But first Canada must go through the period of stormy controversy. The word coming out of the conference seemed to suggest that after the sound and fury had abated—as abate it must—all will be well, both physically and economically

# Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. R. Lutz left for Seattle last week to visit with relatives for several weeks and for the Christmas holidays.

Ray Hovland was a business visitor in Camrose Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were Sunday afternoon visitors and dinner guests with Mrs. N L. Campbell

Mrs Campbell was pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening, Dec 1st, to receive a long distance phone call from her son, Bill, and his wife in Toronto to congratulate her and offer their wishes for a happy birthday.

Mrs. Alfred Sorensen and Mrs John Semotuik were shopping visitors in Edmonton Monday of last week, driving in with Mrs. Helen Tiedemann.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Leo Hladilo has been a hospital patient and Olaf Chetney was doing the chores on the farm while Leo was away.

Albert Kondrat is also a patient, and we hope his stay will not be too long there.

Mrs. Marilyn Shybora was a Tofield hospital patient for a few days last week, having various tests and x-rays taken. She came home Saturday afternoon, Oleh driving there to get her

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann was a patient in Tofield hospital for two days last week, [illegible] in Wednesday morning for treatments on her back which she had injured a couple of weeks ago. She returned home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Chupka and wee son, Randy, of Edmonton were visitors over the week end with Mr and Mrs. Bill Chupka and called on other relatives around the district.

**IN NURSING HOME**

We heard from Mrs. Arthur Story last week that Mrs John Story, who had not been well for several weeks and was a hospital patient for ten days, is now feeling some improvement in health and is a resident at the Westhaven Nursing Home, Edmonton, the address being [illegible] 140th Street. Mrs. Story will be pleased to hear from any of her old friends and also receive a visit. She is also beginning to do a little crochet work again. Mrs. Story is the grand age of [illegible] years.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell entertained several friends for coffee on Friday afternoon

Mr and Mrs Joe Kasidon of the south Ryley district were shopping and business visitors in Holden Friday afternoon, also calling on Ray Hovland

Mr and Mrs. Alex Shybo spent the weekend visiting with friends in Edmonton.

## Pioneer group meets at Campbell home

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Dec 6.—The Pioneer Group met Thursday afternoon, Dec. 2nd, at the home of Mrs. Campbell, with Mrs. Mary Zwirschke as hostess and 14 members and guests present. Reports were given on the recently held tea and sale of work. The devotions were taken by Mrs. Campbell. Instead of taking a lesson from the study book, Mrs. Lindberg played the record of a sermon which had been given at a previous Sunday church service.

At the lunch hour a surprise was given to Mrs. Campbell who had celebrated her birthday the previous day. A lovely decorated birthday cake, made by Mrs. Zwirschke was presented to Mrs. Campbell, and all sang "Happy Birthday" and enjoyed the delicious cake


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# The Ryley Times

## Ryley high school news

(Evelyn Kosack)

On Friday, Dec. 3rd, Ryley High School basketball teams ventured to Tofield to play their second game of the season. The Ryley girls downed Tofield 37-7 and the Tofield boys defeated Ryley 73-33. The scorers were Tofield girls, Klasser 1, Astley 2, Arnett 3, Jacobsen 1. Ryley girls, K. Fish 12, A. M. Ouaks 6, S. Adams 4, D. Kubler 3, P. Fish 3, L. Manderson 2, V. Vergette 2, E. Kope 1.

Ryley boys, L. Lehman 16, G. Pope 11, G. Wiens 7, S. Masiero 6, W. Kushnir 4, T. Annebo 3, R. Pepper 2. Tofield boys, Whyte 15, Schroder 14, Fasbang 13, D. Reid 12, D. Staniffer 9, Wall 7, D. Hart 2, J. Hart 1.

The Ryley High School students took their weekly run the rounds. This is the first time in many years' recollection that prospect grad 9 is lapped that 9 will be a great success.

The high school girls and a few grade 9 girls are practicing for the annual Christmas festival in Tofield.

## Turkey bingo winners

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — The Canadian Legion held their annual turkey bingo in the Legion Hall on Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, and the winners were as follows:

A. Auch, Janice Stambo, B Stashko, F. Lowles, Mrs. Sarsaniuk, J. Cardinal, W. Kwadrykoski, Mrs. Helen Jacobsen, R. Kolodychuk, E. Petryshen, E. Solberg, H. Berke, Miss Faye Olsenberg, P. Wiens, L. Helgoland, E. Paulson, V. Dyer, H. Vergette, A. Auch, Miss Faye Olsenberg.

The Christmas hamper raffle was drawn, and the name on the winning ticket was "Pinny", the small Chihuahua dog owned by Marguerite and Johnny Fish.


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## Ryley and district news briefs

(M. K. Westmancoat)

A big jolly crowd turned out on Saturday evening, Dec. 4th, when the Ryley 4-H Dairy Club invited members of the other Ryley 4-H clubs to a skating party and wiener roast. The party was held at the dam, on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hillerud a half-mile south and three miles west of town.

Mr and Mrs. Raymond Magnuson have returned from a trip to Winnipeg where they visited with their youngest daughter Irene, and son-in-law Norman Duange and their family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Booth spent a few days last week at Edmonton, visiting with their youngest son Lorne and family.

The Ryley 4-H Dairy Calf Club will sponsor a turkey bingo in the Legion Hall on Saturday evening, Dec. 11th starting at 8 o'clock. Twenty games will be played, and advance tickets are being sold by members of the club.

Crowds of children were on hand Saturday afternoon, Dec. 4th, to greet the arrival of Santa Claus at the Victory Hotel. Each child was given a treat by the generous old man, who, being the guest of the Victory Hotel and Dunham's Electric.

Janice Stambo, who is just ten years old, is the luckiest little girl at playing bingo. This week Janice won a turkey at the Canadian Legion games and last week she won a side of beef at the Oddfellows Lodge bingo.

Recently, seven ladies, Mrs. Martha Whitson, Mrs. Bertha Wimmer, Mrs. Ruth Graham, Mrs. Lena Orbeck, Mrs. Hazel Patterson, Mrs. Doris Ouland and Mrs. Dorothy Clark, all members of the Cavell Rebecca Lodge, spent the afternoon visiting the senior citizens' home, "Vanita Lodge" at Viking. They were pleasantly entertained at tea, and before having made it known to all that their lodge would always be happy to help in any way they could.


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## Hastings Lake notes

(Mrs. B. Globe)

The Hall Board would like to thank everyone who came to the grocery bingo December 3, making it such a success.

The 9-36 raffle was won by Lewis Miller.

The last two Thursdays here were such parties at the Hall and the interior has started to take on a new look.

Saturday afternoon, most of the children of the district gathered at the Hall to prepare for the Christmas Concert, to be held Saturday, Dec. 18th.

**ANNIVERSARY PARTY**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunham were hosts at a wedding anniversary party November 27th, when over 80 friends and neighbors gathered to honor Mr. and Mrs. L. Gill on their 34th wedding anniversary.

The facts: Credit where drive was well attended on Saturday, Dec. 4th, with nine tables in play. Winners were Kerry Petersen playing as lady high, and Calin Petersen playing as lady's low. Frank Dunham, gent's high, and J. Brown, gent's low.

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Not still and senseless — stopped from earth's rough places.
To walk the King's highway.
Not silent, nor passed out of earth's hearing.
Not dumb, with lips that never sang.
Not lonely, dearly loved and dearly loving.
Amid the white-robed throng.
But not forgetful—keeping fondest remembrance.
Of dear ones left awhile.
And thinking gladly to the bright shore.
With hand-clasp and with smile.
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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
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**Pastor Don McLean**
Sunday, Dec. 12th

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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service

Tuesday, 8:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

Thursday, 7:30 p.m. — Young People's Meeting.

## Kingman news

Saturday visitors with Mrs. Tillie Wander, to help celebrate her birthday, were Mrs. A. Kap, Mrs. A. Ekdahl, Mrs. A. Kap, Mick, Mrs. R. Hutchinson, Mrs. J. A. Holte, Mrs. E. Seljeskog, and Mrs. Albin Wander of Edmonton.

Monday evening callers at the Art Cumberland home, to wish Mrs. Cumberland a happy birthday, were Mr. and Mrs. V. Wirtz, Mrs. J. Johnson, Mrs. R. Hutchinson, Joan and Neil, and Mr and Mrs. A. Anderson.

**HOME FROM B.C.**

Mrs. C. Hesketh returned from Victoria, B.C., last Wednesday, where she spent a month with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ron MacLean and family.

Mr and Mrs. Geo. Franklyn of Edmonton were weekend visitors at the C. L. Christensen home.

Mrs Garnet Ferguson returned home Saturday from Camrose Hospital and is feeling in much-improved health.

## *Modern etiquette*

(By Roberta Lee)

Q What should the bridegroom and his best man at a formal wedding do with their gloves during the ceremony?

A. The bridegroom removes his right glove and holds it in his left hand. The best man does not remove his gloves. If it is a double-ring ceremony, the groom removes both gloves, holding them in his left hand, and then switching to the right hand at the time his bride places his ring on his finger.

Q. Is it really considered in good taste to extend any and all kinds of invitations over the telephone?

A. One may use the telephone for almost any kind of invitation, with the exception of formal ones.

Q. When serving a fruit juice as the first course at the dinner table, where is the glass placed?

A. On the place plate — not with the water glass.

Q Is it necessary to acknowledge the receipt of birthday or anniversary cards?

A. If by this you mean notes of acknowledgement, no. But, when next you happen to meet the senders of such greetings, it is always good manners to mention that their cards were received and appreciated.

Q. Is it really the accepted form for a woman to use her maiden name as her middle name after she has married?

A. This is the established custom. In other words, after Ruth Anne Madison marries Robert Williams, she then becomes Ruth Madison Williams.

Q. When sitting at the bar in a cocktail lounge, is one supposed to tip the bar man?

A. While not necessary, it still seems to be expected in some places — especially when one's change is returned in a small tray.


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# The Ryley Times

## Ryley high school news

(Evelyn Kesoch)

The Ryley Junior and Senior High School basketball teams journeyed to Viking on Friday for second games of the season. The Senior girls defeated Tofield 37-1, and the Tofield boys defeated Ryley 73-33. The scorers were Tofield girls, Klassen 1, Astley 2, Arnett 3, Jacobsen 1; Ryley girls, K Pash 12, A M Ouaks 6, S Adams 4, D Kubler 3, P Fish 3 L Manderson 2, V. Vergette 2, E Kope 1;

Ryley boys, L. Lehmen 16, G Pope 11 G Wiens 7, S. Mazern 6, W Kushar 4, T Asmelo 3, R. Pepper 3, Tofield boys. White 18, Schroder 14, Pushang 13, D Reid 12, D Stauffer 9, Wall 7, D Hart 2, J Hart 1

The Ryley High School students are busy working on the year book. This is the first time Ryley has undertaken this project and it is hoped that it will be a great success

The high school girls and a few grade 9 girls are practicing for the annual Christmas festival in Tofield.

## Turkey bingo winners

(Mr. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — The Canadian Legion held their annual turkey bingo in the Legion Hall on Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, and the winners were as follows:

A. Auch, Janice Stumbo, B. Hanshio, F. Loades, Mrs. Sorenson, J. Cardinal, W. Kwadrykiski. Mrs. Helen Jacobsen, R. Kolodychuk, E. Petryshen, E. Solberg, H. Beebe, Miss Faye Glenzberg, P. Winne, L. Helgeland. E. Paulsen, V. Dyer, H. Vergette, A. Auch, Miss Faye Glenzberg.

The Christmas hamper raffle was drawn, and the name on the winning ticket was "Tiny", the small Chihuahua dog owned by Marguerite and Johnny Fish.

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## Hastings Lake notes

(Mrs. B. Globe)

The Hall Board would like to thank everyone who came to the grocery bingo December 3, making it such a success

The 50-50 raffle was won by Lewis Miller.

The last two Thursdays have seen work parties at the Hall, and the interior has started to take on a new look.

Saturday afternoon, most of the children of the district gathered at the Hall to prepare for the Christmas Concert, to be held Saturday, Dec. 18th

ANNIVERSARY PARTY

Mr and Mrs Frank Dunham were hosts at a wedding anniversary party on November 27th, when over 30 friends and neighbors gathered to honor Mr and Mrs L. Gill on their 30th wedding anniversary

The Jack Credit wheat drive was well attended on Saturday, five 4th with nine tables in play Winners were Kerry Peterson playing as lady high and Colin Peterson playing as lady low Frank Dunham got a high, and J Brown, goat's low

Mrs. Pane is home after being a patient in an Edmonton hospital.

## Ryley and district news briefs

A big jolly crowd turned out on saturday evening Dec 4th, when the Ryley 4-H Dairy Club invited members of the other Ryley 4-H clubs to a skating party and winner roast. The party was held at the dam, on the farm of Mr and Mrs. Alex Gilliland. A hot-wiener roast and marshmallow toast of course

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ward-mann have returned from a trip to Winnipeg, where they were with their youngest daughter Irene, and son-in-law Norman Hauge and their family

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Booth spent a few days last week at Strathcona, visiting with their youngest son Lorius and family

The Ryley 4-H Dairy Calf Club will sponsor a turkey bingo in the Legion Hall on Saturday evening, Dec. 11th, starting at 8 o'clock. Twenty games will be played, and advance tickets are being sold by members of the club.

Crowds of children were on hand Saturday afternoon, Dec. 4th, to greet the arrival of Santa Claus at the Variety Store Each child was given a treat by the genial old man who came as the guest of the Variety Store and McArthur's Electric.

Janice Stumbo, who is just ten years old, is the luckiest little girl at playing bingo. This week Janice won a turkey at the Canadian Legion games and last week she won a side of beef at the Oddfellows Lodge bingo. Recently, seven ladies, Mrs. Martha Whitson, Mrs. Bertha Thomas, Mrs. Ruth Graham, Mrs. Lena Orbeck, Mrs. Hazel Whitson, Mrs. Daisy Orland and a fourth, a new member of the Credit Rebekah lodge, made the afternoon a pleasant one, at the active officers' home "Valhalla Lodge" at Viking. They were pleasantly entertained at tea, and before having made it known to all that their lodge would always be happy to help in any way they could


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Mr and Mrs. Earl P. Brown of Tofield are happy to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Patricia Florence, to Robert Mowbray, youngest son of Mr and Mrs. Russell Mowbray of Opal 15c-2022

### IN MEMORIAM

HENDERSON —In loving memory of Jason Henderson, who passed away December 11, 1964, and Allen Henderson, who passed away December 22, 1964.

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Where all is calm and bright.
Not even sleeping—called in clear unbroken
In heaven's timeless day.
Not still and senseless — stepped from earth's rough places
To walk the King's highway.
Not dumb, not silent—caught out of
To sing Heaven's sweet new song,
Not lonely—dearly loved and dearly loving
Amid the white-robed throng.
But not forgetful—keeping hushed communion
Of dear ones left awhile;
And thinking gladly to the bright
reunion
With hand-clasp and with smile

—Ever remembered and waiting for that glad re-union Esther, Marvin, Melvin and Lorna, Wyland and Ruth. 15p-3127

### CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks and appreciation to our family and friends of the Baptist Church who honored us on the occasion of our 25th Wedding Anniversary —Leo and Georgene Bauer 15p-3124

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Sunday, Dec. 12th

10:00 a.m.—Town Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
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Winter Schedule

TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ..... 11:00 a.m.
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11:30 a.m. Divine Service

TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Dec. 12th

10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service
Tuesday, 8:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.
Thursday, 7:30 p.m. — Young People's Meeting

## Kingman news

Saturday visitors with Mrs. Tillie Winder, to help celebrate her birthday, were Mrs. A. asp, Mrs. A. Ehdahl, Mrs. A. E. Wick, Mrs. R Hutchinson, Mrs J. A. Hobbs, Mrs. E. Selbehaug, and Mrs. James Winder of Dahamel

Monday evening callers at the Art Cumberland home, to wish Mrs. Cumberland a happy birthday, were Mr. and Mrs E. Wick, Mrs. J. Johnson, Mrs R. Hutchinson Joan and Neil, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson

HOME FROM B.C.

Mrs. E. Schmidt returned from Victoria, B.C., last Wednesday, where she spent a month with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Marlean and family

Mr and Mrs. Leo Franklyn of Edmonton were weekend visitors at the C. L. Christensen home.

Mrs. Garnet Ferguson returned home Saturday from Camrose Hospital and is feeling in much-improved health.

## Modern etiquette

(By Roberta Lee)

Q. What should the bridegroom and his best man at a formal wedding do with their gloves during the ceremony?

A. The bridegroom removes his right glove and holds it in his left hand The best man does not remove his gloves. If it is a double-ring ceremony, the groom removes both gloves, holding them in his left hand, and then switching to the right hand at the time his bride places his ring on his finger

Q. Is it really considered in good taste to extend any and all kinds of invitations over the telephone?

A. One may use the telephone for almost any kind of invitation, with the exception of formal ones.

Q. When serving a fruit juice as the first course at the dinner table, where is the glass placed?

A. On the place plate — not with the water glass.

Q. Is it necessary to acknowledge the receipt of birthday or anniversary cards?

A. If by this you mean notes of acknowledgement, no. But, when next you happen to meet the senders of such greetings, it is always good manners to mention that their cards were received and appreciated.

Q. Is it really the accepted form for a woman to use her maiden name as her middle name after she has married?

A. This is the established custom. In other words, after Ruth Anne Madison marries Robert Williams, she then becomes Ruth Madison Williams.

Q. When sitting at the bar in a cocktail lounge, is one supposed to tip the bar man?


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## Spilstead news

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

The annual fall sale was held at the Spilstead Hall on the evening of November 19th. A very large crowd was in attendance. A big thank-you to everyone for making it a success, with special thanks to George Lee, the auctioneer.

Arnold Peterson of Kingman held the lucky ticket on the quilt and Marvin Olson the lucky ticket on the tablecloth. A dance was held after the sale with a good attendance.

We wish a speedy recovery to Mrs Hoflin. Also to C. A. Barnhard who is in the Tofield hospital.

Recent visitors at the Ernest Fairbrother home were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray and boys, and Mr and Mrs Virgil Fairbrother and family from Edmonton.

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## Better English

By D. C. Williams

fixed, she typewrote the letter for me.

5. This phenomena is remarkable but not as wonderful as some I've witnessed.

6. We will meet you later on in the evening.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Table d'hote.
8. Caracas (Venezuelan city).
9. Cohere.
10. Orthography (correct spelling).
11. Muscatel.
12. Unfrequented.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Malevolence, militarism, milline, molasses, mollify, Cheyenne, Cincinnati, Carribean, Connecticut, Curacao, malefactor, malaria, malignancy, malnutrition, mallable, careen, gangreen, pristine, mussitation.

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. Even though she is the authoress of the book, she agreed to divide up the profits.
2. He only wants what is due to him.
3. You may blame it on me if you wish to.
4. After her machine had been catel, musicale, restorative, resurrect, resuscitation, respiratory, restitution, perpetuate, perpendicular, pernicious, perpetrate, perogative

1. Say, "Even though she is the AUTHOR of the book" and omit "up". 2. Omit "to", and say, "He WANTS ONLY what is due him." 3. Omit the final "to", and say, "You may blame ME FOR IT, if you wish." 4. Say, "After her machine had been REPAIRED, she TYPED the letter for me." 5. Say, "These phenomena ARE wonderful, but not SO wonderful as some I've witnessed". 6. Omit "on", and say, "We SHALL meet you later in the evening".

7. Pronounce tawb'l-dote, accents on first and last syllables. 8. Pronounce ka-raw-kas, accent second syllable. 9. Pronounce koe-heer, accent second syllable. 10. Accent second syllable. 11. Pronounce muss-ka-tell, accent last syllable. 12. Accent THIRD syllable, not the second.

13. Milliner, Caribbean, malleable, gangrene, resuscitation, prerogative

## New books at library

Please note — Tofield library will be open 3 to 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 23rd.

New extension books added recently to the Tofield public library are:

"The Oaken Heart", by Allingham.

"Last Recollections of My Uncle Charles", by Balchin.

"Seven Men at Daybreak" by Burgess.

"Son of the North" by Campbell.

"Mister Moses" by Catto.

"Blue Diamond" by Costello.

"Memoirs of the Ghost Pine Homsteaders" by Ghost of Pine Comm.

"Fighting Caravans", Grey.

"A Ship to Remember", Griffin.

"Zorba the Greek", Kazantzakis.

"On a Lonesome Porch", by Pierce.

"Historical Whodunits", Ross Williamson.

"The Legend of John Hornby", Whalley.

"Operation Outer Space", Leinster.

"A Rockfeller Family Portrait", Manchester.

"Flowers of Hiroshima", Morris.

"Six Guns", Pickard.

"One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich", Solzhenitsyn.

"Charlotte Fairlie", Stevenson.

"The Story of the Migration of Shivies", Wilson.

"Harry, the Wild West Horse", Clymer.

"Mischievious Meg", Lindgren.

"The Adventure of Mabel", Peck.

"The Treasure of Echo Valley", Wess.

The friends of the library would like to extend a sincere "thank-you" to all who donated and made open house at the Tofield Public Library a success during Young Canada Book Week. Refreshments, enjoyed by all who attended, were served by members and wives of the provincial recreational and cultural branch, local division.

Donations for November were received from Mr McDonald, Mrs. W. Hammet, Mrs. Geo. Price, Mrs Ingram, Mrs Dunham and Dr. Freebury.

Greetings of the season to all library members and happy reading.

### ADDITIONAL MEMORIALS TO MRS. ADA VAN BUSKIRK

To Tofield United Church — Annie McGladdie, Edith Turner.

### LAKESHORE U.C.W. CHRISTMAS MEETING

The Lakeshore United Church Women will hold their Christmas meeting at the home of Mrs. Irene Warner on December 13th, at 2:00 p.m. Everyone welcome. Remember your "secret sister".

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## Modern etiquette

Q. I have noticed some persons using their fingers as "pushers" to help them get food onto their forks. How about this?

A. Not good! The only acceptable "pushers" are a piece of bread or the blade of the knife. The fingers must be kept out of the food.

Q. Are the folded thank-you cards proper for acknowledging wedding gifts?

A. A folded card with "thank you" imprinted on the face is all right — but a handwritten personal message MUST be added.

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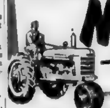

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by Ron Winger AMF Staff of Champions

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Generally speaking, the bowler on the right has the right-of-way, but the bowler on the left has preference if shooting a spare. When another person is on the approach ready to bowl, don't cross in front of him, call to another bowler or in any way distract the bowler who is concentrating in the stance position.

To league bowlers I say, "make sure you are on time". You should develop a habit of arriving at your bowling center about 15 or 20 minutes before you are scheduled to bowl. This will give you ample time for changing shoes, conversation and other necessary details and still enable you to be on your lanes ready to bowl at the prescribed time. Remember that punctuality is admired on the lanes as well as off.

To all bowlers, I say confine your gyrations to your own lanes. It is true we all like to use "Body English" during our game but don't do so by infringing on the rights of someone else who is bowling on another lane.

## Palmer-Earling notes

(Mrs. J. Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING, Dec. 3rd —The Skudesnes LCW will have their Christmas party Wednesday, Dec. 15th, at Mrs. Bob Beattie's home.

A number of people from here enjoyed the colored slides "Canada's Mountain Wilderness" of Jasper and Banff by Edgar T. Jones Tuesday night at the Tofield Community Theatre when a large crowd attended.

Lars Olsen and Chester Furre are in the north big game hunting. During Chester's absence, Kenneth Olsen is driving the school bus.

Mr and Mrs. Bill Steffen were business callers in Edmonton on Tuesday and also visited their daughter, Ione.

Mr and Mrs. Gerald Thibert of Edmonton were Monday visitors with his parents, the Roger Thiberts.

Mrs. Alma Steffen and Edol Viklun were Sunday dinner guests of the Walter Vikluns, Tofield.

The Cecil Stensruds, Mrs. Ellen Oppen and the Haakon Stensruds of Camrose were Sunday visitors with the George Campbells, Round Hill.

### GOOD HUNTING

Marv Vamberg and Joe Vrolson were big game hunting at Edson and got their quota of game.

Valerie Johnson has returned home from the hospital. Diane Gabelhaus, Holden, spent Thursday night with Valerie.

Don Campbell, Noreen Campbell and Larry Johnson left by bus Friday to attend a friend's wedding at Kelowna, B.C. on December 4th. Noreen Campbell will be the bridesmaid at the wedding.

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As you approach the front door of the house, you can see the bullet hole in the panel of the door is in a direct line with your chest, a grim reminder of what happened to the victim whose shooting you are now investigating. You step to one side as you press the bell.

A high-pitched feminine voice calls out nervously, "Who is it?"

After identifying yourself in low calm tones, the door swings open revealing a tall, thin, grey-haired woman of about 55 who looks you over very carefully before finally inviting you inside. You follow her into a sitting room before you tell her, "I have good news for you. Your brother will probably come through all right. The bullet has been extracted, and he's responding very well to treatment."

"That's just fine" she responds unemotionally, and then settles her thin shoulders farther back into her chair. "I suppose you've come for the full story of what happened?"

You nod. "All I know is that your brother is 50 years old, that he was to have been married next week and that he is now lying in the hospital with a bullet wound in his chest . . . accidentally shot by you".

"Yes", Mary Mansfield shakes her head vigorously. "George and I have lived here all our lives . . . very happily, too, until he took up with that red-haired widow. No fool like an old fool . . . and him too infatuated to see that all she wants is his money!"

"Well, George was out late again last night . . . out with HER. It was about midnight when I heard someone fumbling at the front door. I went to the door and called out, 'Who's there?' several times, but there was no answer. So I hurried back to my room and got my loaded gun from my night table. We've had trouble from time to time with prowlers in this neighborhood. I ran back to the door again, called out once more, and when there still was no answer at all, I fired through the door . . . just to frighten the intruder away. You can imagine my horror when I heard a groan, the sound of a falling body, and upon opening the door saw George himself lying there!" She dabs at her eyes with a lace-edged handkerchief.

"It's odd that he didn't answer when you called out", you remark.

"Well, he may have said something I didn't hear him. My hearing isn't very good. All I could see was the door knob turning back and forth, and I was frightened.

You gaze hard at Mary Mansfield, and say, "I think you'd better pray hard for your brother's recovery, or you'll be facing a charge of murder!"

Why?

### SOLUTION

Mary Mansfield stated that her hearing may have prevented her from detecting her brother's reply to her cries of "Who's there?" But she had no trouble hearing your low-pitched introduction of yourself when you rang the bell, and she heard her brother's groan when she shot him and the sound of his falling body. Her motive seems clear-cut, too—fear of losing a share of her brother's money if he married.

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# Around town

Out-of-town visitors at the T. ray home last week were Mrs. abby, Ken and Glen of Viking, dna and Fred Johnson, Ruth nd Don McDonald of Fort Saskatchewan, Mary Hosler and /ayne of Edmonton.

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John Strois was winner of the ommunity League $100; and ert Clark winner of the Legion rt and Art $50.00

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Mr and Mrs. W A Mitchell ttended a tea at the home of Ir and Mrs Hugh Dawe on Suny afternoon in Edmonton, the ccasion being the 80th birthday f Mr. Dawe's mother and sisr of Mr. Mitchell, Mrs. Gene awe. The afternoon was spent by visiting with relatives and friends some of whom were former residents of Tofield.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ron Brown have moved into the home they acquired recently from Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jefferson.

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**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mr and Mrs. C. R. Burchard arrived in Tofield from Kelowna, a week ago Monday by car. Their household effects came by truck on Wednesday, and they are now settled in the home they purchased earlier in the year from Jack and Mary Whyte. Jack and Mary are living in the home owned by Chas. F. Kallal, and which he occupied prior to moving to Edmonton. The Burchards report plenty of snow in the moutains west of Golden, B.C., and quite a lot of it on the highway over which they travelled.

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**CNR CRANE RIGHTED**

The CNR was able, on Friday, to "right" the crane which was upset some three weeks ago at North Cooking Lake while trying to recover some of the 27-car train wreck. It is valued at $500,000 Three caterpillar tractors and two small cranes did the job, and the wheels landed about ten inches from the right-of-way rails. Northwestern Utilities Ltd. crews stood by as a precautionary measure as their gas lines run paralleled and close to the main line.

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**PUPPET SHOW**

Mercury readers will have noted the opportunity afforded the Tofield Community League to have a famous puppet show come to Tofield on the evening of Thursday, Jan. 6th, 1966.

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Donald Stinson was in Edmonton early last Tuesday morning on an Air-Canada turn around freight haul from Toronto. He is the Chief Officer of Vanguard planes in the course of his work.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Henriksen returned from Windsor and Sarnia, Ontario, where they visited relatives. They came home in a new car and report travelling through 2000 miles of snow

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Diadick and daughter, Cindy, arrived by car from Middleton, N.S., a week ago and are at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Annis. They report good driving conditions Mrs. Annis' parents will spend Christmas in Tofield and Cindy will attend school here for the remainder of the term.

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Tofield Town Council is to be congratulated on installing more mercury vapor lights on the streets, making a wonderful difference for residents.


## ALBERTA JUNIOR CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

# BULLETIN:

## YOUNG BASHAW SINGER HONORED

Theresa Becher is a beautifully natural lyric soprano. She has proved herself a worthy Junior Citizen of the Year by unselfishly giving her talent to her community. She has performed for the enjoyment of others at Christmas Festivals, Rotary Club functions, variety concerts, school activities, weddings and wedding anniversaries.

At sixteen, Theresa passed two musical examinations with honors. She pays for her own singing lessons by working after school and on Saturdays at a local bakery.

The adjudicator in the Provincial Singing Finals stated, "Theresa is an artist. Her high notes are ravishing". She has brought great joy and recognition to her community by her dedication to her art.

We congratulate Theresa. Our thanks to Alberta's Weekly Newspaper Editors for their active co-operation in the Alberta Junior Citizen of the Year program, sponsored by Alberta's investor-owned electric utility companies.

**This is one of a series of Junior Citizen Award announcements. Our special thanks to W. R. Newsom, Editor of the Bashaw Star and to Theresa's nominator, Mrs. J. G. Pearson of Bashaw.**

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Elna Parsons was a visitor on Monday of last week with Mrs. Herman Voigt while her brother, Chris Christenson was in Viking on business.

Mrs Mary James was in Edmonton Thursday having an eye check up, and was pleased to receive a very good report on her eye condition.


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**BIRTHS**

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Koetke have been receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Monday, Nov. 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sorbara have announced the birth of a son on Wednesday of last week.

Rev. William Beckstead of Edmonton was a visitor in Holden on November 20th, calling on the Tiedemann family and other friends

Mrs. Lars Ritland returned home from Tofield hospital Sunday of last week after being a patient for several days having treatments for arthritis in her back. Mrs. Ritland is hoping to enter the Arthritic Clinic in Edmonton for therapy when a bed is available

Mrs. Mary Zwierschke took Miss June Clark by car to Edmonton November 23rd where she will be staying for some time having treatments on her eyes.

Mrs. Ruxton and small daughter, with Mrs Pat Lindberg and children were visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. Campbell Tuesday afternoon, last week.

**IN THE CONGO**

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Beveridge recently received word from their daughter, Diana, who is in Leopoldville, Republique du Congo, where she has been visiting with a friend, that she is now employed with the British Embassy in the informations department, handling newspapers, magazines, films and language lessons.

Miss Gladys Umrysh is employed at the Holden AGT office and is staying at present at the Olaf Chetney residence

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Warawa of Edmonton, son-in-law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Umrysh, were Friday visitors at their home.

Bobbie Strilchuk, who was a patient in Tofield hospital for several days while having treatments for an infection, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were business callers in Viking last Thursday and spent the afternoon visiting with their daughter, Beth, and family, the Ernie Mertas.

**FRACTURES ANKLE**

Mrs. Irene Strilchuk had an unfortunate accident last Tuesday morning. While going down the alley to the Edmonton Produce building, she slipped on the icy road, fracturing her ankle. Her eldest son, Larry, took her to Tofield hospital where she had the ankle attended to, having a cast on it. She was able to return home Friday afternoon.

Chester Hooper from British Columbia, was visiting recently with his family for several days and with his father, Joe Hooper, who is a patient in Tofield hospital.

**POOR FISHING**

Joe Alexander and Nels Hviid were ice fishing last Wednesday afternoon at Nugget Lake south of Ryley. The fishing was not good, only catching two fish but they were hoping for better luck during the weekend.

Mrs. Joe Alexander of Edmonton was a hospital patient for several days last week having a check-up.

**TO CALIFORNIA**

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Umrysh were planning to leave Monday or Tuesday for Los Angeles, Calif., for a three-month visit with a sister and other relatives of Mrs. Umrysh.

R. Loney, who has been a patient in Tofield hospital for the past several weeks, is now a resident in the auxiliary hospital in Vegreville, going there a week and a half ago.

Mr. and Mrs. D Christianson were Edmonton shopping visitors Tuesday of last week

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mielimaka, Mr. and Mrs. Lud Mielimaka and Mike Zuzak drove to Edmonton Sunday afternoon to visit Mrs. Zuzak, a patient in the University Hospital. Mrs. Zuzak's condition is now beginning to improve after her three operations and she is able to take some nourishment. We hope she will soon be well enough to return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow left for Calgary Monday morning where they will be visiting with their daughter, Muriel and family, the Ted Andersons, for two weeks.

Ludvig Sandbeck left his farm home southwest of Holden, and is a guest for the winter months at Vialta Lodge, Viking.


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## Ketchumoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr and Mrs. Peter Brown motored to Drayton Valley to attend the Erickson-Goubault wedding on Saturday.

Born, to Mr and Mrs. Arvid Thiessen, a son "Craig John", on November 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ray returned from Fort Smith recently, and visited with relatives in the district over the weekend

Sunday visitors with Louise and Gordon Kyle were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lancaster of Tofield.

Mrs. Ivan Mitchell spent Thursday shopping in Edmonton Later her daughters, Mavis and Judy, joined her, and they spent the evening visiting with Mrs. Lorna Mitchell prior to her leaving by plane to join her husband at Los Angeles.

## Pre-nuptial shower honors Evie Gray

On Tuesday night a miscellaneous shower was held in the Tofield Legion Hall in honor of Evie Gray whose marriage to Alan Fair of Lacombe will take place December 18th. Approximately 55 ladies gathered to wish her happiness in the future.

After a number of games were played, Darlene Dunlop presented Evie with the many beautiful and useful gifts, for which the bride-elect thanked the ladies graciously. A delicious lunch was served.

## Around the town . . .

Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and Edith Mary spent Sunday at the parental home of Mr and Mrs. J W Robinson

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Mrs. Vivian Basaraba has returned after spending some time as a patient in the Tofield hospital Her little daughter, Mavis, who had been visiting with her grandparents, Mr and Mrs. Stockton in Tofield, returned home with her mother.

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Peg and Bob Nahreboski, Zip and Tod Gray attended the Erickson-Goubault wedding on Saturday at Drayton Valley

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Mr. J E. Stinson was in Edmonton on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, while he attended the Alberta School Trustees' Association convention Mrs Stinson was also in Edmonton Monday and Tuesday doing some shopping

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**TO GERMANY**

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Lahey and baby daughter of Cold Lake spent a week with Mrs. Lahey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roberge before leaving for Halifax to spend some time with Mr and Mrs Lahey On Christmas Day they will leave for Germany where they will be posted for four years.

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The afternoon unit of the Tofield UCW will hold their Christmas party and gift exchange at the church parlors on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 14th, at 2:30 p.m. Visitors are welcome


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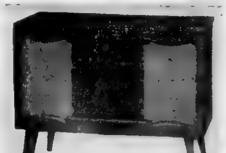

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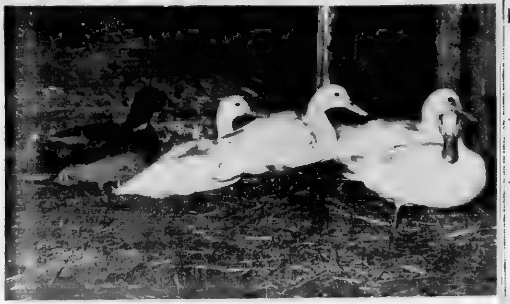

## THE WHITE MALLARDS

Some twelve years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Art Moorby of the Round Hill district had one lone little white duck. When spring came, she spent her days on a roadside pond, swimming and feeding on the insects and roots in the water. In the evenings she would return home to feed with Mrs. Moorby's hens on the grain provided for them.

One day a wild mallard drake settled on the pond, liked the surroundings and the company, so decided to stay. In due time the hen made her nest, laid her eggs and hatched nine ducklings, every one of them wearing the garb of the mallard.

In the fall, the white duck led her flock back to the farmyard to feed on the grain with the hens. On one of these occasions they were rounded up and captured. They were wing clipped and six of them were sent to the Bowthorpe Sanctuary east of Round Hill to join with the ducks on that Sanctuary.

There in spring the wild mallards alight and mingle with the grounded ducks. And there in the nesting season mallard hens, both wing-clipped and full-winged birds, make their nests in any available cover—in the goose pens, the deer pens, under the evergreens, in the raspberry patch, or any other likely place. When the ducklings hatch, the mallard hens take them to one of the five waterholes close to the buildings where feed is available. They appear with from two to fourteen ducklings.

It was not until two years after the introduction of the Moorby birds that white ducklings appeared in some mallard flocks. These grew up to become the white ducks with the black eyes, similar in size, weight and habits to the wild birds.

In recent years, more and more white birds appear in the mallard flocks, and each year some are left to fly high and wide with the wild flocks. It is one of these birds that is occasionally brought down by a hunter's gun.

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## Puppet show coming here in January

The Community League is making preparations for the large crowd expected to be enjoying the Hogarth Puppets on January 8th in the Community Centre.

According to publicity released by the Edmonton Allied Arts Council for the showing of Hogarth Puppets in their Edmonton presentation, "Jan and Ann Bussel have delighted both children and adults throughout Europe, Africa, Australia and New Zealand with their program, 'Through Wooden Eyes'. The show provides an entertaining introduction to the many worlds of puppets—including glove puppets, string marionettes and shadow puppets".

Commenting on their first North American tour, U.B.C. drama field worker Sidney Risk stated, "their performance was a thoroughly enchanting experience for young and old".

Tickets at $1.00 and 50c for adults and children, respectively will soon be on sale by members of the Community League.

## Locals . . .

**FREAK FIRE**

Mr. and Mrs. John Wall had a miraculous reprieve from having their home burned on Tuesday afternoon last week when fire broke out when no one was in the house. It appears fire started from an overloaded electric circuit, stopping a clock, and in turn creating a fire in the basement, then extinguished itself. Rewiring of the house will be necessary.

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There will be no show this Friday night, Dec 10th, as the hall is booked for a wedding dance. "The Fall of Roman Empire" will be shown on Saturday, Dec. 11th, only.

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Miss Shirley Stinson, Dr Beth Empey, Mrs. Cathy Jackson of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs John Wall and daughters, Vicky and Ane Wall of Tofield were at the Stinson home on Sunday to celebrate Shirley's birthday which is December 10th.

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## Mrs. Bratrud pres. Zion LCW re-elects

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PALMER-EARLING, Dec. 3rd —The Zion LCW held their annual meeting Thursday, Nov. 25, in Camrose with Mrs. H. Romsberg. Officers are: pres., (elected) Mrs. Lyle Bratrud; vice-pres., Mrs. Alvin Bratrud; treas., Mrs. Clifford Bratrud and sec., Mrs George Mosby. Sick committee, Mrs. C Hellekson and Mrs. Allan Hellekson. The Bible study was led by Mrs. G. Mosby.

## Kingman news

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Dec. 6th. — The Home and School meets at the school on Friday evening, Dec. 10th, beginning with a brief business session, to be followed by a Christmas party.

The Salem LCW meets at the church on Thursday, Dec. 9th, at 8 p.m. Members please bring mission boxes, and there will be an exchange of gifts. Mrs. O. Bjorgum and Mrs. J. A. Holte are hostesses.

The Well-Baby and Pre-School Clinic will be held at the school on Wednesday, Dec. 15th, at 2 p.m.

Sunday supper guests at the Wyman Christenson home were Pastor and Mrs. G. Ostrem of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. T. Osness, Roger and Daryl, and Mrs. J. A. Holte.

Pastor and Mrs. Henry Holte of Edmonton were Thursday supper guests with Mrs. J. A. Holte.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Acres and family were weekend visitors in Edmonton, where Adele was checked by her doctor. Mr. and Mrs. Acres are pleased to say Adele is doing very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Ording of Saskatoon, Sask., spent the weekend with the E. Wrucks.

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## Boettger - Calvert rites solemnized in Ontario

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Glen Boettger left on a trip to the Eastern United States following their marriage Friday evening at First Mennonite Church, King Street East, Kitchener, Ontario. Rev Robert Johnson officiated.

The bride the former Edythe Gwendolyn Calvert, is a daughter of Mr and Mrs Frank Calvert, RR 1, Preston. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Boettger of Tofield.

Maid of honor was Karen Jutzi of Kitchener, a cousin of the bride. Patricia Sellers was the bridesmaid and Susan Calvert, a sister of the bride, was junior bridesmaid. Both are from Preston.

Attending the bridegroom were Joe Wideman, Derril Boettger, a cousin of the bridegroom, and James Boettger, a brother of the bridegroom. All are from Tofield. Ushers were John Calvert of Kitchener and Harley Stauffer of Edmonton.

A reception followed at the Charcoal Steak House. The couple will live at 61 Becker St., Kitchener, Ont.

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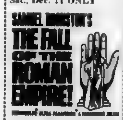


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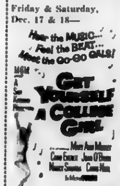


ADULT.

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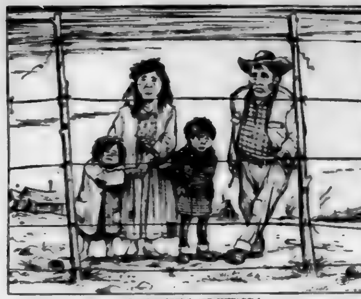

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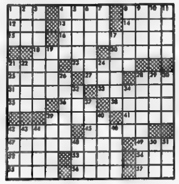

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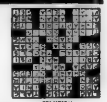


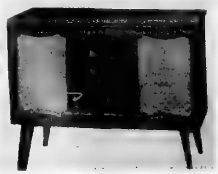

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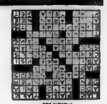

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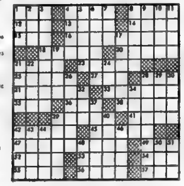

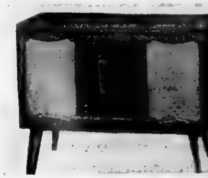

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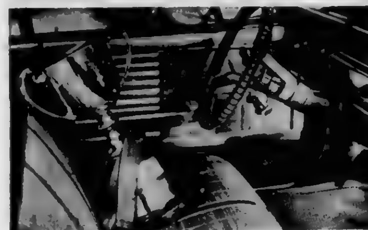

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Spokesmen for the railways are cool to the idea. One pointed out that CPR's Canadian has carried a white flashing light for some time—and that it apparently has done little good.

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## MacDuff Ottawa report

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That there was lack of co-ordination between programs.

That the National Employment Service was badly staffed and not doing the job. That programs were misdirected.

If recognition of the faults and gaps is a step forward, the Department has taken that step. It is recognized, for example, that in previous efforts to get men back to work crash programs have been set on foot that were totally inadequate. Today, with less unemployment a longer term view is being taken.

Curricula and teaching talent is being reviewed in the technical and vocational schools and training programs are being revised. There has been no revision for five years.

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**What is wrong with each of these [redacted]?**

1. I read in your last letter where you said that you couldn't decide which was the best of the two routes.
2. For who is the widow woman painting that picture?
3. One should try and do his best at all times.
4. We feel badly because so many of our family have died from this disease.
5. Their children were never born in California, although they have lived there for several years back.
6. Outside of a bad cold, he is alright.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Culinary.
8. Domicile.
9. Acumen.
10. Incongruous.
11. Incorrigible.
12. Cannes (French resort).

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Accommodation, accumulation, accoutrement, accompaniment, accusatory, fulfillment, furlough, fusion, fuchia, fulmination, armament, arsenal, artillery, arborvitae, arears, chastizement, charlatan, chimerical, chapeau, chanteuse, arduous, armature, aerial, artificiaility, arrogance, acceptible, accessible, apprehensible, comprehendible, susceptible.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "Your LATEST letter said you couldn't decide which was the BETTER of the two routes". 2. Say, "For WHOM", and omit "woman". 3. Say, "One should try TO do ONE'S best at all times". 4. Say, "We feel BAD because so many of our family have died OF this disease". 5. Say, "were NOT born in California", and omit "back". 6. Say, "ASIDE FROM a bad cold, he is ALL RIGHT". 7. Pronounce kyu-li-nair-i, accent first syllable. 8. Pronounce dawm-i-sill, accent first syllable. 9. Pronounce a-kyu-men, accent second syllable. 10. Accent SECOND syllable, not the third. 11. Pronounce in-kahr-i-ji-b'l, accent second syllable. 12. Pronounce as "Kawn".
13. Accouterment, fuchsia, arrears, chastisement, artificiality, acceptable.


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2. If you choose a plastic tree, be sure it is marked as made of slow-burning materials. If it has a built-in lighting system, it should carry the CSA (Canadian Standards Association) label. Metal trees will conduct electricity, so use only indirect lighting. Lighting strings on the trees may create a dangerous shock hazard.

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4. Use non-combustible decorating material (metal, glass, asbestos, etc.) wherever possible. If combustible—like cotton batting, flocking, and paper—be sure they are "flame-proofed".

5. Dispose of gift wrappings promptly.

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## Palmer-Earling notes

Mrs. J. Knudsen

PALMER-EARLING, Dec. 10—Zion LCW met Wednesday at the Alvin Bratrud home, the new president, Mrs. Lyle Bratrud in the chair.

Bible study was led by Mrs. H. Ronsburg. The next meeting will be held Jan. 12th with Mrs. George Mosby hostess.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Stensrud of Bow Island on Dec. 4th, a daughter, weighing seven pounds 14 ounces. The new arrival is a sister for Brian and Wayne and another grandchild for the Henry [illegible]

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hellekson, a son, Brian Earl, on Dec. 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Umrysh of Holden South left Friday for California to spend Christmas with their daughter and family there.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bjerkseth and boys of Burdett were visitors last week with his mother, Mrs. A. Bjerkseth and Borghild.

Peter Reum was an Edmonton business caller Monday.

The John and Elmer Bruce, Lewis Forre and Lawrence Hevland families and Mrs. A. Roth were Sunday pre-Christmas dinner guests at Wetaskiwin with the Robert McKees.

Friday supper guests at the Adrian Bergquist home were the George Mosbys, Alvin and Lyle Bratruds, Harry Johnsons and Allan Helleksons.

Mrs. Eberhard Lien returned home from St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose, on Wednesday.

The Gordon Teskes were Sunday visitors after services, at the Dan Teskes' at Bruce.

## Holden news

Mr. and Mrs. R. Raeder and Mr. Lutz were visitors in Edmonton the weekend of December 4, doing some Christmas shopping.

**BIRTHDAY OBSERVED**

A surprise birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Forre recently to help Mr. Forre celebrate his birthday. There were about twenty relatives and friends present to offer their good wishes and congratulate him on the occasion. He was the recipient of gifts from all. After spending a pleasant social evening, a delicious lunch was served by the ladies.

Mrs. Armand Neilson entertained a number of friends for coffee Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Arthur Story was a visitor in Edmonton for a few days last week with her daughter Florence and family, the Koop Spannenbergs and also with Mrs. John Story, returning home the end of the week.

Mrs. Elna Parsons was a visitor for the day with Mrs. Mabel Sizer, Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Foran were visitors during the weekend in Edmonton with relatives and their son Dale.

Mrs. Kenneth Sorgen visited with Mrs. Lars Ritland on Saturday morning.

Miss Maggie Clark and her mother Mrs. Clark, who have been staying for the past several months with her brother Alex and his wife, left two weeks ago for Bashaw, where they are now residing and where Miss Clark is employed.

**Mr. and Mrs. Walter Komarnicky are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, November 22nd.**

Geo. H. Taylor was a Sunday visitor with his son Robert and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mielimaka, Mr. and Mrs. Lud Mielimaka and Mike Zuzak were visiting with Mrs. Zuzak, a patient in the University Hospital, on Sunday, and were pleased to see that she is now making satisfactory progress.

Bruce Appleby was a visitor with his family, the Bert Applebys, last Friday.

Mrs. Olaf Smorlie was a Monday afternoon visitor with Mrs. Lars Ritland. Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus were also afternoon visitors and coffee

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Your reporter wishes to extend a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to the editor and all members of the staff and their families; also to all readers of The Mercury.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton returned home on Friday from the Tofield hospital after spending nine days as a patient there following a fall on the ice on December 10th.

Dode and Robert Goubault and daughter, Judy, of Drayton Valley, spent Saturday evening in Tofield attending the wedding, reception and dance of Evie Gray and Alan Fair. Dode and Robert were Saturday overnight and Sunday forenoon guests of Dode's parents, John and Mary Wood, and Judy stayed in Tofield overnight and most of Sunday forenoon with her [illegible], Mr. and Mrs. Emil Goubault.

## OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen were Mavis' father, Julius Jacobsen and her nephew and his wife, Dennis and Jeanette Jacobsen, all of Edmonton. They, along with the following Sunday evening guests, namely Doug and Vivian Murray of Tofield, Ollie and Verlyn Moos, Lillian and Percy Fairholme and daughter, Alta May Vic and Elmer Geoglein, and Mr and Mrs. Albert Haukedal were helping Mavis celebrate her birthday.

On Saturday, Dec. 4th, Vivian and Norm Jones of Edmonton were afternoon visitors and luncheon guests of Vivian's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg in Tofield.

Saturday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg were Joe and Ellenor Jones, and evening coffee guests there were Ellen Eaton and Mervin Ross.

Donald Jones was a Saturday overnight and Sunday visitor at the home of his parents, Vivian and Norm Jones in Edmonton.

Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Bonnie and Barb Geoglein were Ronnie's brother, Elmer, and Vi Geoglein of Lakeshore.

On Saturday, Mrs. Mickey Niemetz and daughter, Mrs Patsy Loxton and baby daughter Cheryl, and Mrs Tillie Yukowski motored to Camrose, combining business with pleasure.

## BIRTHDAY GUESTS

Monday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen were Mrs Winnie McLachlan, Mrs Alice Cuney, Mrs. Olga Eglinski, Mrs Doris Schacher, Mrs. Lil Van Buskirk, Mrs. Violet Bailey, Mrs Katie Baergen, Mrs Rose Walker, Mrs. Isabel Rudacki, Mrs. Mae Ferguson and Mrs Irene Warner, who called and helped Mavis celebrate her birthday.

Fred and Erma Onyschuk and daughter, Debbie of Edmonton were Sunday evening callers and coffee guests at the home of Erma's brother, Charlie, and Mickey Niemetz on their way home from visiting Erma's sister, Irlene, and Harold Sieb, earlier in the day.

Howard and Mae Ferguson and son, Nelson, and granddaughter, Wanda Wair, also Mae's mother, Mrs. Roberts and Howard's sister, Mrs. Mabel Bailey motored to Edmonton on Sunday and were dinner and supper guests at the home of Mae's sister, Marguerite and Don Bailey. Don is Mabel Bailey's son.

On Thursday, Dec 2nd, Emil and Martha Tiedemann and their daughter, Yvonne, and Peter Brown of Ketchamont were evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Lawrence and Gladys Gill of Lindbrook.

## BRIDAL SHOWER

About 25 ladies attended a shower held at the home of Mrs. Mabel Hopf in honor of Mabel's niece, Donna Herbert, whose wedding to Dick Oslund of Tofield takes place on Saturday, Dec 18th, at the Tofield United Church. Donna was the recipient of many lovely and useful gifts. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all, followed by a lovely lunch served by the hostesses.

## FAIR - GRAY RITES

Congratulations go to the newlyweds, Evie Gray, daughter of Tod and Zip Gray of Tofield, and Alan Fair of Lacombe, who were married on December 10th at the Tofield United Church. The newlyweds will make their home at Lacombe.

On December 4th, Mrs. Ethel Wood returned to Edmonton with her sister-in-law, Esther, and Joe Majakey, after attending the wedding of their nephew, Jack Goubault at Drayton Valley. Ethel was a Saturday overnight guest there then on Sunday morning Esther took her to the home of Ethel's brother, Doug, and Fran Baines and family to attend the confirmation of her niece and nephew, Patty and Timmy Baines. Ethel remained overnight there and returned home on Monday.

On Thursday Mrs Ethel Wood accompanied Elmer Geoglein to Stettler where she visited with her mother Mrs. Baines, at the Heart Haven Home, having dinner with her there and spent the afternoon, while Elmer attended the horse sale at Stettler.

On Friday afternoon, Mrs Ethel Wood, Mrs. Ollie Moos and Mrs Barb Geoglein motored to Vegreville to attend a meeting at the district agriculturist's office there.


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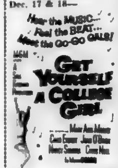


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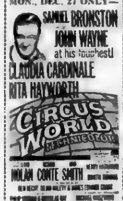


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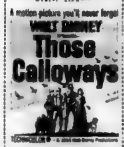


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# Six charter members receive 20-year pins

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —At a recent meeting of the Holden Lodge BPOE, District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler Bro G. E. Tindall of Wainwright was a visitor and installed the officers for the ensuing year, as follows: Bro Zane Bilyk, exalted ruler; Bro. Earl Hardy, past exalted ruler; Bro. G. W Kelly, leading knight; Bro. Oleh Shykora, lecturing knight; Bro John Semotuik, secretary-treasurer; J Lundberg, chaplain; Don Manchur esquire; Bro E. J Appleby, inner guard; Paul Shtokal tyler. Trustees: Lyle Grosland, three years; Nick Shibinski, two years; Bert Appleby, one year. Bro E Hardy pianist. Bro Eugene Bily was appointed the public ity director.

During the meeting, six charter members were presented with 20-year service pins. These members were Bros. E. M. Hardy, Carl Chetney, E. J. Appleby, Alec Black, Bert Appleby and Lyle Grosland. They were initiated into the Holden BPOE Lodge on October 28th, 1945.

# Tofield High School news

Last Friday the Tofield basketball teams and cheerleaders travelled to Viking for two close games, the boys winner theirs 42 to 22 and the girls 11 to 9.

This Friday evening, Tofield will play two exhibition games with Salisbury.

On [illegible] evening, the CJCA DJ's will be emceeing the high school Christmas party, put on by the high school with the junior high students invited.

On Wednesday, Dec. 22nd, the high school will be sponsoring its annual French Day. An afternoon of fine entertainment is planned and everyone is welcome.

On January [illegible] the Hogarth Puppets will be in Tofield, and everyone is reminded that these world famous puppets offer an evening of first enjoyment for one and all. Tickets are on sale from many of the school teachers.

The Tofield Students' Union would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone in the community a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Also we would like to thank everyone for their fine support in '65 and hope to see the same in '66.


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# News briefs from Kingman district

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Dec. 14th. — The Baptist Sunday School will have their Christmas program Sunday evening, Dec. 19th.

The Trondhjem choir will present a program at the Salem Lutheran Church on Tuesday, Dec 21 at 8 p.m. (See church page for further announcements).

Mr. and Mrs. C. Holte of Bittern Lake were Sunday visitors with Mrs. J. A. Holte.

Audrey Anderson of Wetaskiwin spent Saturday to Tuesday with her parents here.

Mr and Mrs. Chuck Greig and boys of Bawlf, Mrs. J. A. Holte and Miss Mabel Simonson were Tuesday evening visitors with Mrs L. Schmidt.

Mr and Mrs. Axel Setterlund, and Mrs. [illegible] McNally of Camrose were Tuesday dinner guests of Mrs. Alex Asp and boys.

Mike [illegible] is a patient in St Mary's Hospital, Camrose.

Miss Joan Hutchinson spent the weekend in Edmonton with Mr and Mrs. Dick Soady.

Mr and Mrs Wilf Johnson and family spent last Saturday at Irma visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Len Liddell and family.

Mr. and Mrs Louis Erga visited with Mrs. Ella Fuglem of Tofield last Tuesday evening.

TO TORONTO

Mrs. Ole P. Haugen left Tuesday for Toronto, to spend Christmas with her son Norman and family.

Mrs. Mary Devonsson of Red Deer was a Friday visitor with her sister, Mrs. Steve Lickoch.

Randy Anderson, Gary Johnson, Cathy These and Don Bradley were Sunday evening visitors with friends at Galahad.

Mrs Walter Roberts and Mrs Dorothy Molatt of Camrose were Thursday overnight guests at the A. M. Wick home.

Mrs. R. Hutchinson, Mrs. A. M. Wick, Mrs. Gary Acres and Mrs. Adolf Tollefson and girls were Thursday callers at the Erick Wruck home to wish Mrs. Wruck happy birthday. Friday evening visitors there were Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ovelson and girls were Sunday visitors at the John Marciszyn home in Edmonton.

The Boy Scouts and Cubs and leaders made a tour of Camrose Fire Hall on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Louis Erga of this district and Hans Boness of Camrose left Monday for Vancouver to visit their mother Mrs. Marie Boness, and in the Glenn Boness home.

Edward Lickoch of Vancouver, B.C., spent the weekend visiting his parents the Mike Lickochs, and the Steve Lickoch family.

## Legion Auxiliary makes donations

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —The Ladies Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion held their monthly meeting Monday evening, Dec 6th, in the Legion Hall, with a good representation of members.

Donations were approved to the Auxiliary Hospital Fund and the Salvation Army. Plans were discussed and made for their annual Christmas Party, at which they will entertain their husbands and escorts. This will be held Monday evening, Dec. 20th.

Election of officers was then held and the new slate of officers for the ensuing year will be installed at the January meeting.

Lunch hostess was Mrs. Nellie Kaluzny.

## Many activities planned for school

(Elaine Walker)

On November 26th the Holden basketball teams met the Tofield teams in Tofield. The Holden girls won their game 21 to 10, while the Tofield boys won 61 to 42 over Holden. The students would like to take this opportunity to thank the community for the fine support they have been giving the games, and to urge them to continue to support their teams.

The annual school Christmas concert will be held on December 22nd, the second last day of school. Many hours of work and practice combine to make this a fine evening of entertainment, attended by many people of the community.

The high school curling has begun and will continue until the bonspiel which will be held on March 5th.

March 26th, a Career Day will be held in the high school with representatives from various professions taking part. Further details [illegible]

Last Friday evening the Tofield gym again witnessed two very fine basketball games. This game was the first meeting of the Ryley and Tofield teams this season. The victors in the girls' game was Ryley while the Tofield boys came out on top in their game.

The following students from the Tofield High School are entered in the ACA annual Christmas bonspiel: Greg Whyte, Brian McFadzean, Dale Christensen and Allan Everitt.

The bonspiel will be held during the Christmas holidays, and the students of the THS wish them the best of luck.

## Salem LCW has Christmas meeting

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Dec 14th. — The Salem LCW held their Christmas meeting on Thursday evening. Devotion was given by Mrs. J. A. Holte, Mrs. Ingvald Ness led the Bible study, and Mabel Simonson gave the treasurer's report. The president, Mrs Holte, read a "thank you" note from Mrs Olaf Hese for flowers received when in hospital and from Mrs Tilda Bergh of Bethany Home thanking for donation received from "Ingathering". It was decided to bring Christmas baking for the Bethany Home the evening of the Sunday School program. Mabel Simonson read the meditation and prayer. Mrs J. A. Holte and Mrs. Ovel Bjorgum were hostesses.

# Church has good year despite fire in June

Mrs. C. M. Rude

BARDO, DEC. 12—The annual meeting of the Bardo congregation was held at the recreational centre on Wednesday evening with Pastor G. Ostrem opening the meeting with scripture reading and prayer.

Reports for 1965 were given. They showed there had been a good year again, despite the fact the church building was struck by lightning and burned to the ground last June.

Mary Finseth gave the nominating committee report and the election of officers resulted as follows: Lester Severson re-elected president, Phillip Anderson, vice-president, Leonard Stauffer re-elected secretary, and Olaf Anderson, treasurer.

Don Litwin is the new deacon, Ingolf Brekkan the new member on parish council, Lief Foshaug trustee. On the music committee are Evelyn Foshaug, Fern Otto and Diane Riel. Organist is Bernice Heiberg with Pat Litwin assistant. Bible camp committee members are Leroy Finseth and Ingolf Brekkan. Grounds committee members are Ivan Foshaug, Lawrence Rude and Arnold Johnson. Head usher is Eysten Heiberg, ushers are Barry Mosby and Kenneth Stauffer with Rober and Ronny Foshaug assistants, auditors are Glen Riel and Sam Cinnamon, and named to the education committee were Mary Finseth, Norma Anderson and Don Litwin. Looking after nominations next year will be Norma Anderson, Borghild Rude and Sam Cinnamon. Sunday school superintendent is Ingolf Brekkan.


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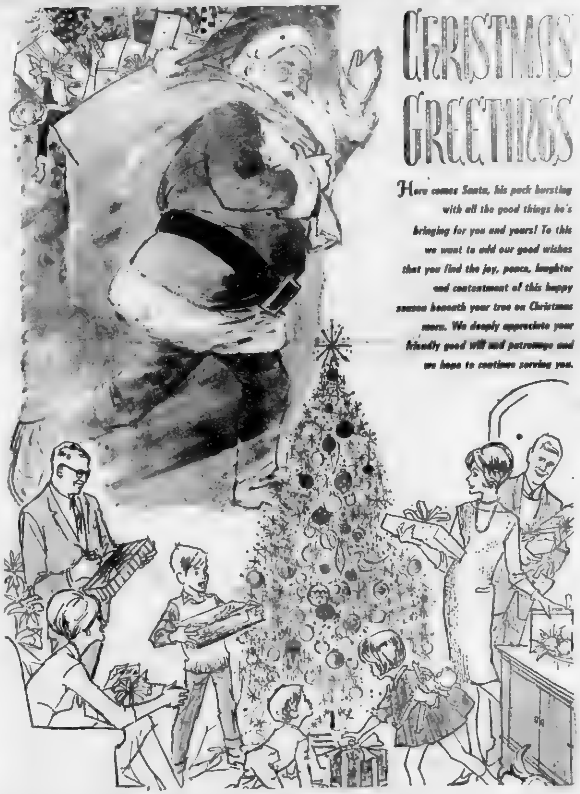

# CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

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## 4-H Clubs plan Centennial project

(M. K. Westmanent)

RYLEY— On December 13th, the Ryley 4-H Clubs held a joint meeting in the home economics room at 7:30 p.m. to discuss plans for a 4-H centennial project.

It was decided that all the clubs would co-operate in combining a book on the history of Ryley and district. Club leaders Mrs. Gladys Asselin, Mrs Ethel Pepper and Mrs. Erna Maaren will supervise this project. Individual clubs will carry on separate centennial projects if they wish to do so.

## Beaver council meets re: new road network

A special meeting of Beaver County council was held Friday, Dec. 3rd with Crs. W A Dorin, A L. Gibson, W Kropielnicki, E M Magneson, J H Rothlick and H Weatherill present. The meeting was called to order at 9:45 a.m. by the Reeve, Cr Magneson.

Purpose of the meeting was to deal with the "Scope and Procedure for Rural Road Inventory for Future Road Needs" as outlined in the manual provided by the Dept. of Highways. The manual was read by the secretary-treasurer and some discussion ensued.

A number of engineering firms who had expressed their desire to undertake this work for the County had been contacted and asked to attend the meeting to place before Council their qualifications and proposals.

Associated Engineering Services Ltd represented by R. H. Nicolson, Alberta branch manager and A B Samuel, liaison officer for the company, attended the meeting at 11:00 a.m. They presented a brief, outlining the qualifications of their personnel and also what services they were prepared to provide for the program in question. The estimated cost was quoted as approximately $4,000, of which the provincial government would pay 50%.

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At 12 noon W E Stollery representing Canadian Engineering Surveys Ltd. attended the meeting and placed before the Council a Brief outlining its qualifications and how they proposed to carry out the work. The cost was estimated at $6,700 on individual basis, that is, if only the County of Beaver was involved. If another Municipality was connected in the same work there would be a reduction of 10% and from then on a reduction of 5% on the balance as more municipalities entered the unit.

At 2:00 p.m. J. Moor and Mr Reddie representing Underwood McMellan and Associates Ltd placed before the Council its proposal. They intended to depend on a lot of aerial photography and estimated the cost at $3,000 to $4,000 per municipality.

Garry J Takacs, representing W J Francl and Associates interviewed the Council at 2:30 p.m. with its proposals. He stated they were presently conducting a survey in the M.D. of Bonnyville and explained the work in detail. The cost would be based on the number of miles of road in the County and he gave a price not to exceed $5,200.

K M McMillan representing Stanley Associates Engineering Ltd interviewed the Council at 3:00 p.m. putting that firm's proposal before the Council. The size of the proposed study area was discussed and Mr. McMillan felt that three or four municipalities would be satisfactory but that the study area should not be larger. The price quoted by Mr McMillan for the study of the County only was $9,000; on a unit basis the cost would be reduced.

Charles Weir of the firm of Stewart Weir Stewart & Watson interviewed the Council at 4:00 p.m. and discussed the matter of survey in quite some detail.

The interviews being completed, some considerable discussion ensued and it was finally moved by Cr. Weatherill that the County of Beaver #9 does undertake the study regarding the "Rural Road Inventory and Future Road Needs" as outlined by the Dept of Highways. Carried.

It was also moved that Crs. Kropielnicki and Rothlick be appointed the members from the County to the Rural Road Committee. Carried.

The matter of the size of the unit area was discussed and it was finally moved that Municipal Districts of Flagstaff, Provost, Wainwright, Lamont and the Counties of Minburn, Vermilion River and Two Hills be approached in regards to the feasibility of forming one unit. Carried.

The Secretary-Treasurer was requested to contact the various units by telephone, to endeavour to arrange for a meeting of the eight areas involved.

Meeting adjourned at 5:10 p.m.

### FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

The following was written Christmas 1926. The words are still applicable today as they were then:

**Some Christmas Thoughts**

There was no room, the inn was full—
A manger was all they could find;
So He came, a stranger, to teach love to mankind.
The angels knew, the cattle knew,
But the world of man is still blind;
To the Redeemer of mankind
Their vision is blurred,
His voice they have ignored—
They cannot see the guiding star
For oppression, hatred and war;
And not till then, and when
They came to know the babe of Bethlehem
Can we say: "Peace on earth, Goodwill towards men".

Wishing The Mercury staff and all our friends A Merry Christmas and the best for the coming year.—J.W.H

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# Locals around the town

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Miss Glenda Patterson is home again, after being in the hospital and having a bout with the 'flu.

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**100TH BIRTHDAY**

Mr and Mrs. J. E. Stinson were present at the Vialta Lodge, Viking, on Saturday afternoon, on the occasion of the 100th birthday of E J Collison. A short program was given with J. H. Reddick in charge, and a very tasty lunch and coffee served at the close.

**OSLUND-HERBERT RITES**

Donna Herbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Herbert, and Dick Oslund of Tofield were married on December 17th at the Tofield United Church. They will make their home in Tofield.

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Mrs. Ted Casselman and daughter Tracy, of Winnipeg, are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Cal Annis and family, where Mr. Casselman will join them for the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Casselman is a sister of Mrs. Annis.

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Mr. and Mrs. Norman Oslund and family arrived here on Friday from Comox, B.C., and will be staying with Mrs. Oslund's mother, Mrs. Olive Sutton, for the Christmas holidays. They are leaving Monday for Nova Scotia, where Norman is stationed with the RCAF.

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Mrs. Julia Normeland, formerly of the Ketchamoot district, now residing with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs J Larbekmo, in Edmonton, has been confined to the Royal Alexandra Hospital for the past week.

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**FRACTURES HIP**

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Happy, cheerful and uncomplaining, this enterprising girl has overcome her severe handicap in an exceptional manner.

We congratulate Joanne. Our thanks to Alberta's Weekly Newspaper Editors for their active co-operation in the Alberta Junior Citizen of the Year program, sponsored by Alberta's investor-owned electric utility companies.

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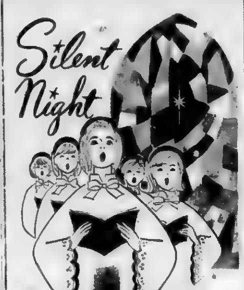


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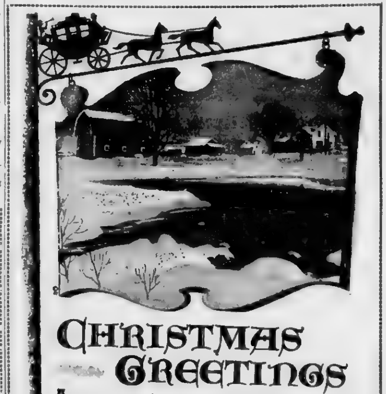

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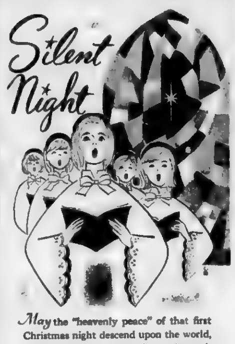



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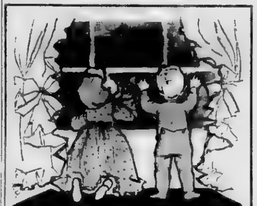

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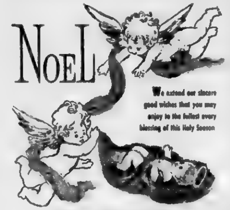

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Following are the minutes, in part, of the meeting of Beaver No. 9 School Committee held Tuesday, December 7th

**Business Arising From Minutes**

In regards to the additional land to be obtained in the Town of Viking, the secretary-treasurer reported that he had been informed by the Director of Rural Planning that the sub-division had been approved and that, therefore, the proposed transfer to the County could be expedited at an early date.

It was moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the Building Program at the Viking School, the secretary-treasurer reported that approval has been received from the Local Authorities Board for the borrowing, of the necessary money and that the application had been forwarded to the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation for permission to sell the debentures to that body. Mr. Pike mentioned that tenders for the sub-trades had been called, with the closing date being 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 15th. It was suggested that the tenders be opened at 7:30 that evening.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and that the tenders for the sub-trades be opened at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 15th.

**Correspondence**

A letter from Murray Lehman of 11110 University Avenue, Edmonton, applying for employment as a school bus driver, was referred to the Committee.

Moved and carried that Mr. Lehman be advised that no full time employment is available at the present time but that, if he so desires, he may be put on the spare driver list.

A letter from the Workmen's Compensation Board, advising that Jim Karenko, Nick Shihinski and Thomas Reed Harray had attended the Workmen's Compensation First Aid Class in Vegreville, Nov. 1st to 10th, and had qualified for the usual awards, was referred to the Committee.

Moved and carried that the correspondence be received and filed.

A letter from Murray E. Stewart, the guest speaker at the Graduation Banquet, in Mr. Pike in response to the check for mileage and honorarium that had been forwarded to Mr. Murray was referred to the Committee. Mr. Murray stated that he had enjoyed being at the Graduation and felt that no contribution was necessary for his expenses, and he requested that the money be put in the fund for next year's graduation.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed, and that a letter of appreciation be forwarded to Mr. Stewart.

A request from D. Tiedemann, the motor mechanic apprentice in the school bus garage, requesting that his attendance for the first year motor mechanic course, scheduled for May 2, 1966, be changed so that the course would be completed by the end of April, was referred to the Committee.

Moved and carried that the Apprenticeship Board be requested to, if at all possible, accommodate Mr Tiedemann at an earlier course

Cy Weitherill reported that he had received a letter from three bus drivers at Tofield—John Wall, John Thiessen Jr. and Charles Sears The letter indicated that they wanted to represent the County in a number of curling events and they asked that the Council supply them with suitable curling sweaters.

Moved and carried that the request be not acceded to.

Moved and carried that the Bus Supervisor's Report for the month of November be accepted and his expense account in the amount of $28.77 be paid.

The secretary-treasurer reported that one of the teachers at Kinsella, not being occupied, had been rented to Roy Gillard for $25 per month as from November 1, 1965.

A.S.T.A. Economic Bulletin No 17 was referred to the School Committee, this bulletin dealing with the "Advanced School in Employer - Employee Relations" to be held December 13th to 15th in Edmonton. The secretary-treasurer informed the Committee that this matter had been dealt with by the Council at its November meeting inasmuch as registrations were required by Dec. 6th. He further stated that the Asst. Secretary-Treasurer, A. R. Cross, together with the Chairman of the School Committee, J. H. Reddick and N. Semeniuk had been appointed to attend this school Mr Semeniuk stated that he was unable to attend.

Moved and carried that J. R. Stinson, together with A. Robert Cross and J. H. Reddick attend this school.

Moved and carried that the

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It's hustle and bustle 'till all is done . . . when it's finished we enjoy the fun. Happy Holidays!

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## To All Our Friends!

With approach of the holiday season, our thoughts are directed towards the many fine associations we have enjoyed and, we pause to extend our hand in friendship to you.

As a business, and as individuals, we at the Co-op, wish to send you a special greeting for our pleasant association and shall try to merit continuance of this relationship.

It is in this spirit of good will towards your fellowman, which we know you will share with us, that we extend to you the sincere wish that you may find true happiness at Christmas and throughout the coming year.

**TOFIELD CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION**



## BRUCELLOSIS CONTROL AREA

### County of Beaver No. 9

TO CATTLE OWNERS—

In October, 1960, a General test of all herds was commenced for the eradication of Brucellosis. The Area was Certified for a period of three years on this test.

Since that time, two programs were instituted to maintain the health status of your cattle:

Herds which show reactions on either of these tests are shipped for slaughter are marked and recorded in the owner's name, a blood sample is collected on slaughter and the results are recorded on the owner's herd file.

2. On the Brucellosis Ring Test for Cream and Milk (H.R.T.) samples are collected at Creameries and Dairy plants periodically and recorded for each shipper in the same manner.

Herds not qualifying under these two programs will require then blood tested, by the use of these programs and the blood tiring of previous infected herds, the Area was Re-Certified until August, 1967.

An Area, such as County of Beaver #9, which has had one re-certification, can become a Brucellosis Free Area for a period of five years if certain requirements are met.

If our records show that you have had 3 Negative Cream or Milk Ring tests in the 18 months prior to August, 1967, or if we have reports of at least 5% per annum of older breeding stock from your herd under the M.C.T. program, then no test will be required on your herd.

Herds not qualifying under these two programs will require a Blood Test before August, 1967.

We will greatly appreciate your co-operation if an additional re-test of your herd is required.

It would be to your benefit that all slaughter cows are back-tagged at marketing outlets. (13-tc)

CHRISTMAS TIME

As the Christmas bells gladden your heart, we wish you a Happy Holiday.

**RALPH & IDA MASON**

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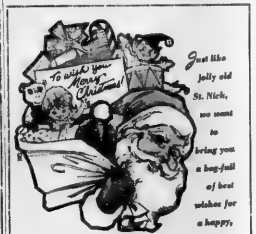


Just like jolly old St. Nick, we want to bring you a bag-full of best wishes for a happy, hearty holiday season. May the gifts of good health and good cheer be yours.

**W. A. SWIFT**

TOFIELD

FORD — FAIRLANE — FALCON




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schools in the County close for Christmas vacation at 3:30 p.m. on Dec. 23, and reopen at 9:00 a.m. Jan. 3.

In regards to the bus service from Bruce school to Holden, the Superintendent reported that this service seemed to work out very well, the only complaint being that the buses were arriving at Bruce somewhat early in the morning, this posing a problem in keeping the students occupied until they were ready to go to Holden.

A letter from the Tofield Historical Society petitioning the County of Beaver No. 9 to do all in its power to have the original Tofield School District No 276 restored to the present Tofield School District No. 1890. The letter stated that the original Tofield School District was formed in 1890 under the government of the Northwest Territory and became known as the Tofield School District No. 276. The school was situated on the west side of the N.W quarter of Sec 8-51-18-W4th. this school served the district north and south of it. In the spring of 1903 it became necessary to make more room for pupils, so the Lake Shore School District was formed, thus dividing the present school district. The Tofield School District then decided to build a school on the S.E. corner of Sec 36-50-19-W4th. This school opened in the fall of 1905, known as Tofield School District No 276. By the fall of 1907 the Village had grown so that two new rooms were needed, and arrangements were made for the junior pupils to attend school in the Village and the senior pupils to attend the country school In 1909 a four-room school was built in the Village and the then present school was moved to the newly-formed Ingram School District situated on the S.W corner of S.W 30-50-18-W4th and the School District No 276 went with the school, being applied to the Ingram School District. The Tofield Village School got the number 1929. The fact is that the number of the school district indicated the order in which the schools were built so that the original Tofield school would be the 276th school in the Northwest Territories This, of course, is a historical fact that should be cherished, and endeavors should be made to have the original number allocated to the Tofield School District

Mr. Pike stated that he had discussed the matter with the Deputy Minister of Education, who had stated that, if the School Committee had no objection, the request would be acceded to and the Tofield School District would again be known as No. 276.

Moved and carried that application be made to the Dept. of Education to have the original School District No. 276 restored to the Tofield School District

In regards to the alterations at the Viking School for the Administration Centre, Mr. Pike stated that Nick Shihinski was of the opinion that he and his crew could very well take care of this alteration work durnig the winter. He also stated that Stan Kubik had inquired if he could get a van for his men to travel from Ryley to Viking during the construction work at Viking, and arrangements were made with the bus supervisor to provide a 36-passenger bus for this purpose.

Moved and carried that the alterations for the Administration Centre for Viking school be done by the County Maintenance crew and that a crew vehicle be furnished to Stan Kubuk while the construction to the Viking school addition is in progress.

**Milk Dispenser**

Henry Page, manager of Palm Dairies Limited Plant at Tofield, and W. W. Gordon, representing Palm Dairies Limited at Edmonton, attended the meeting at this time at the request of the Superintendent, concerning the milk dispensers at Tofield, Ryley and Holden Cal Annis, Principal of the Tofield School, and Lars Olson, Principal at the Holden School, were also in attendance Mr Annis complained of the quality of milk and the fact that at times the bottles were very dirty with milk having been spilt over them and then the dust accumulating in the moisture He also complained about the accounting Lars Olson had somewhat similar complaints Mr Gordon stated that the had been no written contract when in 1961 the Palm Dairies started to supply milk to the schools The commission was to be one cent per bottle the first year and 1½ cents the year after with no charge for broken bottles. Some considerable discussion ensued and it appeared that the main complaint was in the accounting and that the commission was not being returned as calculated by the schools At this time Mr Gordon offered to sell the refrigeration units at $200 apiece The cost price had been $675 apiece in 1961. He offered to sell these units for a payment of $10 per month for the 18 months in the school year, and a commission, at 3 cents per bottle. After Mr. Page

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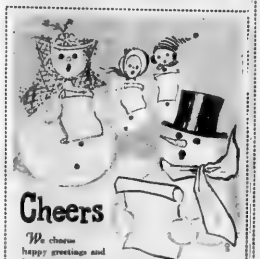


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STAN KWASNEY

**ROYAL ALEXANDRA HOTEL**

TOFIELD ALBERTA

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and Mr Gordon retired the question of purchasing the refrigerator units were discussed and it was suggested that if the County would purchase the units and allow the schools to retain the full commission, this would be placed in a separate bank account to be used for library purposes

Moved and carried that an offer be made to Palm Dairy Limited to purchase the three refrigerator units for $500 cash, payable Jan 1st, 1966.

Moved and carried that each school be allowed to retain the commission, 2 cents per bottle, such commission to be deducted at source and to be used for library purposes.

Mr Olson brought up the ruling that a teacher was required to follow the school bus, when it was transporting pupils on extra curricular activities, and that a certain amount of complaints were made and that, if a mileage payment was considered, it might be easier to get teachers to do this course. However, he stated that this was not too crucial but that he had been requested by the Principals' Association to bring this up with the School Committee Mr Olson was reminded that this provision had been made more or less at the request of the teachers so that the school bus could be used for extra curricular activities even if the weather conditions were not entirely satisfactory

Mr Stinson volunteered to attend the Principals' meeting on January 3rd

Cr Gibson and Mr Stinson reported on the A T A. Convention which they had attended.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted, and that a letter of appreciation be forwarded to the A.T.A for having acted as host for the School Committee

The matter of the garage at the teacherage occupied by Mrs. Carpenter was brought up, a larger entrance door being needed so as to make it easier to drive the car into the garage. Also the fact that H Quinton had been been renting part of this garage and that he still wanted to rent the west end of the building which was partitioned off from the rest of the garage

Moved and carried that the part of the garage in question be rented to Mr. Quinton for $5 per month subject to 30 days notice

This being Cr Magneson's last School Committee meeting, the Chairman Cr Roddick, expressed the thanks of the School Committee members for the work that Cr Magneson had done on the School Committee since the County's inception in January of 1958, and wished him the best in his retirement Cr Magneson replied, thanking the Chairman for his kind remarks, and stating that he hoped that he had in some small way been able to contribute something to the County's School System.

**DONATIONS IN MEMORY OF THE LATE JACOB REGEHR**

To Cancer Fund — Thornby School Staff; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Dueck, Mr and Mrs. Walter Kropielnicki; Mr. and Mrs. Anton Knudslien, Mr and Mrs. F G Loades Mr and Mrs. Pete Wiens, Mr and Mrs O G Bruce, 11532 80 Avenue, Edmonton, Mr and Mrs. C. Penner, Mr J. Dueck, Mr. J. Knudslien; Mr. and Mrs. J. Stumbo; Mr and Mrs. Ed Magneson, Mr and Mrs. R Mazara, Mr and Mrs. Bill Wiens, Mr and Mrs John Stauffer, Albert and Agnes Hankedal, Mr and Mrs. Frank Dunham, all of Tofield; Mr and Mrs. George Heidebrecht, Calgary

To Tofield Mennonite Church Building Fund — Mr and Mrs. David Boese, Mr and Mrs J. E. Stinson, Mr and Mrs. Jerry Weins; Mr Horace Seller; Mr. and Mrs. W A. Mitchell.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Dec. 17

Mr. and Mrs Frank Urlacher, and Mr and Mrs Arnold Seabar, Charlotte Yvonne Audrey and Peggy of Round Hill, motored to Olds on Sunday where they were dinner guests with the Ralph Urlachers

Sam Olsen and Ken and Arden were Sunday dinner guests at the Chester Thrundson home, Camrose North

Hans Huseby was an Edmonton caller recently

**The Bob Beattie family motored to Swift Current, Sas., where they attended the funeral of their niece Denise Dyrland, age 16, on Dec. 4th. Denise was eldest child of Mrs. Beattie's sister, and was ill only a short time. She was the church pianist, and also taught music.**

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs Lawrence Pearse Mr and Mrs Olaf Smorlie, and Mr and Mrs, John Nordstrom were Sunday dinner guests with Mrs Mabel Sizer, at Holden

Saturday supper guests at the Frank Urlacher home, from Fairview were Joe Noulette and Mr and Mrs Ralph Moscolic. In the evening they were overnight guests at the Anton Peter home.

The Arnold and Bert Hovelands of Camrose were Sunday evening visitors at the Cliff Bratrud home

**BIRTHDAY OBSERVED**

Callers Friday night at the L. Forre home for Lewis's birthday were Ed Joe, Alice and Edna Aker John Bruces, Lars Olsen Helmut Roths Mrs Mabel Brown Archie and Tom Browns Wm Tenants Cliff Forres, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Tenant, Chris and Raymond Hoveland Holden, and Fernie Forres Tofield. Saturday evening the Carl Sorensons and Mabel and Dennis Meadahl Camrose, and the Jake Noulette's were guests for the occasion.

Relatives and friends spent Saturday night with the Tom Browns, honoring Geraldine's birthday

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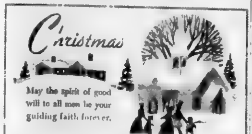

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# 'First' for Ryley as new elevator opened

The Village of Ryley was the scene of a "first" Friday afternoon when the Alberta Pacific Grain Co. officially opened its new grain elevator. This marked the first time, according to AP officials, that any of the company's elevators has had an official opening.

**CUTS RIBBON**

Handling the scissors for the ribbon-cutting ceremony, with a good number of Ryley and district residents in attendance, was the deputy reeve of the County of Beaver, W. Kropielnicki.

On hand, representing the company, were Cliff McArthur, general manager, Al Meston, manager; Vern Graff, divisional superintendent; Hugh Johnston, manager of retail department; Mike Bowie, inspection department, and Olaf Bruce, travelling superintendent. All officials with the exception of Mr. Bruce are from Calgary. Mr. Bruce works out of Edmonton.

The new elevator is situated adjacent to and immediately west of the first AP elevator in Ryley. Started last September and completed about the middle of last month, the new elevator has a capacity of about 58,000 bushels of grain. Total capacity of the new and old units, along with two annexes, will be in the neighborhood of 148,000 bushels. One man, Pete Wiens, will operate both elevators. Mr. Wiens has been agent at Ryley for about 10 years.

Following the ribbon-cutting ceremony, the first load of grain to be dumped was hauled in by Victor Romaniuk, a Ryley district farmer.

# Tofield Students' Union report

On Friday, Dec. 10th, the Salisbury and Tofield basketball teams met in Tofield for two well-played exhibition games. The Salisbury girls' team went home the victors with a score of 22 to 10, while the Tofield boys won another hard-earned game, 42 to 38 from Salisbury.

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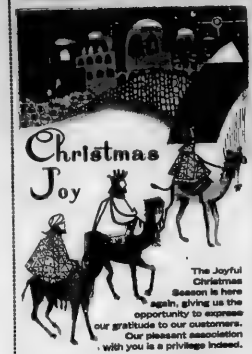

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# 'First' for Ryley as new elevator opened

The Village of Ryley was the scene of a "first" Friday afternoon when the Alberta Pacific Grain Co officially opened its new grain elevator. This marked the first time, according to AP officials, that any of the company's elevators has had an official opening.

CUT RIBBON

Handling the scissors for the ribbon-cutting ceremony, with a good number of Ryley and district residents in attendance, was the deputy reeve of the County of Beaver, W. Kropielnicki.

On hand, representing the company, were Cliff McArthur, general manager, Al Meston, manager, Vern Graff, divisional superintendent, Hugh Johnston, manager of retail department, Mike Bowie, inspection department, and Olaf Bruce, travelling superintendent. All officials with the exception of Mr Bruce are from Calgary. Mr. Bruce works out of Edmonton.

The new elevator is situated adjacent to and immediately west of the first AP elevator in Ryley. Started last September and completed about the middle of last month, the new elevator has a capacity of about 36,000 bushels of grain. Total capacity of the new and old units, along with two annexes, will be in the neighborhood of 140,000 bushels. One man, Pete Wiens, will operate both elevators. Mr Wiens has been agent at Ryley for about 16 years.

Following the ribbon-cutting ceremony, the first load of grain to be dumped was hauled in by Victor Romaniuk, a Ryley district farmer.

## Tofield Students' Union report

On Friday, Dec 10th, the Salisbury and Tofield basketball teams met in Tofield for two well-played exhibition games. The Salisbury girls' team went home the victors with a score of 22 to 10, while the Tofield boys won another hard-earned game, 42 to 30 from Salisbury.

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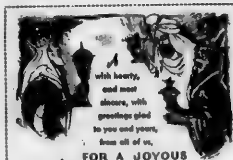
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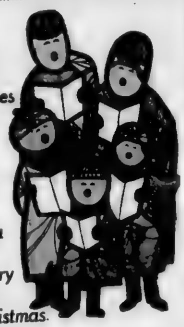
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## Ministik news

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

Your reporter wishes to extend Season's Greetings for a Very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year to The Mercury staff, other reporters and friends near and far.

On behalf of friends and relatives I would also like to extend Season's Greetings to Miss Bella Moss in an Edmonton hospital, and to Mrs W F Davenport in Camrose hospital.

Church services were conducted by Eric Wiggins on Sunday. He reminded church-goers of the Christmas Eve service at 8 30 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

HALL BOARD MEETING

The annual meeting of the Ministik Hall Association was held Wednesday evening and a good report of business done through the year was made known. Bill Reddick was chosen as a new board member for next year. Others on the board remained the same, namely Pat Paterson, James Holmes, Richard Hettman and Mrs Albert Horricks.

Mr and Mrs Alex McSporran were Wednesday afternoon tea guests of Mrs S George.

Mr and Mrs. Albert Horricks attended a Christmas party in Edmonton on Saturday evening.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Claude Leach, who had been a patient in Tofield hospital for three weeks, returned to his home on Saturday afternoon. Continued good health is wished him from friends and neighbors.

Jack Steel returned to his home last week, after a stay in the Col Mewburn Hospital, Edmonton.

Verden Sears has been a 'flu victim for the last four or five days and a speedy recovery is wished him.

The Ministik Community Club enjoyed an evening's curling on Saturday in Tofield.

Mrs Andrew Ferguson was an Edmonton shopper on Thursday and Saturday.

Mr and Mrs. John Jones and Sandra of Clover Bar were Friday evening guests of Mr and Mrs. T. A Jones. Sunday visitors were Mrs Robert McCaig and Donald of Edmonton and Mr and Mrs Bjerkness and family from Wilkie, Sask. Mr Bjerkness attended school in Saskatchewan with the older members of the Jones family.

Mrs Irene Williams of Edmonton was a weekend guest of her son Keith and family.

Mr and Mrs. Jim Moore of Whitecourt were guests of Mrs Helen Hennessy on Thursday.

the Spirit of Christmas
May the world rejoice again in the spirit of the season.
OLSEN and ARMSTRONG
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# EMPLOYERS

# Canada Pension Plan Deductions Begin Jan. 1st 1966

**Employers must deduct contributions from employees who are aged 18 to 70 and paid at a rate equivalent to more than $600 a year.**

**Contributions of 1.8% are payable on earnings of between $600 and $5,000 a year as set out in The Canada Pension Plan Contribution Tables.**

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# John Thomsons celebrate 32nd wedding anniversary

On Saturday evening, Dec. 11, relatives, friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs John Thomson to help them celebrate their 32nd wedding anniversary, the actual date of the anniversary being December 5th

There was, apparently, quite a difference in the weather now and on their wedding day as the winter of 1933 was very cold. Even their flowers which were transported from the station by team and sleigh caused a great deal of concern in the freezing weather, but they somehow weathered the elements. The bridal attendants also had a long cold drive in order to be present.

Dorothy and John received a lovely bouquet of red carnations from their son Donald, which very proudly graced the kitchen table.

To start the evening's festivities, a red corsage tied with a white ribbon bow was pinned on the bride of 1933, and a shimmering white chrysanthemum on the groom. A quiz contest was enjoyed by all, wherein contestants teamed the answer with articles laid on the table. Russell Ferguson and Mrs. Reg. Crispin were the winners.

An interesting story was read on the happy couple's courtship and wedding, which caused much hilarity and a little reminiscing. John replied very capably to this.

Dorothy and John were married in Dorothy's parental home, the Crawford Baptists. The Rev Albert Wallis performed the ceremony and Russell and Mabel Ferguson were their attendants. They were both present at this party.

The usual poetry was read and nearly everyone present had a humorous anecdote to relate. A very lovely lunch was served and pictures were taken of John and Dorothy cutting their cake, which was prettily decorated in Christmas pastels, with a miniature bride and groom holding a big heart with the figures "32" inscribed on it.

Everyone voted an enjoyable evening, and departed for home wishing John and Dorothy many more happy years together

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Miss Evelyn Cook was helping Melvin Loch last week with the interior painting of his new home.

Pupils, teachers, bus drivers and janitors will enjoy a ten-day respite from daily school attendance.

Miss Karen Bradley of Edmonton was a guest at the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys.

Mr. and Mrs Raymond Loch and family of Kamloops, B.C., arrived by car Sunday evening, to spend the Christmas holiday with Mr. and Mrs Alphonse Loch and family

Season's Greetings are extended to Ministik and Hastings Lake friends from three former students on this field namely Miss Helen Irwin of Toronto, Mr and Mrs Blake Anderson of Vanderhoof, B.C., and Mr and Mrs. Howard Munro of Valleyview.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Josko, Chris and Jeffrey left Tuesday morning by car for a two-weeks' vacation in San Francisco and other western points.

Mr and Mrs. Adam Dekinder of Stony Plain are spending part of their Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Sears.

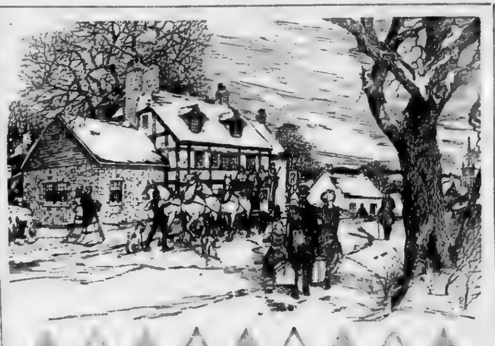
Mr and Mrs. Ralph Leach, Donna and Brian, and Mrs. Claude Leach were Saturday afternoon shoppers in Tofield

Mrs Russell Rowland, Mrs Keith Williams and Ronald Ferguson attended the Christmas turkey bingo in Tofield last Thursday evening. Ronald won a lovely turkey

The convener of the children's Christmas party, Mrs Jim Roddick wishes to thank the children, parents and everyone who in any way helped to make the party the success it was, and a Merry Christmas to all

Mrs. Lloyd Grummett and Mrs. S. George attended the Hastings Lake Ladies' Club party at the hall on Thursday afternoon

Gordon Kilfoyle returned to his home last Thursday, after spending two weeks at Chilliwack, B.C. He plans to return some time in January to spend the remainder of the winter.



GREETINGS

In the true spirit of the season, we wish you all the "old-fashioned" joys of the holidays... the ever-new delights of good friends around you, good times and good cheer, and the gladness of exchanging gifts and greetings.

And, in a spirit of sincere gratitude, we wish to extend our thanks for your favors and friendly good will. Each day in our business life makes us appreciate more deeply how much our pleasant association means.

Management and Staff

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# Harboway - Lawson wedding solemnized at Tofield

The Tofield United Church was the scene of a double-ring ceremony on November 6th, uniting in marriage Verna Edith, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M Lawson, and William Harboway, son of Mr and Mrs. S Harboway of Edmonton. Rev Wm McDonald officiated. Mrs. Hinson was the organist, and during the signing of the register Vernon Walker sang "The Wedding Prayer".

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiant in a floor-length gown of white peau de soie trimmed with seed pearls and styled with a scooped neckline and lily-point sleeves. Her shoulder-length veil was held in place by a crown headpiece. Her jewellery consisted of a pearl necklace, a gift from the groom, and she carried a bouquet of Colonial roses with white streamers covered with rosebuds

The bride's attendants were Miss Judy Mitchell, a friend, as maid of honor, Miss Irene Lawson, a sister of the bride, and Miss Louise Moore, a friend, as bridesmaids. They wore identical floor-length gowns of red silk velvet with matching headpieces and carried bouquets of white carnations. The flower girl was little Shannon Nickols, cousin of the bride, who wore a white velvet dress and carried white carnations

The groom's attendants were a friend Zane Pajak, Dennis Lawson, a brother of the bride, and Alex Harboway, the groom's brother. Ushers were Wesley Lawson and Andy Harboway

The bride's mother chose a rosewood ensemble of lace over crepe styled with a bolero jacket. She wore black accessories and a corsage of white orchids. The groom's mother wore a double-knit suit of red with matching accessories, and white orchids on corsage.

Following the wedding a reception for 90 guests was held in the church parlors, catered by the Ketchamont U.C.W. The bride's table was centred with a three-tiered wedding cake surrounded by candles. The cake was made by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Annie McGinitie, and beautifully decorated by Mrs. Henry McGinitie. Master of ceremonies was Zane Pajak, and toast to the bride was proposed by Rev. McDonald, to which the groom ably responded. A telegram of congratulations was read from the bride's Aunt Edna at the West Coast. During the reception Mr Walker sang "I'll Walk Beside You". Mrs. Peter Brown, cousin of the bride, was in charge of the guest book.

Out of the district guests were from Calgary, Olds, Camrose, Edmonton, Evansburg, Whitecourt and Holden.

The happy couple will make their home in Edmonton.

# Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to one and all!

Mrs. Ellen Eaton and Mervin Ross motored to Lavoy on Sunday afternoon to visit Ellen's brother-in-law, Guy Westman who is in his late 80's. While there they were late afternoon luncheon guests, along with his daughter Grace Hubbard and her daughter Bernice Nowicki and Kathy of Edmonton. Later another daughter, Mrs. Vera Roper and two children and Bill McCutcheon also called

Barbara Baines of Edmonton spent the weekend from Saturday to Tuesday with her aunt Mrs. Ethel Wood and family

Leslie and Mabel Jones and their two sons and their families motored to Camrose on Sunday to attend their annual Christmas family gathering of Mabel's parents in honor of her mother who is now in her 90's

Emil and Martha Tiedemann attended the Christmas concert at Hastings Lake Hall on Friday night, sponsored by the Ladies' Club of that district. The concert was of the old-time variety with the adults and children all taking part in the plays, recitations and carol singing, etc., which made for a very enjoyable evening for all.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton and Mervin Ross motored to Holden Monday evening where Ellen attended the United Church Sunday School Christmas concert along with her son Leroy and Shirley Eaton and little daughter Margie who was taking part for the first time

News is scarce this week as everyone is busy with Christmas preparations. We hope you will have your news items ready after New Year's and co-operate with your reporter. Thank you

# Former Tofield man, Thomas Cory passes

On November 12th, Thomas Turpin Cory of 9605 95 Avenue, Edmonton, passed away. He leaves to mourn, besides his loving wife Grace, one son Richard in California, one daughter Enid (Mrs. E. Schiller) of Edmonton, 10 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren, also four sisters and three brothers.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, Nov. 16, at the Foster & McGarvey Funeral Chapel, with Rev. G. Cannon officiating. Interment was in Evergreen Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Cory came to Tofield in 1917 and was agent for the Searle Grain Co. here. He had been in poor health for two years prior to his death. Mrs. Cory is spending the winter with her son Dick in California, where he is now in charge of the Memorail in Disneyland.

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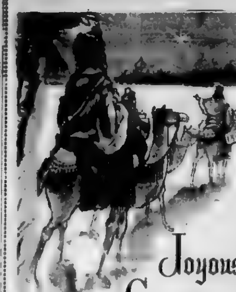

Joyous Greetings

Our wish for you: that you and your loved ones may find the peace, hope and abiding love of that first Christmas filling your hearts and your home throughout the joyous holiday season.

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## This Business Of Farming — 1966

Lionel Moore (extreme left), supervisor of farm broadcasts for the CBC Prairie Region and host of the 1965 edition of THIS BUSINESS OF FARMING — a farm television short course — is pictured here with three participants in this new series who are from the Manitoba Department of Agriculture. They are (left to right): Doug Stevenson, sheep and swine fieldman; Bill Johnson, agricultural economist, and Peter Herner, dairy cattle fieldman. This five-day series on modern farming will be seen over the CBC prairie network of 16 stations, Jan. 10th to 14th.

## 4-H Clothing Club meets Dec. 7th

The Ryley 4-H Clothing Club held their regular monthly meeting on December 7th. Each member brought a gift to send to Santa Anonymous in Edmonton, hoping to make some children happy this Christmas.

All projects are now being started in preparation for the achievement day in the spring. Project books containing record keeping, stain removal, good grooming, etiquette, as well as wardrobe plans are also being started.

Mrs. Eric Michie, former club leader, was forced to discontinue as leader of the club, and all were sorry that she is unable to complete the year with the club. The new leader, Mrs. Rudy Misera, who is interested in young people and also in sewing.

The leaders and girls of the Ryley 4-H Clothing Club would like to wish everyone in the Ryley and surrounding area a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

## Holden COHP has December meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Holden Lodge COHP held their regular meeting Tuesday, Dec. 14th, with a very good turn out of members. Regular business was attended to and reports of committees received, also the report of Chamber of Commerce dinner catered to December 7th.

Donations were made to Woods Christian Homes and St. Mary's Home. The Lodge also held a short Memorial Service in memory of departed members. A date was set for their birthday party to be held in January when the lodge will be 30 years old. Lunch hostesses were Ladies Mary Hardy and Elizabeth Campbell

## Toby Homelands mark 25th anniversary

On December 6th, close friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Toby Homeland to celebrate and wish them well on their 25th wedding anniversary.

Gifts and a purse of money were presented to the happy couple by Ken Sutton and Charlie Kallal.

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Shown above is Inge Paul, featured in the exciting new world of Ice Capades, coming to Edmonton Gardens this month. More details may be found in this week's advertising columns.

## Emergency measures unit to complete police plan

The meeting of the County of Beaver No. 9 Emergency Measures Unit meeting held in Ryley on December 8th agreed that a police plan be completed, and that assistance from Northern Zone Headquarters be requested in this regard.

George Taylor advised that a welfare plan had been completed.

The secretary said he had received no information in reply to a request regarding the casualty collecting units.

Fred Thompson said these units had now been split [illegible] and assigned to various areas. There are about 25 units assigned to various districts in Northern Zone. He said that he would take the unit's request if it still wanted these collecting units. It was agreed to ask for two units.

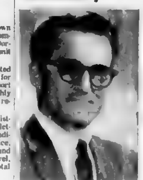
Father Scriven advised he had a rescue course set to start Jan. 10th.

The secretary read a letter from the Town of Viking advising that David Dorward would replace Selmer Hafso as the town representative on the unit committee. It was agreed Mr Dorward be accepted on the unit committee.

Fred Thompson then presented the annual progress report for 1965 for completion. This report was gone over quite thoroughly and brought up to date as regards to personnel.

The 1966-67 Financial Assistance Program was then completed. It showed proposed expenditures as follows: personal service, $1,400; travel, $250; rent and utilities, $20, candidate's travel, $50, training supplies, $5. Total $1,785.

## New sales rep. for Mercury



GENE THIRSK

Gene Thirsk this week became the sales representative in Tofield, Ryley and Holden for The Tofield Mercury.

Mr Thirsk is no newcomer to the advertising field, having been a member of the Camrose Canadian sales department for the past five years.

His predecessor, Angus Barlow, was forced to give up The Mercury sales calls because of added duties in Camrose and Wetaskiwin.

# Province orders shorter work-week

Effective January 1, 1966, a maximum 44-hour work week in industry becomes uniform throughout Alberta. Effective July 1, 1966, a $1 an hour minimum wage in industry becomes standard throughout the province by order of the Board of Industrial Relations.

Maximum hours of work in areas of 5,000 population and less, are reduced from a 9-hour day and a 48-hour week to a maximum 9-hour day and 44-hour week, effective January 1, 1966. In 1952 the 44-hour week first became effective in Alberta when the Board ordered a 44-hour week in the cities of Edmonton, Calgary, Lethbridge and Medicine Hat. In 1961 a 44-hour week was extended to all cities, towns and villages having a population over 5,000. The new order makes a maximum 44-hour work week mandatory in Alberta.

Maximum hours of work for those employed in the following industries are reduced from 208 to 191 hours in a month effective January 1, 1966: geophysical exploration, land surveying, oil well servicing, highway construction (maximum 10-hour day), saw mills from November 1 to March 31 (maximum 9-hour day) and day-labor camps (maximum 10-hour day).

The minimum hourly wage for workers in industry in areas of population of 5,000 and under is increased from 85c to 90c effective January 1, 1966, and $1 an hour in July. Farm labourers, domestic servants, municipal police and those who come within the application of the federal labor code are excluded from provisions of the new order.

## Hi school hi-lites

(Elaine Walker)

This Friday the Viking and Tofield basketball teams will meet in Tofield. Everyone is invited to attend.

On Saturday the T.P.C. Zone Curling Playoffs will be held in Ryley beginning at 9:00 a.m. Tofield will be represented by the team of Greg Whyte, Brian McFadzean, Alan Everitt and Dale Christensen. This same team represented Tofield in the A.C.A. Christmas bonspiel held in Edmonton. Although they did not finish in the prizes, they made a very creditable showing.

The new trophy donated by Harold Weatherill of Deborah Hereford Farms has arrived and will be presented each year to the league champions of the high school boys' basketball games.

At the high school mixed bonspiel to be held on March 5th a new trophy will be presented. The trophy was donated by the Gallinger Farms and is on display in the Tofield High School. The replacement was necessary due to the fact that the Tofield High School has won the original Killearn Trophy for three years in succession and therefore eligible to keep it.

The Tofield Students' Union wishes to thank these generous, public-minded citizens for their continued support of the activities of our school.

## School district numbers change

H. Alf Pike, superintendent of schools for the County of Beaver, advised The Mercury there has been a switch in the numbering of two school districts, one of which is Tofield.

Tofield, formerly number 1909, will now be No. 376. Ingram school district, formerly No. 376, will now be No. 1909.

The change became effective Dec. 20th, according to Mr. Pike.

## Rural fire Ass'n to meet soon

The annual meeting of the Tofield Rural Fire Association will be held next Wednesday in the Tofield Legion Hall at 1.30 p.m. sharp. There may have to be some changes made in the by-laws to meet changing conditions.

Members should be present to assure that business is being looked after efficiently. "If anyone has any beefs, the annual meeting is the place to air them", says President Elmer Googlein.

There were fires at the farms of three members, and one church fire, all of which were attended during the year.

## Three local publishers acquire ownership of Wetaskiwin Times

K. E. G. Patrige, C. A. MacLean and H. G. Meyer of The Tofield Mercury have formed a new company, Wetaskiwin Times Limited, which has acquired ownership of Wetaskiwin's weekly newspaper, The Times. It was formerly owned by William Draayer, who will continue as editor of The Times.

All members of the present Times staff will continue with the firm. In addition, John Mohler of Camrose has taken charge of the mechanical production of The Times, and will be moving his family to that city in the near future. Angus Barlow, advertising director of The Canadian, will be in charge of advertising sales in Wetaskiwin on a part-time basis, working with the present sales representatives in Wetaskiwin.

## FUA, FWUA meet jointly

At the December 14th joint meeting of Tofield FUA and FWUA the two delegates to the annual convention, G. Abernethy and Herb McAdoo, gave their reports of the highlights and main resolutions that came before the convention. The men served a delicious turkey lunch.

For the meeting next Tuesday, it was agreed that Bill Harper be asked to show slides of his recent trip across China. From reports of those who have seen these slides, they are very interesting and well worth seeing.

This meeting is to start sharp at 8:00 p.m., with the pictures being shown first and a short annual meeting to follow. Mr. Harper is coming quite a distance, so members are asked to be courteous and give him a good turn-out. Come and bring a neighbor suggests the president, or better still, bring two.

It is hoped the ladies will again be present. Meeting place is Tofield Legion Hall.

## Youths win ag. awards

Two youths from the Highway 14 area won diplomas this session at the Vermilion School of Agriculture.

Bob Mons of Tofield completed requirements in the general pattern, while Richard Tymchak of Holden gained his certificate in the animal science major program.

Both certificates were presented Saturday, December 18, at a banquet and dance winding up the first session for the school year. Present were students, staff, and several invited guests, who presented many of the awards.

### THE WEATHER . . .

| Dec. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 29 | -13 | -18 | 27 34 | 75" snow |
| 30 | -11 | 16 | 27 48 | ——— |
| 31 | -12 | -32 | 27 43 | ——— |
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| 1 | -14 | -34 | 27 68 | ——— |
| 2 | -13 | -33 | 27 60 | ——— |
| 3 | -16 | -31 | 27 77 | 03" snow |
| 4 | -20 | -37 | 27 80 | 60" snow |
| 5 | — | -39 | 27 90 | ——— |

# Community league has progressive year in '65

Tofield Community League's annual meeting on January 4, was preceded by a delicious and much-enjoyed pot-luck supper arranged by D. W. Jacobs and Reid Burchard. In spite of the bitterly cold weather 50 people were in attendance at this annual function of the League.

At the business meeting which followed the supper, the financial report given by the League's treasurer, H. E. Christensen, showed that $1,700 in capital loans had been paid off during the year.

Some of the activities of the League during the past year were reviewed. Two scholarships of $50 each had been provided—one was to Donna Jacobsen to attend a course in drama at Drumheller, the other was to Milo Stauffer for obtaining the highest marks in Tofield in the June exams in Grade IX.

The League has supported the Boy Scouts financially during the year, as it has done for Pony League Baseball. The swimming lessons at Cooking Lake were again a League project. The successful July 1 celebration and the PPCLI Band Concert, the Christmas Carol Festival were all League-sponsored.

On completion of his two successive, and highly successful, years as president of the League, John Baergen was given a hearty vote of thanks by the crowd.

Mrs. Neil Phillips was thanked for her work in providing publicity for the League's work.

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

Election of officers followed, under chairmanship of Bill Christensen. The nomination committee had prepared a proposed slate of officers for 1966 and, since no further nominations were received from the floor, this slate was elected by acclamation. They are: Lionel Borton, president; Calvin F. Annis, 1st vice-pres.; John C. Lampitt, 2nd vice-pres.; George H. Arnett, 3rd vice-pres.; W. Arnold Swift, secretary; Hans E. Christensen, treasurer. Directors: G. E. McFadzean, E. Goeglein, Horace Seller, J. E. Stinson, Dr. W. H. Freebury, E. F. Watson, Charles Sears, Bill Friesen, Douglas Murray, Bill Christensen.

The new president, Lionel Borton asked the members for their continuing support and appealed for new members for the League.

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**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

As we say goodbye to 1965, let us look forward with hope for a brighter and happier 1966.

The old year has slipped away and is behind us. We cannot stay it if we would: we must go on and leave our past. Let us go forth nobly. Let us go as those whom greater thoughts and greater deeds await beyond. —J.W.R.

**NOTICE**

The County of Beaver #9 Seed Cleaning Association wish to make the following announcements:

**CLEANING RATES:**

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| From Jan. 1, 1966 to Feb. 1 | 5¢ per bu. |
| From Feb. 1, 1966 to Apr. 15 | 6¢ per bu. |
| From Apr. 15, 1966 to June 30 | 7¢ per bu. |

**TREATING RATES:**

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| Fungicide application for all grain, | 5¢ per bu. |
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**TARTARY FREE CLEANING:**

Tartary free periods will be set aside, depending on number of bookings. Any one with Tartary free grain is urged to clean their grain during these periods.

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

On Dec. 21 Bob Moss returned to the home of his parents, Ollie and Verlyn Moss, after having completed his third semester at the agriculture college at Vermilion.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton and Mervin Ross were guests at a Christmas Eve supper at the home of Ray and Ruth Wickenberg in Tofield on Friday.

Gary Niemetz arrived at the home of his parents, George and Ida Niemetz, on Boxing Day and is spending a few days holidays before returning to work with a drilling outfit in the north.

Miss Gail Niemetz and Bob Ozubko, both of Edmonton, were guests at the home of Gail's parents, George and Ida Niemetz, for Christmas and New Year's dinners and both weekends. Bob also visited his parents, Josie and Pete Ozubko, in Tofield.

Lorne Berrecloth, who is at present employed at Wandering River, spent Christmas and New Year's weekends at home with his wife Margie on the farm of Margie's mother, Mrs. Ethel Wood.

Dede and Robert Goubault and daughter Judy of Drayton Valley, also their son Jack and his wife, Gloria Goubault of Edmonton, were Christmas Day supper guests and, all excepting Judy, overnight guests of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood.

Judy Goubault of Drayton Valley spent the Christmas holidays visiting at the home of her aunt Martha Tiedemann and also at the home of her cousin Yvonne Brown of Ketchamoot.

**ANNUAL REUNION**

On Christmas evening Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald entertained at their home with 15 members of the Wood families present at their annual get-together. Among those present were Ethel's daughter, Margie and Lorne Berrecloth and son David; John and Mary Wood, their son Johnny and Gloria Wood and daughter Cathy; also their daughter Dede and Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley and their son Jack and Gloria Goubault of Edmonton and George Abernethy.

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# Ministik news items

Mrs. Jim Roddick

The Ministik United Church was filled almost to capacity for the Christmas Eve candlelight service conducted by Tom Harding, a theology student at the University of Alberta. Mr. Harding is assistant to the Rev. Terry Anderson, a student minister on this field many years ago.

**The season's festivities were marred by the death on Christmas Day of Mrs. Steve Baumgartner (nee Maxine Gibb), formerly of South Cooking Lake. Steve grew up and received his education in Ministik, and deepest sympathy is extended to him and all members of his family from his friends.**

Mrs. W. C. Barnes was a guest of her daughter Mrs. Archie Clarke and family in Edmonton on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horricks and boys, and Mr. and Mrs. Alex McSporran were Christmas dinner guests at the Geo. Horricks home, along with other members of the Horricks family at Namao.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy was a Christmas Eve and Christmas Day guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Lakmes and family in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland and family were Christmas Day guests of their daughter and family, the Tom Collingwoods, in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch and Beverly, and the Raymond Loch family of Kamloops, B.C. were Christmas dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stevens and family, Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Whitford enjoyed Christmas dinner with Mrs. Whitford's son and family, the Arthur Aldrichs of the Ottewell area in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and boys were Christmas Day guests at the Adam Campbell home in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac McIntyre were Christmas dinner guests of Mac's brother Don and family, West Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Williams and family of Edmonton joined a family gathering Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach and Chester.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kleinachroth were Christmas dinner guests of their daughter and family, the David Hughes, of Looma.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick and girls, and Mrs. Stanley George enjoyed Christmas Day at a family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter George of Edmonton.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Mary Antoniuk, mother of Mrs. Alphonse Loch, is a patient in the Tofield Hospital, but is reported recovering well from a bout with the 'flu.

Grant Penrice of Drayton Valley spent the New Year's weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Penrice.

Several of the younger couples of the district attended New Year's Eve dances at South Cooking Lake or Hastings Lake, others attending house parties.

The very best in the New Year is wished The Mercury staff, other correspondents, and friends near and far by your Ministik reporter.

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# Local news from around town

Shirley and Archie McGillivary and Randy of Rimbey and Betty Lindsay from Calgary were Christmas visitors with Shirley's and Betty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lindsay.

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Kay and Chick Blacklock and family left Christmas morning for Warner to spend Christmas and the holidays with Kay's mother, Mrs. McKay.

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Visitors at the T. Gray home Christmas Day were Peg and Bob Nahrebinki and family, Evie and Alan Fair from Lacombe, Helen and Stan Grover, Gwen and Larry Murray, Darlene Dunlop, Deed and Robert Goubault and Judy from Drayton Valley, and Jack and Gloria Goubault from Edmonton. Betty Gray returned to Lacombe with Evie and Alan for the holidays.

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**FAREWELL PARTY**

On Wednesday night, Dec. 29, 20 ladies held a surprise farewell party at the home of Inga Hardy in honor of Mildred Dunlop. Mildred plans to leave Tofield the first part of January for Cadomin, where she will manage the general store. The evening was spent playing rumoli and visiting. Ethel Wood presented Mildred with a farewell gift.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chilcowich spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Chilcowich at Fort Saskatchewan.

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Mrs. Marie Syrud and Bernice of Camrose spent Christmas and Boxing Day with Jack and Inga Hardy and family.

Granny Hardy and Granny Hosler spent Christmas and Boxing Day in Edmonton with Mary and Gerald Hosler and Wayne and Ronnie and Lynn Josler and family of Leduc.

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Barb and Lyle Penner and family from Winnipeg spent the past week with Carol and Betty Swanson and Mr. and Mrs. Olsonberg at Ryley.

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Jack and Gloria Grover were Christmas Day visitors with Gloria's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Danilak at Holden.

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Miss Evelyn Chilcowich spent the Christmas weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chilcowich.

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On Tuesday evening, Dec. 28, 10 members of Granny Hardy's family dropped in to help her celebrate her birthday.

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Miss Shirley Stinson and Miss Jean Newman of Edmonton spent from Thursday evening until Saturday evening of Christmas week at the Stinson home. Miss Newman is on leave of absence from the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, to complete her basic in nursing.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Patterson of Edmonton were guests at the Conrad Patterson home for Christmas.

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Mrs. Mary Davison is a patient in the hospital, suffering from the effects of a severe cold.

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**RETURN TO N.S.**

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Diadick left on Saturday for their home in Middleton, N.S., after visiting with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Annis prior to and during the Christmas holidays. They hoped to arrive home in Middleton New Year's Day.

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Findley Dunlop of Cadomin spent Christmas with his family here. Lynn Ann returning to Cadomin with her father for the holidays.

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Mrs. R. A. Scott of Winnipeg is visiting with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stinson.

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Gwen and Larry Murray of Edmonton spent Christmas with Gwen's parents, Helen and Stan Grover. Doug and Gordon returned with them to Edmonton for the holidays.

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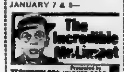


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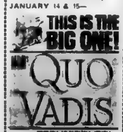


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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sutton and Brian and Mr. Miles Barrow of Tofield motored to Edmonton on New Years Day to be dinner guests of Myrtel and Bennie Finseth.

Sharon and Richard Strong of Edmonton called on Peter and Yvonne Brown on Christmas Eve.

Roy and Dorthy Whillans had the following guests for Christmas Day: their son Vernon, Lorrain and children, son Jerald, Grace and children, Ken and Martha Olveson and children, Mrs. Clara Whillans, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thames and children, Mrs. M. McCormick and Larry all of Edmonton.

Visitors for a few days during Christmas holidays with Florence and Jimmy Ingram were Mrs. Ingrams father Mr. Hollings of Maple Creek, Sask., her sister Doris Hornibrook of Calgary and their daughter Sharon and son-in-law Richard Strong of Edmonton.

Beth Annis and Susan Ingram spent several days of their holidays in Edmonton with their sister Sharon and Richard Strong.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Parent and son of Manville were guests of Albert and Myrtle Sutton and family during Christmas.

Mrs. Gould Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lancaster of Tofield and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Roberts of Banff were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kyle and family.

Agnes and Henry McGinitie and son Harvey of Edmonton spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Eric Munkedahl of Ryley.

A family gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sears on Christmas Day. Mrs. Ellen Sears was home from the hospital for the day. Patsy came home from Calgary and Mrs. McCrea and Margie from Camrose.

Mae Ingram and Wesley spent Christmas nursing a severe case the mumps.

**Donna Ingrams telephoned her parents Bill and Mae Ingram from San Fransisco on Christmas Day.**

**50th ANNIVERSARY**

Several friends and former neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mitchell attended their golden wedding reception on Sunday afternoon at the Tofield United Church parlor. Amanda and Bill Mitchell farmed in the Ketchamoot district for many years before moving into Tofield.

A family reunion was held at the home of Lelia Sutton on Christmas days when her family of four sons and two daughters and all the grandchildren gathered there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harboway and Eileen Lawson of Edmonton spent the weekend at home with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lawson and the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Penner and their two children of Clearwater, B.C., formerly of Ketchamoot, were callers at several homes in the district last week. They spent the afternoon at the Pat Seers home, were supper guests with the H. Schultz family and overnight guests with the Isaac Froeses.

On Sunday Harold Schultz and family motored to Edmonton to be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mitchell and family. Mrs. Herman Lawson was a guest there also.

# Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Irlene and Harold Sieb entertained Lil and Morris Van Buskirk, Carl and Mavis Jacobsen, Lizzie and Stanley Schacher, Barbara and Ronnie Goeglein, Leonard and Doreen Schacher, George and Ida Niemetz and Mickey and Charlie Niemetz at a New Year's Eve party and luncheon at the home. A very enjoyable time was had seeing the old year out and the new year in.

Mrs. Ethel Wood celebrated New Year's Day with a turkey dinner at her home with about 10 of the younger folks as her guests.

On Christmas Eve Campbell Stuart and Mrs. Lena Lazaruk were evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz. Donna and Frank Edwards of Elk Point were also coffee guests there, having stopped for a brief visit on their way to Tofield.

Donna and Frank Edwards of Elk Point and Mrs. Loretta Weir of Edmonton spent both Christmas and New Year's weekends at the home of Donna's and Loretta's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson. Mae's mother, Mrs. Roberts of Tofield, was a New Year's Day dinner guest there.

On Christmas Day, all members of the Moss family gathered at the old home place, home of Mickey Moss, for a family get-together and Christmas dinner. Among those present were his brother Verlyn and Ollie Moss and son Bob; their mother, Mrs. Lottie Moss, her daughter and their sister, Mrs. Marguerest Myers and her family, namely Vivian and Doug Murray and two children, of Tofield, Bud (Vernon) and Joan Myers and children of Ardrossan, and Joan's mother, Pearl, and Oliver Thompson and Oliver's son Reg, all of Kingman.

Ernie and Eleanor Rumer of Edmonton were Sunday, Jan. 2 dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Eleanor's brother Harold and Irlene Sieb.

Rod and Isabel Rudycki and family were Christmas dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Rod's brother Victor and Sylvia Rudzcki.

Gordon and Louise Kyle and children were New Year's Eve visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Gordon's sister Isabel and Rod Rudzcki and family.

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## McKenzie Lakeshore -

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

On Dec. 26 Lorene and Jimmy Francis and three children of Viking Dede and Robert Goubault and daughter Judy of Drayton Valley, Evie and Vic Halwa and three children of Edmonton and Johnnie and Gloria Wood and baby Cathy were all guests of their parents, John and Mary Wood at their annual family Christmas dinner and get-together

On Dec. 27 Jim ano Delsie Holmes and Jim's mother, Mrs A'na Holmes, all of Ministik, were dinner guests and afternon visitors at the home of John and Mary Wood

Elmer and Vi Goeglein were Christmas Day dinner guests and evening visitors at the home of Vi's sister and brother-in law Ella and Graham Allan, in Tofield

On Boxing Day Elmer and Vivian Geoglein and children of Ardrossan and Ronnie and Barb Geoglein and daughter Sydney were guests at the home of their parents, Vi and Elmer Geoglein for the annual Christmas dinner and get-together of the family

T. D. Ferguson and sons Lloyd and Stuart were Christmas Day visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Mr. Ferguson's sister and brother-in-law, Mickey and Charlie Niemetz. Their daughter, Mrs. Patsy Loxton, and little daughter Cheryl, were also home for Christmas and over the holiday weekend

**FAREWELL PARTY**

Mrs. Gloria Wood and Mrs Ethel Wood attended a farewell party for Mrs. Mildred Dunlop at the home of Mrs Inga Hardy on Wednesday evening, Dec 27

Mildred is leaving to join her husband at Cadomin, where they have purchased a store.

On Dec. 23 Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Le Breton and daughter Rowena of Edmonton were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

Jackie and Gloria Goubault of Edmonton were New Year's Day afternoon coffee guests at the home of Jack's grandparents, John and Mary Wood. Jack and Gloria also called at his Aunt Martha Tiedemann's home and took his sister Judy with them to Drayton Valley to her home there.

## District news items from Ryley

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — Cliff and Grace Pepper and daughters Linda and Pat of Ohaton were Christmas Day dinner visitors with Jerry and Ethel Pepper and family. Garry had flown home for the holiday season from Peace River where he is employed by the Treasury Branch.

Ole and Ann Snortheim and boys, and Gladys Annebo and Tommy and Kenny were Christmas Day visitors with Palmer and Judy Snortheim in Edmonton.

Mrs. Agda Annebo spent the Christmas holiday with her family at Killam.

Mrs. Alma Adams entertained on Christmas Eve, when guests were Mrs. Mary Erickson and Donald and Mrs. Astrid Holte, all of Camrose; and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen of Holden. On Christmas Day Mrs. Adams was a guest at the Sorenson home at Holden.

Visitors at the Lester Pepper home over the holiday season were Mary and Jerry Birch and Murray, and Lenard Hutchinson, all of Calgary, and Jean and Lea Hutchinson and family of Drayton Valley.

Willie and Annie Pope and Dale were Christmas Day dinner guests with Madelene and Emil Budinski and family in Edmonton. Madelene and children are spending a few days of the school holiday at the home farmstead.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Ted and Helen Jacobson had a family dinner on Christmas Day, besides their daughter Sharon and son-in-law Nick Baker and boys. Ted's youngest sister Beulah and family were visitors from British Columbia

Mrs. Tillie Branes was in Edmonton for the Christmas weekend, the guest of Odin and Berniece Eikeland and boys

Visiting with Ernest Brown and family is his mother, Mrs. Mary Brown of Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Orbeck spent the Christmas holiday at Fort Saskatchewan with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herbie Anderson.

Charlie and Nora Edwards and boys of Fort Saskatchewan spent Christmas Day with Eddie and Muriel Lyons and family

Fritz and Ruth Munkedal had their usual Boxing Day party, and although it proved to be a very cold evening, their many friends were all there to wish Fritz another happy birthday.

Elmer and Joyce Patrick, Donna and Darcy of Hinton, were Christmas visitors with Joyce's parents, Johnnie and Margaret Fish, and on Christmas Day Jim and Susan Fish of Edmonton also joined the family party.

Mrs. Harriet Ruddy, Aino and Jackie Jensen and boys Billy and Michael, were Christmas Day visitors in Edmonton with Donna and Dan Kading and children

## 400 fowl, building destroyed in fire

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — Peter Munkedal had the unhappy experience on Christmas morning of having one of his large chicken houses destroyed by fire at 8 30 a.m. The building housed 600 he s at the time, 200 of which were saved and transferred to another house, but the other 400 and the chicken house were a total loss.

Cause of the fire was an overheated oil stove.

## Prize winners named

(M. K. Westmancoat)

RYLEY — At the opening of the new Alberta Pacific Elevator on Friday afternoon, Dec 17th, the following received prizes:

Customers' Prizes — 1st, Mrs. Alex Dragon, Edmonton (½ ton fertilizer), 2nd, Peter Ness, Ryley (5 gals. Estron 99 concentrate weed killer); 3rd, Fred Nordwaski, Ryley (2 gals. Estron 99 concentrate weed killer).

Door Prizes — 1st, Borghilde Sundlie, Ryley (16-ft. tarpaulin), 2nd, Isaac Wiens, Ryley (10-ft. tarpaulin); 3rd, Peter Munkedal, Ryley (2 gals. Estron 99 concentrate weed killer)

## Busy schedule for Ryley curling rink

Commencing on Saturday at 10 00 a m and continuing through Sunday night, the zone playdowns for high school curling will be held in Ryley

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We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends and relatives, and all who in any way helped to make our Golden Wedding Anniversary such a happy occasion. Thanks for the cards, gifts and good wishes: to the Ketchamoot ladies who served the lovely lunch, and Mrs. H. McGinitie who decorated the anniversary cake

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## School news

The cold weather by no means helped to the success of the dress-up day held by the "Big 3" Wednesday. Being so cold, most girls had to wear slacks. Most of the boys dressed up, however, making the dress-up day at least partly successful

The grade eight health classes decorated cookies and cup-cakes and wrapped gifts, donated by the children of these classes, to send to the children in the Aberhart Sanitorium. A list of names was sent from the sanitorium, and each child received several gifts.

—Tommy Christensen, Assistant Editor.

# Around the Town

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Conquest and Miss Sandra Phillips were guests at the Neil Phillips home during the Christmas holiday.

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and Edith Mary of Edmonton spent the Christmas weekend at the parental home of Mr and Mrs. J. W. Robinson. Mrs. Robinson went back with them for a few days and all returned to Tofield for the New Year holidays Mrs J. A. L. Smith and Edith Mary left for Edmonton early Sunday afternoon.

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Congratulations go to the newly weds Susan Pittet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gab Pittet of Tofield and Larry Leonard Degen of Fort Saskatchewan, who were married Dec. 18 at Coeur de Alaine, Idaho.

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Sunday dinner guest of Gab and Nancy Pittet were Mr. and Mrs Degen and son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Ken Laurence and a friend, all from Fort Saskatchewan.

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Mrs. Rutherford (Marg Howorth's mother) from Tisdale, Sask., and her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Rutherford and four children, also of Tisdale, spent Christmas with Marg and family. Mrs Rutherford is spending some time with the Howorths.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunter and girls and George Abernathy spent Christmas Day with the Hunters' daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gilbert and family, in Edmonton, and New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hunter and family at Fort Saskatchewan

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An F.U.A. meeting will be held at 8 p.m. Jan. 11 at the Legion Hall Guest speaker will be Bill Harper, showing slides on the F.U.A tour of Europe.

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**BRIDAL SHOWER**

A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs Thomas Jacobs in honor of Miss Teresa MacAdoo, whose marriage to Fred Dohan of Edmonton took place Dec. 22 in the Wesley United Church in Edmonton. The couple plan to make their home in Edmonton.

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Phyllis Knutson from Estevan, Sask., spent the Christmas holidays with Laura Tiedeman.

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**HERE FOR CHRISTMAS**

Allan and Fred Hunley, both from Edmonton, spent Christmas and New Year's with their mother, Mrs. Annie Hunley. Allan is now employed with Shell Oil at Peace River. Fred, building his own stock car which he raced in the summer, had the highest points in his class and ended the season with a trophy. Janet and Ray, from England, friends of the Hunley boys who are enjoying their second winter in Canada, were also visitors at the Hunley home for New Year's.

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**50th ANNIVERSARY**

Pansy and Henry Penner and two children came by plane from Clear Brook, B.C., to attend the W. Mitchells' 50th anniversary. While here they stayed at the home of Hilda and Arnie Klassen. They were Tuesday night supper guests of Ed and Edith Regehr. In the evening they showed films on their trip to Hawaii.

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Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Don Pointer were Peggy and Milton Fulton from Portland, Oregon, Keith and Betty Pointer and four children from Daysland. Allan and Margaret and two children from Edmonton and Don's mother, Mrs. Ballard from Strome.

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Friends of Lem Abbott, who now resides with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Brady of Edberg, will be interested in knowing that Iris, the youngest member of the Brady family, is being married this week.

## Church notes

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W. H. McDonnell, B.A., B.D., Minister
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Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Jan. 9th
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11:00 a.m. Sunday School
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m. Sunday School.
11:30 a.m. —Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs Oran Johnson and children, of Edmonton, were visitors with Oran's family, Mr and Mrs Albert Johnson, December 19th

Mr and Mrs George Hunchuk and son Harvey were visitors with George's brother and family in Edmonton the Sunday before the holiday season

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs Lars Olson was a patient in Tofield Hospital for several days before Christmas, having treatment and a check-up, but was able to be home for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs Olson were Christmas Day dinner guests with their daughter Kay and family, in the Tofield district

Mrs Mary Andrews, who has been a patient in Tofield Hospital since December 4th, returned home Wednesday of last week

**Dennis Shybe of the R.C.N. arrived home unexpectedly the Thursday night before Christmas to spend the holiday season and a two weeks leave with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shybe.**

Mr and Mrs Bruce MacDonell and children spent Christmas Day visiting with relatives at Vermilion

Mr and Mrs Jim Huxton and children were Christmas Day visitors with Mr and Don McFayden

Mr and Mrs J Lindberg had Mrs Lindberg's parents for the Christmas holiday

Mr and Mrs Bert Appleby had their son Bruce visiting for the Christmas holiday, also their daughter Anne of Tofield Bruce was also a New Year's holiday visitor at home.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Gorrie and children, of Lac la Biche, were dinner guests and visitors for Boxing Day with the former's family, Mr and Mrs. Roy Nichols

Mr and Mrs Dennis Cooper and children were Boxing Day visitors in Edmonton, calling on their respective families

Alex Barlow of the Poe district was a Christmas holiday visitor with his niece nad family, the MacDougalls of Spirit River Mrs C McDougall is the former Connie Barlow The Barlows motored there with Mr and Mrs Ernie Merta and family of the Viking district, returning home on Boxing Day

Percy Barlow was a business visitor in Viking on Wednesday of last week Mrs Barlow visited with her daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas, to hear the news of their trip to Spirit River to visit Mr and Mrs. MacDougall and family.

Mr and Mrs T A. Liden were Christmas Day guests with their son Claire and family in Edmonton, and also visited with other relatives before returning home on the Monday.

LEGION ANXILIARY PARTY

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion held their Christmas party Monday evening, Dec 20th, entertaining their husbands at a full course turkey dinner Games were played during the evening and gifts exchanged, each guest receiving a gift also. The evening concluded with lunch being served

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bilyk and family were Christmas Day dinner guests at the home of Olga's parents, Mr and Mrs Deputan, and later drove to Mundare to visit with relatives there

Christmas Day dinner guests and visitors with Mrs William Slywka were her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and and Mrs Marshall Slywka, of Sherwood Park, and her daughter and family, the John Macahonics and children

Christmas Day visitors with Mr and Mrs Earl Hardy were their son Douglas of Edmonton, Mr and Mrs Arnold Riel and children, and Mr and Mrs alph Mason Jr. and children of Wetaskiwin The Masons and Douglas were also visiting during the rest of the holiday

**Friends were sorry to hear that Henry Hunsby became very ill Christmas Eve and had to be taken to hospital, where he is still a patient. While his condition is serious, we heard a few days ago that he is showing a slow recovery.**

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Foran had their son Dale, daughter Marilyn her husband and children, all of Edmonton, visiting during the Christmas season and were also overnight guests. Mrs. Bertha Sanderson was also a dinner guest Christmas Day.

Mrs. N L. Campbell was pleasantly surprised to receive a phone call from her son Bill and his wife on New Year's Day, wishing her a happy New Year The Bill Campbells said that in Toronto it was a lovely mild day, and that they were taking a trip to Guelph to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell and sons, Jimmie and Bill, of Leduc, visited with Marjorie's mother, Mrs. Campbell, on Boxing Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sizer entertained a number of relatives and friends during the evening on Christmas Eve.

Mrs Alice Jones of Edmonton spent the Christmas holiday with her mother, Mrs Carrie Olson, and on Boxing Day Mrs Olson entertained the family at dinner

Mr and Mrs Harry Ronnie and family were Christmas Day visitors at Wainwright with her sister's family

Mr and Mrs Earling Henderson of Taber spent Christmas Day in Edmonton with their daughter On Boxing Day Earling and Zella, their daughter Lois and her baby daughter Patty motored to Holden, to spend the day and overnight with Mrs Henderson's mother Mrs Mabel Sizer. On Monday, the Hendersons motored to Viking where they were dinner guests with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hammer, before returning home Baby Patty is the first great-grandchild for Mrs Mabel Sizer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ronnie and family, and Mrs. M. Sizer were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs Johnny Nordstrom Monday of last week

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# Carol festival plays to audience of 550

The annual Christmas Carol Festival sponsored by the Tofield Community League was held on December 15 in the Tofield Community Centre About 550 persons were present either in choirs or audience, and Rev. W. McDannold was chairman for the evening.

The participating choirs were: Bardo Lutheran, with Mrs. Lester Severson directing; the Salem Mennonite choir, with Rev Paul Voegtlin directing; the Mennonite Brethren choir, with Martin Hamm directing; the Tofield Mennonite choir, with Henry Schroeder directing; the Tofield United Church choir, with Mrs. J E. Stinson directing, and the Ryley High School choir, under the direction of Rev. Paul Voegtlin.

Between choral numbers Rev. W McDannold read portions of the Christmas story from the Bible, which added immeasurably to the effect of this evening set aside for worship in song.

Mrs George McFadzean accompanied and Henry Schroeder directed the community carol singing, which is always an integral part of the festival.

Towards the close of the evening, John Baergen, president of the Community League, presented the League's $50 scholarship, given annually to the Tofield Grade IX student who makes the highest marks in the June exams, to Milo Stauffer, who led the 1964-65 Grade IX class. Milo is the son of Mr and Mrs. Boyd Stauffer of Tofield, who is now a Grade X student in the Tofield High School.

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# Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell mark 50th anniversary

On Sunday December 26, Mr and Mrs. Will Mitchell of Tofield celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary in the social room of the Tofield United Church Nearly 150 people were present to help this beloved couple celebrate this milestone and to participate in or observe the program presented under the capable chairmanship of Mr. Harold Schultz.

With Mrs. Dorothy Whillans in charge, the ladies of the Ketchamoot district, in which the Mitchells resided for many years had arranged for this happy occasion. The tea table was decorated with bouquets of golden 'mums, presented by the Ketchamoot ladies White and gold candles flanked the golden wedding cake, made by Mrs. Andy Jalbert, daughter of the Mitchells, and beautifully decorated by Mrs. Agnes McGinitie. Mrs. Willard Ferguson, niece of the Mitchells, had made the bride's cake which was displayed on the table, as was a gift of golden china from the Mitchells' son Bill who, due to the distance involved, was not able to be present.

Seated at the head table were M., and Mrs Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Jalbert and their three children, Mrs. Jean Daw, sister of Mr. Mitchell, Mrs. Esther Henderson, sister-in-law of Mrs. Mitchell, and Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mitchell. After a few introductory remarks by Mr. Schultz, the program was begun by a solo "Smilin' Through" by Mr. E. Stinson, accompanied by Mrs Stinson Mrs. Ruby Sears spoke on behalf of the Ketchamoot UCW, of which Mrs. Mitchell is a life member and Pat Sears recalled the arrival of Mr. Mitchell from "over the hill to Wetaskiwin" and of Mrs. Mitchell, from Tennessee The parts played by the Mitchells in pioneer days were recalled by both Pat Sears and Harold Schultz who mentioned how Mr. Mitchell had run the "dinky" at the Tofield coal mine and that Mrs. Mitchell was the second telephone operator in Tofield. High praise was given by both speakers for the Mitchells as neighbors.

Mrs. Signe Broen and Marilyn, accompanied by Mrs. Stinson, sang a duet, "O, How Precious", after which Mr. Douglas Murray spoke on behalf of the Murray family who were relatives and close friends of the Mitchells. He stressed the part a shared interest in church affairs had played in the relationship between the two families

Mrs. Nettie Ardley, a former teacher of Ketchamoot School, had driven from Calgary to be present on this occasion, and in her interesting speech recalled some of her experiences while boarding with the Mitchells She spoke of Mrs. Mitchell's wonderful cooking and her many kindnesses to her boarder. Mrs Ardley also recalled how Mr Mitchell, concerned for the safety of a young woman driving home alone on weekends, had supplied her with a pistol "probably of Civil War vintage" for protection. Since Mrs. Ardley was more terrified of the firearm than of possible hitch-hikers, she cached it but kept that knowledge from Mr. Mitchell lest he worry about her

Jim Francis, for the Tofield Historical Society, presented the Mitchells with a Golden Wedding plate. He said that wherever the Mitchells had done their courting, whether "walking in lovers' lane or driving with a horse and buggy, the right words had been said at the right time by the right person" and that the succeeding fifity years of happy wedded life had proved it

Mrs. Lilly Schultz and her daughters Betsy-Ann and Frances sang a beautiful trio "God Hath Not Promised", accompanied by Mrs Stinson. Following this musical number, Mr. I. E. Stinson recalled the great contribution made by the Mitchells as pioneers of this area and as members of the United Church congregation

After a solo, "How Great Thou Art" by Mrs. Melita Wall, accompanied by Mrs. Stinson, the Rev. W. McDannold, minister of Tofield United Church, spoke on the enduring qualities of a good marriage as exemplified in that of the Mitchells. He also praised their faithful attendance at church.

Mrs. Henry Penner, a former resident of the Ketchamoot district, said she had come all the way from Clearbrook, B.C., to be present at this celebration. She recalled with gratitude Mrs. Mitchells skill both as a cook and as a teacher of cooking and reminded everyone of Mrs. Mitchell's terrific sense of humor, even though she never minced words.

Mrs. Mitchell, on behalf of her husband herself, thanked the guests for their attendance and kind remarks. She said she could not recognize herself and her husband as the wonderful people described by the speakers. However, it was plain from the faces of the guests that the Mitchells were easily recognizable, as described

Rev. W. McDannold led the assembly in prayer, after which a social hour was much enjoyed by the many guests as they exchanged reminiscences of past days

The guest book, in charge of Mrs. Annie McGinitie, recorded out-of-town guests from Edmonton, Wetaskiwin, Banff, Calgary, Camrose, Clearbrook, B.C., and a host of friends of the Tofield district

LONG-TIME RESIDENTS

The Mitchells are long-time residents of the Tofield area Mr. Mitchell came here as an 11-year-old boy with his parents, the Hugh Mitchells Later, he ran the "dinky" at the Tofield mine, operated steam engines, and farmed in the Ketchamoot area. Mrs. Mitchell (nee Amanda Henderson) came to Tofield with her parents in 1905 from Tennessee. The Mitchells have two children, Mrs. Andy Jalbert of Edmonton, and Bill Mitchell of Kamloops, B.C. There are seven grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell now reside in Tofield.

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TOWN OF TOFIELD
Rita E. Halvorson
Secretary-Treasurer
(19-20-21)

# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Lillie Grosland left for Medicine Hat the week before the Christmas holiday, which she spent with her daughter Evelyn and family, the Sid Handleys She was also planning to stay for two or three weeks after the holidays Sid was in Edmonton on business and drove down to Holden to pick up Mrs Grosland to take her to Medicine Hat

Mrs. Parfett of Bruce was a Holden visitor Wednesday before the Christmas holiday, driving there with a friend They later were visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don McFayden

Mr and Mrs Raeder motored to Edmonton with R. Lutz on December 18th, when they attended a Christmas Singing Festival at the Jubilee Auditorium.

TO SPOKANE

R Lutz left December 22nd for Spokane, Wash., to spend the Christmas holiday with his daughter and family Mrs. Lutz left two weeks before the holiday to visit with relatives and their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs Lutz will be returning home after the holiday season.

Mr and Mrs Albert Johnson were Christmas Day visitors and dinner guests at the home of Winnie's mother, Mrs Pope, in Ryley, wheree a family gathering was held Winnies brother and his wife had flown from Fergus Falls Ont., a few days before th eholiday season to visit with his mother, Mrs Pope Mrs Pope had been ill in hospital for two weeks or more but was well enough to be home for the holiday

Alfred Sorenson, who was a patient for several days receiving treatment for a severe attack of flu was well enough to return home Thursday afternoon before the holiday

Mrs N L Campbell was a recent caller at the home of Mr and Mrs. Albrecht, a d with Mrs. Harriet Hvid.

Mr and Mrs. Percy Barlow arrived home from Calgary on Monday (Boxing Day), after spending three weeks and Christmas Day visiting with their daughter Muriel and family, the Ted Andersons

**Mr. and Mrs. Ted Anderson (nee Muriel Barlow) of Calgary are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Thursday, Dec. 16th.**

Mike Pastunyk of Edmonton was a visitor in Holden the Tuesday before the Christmas holiday.

Mrs. Campbell was a dinner guest at the home of Mrs. Mary James the Tuesday before Christmas ,and Mrs. James was a Christmas Day dinner guest with Mrs Campbell, other guests being Mrs Carrie Olson and her daughter, Mrs Alice Jones, of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children of the Viking district were Christmas Day visitors and dinner guests with Robert's parents, Mr and Mrs Geo H. Taylor

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## Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Melanie Hammer of Viking spent a few days visiting with her grandmother, Mrs M. Sizer. Her parents were to drive up on Sunday to take her back home, and Mrs. Sizer was planning to accompany them back, to visit for a few days.

Mr and Mrs. Lorne Forsyth of Bruderheim visited with Mrs. Edna Parsons and Chris. Christenson one day last week. Lorne's mother, Mrs. Forsyth, was the local telephone operator in Holden for several years.

Mr and Mrs. Roy Nichols motored to Prince Albert, Sask., last week, to pick up his brother who is visiting with them for a while.

Mr and Mrs. Earl Hooper of Edmonton were Christmas holiday visitors with their family, and visited with Earl's father, Joe Hooper, a patient in Tofield Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Semotuik and family were Christmas Day dinner and supper guests with relatives at Mundare, and were overnight visitors with cousins.

Mr and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus, Mr. and Mrs Harold Giebelhaus and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Giebelhaus and family were Christmas Day guests with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pederson and sons at Camrose. Miss Edna Giebelhaus of Jasper, who was a holiday guest with her family, accompanied them to the Pederson home.

Mr and Mrs. J A. Giebelhaus and Miss Edna Giebelhaus were dinner guests with Mrs. Campbell, Monday of last week. Edna was leaving the following day, to visit with a friend in Saskatchewan for a few days.

Mr and Mrs Bill Kahmon had their family home for the Yuletide, namely: their daughter Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Art Kachman and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kachman and children, all of Edmonton.

**Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kachman of Bellville have been receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Dec. 16th. Mrs. Kachman Sr. spent two weeks there helping look after the children.**

Henry Oberg motored to Edmonton for the Christmas holiday, and his son Carl and family were visitors with relatives at Glendon during the holidays.

Mrs. Laura Christiansson, who had been visiting with her sister and other relatives in Regina, Sask., returned home Dec. 23rd, and was a Christmas Day dinner guest with her son Jim and family.

**IT'S A BOY!**

Mr. and Mrs. James Ruxton are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at three o'clock Sunday morning, at Viking Hospital. Mrs. J. Lindberg is caring for the children while Mrs. Ruxton is in hospital.

Mr and Mrs. Nels Hviid were Christmas Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen, other guests being Alfred's sisters Mrs. Mary Erickson and son Donald of Camrose and Mrs. Astrid Holte, and a friend Mrs Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, sons Davld and Robert were Christmas holiday guests with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison in Edmonton, returning home the next day. Their eldest son Alan of Edmonton was also a Christmas Day dinner guest with them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lemko and children visited with Mrs Lemko's family at Hafford, Sask., for the Christmas season, leaving on Friday morning and returning Sunday.

Mrs Loney spent the Christmas holiday with her daughter Frances and family in Edmonton. Mrs. Shand drove down for her mother and brought her home after the holiday.

Visitors during the festive season with Mr. and Mrs. Don Allan were their son-in-law and daughter (Gail), Mr. and Mrs. Ted Chmilar, Mr. and Mrs. Al Mohr and family, and Pearl's brother Don Crimmin, all from Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Driscoll of Edmonton were Boxing Day visitors with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Hviid.

Stephen Beveridge of Edmonton spent the Christmas holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Beveridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Voigt were dinner guests with Mrs. Mabel Sizer on Tuesday of last week.

**SONG SERVICE**

The United Church was packed Christmas Eve when a carol-singing service was held under the capable direction of Larry Benson, who also sang a solo. This event was greatly enjoyed by all attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka spent the Christmas holiday in Edmonton, and entertained 20 guests on Christmas Day. Their daughter Betty and husband Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bellman had arrived home a day before and were visiting for several days with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Adell spent the three-day Christmas holiday in Medicine Hat visiting with their families.

## Ionic chapter O.E.S. elects 1966 officers

At the regular December meeting of Ionic Chapter No 72 Order of Eastern Star, the installation of officers for 1966 was carried out. After the retiring Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, Mrs. Joyce Swift and Mr Dan Dodds, respectively, had thanked the Chapter officers and members for their co-operation in 1965, the installation of the 1966 officers took place, as follows Mrs. Ella Hardy, worthy matron Mr Neil Phillips, worthy patron, Mrs Evelyn Nolan, associate matron, Rev Walter Hammett, associate patron; Mrs. Patricia Glover, secretary, Mrs Mary Whyte, treasurer; Mrs Daisy Young, conductress, Mrs. Helena Thiessen, associate conductress; Mrs Elizabeth Davison, chaplain, Mrs Georgie Christensen, marshal; Mrs. Paul Thomas, organist; Mrs. Rosalind Annais, adah; Mrs. Eileen Pike, ruth; Mrs. Kay Walker, esther; Mrs. Vivian Murray, martha; Mrs. Esther Anderson, electa, Mrs. Mabel Boyles, warder, Mrs Evelyn Moore, sentinel.

Mrs. Grace Phillips, P.M., was installing officer, assisted by Mrs. Blanche Hardy, P.M., who installed her daughter-in-law as Worthy Matron Mrs Eileen Pike was installing marshal and Mr. Paul Thomas, P.P., was installing organist.

Following the installation ceremony, several presentations were made Mrs. Blanche Hardy presented to her daughter-in-law a gavel which had been presented to herself many years ago by an officer of the Grand Chapter of Alberta O.E.S. Mrs. Ella Hardy was presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers by Mrs. Evelyn Nolan on behalf of the Chapter Mrs. Joyce Swift was presented with her Past Matron's jewel by Mrs Ella Hardy, and Mr Dan Dodds received his Past Patron's pin from Mr. Neil Phillips, which was pinned on Mr. Dodds by his wife.

Following the installation ceremony, a special Christmas lunch was served by the lunch committee Mrs Daisy Young, Mrs. Mary Whyte and Mrs. Helena Thiessen. The table was decorated with Christmas symbols and featured a centrepiece made by Mrs. Mabel Boyles.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Alvin and Ellen Steen of Calgary were Christmas weekend guests of Ellen's mother and brother, Mrs. Ila Walker and son Ronnie. Other Christmas and overnight guests there were another daughter Jean and Dick Jenkins and Donald and Cindy of Grassland. Mrs. Walker's other daughter Polly and Sandy Petrovich and family arrived Christmas Day. Mrs. Walker and Ronnie and their guests were Christmas dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Walker's son and their brother Vernon and Kay Walker and family.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and family were afternoon coffee guests at the home of Martha's parents, Mr. and Mrs Emil Goubault in Tofield.

John and Irene Warner attended a reunion of the John and Mabel Bailey family on New Year's Eve at the home of Irene's sister Joyce and Gib Bramacombe in Edmonton.

Howard and Mae Ferguson and son Nelson and their daughter, Mrs. Loretta Weir, and daughter Wanda and Mae's mother, Mrs. Roberts of Tofield, were New Year's Day supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Howard and Mae's other daughter, Doris and Howard Brown.

Christmas Eve visitors and supper guests at the home of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen were Carl's parents Hans and Martha Jacobsen and Mavis's father, Julius Jacobson, all of Edmonton. Mavis's father stayed over and was their guest at Christmas dinner and until Tuesday, when he returned home. Carl's parents left after supper and were Christmas Eve overnight and Christmas Day and overnight guests at the home of their other son Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen before returning to their home on Sunday, Dec. 26.

Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and family were New Year's Day visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Mavis's sister-in-law, Carrie and Art Schultz in Edmonton.

Alice and Ralph Cossey and family of Ross Creek and Alice's mother, Mrs. Mabel Bailey of Tofield, were Christmas dinner guests and afternoon visitors of Alice's sister and Mabel's daughter Irene and John Warner and son Bruce.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Dec 31— Mr. and Mrs Bob Beattie, Aaron Deanie and Brent motored to White Bear, Sask., to spend Christmas with their respective parents.

Chris and Raymond Hovland spent Christmas with Glen Hovland's family near Red Deer. Saturday evening all the members of the family gathered at the Anton Peter home for their festive reunion.

Mr and Mrs Ernest Forre, Kathy, Cindy, Duane and Dan of Calgary spent the holidays here with the Lewis and Leroy Forres.

At the Christmas service at Zion Church Dec. 26 the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bratrud, Darren Merle, was baptized by Pastor Palmer Olsen. Sponsors were the parents and Mr and Mrs. Adrien Bergquist.

Mr and Mrs Laurence Pearse were dinner guests with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Oslund at Ryley Christmas Day.

## Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

Dennis Simonson was a Sunday overnight guest of Mr and Mrs. Fred Davis in Edmonton.

Mrs J. A. Holte and Mrs. Mary Erickson and Donald of Camrose spent Christmas Day in Holden with the Alfred Sorensens.

Mr and Mrs Roy Hutchinson and Neil were weekend visitors with Drayton Valley relatives.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mr and Mrs Chester Woiden and family of Kamloops, B.C., spent Christmas with Mrs. Woiden's parents, the Thor Johnsons. Christmas dinner guests at Johnson's were the Arlo Johnsons of Rocky Mountain House, Mr and Mrs. Chas McLean and Keith of Hay Lakes, and Opal Johnson of Edmonton.

Mr and Mrs. Mike Yaskowsky and daughters formerly of Tofield, have taken up residence in the Searle Grain Co house.

Mr and Mrs Adolf Tollefson and family, Herb Sware and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hovelson and girls were Christmas Eve supper guests at the Hjalmer Sware home, Camrose.

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UP TO THE MOUNTAINS. How much water will be available on our continent in the coming spring for farming, industrial and domestic use? To find out, teams of snow surveyors are tramping up into the mountains of North America, measuring snow depth. Through these surveys, water supply forecasts can be made well in advance, predicting the depth of rivers and lakes. Surveyors on skis, such as the two above, will be able to warn of coming floods or water shortages. Drought was especially severe in Ontario and Quebec last year, and some farmers received emergency funds from the federal and provincial governments.

## Tribute to the work of Mrs. J. W. Robinson

A tribute paid to Mrs. J. W. Robinson of Tofield in a 1955 issue of The Mercury, was brought to the attention of the editor the other day. Mrs. Robinson recently retired from the work of canvassing for the Canadian Bible Society, after serving for a great many years. Now a committee of from six to eight canvassers in the town is doing the work she used to do alone.

The 1955 tribute, in a letter to the editor signed "One of the multitude standing idly by", follows.

"In a recent copy of The Mercury" I noticed Mrs. J. W. Robinson's annual report of her canvass for the British and Foreign Bible Society, and as usual it shows a very creditable total. I think it would be unfair to let this occasion go by without paying a slight tribute to Mrs. Robinson for her work. For as long as most of us can remember, come rain or shine, ice or blizzard, she has done this canvassing year after year. A very few calls may be made by phone, but the vast majority are personal contacts, and since she does not drive a car, these visits are all made by walking.

"In this modern world, where personal comfort has become so important to the average person, it is indeed rare to find someone with Mrs. Robinson's cheerful, unwavering devotion to the Master's work. She gives no thought to the effort or sacrifice it calls for, except to be thankful she has the strength to carry on. Truly, her life is a shining example to the rest of us."

## Tofield hosts world-famous puppet show

(Donna Jacobsen)

In spite of the severely cold weather, a large crowd turned out to view the world-famous Hogarth Puppets at the Tofield Community Centre on January 8th. The audience enjoyed watching an assortment of hand puppets, shadow puppets and full-scale marionettes performing on a full-scale stage under the skillful manoeuvering of Ann Hogarth and her husband Jan Bussell.

The children, in particular, marvelled at the singing, dancing marionettes They thrilled to the recognition of television's famous Muffin the Mule, and Rufus the Clown earned hearty applause from the younger set.

The Green Man, the Strong Man, and the well loved play about the fox and the hen were some of the other highlights of the puppets' hour and a half performance.

The only fault the children found in the show was that it was much, much too short. Judging by some of the later comments from the parents, it was evident that they enjoyed it just as much as the children.

Tofield is very fortunate to have been host to the Hogarth Puppets in their first North American tour, and the audience was very grateful to those responsible for arranging for this outstanding performance.

## New books at library

Recent additions to the Tofield Public Library are:

**Fiction**

"Mr. Campion's Lady" (story collection)—Marg Allingham

"The Sea For Breakfast" (English humour)—Lillian Beckwith.

"The Sundowners" (Australian story)—Jon Cleary.

"Penelope" — E. V. Cunningham.

"My Friend Cousin Emmie" (Scotland again)—Jane Duncan.

"Cross - Fire" (western) — C. Farrel.

"Moonraker" (author's earlier books, secret service)—Ian Fleming.

"Lusty Winds For Carolina" (historical novel)—I Fletcher

"The Hand Of Mary Constable" (suspense)—Paul Gallico

"The Liquidator" (spy) — John Gardner.

"The File On Devlin" (British agent in Afghanistan)—Catherine Gaskin

"Yankee Doodle Dandy" (biographical novel of John Hancock)—Noel Gerson.

"That Darn Cat"—Gordons.

"Robbers' Roost"—Zane Grey.

"The 38th Floor" (international politics)—Cliff Irving.

"The River Of Diamonds" (adventure, Namib desert, S.W. Africa)—Geo Jenkins.

"Night Of Camp David" (political novel)—F Knebel.

"Lighted Windows" — E. Loring

"Sergeant Cluff Goes Fishing" —Gil North

"The Beloved Invader" (historical novel, 1870, Georgia, USA) —Aug Price.

"Doctor Samaritan"—Elizabeth Seifert.

"Avalon" (10th century, Anglo-Saxons and Vikings — their voyages to Iceland, Greenland- love story of Ruman and Merwyn)— Anya Seton.

"The Survivor" (author of "Up Periscope"—navy pilot and tough marines)—Robb White.

## Long distance rates chopped

For the third time since 1960, long distance telephone rates for certain types of calls will be reduced.

On March 6th Alberta Government Telephones will reduce rates for night-time and Sunday, station-to-station calls over distances of more than 600 miles. Rates for week-day, person-to-person and "short haul" calls will be unchanged.

Reductions will range from five to 55 cents for the first three minutes. The new maximum rate for a three-minute call between any two places in Canada will be $1.95. At present the maximum is $2.50. This means that a night-time or Sunday station-to-station call between St. John's, Newfoundland, and Victoria, B.C., or between Halifax and Vancouver will cost $1.95.

This reduction will be the fifth in Trans-Canada telephone rates in 30 years. For example, an Ottawa-Edmonton call that cost $5.25 in 1935, cost 2.50 in 1945; $2.40 in 1960; 2.30 in 1963; costs $2.25 now, and will cost $1.95 under the new plan. Savings to telephone users under the plan are estimated at $750,000 annually.

Reduced "long haul" rates have been made possible by the increasing volume of long distance calling, the use of Direct Distance Dialing facilities and more efficient transmission methods.

## Coaches lose!

(Elaine Walker)

The Friday evening basketball game between the Viking and Tofield girls ended in a win for Tofield by a score of 16 to 12.

Since the Viking boys' team was absent, a rather unusual game followed between five of the coaches and part of the Tofield boys' team against the rest of the Tofield team. The boys won the game 67 to 51, much to the coaches' dismay.

## Viking wins zone playoffs

(Elaine Walker)

The Zone playoffs for the TPC Provincial High School Curling were held on January 8th and 9th at Ryley.

The Doug Dobry rink from Viking, last year's provincial champions, were again victorious, and Tofield High School wishes them every success, along the trail to another Canada-wide play-off.

## THE WEATHER . . .

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| 9 | 5 | -10 | —— | ——— |
| 10 | 5 | -10 | 27.68 | ——— |
| 11 | 10 | -5 | 27.50 | .80" snow |

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Hark what strains of solemn gladness are heard filling the air, to follow a night of despair Men that toil in the battle of life, listen to strains that will sweeten the strife. Truth your standard, holy your cause; be faithful to death for your freedom and laws —for might is right, and right is might; play the man and win the fight

From the Comrades Song of Hope.

—J.W.R.

## Increase in entries in home lighting contest

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Holden and District Chamber of Commerce was gratified this past Christmas season to receive a good increase of entries in the Christmas Home Lighting Contest, which the Chamber has sponsored the past several years.

Owing to the increased numbers of good displays the judges found it a difficult job in making their decisions. The judging was for scenes, lights, originality and neatness.

The awards were as follows:

For the Village of Holden—1st, Peter Josey; 2nd, Joe Chamulka; and the 3rd being a three-way tie among John Semotuik, Don Coutu and Milton Malick.

Holden District—1st, Paul Pidoborozny; 2nd, Chester Wright; 3rd, Joe Naherniak.

The members are hoping that the increased interest will continue, and that there will be a larger participation and competition in future years.

## "Prairie Players" coming to Tofield

(Elaine Walker)

The touring "Prairie Players" will be in the Tofield School on Wednesday, Feb. 16th. At this time they will be presenting two plays "The Sorcerer's Apprentice" will be staged in the afternoon, when the grade 6 and 7 classes will be attending. The evening's performance will be the Moliere Play, "The Doctor In Spite of Himself". Students of grades 8 through 12 will be attending and it is hoped that the public may also attend. This will be announced later when an accurate count of student participation is known.

# MacDuff Ottawa report

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OTTAWAA — If the creation of a Department of Manpower was not a direct result of the Economic Council's annual review it was the result of Council thinking. Its chairman Dr. J. J. Deutsch said there had been discussions with the government about the manpower problem. In suggesting establishment of a ministry of manpower services the Council review says:

"Such a ministry could be the sole coordinator of all manpower policies and programs including not only those in the Department of Labour but also those in the Department of Citizenship and Immigration."

This obviously places the government's action outside the realm of coincidence and the fact is significant. It means that, in dealing with economic problems, the government is turning more and more to the Council and its chairman. The new manpower minister, the Hon. Jean Marchand, can be expected to stick closely to the pattern outlined by the Council. It will not involve any major changes in policy. Most of the suggestions made by the Council are already in the planning stage in the Department of Labour. The real trouble is that they have been too long in that stage. M. Marchand's real problem will be to get the whole manpower program off the ground.

**STILL NEED INFORMATION**

Vocational education and training programs, the key to full and efficient use of manpower resources, have been expanded rapidly but they are not being used by adults except those unemployed workers taking courses under the direction of the National Employment Service. The Department in collaboration with the provinces is taking a look at the curricula to see whether it is really meeting the requirements of industry. The Council finds that provincial and local educational authorities do not have adequate information regarding manpower needs. New vocational training agreements with the provinces provide for a federal contribution of half the cost of research projects for this purpose.

**These moves indicate a radical change in direction which, if it has come late, as the Economic Council seems to think, has at least come. The need for assisting management and labour to adjust to the technological change essential to improving productivity has been recognized from the start. But programs have deviated from this objective to meet the immediate and temporary need.. Emphasis has been laid until now on a quick cutback of unemployment. As a result training courses have been aimed at getting workers into jobs as soon as possible. Workers themselves, because training allowances have been and still are inadequate, have been only too anxious to take whatever job offered rather than acquire the skill to fit them for the jobs of the future.**

Today unemployment on a national scale does not exist. Seasonally adjusted the rate of unemployment in terms of the labour force dropped during 1965 to a low of 3.2 percent in October and was only 3.6 per cent in November. This compares with the target of 3 per cent (full employment) which the Eco-

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# Down the welfare road

Announcement that the Manning government plans to rebate eighty percent of losses suffered by farmers in the recent Veregin bankruptcy does not sit well with many breeders in this district, nor with many non-farmers. Nor does the suggestion that farmers in future will be forced to contribute a percentage of livestock sales to a guarantee fund.

Nearly all applaud the requirement that bonding levels be increased.

The argument is that marginal or speculative operators will be encouraged if farmers operate on the premise they might as well take a chance on higher prices — "after all, we're guaranteed eighty percent". And the farmers who have worked for years to establish sound selling operations, often at a considerable expense to themselves, don't relish the thought of having to contribute to speculative new enterprises. Maybe, too, they've already tried to pry some money out of the motorist's unsatisfied judgment fund.

We agree with the farmers protesting. In deals of this nature, the old Latin proverb should probably be reversed: "Let the seller beware".

If the government feels so much under obligation to come to the rescue of farmers victimized in this recent case, might it not be setting a precedent which would require it to come to the aid of other sections of the economy afflicted through the failure of some agency? It is commonly undesrtood that the building trade, for instance, is going through difficult days. Should victims of bankrupt firms be "looked after" by the government? Should customers of automobile firms be reimbursed for monies lost when an agency goes broke? And so on and on.

We submit the program, however well intentioned, is basically in error.

# By George!

During the past week Bill Steen, a printer for The Tofield Mercury, told me he has had his share of long distance calls that turned out to be wrong numbers. Bill had seven of them—all one evening—in the space of about 45 minutes.

The first caller Bill heard from that night last summer, a woman, asked: "Where were you last night?"

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Well [illegible] she must have a wrong number and asked [illegible] Bill then inquired as to her station. "South Bend, Indiana."

"This is Camrose, Alberta, Canada," repeated Bill. "Boy I HAVE got the wrong number," she said and hung up.

About five minutes later the Steen phone rang again. This time it was a man's voice and when this voice, too, was unfamiliar Bill asked where he was calling from. "Barrhead, Alberta", was the reply.

During the next 35 to 40 minutes Bill answered five more calls to find they were long distance, some from Alberta and others from parts of the United States, and all getting the wrong number. "I sure wasn't lonesome anyway," recalls Bill, "but I began to worry about the situation and called the local operator to explain what had happened. She said she'd look into it. I don't know if some adjustment was made in the local exchange or elsewhere but I didn't get any more long distance calls after that."

It seems that most extra items in a new or used car these days are listed as optional equipment even though there has never been a car sold in this part of the country to my knowledge that doesn't have such things as a heater, spare tire or anti-freeze. In any case, a farmer near Beaver Dam, Wisconsin took up the cue and advertised the following under the "For Sale" column of The Daily Citizen:

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# MacDuff Ottawa report

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nomic Council set for 1970. In the light of this the new problem is to [illegible] why these training programs are not meeting the critical shortages of skilled manpower and to see that they do.

**VOCATIONAL COURSES IMPROVE PICTURE**

On the secondary school level vocational and technical training has made greater strides which will soon be reflected in the labour force. As a result of the federal - provincial capital program Canada now has accommodation for 244,815 students and enrolment is well over the 200,000 mark. Because of lack of statistics and in order to make comparisons with the United States this realm of secondary school training has been excluded from the study made by the Economic Council of the impact of education on economic growth.

In the field of formal education the Council has looked back over the past 50 years to determine the education attainments of the Canadian labour force. It finds that during this period, which has seen a spectacular advance, education has accounted for about one quarter of the increase in Canadian productivity and in the average standard of living. If Canadians are to achieve the productivity standards set by the Council between now and 1970 (an average yearly percentage increase in output per person of 2.4 per cent compared with 2.1 per cent achieved between 1960 and 1965 during four years of which the economy was on the upsurge) the conclusion is obvious. The Council finds the need for a tremendous expansion in enrolments especially at the university and post-secondary school level. This becomes urgent in view of the fact of the great upsurge in the coming 10 years of students moving into the 20-24 age group.

**HIGH COST IS STILL GOOD INVESTMENT**

While the cost of upgrading the labour force through formal education is high, the Council finds that the return on investment in education both to the individual and the nation is higher than in any other field. Average non-farm earnings of Canada's labour force in 1960 were $4,602. Those with eight years of elementary schooling only earned an average of $3,526. This with four to five years of high school earned $5,453. Those with some university education were getting an average of $6,130, and those with a university degree $9,188.

Dr. Deutsch has described the improvement in educational attainment of Canada's labour force over the half century as disappointing and if the Canadian advance is compared to that in the United States over the same period this is true. Particularly in recent years the Americans have been pulling away and widening the gap in labour force education. This is particularly noticeable in the percentage of the labour force wit huniversity degrees—in Canada 5.6 per cent and in the United States 11.1 per cent. Among older members, aged 55 to 64, the Canadian percentage of university graduates is 4.2 and the American, seven per cent. When we get down to the younger members, aged 25 to 34, Canada has six per cent university graduates and the United States 14.7 per cent. More than 30 per cent of the American labour force in the 25 to 34 age group finished their formel education with four years of high school, only 8.7 per cent in Canada. More than 19 per cent of Canadians in this age group have only an elementary school education, less than 10 per cent in the United States. For the whole labour force, however, the percentage in Canada with only elementary school has declined between 1911 and 1961 from 75 per cent to 48 per cent while those with university degrees has increased from 2.4 per cent to 3.6 per cent.

Cost to date of the 4,881-mile Trans-Canada Highway has been $1.5 billion, of which the federal contribution has been $584 million.

# Hastings Lake notes

(Mrs. G. Gladue)

HASTINGS LAKE — A large crowd welcomed the new year in at the hall.

The general meeting was held at the hall Saturday afternoon.

The first Social Credit whist drive of the year was held Jan. 8. The group meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunham yesterday.

The Ladies Club reported a happy time at their Christmas party which they held at the hall Dec. 16 and also at the Christmas concert they sponsored on Dec. 18.

The next club meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Barrow Jan. 20.

Ray Peterson and Ralph Dunham were home for Christmas, returning to Wandering River Boxing Day. They also came for New Year's and returned on Sunday.

The Bruce Berrecloth family were home over the holidays; also Jack Muir and his wife.

Mr. Dunham is a patient in the Tofield Hospital.

Due to the cold weather, the General Hall meeting called for January 8th was postponed. It will now take place Saturday afternoon, Jan. 15th, at 2:00 o'clock. It is hoped that everyone in the district will turn out for this meeting.

The next Social Credit Whist Drive will be on Saturday, Jan. 22nd.

# Tofield manager wins Co-op award

At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the Tofield Co-op Association, the manager, John Baergen, was presented with a No. 1 certificate in Co-operative Business Management.

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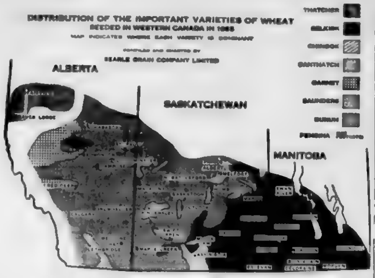


# Ryley news briefs

(M. K. Westmoreland)

Mrs. Alma Adams left on Tuesday morning of this week for a winter vacation with relatives and friends in a warmer climate. Meeting relatives in Winnipeg, she will go south into the U.S.A. to Grand Rapids, Mich., Minneapolis, Minn., and to the south of Texas. Mrs. Adams expects to be away about two months.

Lionel Harris came back by Air Canada this week from his holidays in Eastern Canada. While there he was stricken with pneumonia and is now recuperating at home.

Anton and Lucille Kaudelion visited with Anton's mother at the Bethany Home in Camrose on Saturday.

On Saturday Mrs. Ethel Pepper visited with her mother, who is still a patient in St. Mary's Hospital at Camrose.

Gordon Fisk, manager of the Treasury Branch for the past six and a half years, has been transferred to the South Side Treasury Branch in Edmonton. Mrs. Fisk and the family will join him in the city at a later date.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion catered for the banquet on Monday evening in the Legion Hall, to the curlers taking part in the farmers' bonspiel this week, in which 28 rinks are competing.

**M. DAVICK PASSES**

Martin Davick, one of the earliest pioneers of the Ryley district, passed away at the Bethany Home in Camrose on Monday, Jan. 10. Funeral services were held from the Ryley Lutheran Church today.


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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ella Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE — Charlie and Mickey Niemetz celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at their home on Saturday with some 25 members of the Niemetz and Ferguson families and Ellis and Ethel Jones and Eleanor and Ernie Runzer as guests at a turkey dinner and during the afternoon. There were also about the same number of neighbors and friends who dropped in during the evening and were luncheon and coffee guests there.

Emil and Martha Tiedmann celebrated Martha's brother Dutchy Gaubault's birthday on Sunday with a turkey dinner in his honor. Among the guests were their daughter and son-in-law, Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot, Martha's and Dutchy's brothers Victor Goubault and Armand and Gail Goubault, all of Lindbrook, David Bortch of Edmonton and Christie Taylor of Tofield. Also visiting them during the afternoon was Martha's sister and brother-in-law, Adele and Cliff Gossell of Edmonton.

**HERE FROM ONTARIO**

Herbert Niemetz of Ancaster and Temagamie, Ont. arrived Sunday morning at the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Irma and Fred Onyschuk in Edmonton. Later in the day they motored here and were guests at the 25th wedding anniversary celebration of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz at their home.

Joyce Anderson of B.C., who is at present visiting her father, Norman Anderson, and other relatives in Tofield, was a Sunday afternoon visitor with her friend Mrs. Marg Berrecloth at the home of Marg's mother, Mrs. Ethel Wood.

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

Leroy and Shirley Eaton and children, Margie and Ronnie, of Holden, were guests at a turkey dinner on Sunday at the home of Leroy's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton, helping her celebrate her birthday. During the afternoon Ken Ross and two small sisters, Dolores and Karen of Ryley, and Rachel Mahowich called and all were luncheon guests with Ellen. During the afternoon Ellen received three long-distance telephone calls, one from her daughter Rita Niemetz and girls, Linda and Sherry at Ancaster, Ont., one from her son Walter and Evelyn Eaton and children, Brenda, Donnie, Kevin, Brian and Karen at Edson, and one from her sister, Mrs. Frank Hallett of Tomahawk.

Mrs. Ray (Ruth) Wickenburg who has been a patient in the Tofield Hospital the past two weeks was able to spend Sunday afternoon at her home visiting with her family, Mrs. Vivian Jones and Janet Wickenberg, both of Edmonton, who were spending Sunday at the home of their parents.

A slight break in the cold weather has been welcomed by all, but especially by the farmers and stockmen who have found the cold quite severe on the livestock.


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**IN MEMORIAM**

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—Ever remembered and sadly missed by her loving husband, Miles Henry Barrow, and daughters, Virginia Sutton and Family, and Isabel Sutton and Family. 20p-3150

**CARDS OF THANKS**

A sincere "thank you" for the lovely letters, cards, flowers and gifts received after the accident; they helped so much. A special "thank you" to Dr. Freebury, Hazel Patterson, Mabel Boyles and the McFalls. A Happy New Year to all.

—Tom and Violette Bererton. 20c-3157

**FUTURE DATES**

**LINDBROOK HALL ANNUAL MEETING**

Annual meeting of Lindbrook Community Hall will be held Friday, Jan. 21st, at 8:00 p.m., at Lindbrook Hall. Everyone welcome. Lunch will be served. 20-21c-3151

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**LEGAL NOTICES**

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# Kingman news briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Jan. 10 — The Kingman Home and School will hold its regular meeting at the school on Jan. 14 at 8 p.m. when Kelvin Throndson will show slides.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis (nee Gwynn Semenson) a son, Dec. 31 at Edmonton. The new arrival is a grandson for Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Simonson.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wideman and boys spent New Year's weekend at Nanton visiting Mrs. Wideman's parents and Mr. Wideman's brothers and families.

Sunday afternoon guests at Mrs. J. A. Holte's home were Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, Mrs. Alex Asp, Mrs. A. Ekdahl, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Asp, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ovelson and Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson.

Dale Winder spent the weekend with his parents, the Albin Winders at Duhamel.

**HOME FROM COAST**

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson and Vernon returned New Year's Day from a two-weeks holiday to the west coast where they visited Mr. Peterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Knute Peterson of North Surrey, B.C., brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stig Peterson, and with many friends.

At the Ray Ovelson home Saturday evening to wish Mrs. Ovelson a happy birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whillans, Leroy and Barry of Tofield, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson, Mrs. Tillie Winder, Mrs. E. Wruck and Mr. and Mrs. Albin Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Ness of Edmonton were weekend guests at the Ingvald Ness home.

Gary Johnson, Randy and Audrey Anderson were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Otto Thoen home, Hay Lakes.

Sunday dinner guests of the Harvey Hovelsons and Mrs. I. Hovelson were Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Sware, Miss Thora Johnson and Mrs. Julia Johnson and Mildred, all of Camrose.

# Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
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Sunday, Jan. 16th
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
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Winter Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 11:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 11:00 a.m.
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Ryley, Alberta
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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School
RYLEY —
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Dan McLean
Sunday, Jan. 16th
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
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Tuesday, 8:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.
Thursday, 7:30 p.m. — Young People's Program.


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**SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, Jan. 15:**

Another good listing of Miscellaneous Items, Furniture and Tools, TV Sets and Gas Ranges. PLUS 800 bales Brome Hay; 1958 Ford Car; 1953 Chev. Car; 7,000 ft. of Rough Lumber, etc., etc.
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## Simon - Hendel wedding solemnized Nov. 10th

On November 10, St Gregory's Church at Holden was the scene of an early winter wedding, at which Sylvia Diane Hendel, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hendel of Holden pledged vows with David Earl Simon of Hyle, Alberta. Rev. Fr. Przysiezniak performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length empire line gown of peau de soie with a lily-point sleeved lace jacket. Her shoulder-length veil was held in place by a crown of pearls and crystal, and she carried a bouquet of red roses.

The bridesmaids, attired in identical coral peau de soie dresses with white accessories, were Miss Maureen Peruzzini, friend of the bride; Miss Jean Stefanishen cousin of the bride and Mrs. Lorraine McKay, friend of the bride.

The best men were John Simon, brother of the groom, Arch Hendel, brother of the bride, and Geo. McKay friend of the groom. Ushers were Eugene Danilak, friend of the groom, and Andrew Stasiewich, cousin of the groom.

The mother of the bride wore a teal blue wool suit with white accessories, and a pink corsage. Due to serious illness, the parents of the groom were unable to attend the wedding.

The reception took place in Holden Community Hall when approximately 300 guests enjoyed supper and refreshments. Master of ceremonies was Ed Hendel of Calgary, uncle of the bride, and the toastmaster was Phil Hendel of Edmonton, uncle of the bride.

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## Bardo district news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

Guests at the Glenn Francis home Christmas Eve were Pete and Myrtle Bjornson, Edmonton, Mrs. George Francis and Sharon from Tofield, and Roloff Bjornson from Edmonton. The Francis family motored to Edmonton for Christmas dinner at the Peter Bjornson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rude's guests for Christmas Eve supper were the Harold Whidden family from Amisk, the Edwin Kleins from Viking, Emil and Gene Rude and Lawrence and Diane Rude.

Olaf and Nora Anderson, Phillip and Norma Anderson and family and Anne Anderson spent Christmas Eve at the Leroy Finseth home. On Christmas Day the Finseths had Pastor and Mrs. Carl Johnson and family as dinner guests.

The Fred Lyseng family were visitors on Boxing Day and left for Camrose in the evening. From there they motored to their new location at Kimberley, B.C. where Fred manages a bank.

Visitors at the Charles Rude home for Charles' birthday on Dec 29 were the Leroy Finseth and Glenn Francis families. Olaf and Nora Anderson and Alice Finseth.

Mrs. Monrad Finseth of Edmonton was a visitor at the Leroy Finseth home from Monday to Thursday.

**RETURNS HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wesner and Lori arrived at the Ivan Foshaug home on New Year's Day from Swan River, Man., where they spent Christmas with Ed's folks. They returned home to Edmonton on Saturday and Ed left by plane for the north, where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stauffer entertained the choir for lunch after caroling at the hospital and for other shut-ins on Wednesday evening.

Christmas Day dinner guests at the Leif Foshaug home were Mr and Mrs. Eldin Moen and girls from Lethbridge, Mrs. Agnes Hagen and Neil, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rudd and family from Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mathisen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hank Jensen and son and Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Kreger and Diane, all from Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bjarne Ericksen and children from Edson spent the holidays with Bjarne's parents, the M. Ericksons.

The Sam Cinnamon's Christmas dinner guests were Mrs. Marie Simonson of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Oslenburg and Mr and Mrs. Mcleod and boys from Edmonton. Mr and Mrs. Ballhorn and Mr and Mrs. Harold Simonson and girls from Wetaskiwin, Mr and Mrs. Herman Swanson and Marian, and Mr. and Mrs. John Sirois and Craig. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ritter were evening visitors.

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# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Jan. 4 — Mrs. Ragna Heiberg and Eysten entertained her family, the Andy Heibergs and Bud Dawson family from Peace River on Christmas Eve. On Christmas Day the Andy Heiberg family were guests at the Ed Magnuson home at Ryley.

The Harold Kindley family spent the holidays with Harold's parents and on Christmas Day they were all at Viking at the Earl Kindley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stokhan spent Christmas Eve at Fort Saskatchewan with their son-in-law and daughter and grandchildren, the Bob Hunters. On Christmas Day they went to Inland to have dinner with the Dale Rude family.

Christmas Eve guests at the Lester Severson home included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dahl and Marian from Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Irving and children and Mr. and Mrs. Garth Evans and family, all from Edmonton. Mrs. Otto Litwin from Tofield, Mr. and Mrs. Don Litwin and Gregory David spent the holidays at home.

At the Ivan Foshang home Christmas Eve were Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Krogen, Caroline Foshang and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Krogen, Caroline Foshang and Darrel Krogen. The Foshang family spent Christmas Day at the Harold Shultz home.

**HOME FROM B.C.**

Jim and Nelia Johnson and boys from Vernon, B.C. and Stan and Bertha Ramstad and Darren from Calgary spent the Christmas holidays at the Arnold Johnson home. Grandma Foshang was also a dinner guest on Christmas Day. Walter went to Calgary with the Ramstads to look for employment.

**Lars Rude had his hand caught in the power take-off on the tractor just before Christmas. His thumb was broken and the wound required many stitches.**

At the Clarence Rude home Christmas Eve were Carl, Alma Marie and Garry Nelson from Edmonton, Raymond and Betty Brooks and boys from Wetaskiwin, Lars and Gladys Rude and children and Joanne Lauber.

Tuesday supper guests at the Charles Rude home were the Jack Francis family from Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis and Josephine, Mrs. George Francis and Sharon and Neil Wease and Ward Trotter.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stauffer, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Heiberg and Merlin Rude attended the wedding of Miss Barbara Roth and Mervin Yoder at the Mennonite Church on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haukedal had as Christmas dinner guests the Mikael Ericksons, Mr. and Mrs. Ragna Heiberg and Eysten, Mr. and Mrs. Bjarne Erickson and children. The Jack Innis family from Edson also spent Christmas with the Haukedals.

The Lawsons gathered at the Leonard Stauffer home for their Christmas dinner. Present were the Wayne and Leonard Stauffer families from Calgary, the Marvin Moens from Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lawson and the Gengleins from Ardrossan.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Anderson's dinner guests on Christmas Day were Mrs. Anne Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Anderson. On Boxing Day Norma's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Green and girls and Miss Joan Green, all of Edmonton, were dinner guests there.

The Elmer Sitlers had their family home over Christmas, the Glenn Sitler family and Ed Look families from Edmonton and the Harold Sitlers.

The Mosby families were together at the Harry Mosby home on Christmas Eve when guests present were Grandma Mosby and the Ed Mosby family from Camrose, the George Mosby family and Mr. and Mrs. Ole Mosby from Ryley. On Christmas Day the Mclellans from Beaverlodge, Miss Joan Baptist from Edmonton and the John Thompsons were dinner guests with the Harry Mosbys.

Leonard and Evelyne Stauffer and boys and the Norman Stauffer family enjoyed Christmas Eve in Tofield with their mother, Petra Stauffer.

**WICKS' WEEK**
**By BEN WICKS**

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THE RECEPTIONIST

# Beaver county council meets Dec. 9

Following are the minutes, in part, of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9 meeting, held Thursday, Dec. 9th:

**Business Arising from Minutes**

In regards to the Sewerage System at Kinsella, the secretary-treasurer reported that he had discussed this matter with R. H. Nicolson, Alberta Branch Manager of Associated Engineering Services Limited, and A. B. Samuel when they interviewed the Council on December 3rd in regards to the Road Survey. They suggested that the two by-laws in connection with this work could be finally passed and then the matter left in abeyance until spring when tenders could be called. They were quite certain that the work could not be done in time to obtain the 15% reduction from the Dominion Government, and it was quite evident that the cost of the project would be much higher than originally anticipated. The secretary-treasurer referred to his previous suggestion that some arrangements might be made with Cannesco Limited to pump out the private disposal systems in the Hamlet, thus taking care of the health problem without saddling the County with a debenture.

This was considered feasible by the Council, and it was moved and carried that the report be accepted and that the matter of Cannesco Limited serving the Hamlet of Kinsella be further investigated.

In regards to the Preventive Welfare Services as suggested by the Department of Public Health, the secretary-treasurer informed the Council that a meeting might be called in the week of December 12th at Vegreville, at which time an official from the Department of Public Welfare would further explain the proposals. He also reported that he had on Tuesday, Nov. 30th, attended a Seminar in Vegreville in connection with a family court procedure.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to C. Poettker impounding cattle belonging to Frank Moysey, the secretary-treasurer stated that he had advised Mr. Moysey of the recommendation of the Pound Committee, and that he had 21 days in which to appeal the recommendation.

No appeal had been received, and it was moved and carried that the recommendation of the Pound Committee be approved, and that the damage claim of C. Poettker in the amount of $20 be paid and the inspection fee be charged to Mr. Moysey.

The secretary-treasurer had also stated that Mr. Moysey had finally settled his previous account in connection with the impounding of his animals.

In connection with the burrow pit problem on S.E. 10-49-16-W4th, the secretary-treasurer reported that Adam Schmiedt had signed the necessary preliminary agreement, and that this would be dealt with later in the meeting.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

The secretary-treasurer informed the Council that on Nov. 10th, at the request of the Reeve, he had notified the Dept. of Water Resources that a number of farmers in the County of Camrose No. 22 were draining water into the ditches that had been constructed under the Round Hill Flood Control Project in 1964. A reply from A. Strome, engineer for the department of water resources, indicated that the Department was not too concerned with this ditching activity as the outlet was adequate to handle additional flow. Also it was considered difficult to stop this practice with any method short of court action. The secretary-treasurer in his letter had also mentioned that, possibly, a further cash contribution should be requested from the County of Camrose. Mr. Strome stated that his understanding had been that the County of Camrose would contribute up to $1,000 in the flood control scheme and that this, in his opinion, was adequate.

However, as the County of Camrose had only contributed $400 to date, it was moved and carried that a request for further contribution be made to the County of Camrose No. 22.

A letter from the Director of Public Relations, in reply to the application for a recreational grant for the Kinsella Elks Lodge to be used at the sports grounds at Kinsella, advised that this application could not be accepted.

Moved and carried that the correspondence be received and filed.

A letter from Radio Station CFCW requesting that they be furnished with a copy of the Council agenda a few days prior to every meeting of the Council

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**TOWN OF TOFIELD**

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3. The discount allowed in this by-law shall not include payments on account of frontage taxes.

TOWN OF TOFIELD
Rita E. Halverson
Secretary-Treasurer

(19-20-21)

# Around the town

On Saturday night, Dec. 8, 70 ladies attended a miscellaneous shower held in the Tofield Legion Hall in honor of Mrs. Larry Degen (nee Susan Pittet). Pat Glover presented Susan with many gifts for which the recipient thanked the ladies present.

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Christmas Day and dinner guests at the T. Nomeland home were J. T. Kallal and Diane, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Lorbeismo and Mrs. Julia Nomeland, all of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simpson, Miss Jennie and Mary Kallal and Horace McHeffey.

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Diane Kallal spent the holidays with her grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Kallal, and aunt Mary, and with her aunt and uncle, Malise and Toby Nomeland.

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Mrs. Julia Nomeland spent the holidays with her son and daughter-in-law, the Toby Nomelands.

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Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. O. Hjelter were Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hjelter and children from Ryley. Tuesday dinner guests there were Mr. and Mrs. Tees Hamstra from Edmonton.

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Monday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Wiklun were Mrs. O. Hjelter, and Mr. and Mrs. Melford Wiklun from Sherwood Park.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hatherton (nee Connie Kallal) and son Donald, from British Columbia, spent the Christmas holidays visiting with relatives here.

**BIRTH**

Born to Sharron and Larry Yoder on Jan. 8 a son, David James, weighing 8 lbs. 14 oz.

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Marg Haworth was the winner of the Tofield Legion Arf and Arf $50 bill for December draw.

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Horace McHeffey left on Wednesday for Drumheller where he plans to teach dancing for the next six weeks.

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Joyce Anderson from Calgary has been visiting with her parents, Ester and Norman Anderson, for the past two weeks.

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Christmas and New Year's visitors with Josie and Pete Ozubko were Bob Ozubko and Gail Niemetz, Marlene and Jim McKay, Pat and Calvin Gill and family, all of Edmonton; Sharon and Larry Yoder, Lucy and Bill Mishew and family, Gwen and Larry Murray, Helen and Stan Grover, Sharon Avison from Calgary and Lynda Kallal from Edmonton. Lynda spent the holidays with Lynda Ozubko, while Donnie Ozubko spent the holidays with his sister, Mrs. Jim McKay, in Edmonton.

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Sunday, Jan. 2 Mr. and Mrs. Toby Nomeland were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mitchell of Edmonton.


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—— AUCTIONEERS ——

# Beaver county council meets Dec. 9

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[illegible] referred to [illegible] Council [illegible] member of the news staff would then study the agenda and by telephone would inquire what happened to any particular item or items at the Council meeting.

The secretary-tre[illegible] was of the opinion that with the heavy work [illegible] not be [illegible] to have the agenda ready until, possibly the night before the meeting—this being the present practice. Moved and carried that the request cannot be acceded to at the present time but that consideration would be given to it at a later time.

A letter from Koshuta and Kawalych [illegible]ing if the county carried out any spraying operations of trees and underbrush along the north half of Section 13-50-16-W 4th, owned by John P Komarnisky, was referred to council. The council was also advised that a reply acknowledging that spraying had been done by the county had been forwarded to the firm of solicitors on Nov. 22.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed and action concurred in.

A letter from the emergency planning officer, department of agriculture veterinary laboratory, advising that a radiological defence officers course would be held in Edmonton Feb. 14 to 18. It was moved and carried that the field supervisor, Rex Boyles, who is acting as radiological defence officer for the county, attend this course.

A petition from 25 ratepayers in the west end of the county for the purpose of having by-laws 190 and 193 in connection with the proposed sewage system in Kinsella brought to a vote by the proprietary elecors was referred to the council. The secretary-treasurer informed the council that the 25 signatures were far short of the required 10 per cent of the proprietary electors and it was moved and carried that the petition be received and filed.

Moved and carried that the summary of bridge inspections made in connection with the 1966 bridge requests, referred to the council at this time be accepted.

Moved that preliminary agreement signed by Adam Schmiedt in connection with the burrow pit on S.E. 10-49-16-W 4th be accepted.

The council was advised that Palmer Pederson had requested some road improvement by N.W. of 4 and S.W. of 5-49-18-W 4th. The reeve reported that he had started cutting the brush during the 1964-65 winter season but, due to the heavy snow, it had been impossible to complete the work and he felt that this matter should be left in abeyance until the new councillor for the area was able to deal with it. Moved and carried that this matter be deferred to a later meeting of the council.

The secretary[illegible] informed the council that Mrs. Annie Cheremshynsky had compla[illegible] of certain drainage problems on S.E. of 2 and S.E. of 3-51-16-W 4th. She had stated that three culverts had been put in this area but that Councillor Kropielnicki was supposed to have deepened the outlet to the creek and that this work had not been completed, resulting in the land being flooded this last season. Councillor Kropielnicki stated that he would check into this complaint.

Moved and carried that the [illegible]nual meeting of the electors of the County of Beaver No. 9 be held on the first Saturday in March for the discussion of county affairs, the meeting to be held in the Ryley School auditorium beginning at 1 p.m.

A letter from the department of water resources referring to a complaint lodged with the department by John Maurer concerning Section 19-50-18-W 4th, Dave Schmidt concerning S.E. 24-50-19-W 4th and Olaf Stokkan concerning N.E. 13-50-19-W 4th, was referred to the council.

The inspection report was discussed to some length and the council was informed that the culvert and the blocks, referred to in the report, had been attended to. It was moved and carried that the letter be received and filed, the information accepted and that no further action be contemplated by the county at this time.

Correspondence from the provincial planning director concerning proposed sub-division of N.E. and S.E. 30-50-18-W 4th was referred to the council.

Moved and carried that the council has no objection to the proposed subdivision provided that the county be not responsible for any road or other improvements in or to the proposed subdivision.

In connection with the proposed meeting regarding the road survey as dealt with by the council on Dec. 3, Councillor Roddick stated that he would like some directions from the council as to what engineering firms should be considered. After some discussion it was moved and carried that the Canadian Engineering Surveys Ltd. be considered as the first firm to be considered and that Stewart Weir Stewart and Watson be considered in second place, depending on what opinion the other areas had in this connection.

Notice of a conference of county and municipal councillors, advisors, staff and the Alberta department of agriculture to be held in the Two Hills East Hall at 9 a.m. on Monday, Dec. 13 was referred to the council. Moved and carried that Councillors Gibson and Kropielnicki attend this conference.

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# On the Provincial Scene

By JOHN WARREN

Well, winter finally got around to the capital. And the week of 30-below weather seemed to have the same effect on political activity as it did on vehicles—both were nearly impossible to start.

Only one opposition spokesman made himself heard at all and he really need not have bothered. It seems that talk about a formal residence for the Lieutenant-Governor got Bill Dickie thinking, a little. The Calgary liberal suggested it be built in Calgary. After all, he said, the southern city is the centre of business and finance for the province. Since the government hasn't done anything about it, Mr. Dickie was sure people in Calgary would be willing to do it for them.

He pointed out, incorrectly, that the Lieutenant-Governor is only really needed in the capital during the six or eight weeks of the session. The vice-regal representative has, in fact, dozens of formal tasks in the capital year-round—including the weekly signing of orders-in-council passed by the cabinet.

Incidentally Grant MacEwan moved into his new office on January 6. We may hear more about his domestic accommodation later.

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If Albertans aren't going to get a chance to build the Lieutenant-Governor a house, at least they'll be able to invest in the province's industry.

Last week the cabinet announced that Alberta Investment certificates would go on sale February 15th. They will be sold in denominations of 100 dollars and multiples of 100 and will be redeemable any time at face value.

The government has limited the initial issue to $10,000,000 and will use the money to assist new or faltering industry in the province. A minimum dividend of three-and-a-half per cent annually will be paid in mid-February and mid-August.

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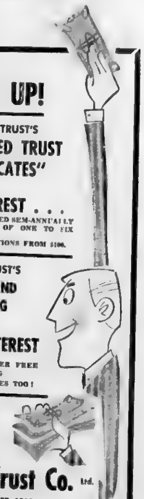

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] have been receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter Monday, Jan. 3 at Tofield Hospital.**

Mr. [illegible] Mrs. Earl Hardy with their daughter Inez and family, the Howard Reils of Ryley, [illegible] New Year's visitors and dinner guests with Mrs. Hardy's sister, Mrs. Margaret Phillips and son Terry at Viking.

[illegible] Elna Parsons entered the University Hospital, Edmonton, a week ago Friday for a check-up and treatments.

Mrs. Spafford of the Holden Hotel coffee shop is home again after being a hospital pati[illegible] for several days.

Mrs. Esther Flemming is a patient in Tofield Hospital, where she has been for the past week and a half undergoing surgery.

Mrs. Stella Sorensen entertained several friends and neighbors at a coffee party Friday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pederson of Camrose, Mrs. N. L. Campbell and Mr. Ruxton and children were entertained at dinner Sunday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Allan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus motored to Rimbey and were guests for the New Year's holiday with their son Earl and his wife Penny. Driving home by way of Edmonton they were supper visitors there with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka spent the New Year's holiday in Edmonton and helped their daughter Betty and son-in-law Steve move into their apartment will be residing until their future plans are decided.

Mrs. Alice Jones of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with her mother, [illegible] Carrie Olson.

Mrs. Ida Mason [illegible] Mrs. Olive Good helped Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus take stock in the M & M store for a couple of days last week. Mrs. Florence Giebelhaus returned to work the end of the week after staying home for two days the early part of the week during the [illegible] cold weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Koop Spannenburg and children of Edmonton were visitors New Year's Day with Florence's family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story.

Mrs. Laura Christiansen, Mrs. Mary James, Mrs. N. L. Campbell and Ray Hovland were guests at a turkey dinner at the home of Mrs. Carrie Olson Saturday. Mrs. Olson's nephew Lorne Sizer was also a guest and her daughter, Mrs. Alice Jones and her sister Mrs. Olberg of Edmonton both visited there for the weekend.

Christmas and New Year holiday visitors with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ogrodnick, were their daughter, son-in-law and small grandson from Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Williams and daughter Carol and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Satk, all of Edmonton, spent the New Year's holiday with the girls' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McLeod.

**PIONEER GROUP MEETS**

The Pioneer Group met Thursday, Jan. 6 at the home of Mrs. Earl Hardy, with nine ladies present. The devotions were taken by Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus.

The year's financial statement was read and a report of the year's work was given. The new study book was started by Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Edna Ruskenveld and the devotions taken by Mrs. Doris Story. Members are also reminded that their dues should be paid at that meeting.

Mrs. Blanche [illegible] to Tofield Hospital the early part of last week for further treatments after being home for a few days during Christmas week.

**TRUSTEES MEET**

The [illegible] of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 held their last meeting of 1965 Friday, Dec. 31 in the office of the secretary-treasurer with all trustees present. A discussion of cleaning the ditches during the year was held and regular business attended to and correspondence read. At the January meeting the trustees will set the budget for the new year.

# Shower honors Grace Reum

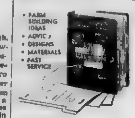
(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Jan. 7th.

A pretty, miscellaneous shower was held at the Walter Stenrud home on Jan. 6th for bride-elect, Miss Grace Reum, before her marriage. Mrs. Walter Stenarud was in charge of an interesting program including a skit by Lola Stenarud. Games were enjoyed, and Mrs. Alvin Bratrud made the presentation speech. After viewing the many pretty gifts, Grace expressed her gracious thanks.

Miss Reum, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Reum, and Eriven Weber of Calgary were married Jan. 8th at Camrose Pentecostal Church, reception following.

Cider is the fermented juice of the apple, while fermented pear juice is called perry.



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CROWN LUMBER

# Provincial scene...

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The President of the Farmers' Union of Alberta, Paul Babey, is planning to lead a group of FUA members on a tour of India later this winter. Last week he took time out to explain what he hopes the tour will achieve.

Apparently one of the big problems facing Indian agriculture is that of getting farmers to use modern technology. Mr. Babey says there is a serious gap between the research centres and the Indian farmers. Alberta farmers can help bridge it by meeting with the Indian people and discussing the value of improved methods. And they can return to Canada with first-hand knowledge of problems and suggestions on how Canadians can help overcome them.

In the final analysis, says Mr. Babey, a wealthier India will provide a better market for Canadian product.

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The provincial government has announced it will give a helping hand to Indians closer to home.

Pointing out that lack of work is one of the most severe problems facing the natives of northern Alberta, the government says it will make every effort to employ them in construction of the new resources railway.

Up to 1,000 workers will be needed almost immediately to start clearing and building grade for the road running north from Hinton. Two Cree-speaking officials will help recruit labor in the area.

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The announcement was timely in that it corresponds with a meeting of northern teachers and members of the Alberta Indian Education Association in Edmonton.

Most delegates, with first-hand knowledge of the situation, say the Indians' lot is improving, but not very fast. Public assistance with self-help programs planned and co-ordinated by the Indians themselves seems the best method of improving their lot.

# Viking wins both basketball games

(Joy Watkins)

On Wednesday, Jan. 5, there were two basketball games at Tofield—Tofield versus Viking.

In the girls' game the score was 8-7 in favor of Viking. The Tofield girls made all their scores on free shots.

Viking was also victorious in the boys' game, the score being 22-12.

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Jan. 6 — Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Hoffman and small son are visiting for several days with Sandra's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sawchuk. Dennis, who was with the Canadian Army, has finished his term of enlistment and they will be making their future home in Edmonton where he will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Rilland had their family home with them for both the Christmas and New Year's holidays, the families bringing dinner both times.

Miss Gladys Umrysh, who is employed at the AGT office, spent the New Year's holiday in Edmonton visiting with her sister and family.

Mrs. Sam Black, who became ill New Year's Eve, was taken to Tofield Hospital, where she is still a patient having a check-up and treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bilyk and family were New Year's Day visitors and dinner guests with relatives in Edmonton. The family also attended the show "Sound of Music." They returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Malowany and children of Edmonton were Christmas and New Year's Day visitors with Paul's mother, Mrs. Kate Malowany.

Reuben Hovland visited over New Year's with his brother Glen and family at Hillsdown.

**HOLIDAY IN HOLLAND**

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Taylor heard from their son Brian in England that he and his wife and two small sons, Ernest and Ronald, were leaving for Holland Jan. 14 for a week's holiday and to attend a family gathering at the home of his wife's parents, Professor and Mrs. Oavlee at Bennekom, who will be celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary Jan. 18.

The Holden BPO Elks held a very successful New Year's Eve supper dance with a large crowd attending. This is one of the events the lodge has for raising funds, the proceeds of which are used for operating the skating rink which is operated every winter season by the Elks.

**NAVY MAN HOME**

Dennis Shyba of the Royal Canadian Navy, who spent a two-weeks leave during the Christmas season with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shyba, returned to his station on the east coast last week by RCAF plane from Namao Air Base.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer has been visiting this past week with her daughter Garnne and family, the C. Hammers in Viking, driving down with them when they came to pick up their daughter Melanie, who had spent a few days during the Christmas vacation with her grandmother.

## School sponsors blood clinic

(Elaine Walker)

The Blood Donor Clinic will be held in Tofield on January 18th. The clinic will again be sponsored by the High School, which was the first school in the province to do so, and now has made the Clinic an annual event.

## Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. It's most time to be going, but Bob and myself have decided to pass up the meeting.
2. These here apples are very tasteful, and I think I will take one.
3. Neither of his sister-in-laws approved of them dining so lately in the day.
4. I calculate on going tomorrow, although I cannot help but think I will be too early.
5. The widow of the late dean went into the basic fundamentals of the project.
6. Just between you and I, I'm not too very happy about this.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Detritus.
8. Desuetude (state of disuse).
9. Homeopathic.
10. Inopportune.
11. Coeval.
12. Coup d'etat (sudden blow against the state).

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Zealot, boycot, apricot, ingot, polyglut, bivouac, biennial, biological, bibliophile, binacle, initiate, iniquitous, inuendo, inimical, insidious, arsenal, arrogance, avunculer, aplomb, aquiline, hurricane, hyacinth, Himalayan, hemostat, heterogenous, emigrant, emerge, imerge, extant, ennui.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "It's ALMOST time to be going, but Bob and I have decided to FOREGO the meeting." 2. Omit "here", and say, "These apples are very TASTY, and I THINK I SHALL take one." 3. Say, "Neither of his SISTERS-in-law approved of THEIR dining so LATE in the day". 4. Say, "I THINK I SHALL GO tomorrow, although I cannot help THINKING I SHALL be too early". 5. Omit the words "late" and "basic". 6. Say, "Just between you and ME", and omit "too".

7. Pronounce dey - try - tuss, accent second syllable. 8. Pronounce dess-wee-tyud, accent first syllable. 9. Pronounce hoe-me-oh-path-ick, principal accent on fourth syllable. 10. Pronounce final syllable as "tyun", and not as "toon". 11. Pronounce koe-ee-v'l, accent second syllable. 12. Pronounce koo-day-taw, with accents on first and last syllables.

13. Boycott, binnacle, innuendo, avuncular, heterogeneous, immerge.

## Modern etiquette

Q. When a girl is being married in a simple, informal wedding, and she is wearing her going-away dress, does she have a number of bridesmaids?

A. In this type of ceremony, the bride usually limits her attendants to one — her maid or matron of honor.

Q. When hors d'oeuvres are served on picks, should they be eaten from the picks, or removed and eaten with the fingers?

A. From the picks.

Q. Is the bride supposed to do all the cutting of the wedding cake?

A. Not usually. It is customary and traditional for her to cut the first piece, along with her bridegroom, and share it with him. Then a friend or one of the caterers takes care of the cutting of the rest of the cake.

Q. If a knife has not been used during a meal, should it be picked up at the end of the meal and placed with the fork across the plate so that it will be taken out when the plate is removed?

A. No; it should remain where it is on the table.

Q. Is it really necessary for a man who habitually carries a pipe in his mouth to remove it when speaking to a woman?

A. Yes, just as a man with a cigar or cigarette in his mouth.

Q. Recently I escorted my wife and woman friend of hers to a social function, and upon arriving I assisted the woman friend first with her wraps. My wife now claims I was out of order, that I should have helped her first. How about this?

A. Your wife is the one who is "out of order". You did the proper thing.

Q. Different members of our family received a number of notes and cards of condolence following the passing of a loved one. Should these be acknowledged by us?

A. Personal notes of acknowledgement are in order, although it is quite understandable that they be brief, even to close friends.

Q. When serving a fruit juice as a first course at the table, where should this glass be placed?

A. On the place plate—not with the water glass.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Jan. 7th. The Don Campbell Jr., family were comfortably settled in their new 2-bedroom bungalow, size 24' x 39', shortly before Christmas.

On Dec. 25th, Tom and Ingvald Bruce were pleasantly surprised when their cousins extended season's greetings by long-distance telephone from Duluth, Minn. The Knudsons were also surprised to hear from their cousins at Kirkhoven, Minn. Both receptions were very clear.

The Ralph Urlacher family of Olds spent several days last week with Mr. Urlacher's parents, the Frank Urlachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jorgen Davick, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dobson and son, Donald Law, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stenarud, Lola, Dale and Garry were Saturday evening guests at the Ed Mellott home, Ohaton.

Jan. 1st supper guests at the Esben Sorenson home were Mr. and Mrs. Arne Sorenson and Randy of Camrose, the Evan Kvales and the Carl Sorensons.

Dinner guests Dec. 31 with the Akers were Sam Olsen, Dale, Ken & Arden, the John Bruces, the Lewis Forres, and Lars Olsen.

Dinner guests Jan. 1st at the Joe Knudson home were Mrs. Mabel Meadahl, the Lewis Forres, and the Fernie Forres of Tofield.

Sunday dinner guests at the Lawrence Hovland home were Mr. and Mrs. R. McKee of Wetaskiwin, the Lewis Forres, and the John Bruces.

Henry Huseby is a patient in the Daysland Hospital.

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## Tofield woman passes in Edmonton Jan. 15th

On January 15th, Mrs. Leda Blakely of Tofield passed away in an Edmonton hospital. She leaves her loving husband, Richard, one son Glen of London, Ont., three grandchildren, three sisters, Mrs. John Thomson of Tofield, Miss Jean Baptist of Edmonton and Mrs. Harry Mosby of Tofield, one brother, Kenneth Baptist of Edmonton.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, Jan. 18th from Holy Trinity Anglican Church at Tofield with Rev. Walter Hammett officiating. Interment was at Tofield Cemetery.

**Icicle is scarce item**

An item that has been pretty hard to find this winter—at least up until Sunday and Monday when temperatures hovered around the zero mark—is an icicle. The only ones spotted last Saturday were these, hanging from a chimney top.

## Oeming film coming soon

Canada's outstanding naturalist and one of the world's best known zoologists, Al Oeming, director of the world famous Alberta Game Farm, will present a color and sound motion picture entitled "Window On The Wilds" in Tofield soon.

Al Oeming will narrate this film "Tawana" in person. His famous tame cheetah will be on stage with him for you to pet and photograph.

## 'Thanks' to students from sanatorium

A letter has been received by Mrs. Neil Phillips, teacher at the Tofield School, from Mrs. E. Samuels, director of nurses at the Aberhart Memorial Sanatorium in Edmonton, expressing sincere thanks to the Grade 8 pupils for their kindness in sending a generous supply of cookies, books and toys to the children at the hospital. She said the books will provide many hours of reading pleasure for older children, so will help the staff in their efforts to keep the patients occupied and entertained. In her letter, Mrs. Samuels extended best wishes for a very happy and healthy New Year to all the boys and girls at Tofield school.

## RFA directors returned for '66

The annual meeting of Tofield Rural Fire Association was held on January 12th with a rather poor turnout; some 25 to 30 members being present. There were three members' fires during the year and one church fire.

The three retiring directors were returned without opposition for a further three years. As there was some opposition to the term "dues" it was agreed to change this to "operating charges". This was set at $3.00 and is now payable either at Bank of Montreal or to the secretary. Failure to pay this by March 1st leaves one liable for the full $200 per hour fee in case of a fire, so members are urged to keep in good standing. There have been three changes in telephone numbers on the yellow card, that should be kept near your phone, please change these:

662-3983 becomes 662-4933
662-3378 becomes 662-4078
662-3387 becomes 662-4095

## REA has annual meeting

(Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Bruce Rural Electrification Association held their annual meeting Friday, Jan. 14th at 8:00 p.m. in the Bruce Community Hall, with approximately 40 members present. All directors were present, as well as the secretary, R. C. Hovland, Bruce Farrend of Calgary, of the Farm Electrical Branch, Chester Wright, local manager of Calgary Power, and Paul Laustsen, assistant.

Annual reports and the auditors' report were given and accepted. Mr. Farrend, the guest speaker, spoke on power consumption and spot checks for new ratings and also comparison rates.

Chester Wright outlined various services which had been rendered the community during the past year, and made particular mention of the damages caused by the May 18th - '65 storm. He recommended that most farms be equipped with auxiliary heating, if possible.

John Skoiney and Nick Laskoski were re-elected as directors for a three-year term and Walter Lutz for one year, to replace C. E. Whillans. Arthur W. Gibson was appointed auditor. Association fees were again set at $1.00 per member for the coming year.

## 12 rinks in Curlorama

Rinks from Ryley, Tofield, Bruce and Holden have entered the annual Curlorama sponsored by Beaver Motors, Holden.

The 12 rinks made up entirely of farmers will compete next Wednesday and finishing with a winner declared for the district on Thursday. Winners go on to area, provincial and finally national farm curling honors.

## Society to hear talks on India

The Tofield Historical Society is privileged this year to have as guest speaker at its annual meeting on January 25th in the historical museum, Mr. and Mrs. Sodhi of the Tofield High School staff.

Mr. and Mrs. Sodhi spent their early years in India and have much to share with an audience. Mr. Sodhi will speak about the impact on India of its four chief religions—Muslim, Hindu, Buddhist and Christian.

Mrs. Sodhi will be glad to answer questions on Indian life and she is eminently qualified to do so.

Remember these interesting speakers will be heard on Tuesday, Jan. 25th at 8 p.m. President Harold Schultz will be in charge of the meeting.

## Tofield and Ryley teams split games

On Wednesday, Jan. 12th, there were basketball games in Tofield with Tofield and Ryley playing. The Tofield girls defeated the Ryley girls by a score of 14-9. The Tofield boys were decisively beaten with a score of 46-14.

This year the Junior High basketball tournament will be held in Tofield on February 26th, with four country teams playing. It is sponsored by the Tofield and Ryley Lions' Clubs.

CAT IN A CAST. Purry is a perky Siamese kitten who will have to do his mouse-hunting with a handicap. He broke his right leg, and a cast was necessary. With anxious face, he examines the X-ray of his leg, wondering, "How long before it heals, Doc?"

## Mrs. Allan marks 90th birthday

Ella and Graham Allan and family spent Friday, Jan. 14th, at Westlock, the occasion being Graham's mother, Mrs. D. K. Allan's 90th birthday. Mrs. Allan received a scroll from Lt.-Gov. Grant MacEwan, also a nice letter from Premier Manning and numerous cards and flowers from her friends.

Mrs. Allan lives with her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Pauling at Westlock.

## Ladies' Society elects officers

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

SPILSTEAD — The annual meeting of the Spilstead Ladies' Society was held at the home of Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother on January 12th with eight members present. The following officers were elected for another year: pres., Mrs. Josephine Paulson; vice-pres., Mrs. Hazel Ray; sec.-treas., Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Geo Hollin's home in February.

## Syd Wrights mark 25th anniversary

On Sunday, Jan. 2nd, open house was held at the Wright home in Edmonton in honor of Mary and Syd's 25th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright were married on New Year's Day, 1941, at Holy Trinity Anglican Church, South Edmonton.

The weather this day was cold and blizzardy, similar to the weather on that very special day 25 years ago.

Some of the guests present on their wedding day were at the open house. Syd's mother, Mrs. Charles Wright, was present for the occasion. The wedding write-up, which had been printed in the Tofield Mercury 25 years ago, was read, and pictures were taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Wright, son and daughter-in-law of the happy couple, were present, as was Victor, their youngest son. Leslie had left for Vancouver the day previous and was not able to be present.

A lovely Christmassy lunch was served. One of the highlights of the occasion was that their wedding cake was iced by their son Victor, and was very beautifully done.

The anniversary couple received several beautiful bouquets of flowers and some very lovely gifts to mark the occasion.

## James Rowland dies in Washington

James Rowland died in a local hospital January 4th after a brief illness.

Born May 11th, 1896, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rowland, old-timers of Tofield. He was with the first group of boys to volunteer in World War I, served the entire duration returning home after peace was signed. Later he made his home in Seattle, Wash., and on retirement at the age of 65, he resided in Kirkland, Wash., a suburb of Seattle where he grew flowers which he loved.

Surviving him are his wife, Maud, and two step-daughters, Marion Nelson of Kirkland and Evelyn Miller of Bremerton, two sisters and one brother: Edith Sarchett of Everett, Mary Ellen Giffin of Bottrell and Peter Rowland of Port Angeles; four nephews and three nieces, all of Washington State.

Funeral services were held January 6th at Ever Green Funeral Home, Kirkland.

## The weather

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| 15 | 16 | 3 | 28.00 | ——— |
| 16 | 33 | 3 | 27.90 | ——— |
| 17 | 30 | 5 | 27.45 | ——— |
| 18 | -6 | -11 | 27.96 | ——— |
| 19 | — | -25 | 28.15 | ——— |

## Where is the snow plow?

A popular question around the town these days (other than the run-of-the-mill type such as "Is it cold enough for you?") is "What has happened to our snow plow?"

The taxpayers are wondering—quite naturally—why snow has been left lying as it falls on the Main Street, as well as the side streets of the town. Not only the merchants, but all town residents as well as those coming to Tofield to shop would like to see the plow put to better use.

Is the plow broken down? Is it too cold to take it out of the storage shed? What are we paying taxes for? These are some of the questions being asked. Surely they are worthy of an answer.

## Ask for choice

Meeting with the Alberta cabinet recently, the Union of Alberta Municipalities asked that consideration be given to proportional representation in elections.

We haven't seen the details of their request, so we're not certain of the type of representation they hoped to switch to, or the way in which they felt it could best be gained. Over the years, of course, there have been many variations of voting suggested, and many have been tried. Usually, the idea is to try to gain a house of representatives whose political affiliations more closely reflect the strength of the voting as it applied to various parties.

It's a well known fact that many governments, in fact probably most, are elected with less than a majority of the popular vote. Even Mr. Manning's overwhelming 63 member government was elected with something less than half the votes.

Alberta used to use the transferrable vote system, giving voters choices in order of preference, so that voters whose first choice candidates couldn't hope to win at least had a second chance, and sometimes a third. The system can't be too bad, really. Even when parties are electing their leader, as the Liberals did last week in Calgary, they decline to accept a leader who can't get an overall majority, requiring two or three or more ballots.

Much the same principle was employed in the old preferential ballot in Alberta, but it was discarded because, according to the government, it confused many voters.

We never did accept that argument at face value, and we don't now. Voting only for one candidate didn't disqualify the ballot, it only robbed the voter of his second or third choice, if second or third counts were needed. And if voters can't figure that system out, maybe it's time we had a literacy test. We're not particularly in favor of reducing the voting age, but we're mighty sure the kids could figure out that simple little question without the aid of calculus.

## What's wrong with Canada

Two excerpts from a recent issue of The Printed Word combine to form one of the most pithy but penetrating comments on Canada we've seen for some time. Run together, the two follow:

It is more important to Canada that the political parties be worthy of office than that they hold office.

There is much that is wrong with Canada and yet nothing is wrong with Canada. The country has beauty, resources, size, water. What is wrong with Canada is the people. They have deteriorated politically. They would not have deteriorated politically if they had continued to discuss public affairs over the cracker-barrel, in the implement sheds and elsewhere where the issues of the day, Sir John's day or Sir Wilfrid's day, were debated vociferously and in a highly partisan manner.

Mr. Pearson is a leader who has failed to lead. Mr. Diefenbaker was a leader who missed the greatest opportunity for greatness given to anybody in this generation.

## Frenglish spoken here

Maybe there is some sense in the efforts of the French to rid their language of Anglo-Saxon impurities, suggests The Financial Post in an editorial. Le briefing of le coming-man may inspire a thirst all around for un scotch-soda, but obviously has little du sex-appeal for the language purists of la belle France or, for that matter, la belle province. Consider, however, the plight of the English-speaking countries. The Post says the entire social fabric, in fact, would be grievously undermined if the rule were English only. Madame would be distraite without her rouge, her chignon, her negligee and her brassiere. Indeed, what would a bride do without a trousseau? For that matter how could she get to be a bride without a fiance? Indeed, without French, how could anyone commit a faux pas by forgetting to acknowledge a request to R.S.V.P.? Franglais may be under attack and perhaps deservedly so, but, The Financial Post comments, Frenglish is plainly here to stay.


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## From the mail bag

883 Lee St., White Rock, B.C.,
January 12, 1966.

Editor, The Mercury:

I was a resident of your District for a number of years, commencing with 1906, and although I am not now a subscriber, I enjoy The Mercury very much, thanks to the kindness of friends who forward their copies.

News items from the Town and surrounding districts are always read carefully for word of the people we used to know, and it is surprising how many of the old names still appear in your columns, proving that many of your younger citizens elected to remain in the district, rather

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**NOTICE OF MEETING**

The annual meeting of the

**HOLY TRINITY PARISH**

is to be held

**Wednesday, Jan. 26th, at 7:30 p.m.**

in the Meeting Room of the Community Hall.

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## Ministik Ladies' Club holds annual meeting

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK — The annual meeting of the Ministik Ladies' Club was held on January 12th with Mrs. Albert Horricks their hostess, and 13 members answering the roll call. After the financial report and sick committee reports were given, the election of officers for a two year period took place. Officers are: pres., Mrs. Keith Williams; vice-pres., Mrs. Joe Davenport; sec.-treas., Mrs. Jim Roddick; sick comm., Mrs. S. George; lunch comm., Mrs. Helen Hennessy; roll call and entertainment, Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth.

The ladies' club was asked by the hall board to be social conveners for the year 1966.

Annual donations were sent to the TB fund, Cerebral Palsy, Crippled Children, Cancer fund, Heart Fund and the Polio Fund.

A whist drive was planned for January 28th, with Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and Mrs. Claude Leach as conveners.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Frank Swabey, Mrs. Ronald Swabey and Mrs. Albert Horricks.

Entertainment was supplied by Mrs. Verden Sears which was a film of the strawberry tea in June.

## Mrs. Leda Blakely dies January 15th

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE - McKENZIE — Sympathy of the district goes to Dick Blakely and members of his family on the death of his wife, Leda, on Saturday, Jan. 15th, in the University Hospital, Edmonton. Sympathy also goes to all members of the Baptist family and relatives. Leda was the former Leda Baptist, an old-time resident of the Tofield district, having been reared here and attended the Tofield school and resided here all her life. Leda will be sadly missed not only by her family, but her many friends and those who knew her over the years past.


**TAX DISCOUNT**

**TOWN OF TOFIELD**

Under authority of By-Law No. 579

1. Prepayment of property taxes — 8% discount shall be allowed on all payments of current property taxes and current business taxes made before April 30, 1966.
2. A discount of 4% shall be allowed on all payments of current property taxes and current business taxes made on May 1st, 1966, to thirty days following the mailing of the 1966 tax notices.
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## News briefs from Kingman district

Mrs. J. A. Anderson

KINGMAN, Jan. 18—Mr. and Mrs. Erik Wruck and family were Sunday visitors with relatives and friends in Edmonton.

Guests at Miss Mabel Simonson's home on Sunday afternoon were Dr. and Mrs. Chester Ronning of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hamilton, Mrs. M. Horte and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Simonson, all of Edmonton.

Mrs. C. Ronning of Camrose was a weekend visitor at the I. Ness home.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bowick and Anita of Camrose were among Sunday visitors at the Bob Bowick home.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rindahl, a son, on Jan. 14th at Tofield Hospital. The new arrival is another grandson for Mr. and Mrs. O. Larson and Mrs. Gyda Rindahl.**

Mr. and Mrs. John Marciszyn, Carol, Donald and Donna of Edmonton were weekend visitors at the Ray Ovelson home. Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison, also of Edmonton, were Sunday visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchinson and baby and Gary Hutchinson of Drayton Valley were weekend visitors at the Roy Hutchinson home.

Several carloads of young people from here attended the Billy Graham show, "The Restless Ones at the Bailey Theatre in Camrose Monday evening.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Jeanette Couette is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital in Camrose suffering pneumonia.

LCW MEETS

The Salem LCW met at the church on Thursday evening with a good attendance of members and many visitors when the Bible study was given by Mrs. Lloyd Bjorgum.

Mrs. Horte read a letter from Mrs. G. Ostrum of Camrose thanking the LCW for the cup and saucer received. Mrs. I. Ness and Mrs. J. Johnson were hostesses.

## New pastor and family welcomed

Mrs. C. M. Rude

BARDO, Jan. 18—Pastor A. Dahlen occupied the pulpit for his first services in Bardo on Sunday morning, when a large crowd was present.

After services the ladies served a pot-luck dinner and in the afternoon a hymn-sing was held, accompanied by Lester Severson on guitar, Patricia Litwin on accordian and Evelyn Foshaug on banjo. Pastor and Mrs Dahlen and Arlene contributed two vocal numbers.

Lester Severson, president of the congregation, extended a hearty welcome to the pastor and his wife and Arlene, Ruth and Daniel, presenting the family with a large variey of food for their pantry shelves. The pastor and his wife both expressed their sincere thanks for the fellowship and gifts received.

## Holden news

(Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor)

Art Seigal motored to Edmonton Friday, taking Miss June Clark and Lloyd. June had to see her doctor for a check-up.

Mrs. Mary James became ill last Wednesday morning and was confined to her home for a few days. Mrs. Lemko was over each afternoon to look after her.

OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

About 20 ladies of Holden and district gathered at the home of Mrs. Laura Christianson Friday afternoon to offer their good wishes and congratulations on her birthday. Mrs. Christianson was presented with a lovely yellow 'mum corsage. The ladies spent the afternoon visiting and playing a few contests, and Mrs. Kathleen Hurum and Mrs. Margaret Olsen assisted Mrs. Christianson at the coffee hour, serving a delicious lunch.

Mrs. Campbell entertained the members of the U.C. Official Board and their wives for coffee, after holding their quarterly meeting Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo P. Albrecht and Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Smorlie were visitors with Mrs. Laura Christianson Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Slywka of Sherwood Park were visitors with the former's mother, Mrs. William Slywka, on Sunday.

O.O.R.P. MEETS

The Holden Lodge O.O.R.P. held their regular meeting Tuesday evening, Jan. 11th, with a good attendance of members. Regular business and correspondence was dealt with and a report of the Chamber of Commerce supper held Jan. 4th was given. The ladies are planning a social evening with the B.P.O. Elks Lodge the end of the month, to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the Lodges. Lunch hostesses were Ladies Stella Sorensen and Kathleen Hurum.

Alan Tiedemann and a friend of Edmonton were visitors over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, and brothers.

Mrs. Hammer of Viking was a Friday afternoon caller with her mother, Mrs. Mabel Stair, taking her back to visit with them for a few days.

SEARCH FOR TALENT

Residents of Holden and district are reminded that the "Search for Talent" show is being held in the Community Hall this Saturday. It is hoped there will be a full house as the proceeds are for a very worthwhile cause, and a very enjoyable evening's entertainment is assured.


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# The Ryley Times

"CLIP THE SERIES A BOND COUPONS, TAKE FANG FOR HIS SHAMPOO, AND DEPOSIT MY OLD AGE PENSION CHEQUE"

## Martin Davick laid to rest

(M K Westmancoat)

RYLEY —Funeral services for the late Martin Davick, aged 91 years, were held Thursday afternoon, January [illegible] at 2:00 p.m. from the Lutheran Church.

Mr. Davick came to the Ryley district in 1903 and passed away in the Bethany Home Camrose on January 10th. He leaves his sister-in-law, Mrs. Caroline [illegible] in Bethany Home Camrose, and many nephews and nieces in Ryley and district.

Pallbearers were [illegible] Buzzo, B. Jacobson, L. Pepper, S. Booth, E. Lyons and R. Westmancoat. Pastor Stanley Rude conducted the services and interment was in the Ryley cemetery. Burgar's Funeral Home of Camrose was in charge of arrangements.

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## Holden district news items

(Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow and grandson from Viking were visitors and dinner guests Tuesday of last week with their sister, Mrs. Campbell.

**HOME FROM EAST**

Mr. and Mrs. Pete [illegible] and children were pleased to have their [illegible] home for two days the end of December. Roman was fortunate in getting a flight with the RCAF to Namao on Dec. [illegible] when Mr. [illegible] picked him up. Roman flew back to Ontario with an RCAF plane Dec. 29th. Roman is a student in the university at Kingston.

Geo. H. Taylor was a business caller in Viking Tuesday afternoon of last week.

[illegible] Lemke entertained [illegible] at a coffee party Monday afternoon, Jan. 10th, in honor of Mrs. Mary [illegible] who was celebrating her birthday that [illegible].

[illegible]

Mrs. Baxter and the new baby son returned home Tuesday of last week from the Viking Hospital.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Sam Black returned to the [illegible] from Tofield Hospital a week ago Saturday after being a patient for a week [illegible] treatments and a further [illegible].

Mrs. [illegible] returned home from Tofield Hospital the end of last week after being a patient for over a week undergoing surgery.

Mrs. Lars Olson was able to return home the end of last week from Tofield Hospital, where she was a patient for a week receiving treatments but is still not feeling well.

Mrs. T. A. Lalen returned home Thursday afternoon of last week from Tofield Hospital, where she had been a patient for several days, being treated for a very severe cold.

Mrs. George Albrecht, who has not been feeling well for the past year, was taken to Vegreville Hospital Wednesday, Jan. 12th, for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow and Mrs. Beth Campbell were visitors and supper guests last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Lars [illegible] and [illegible].

[illegible] Good and daughter Kathy of Edmonton drove here to visit with her mother, Mrs. Lars [illegible] and Lars on Wednesday of last week [illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Pepper and family of Chauvin were visitors and dinner guests Sunday of last week with Mrs. Pepper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kennie McLennan of the [illegible] district. Other guests there were Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Mabel Suter and [illegible].

[illegible]

**Ernie Good and Dale Jeffery have returned from a trip to Windsor, Ontario, driving back a new truck for Beaver Motors which is for Stanley Hewrish, who is employed at Fort St. John.**

Bruce Appleby was a weekend visitor with his family, the Bert Applebys.

Daryl Good, who is taking a business course in Edmonton, stays with her uncle David Good and family, and helps look after the children.

Mrs. Francis [illegible] of Edmonton was a visitor with her mother, Mrs. R. Loney, on Wednesday of last week. Mr. Loney is presently a patient and guest in one of the nursing homes in Vegreville.

Mrs. Oberg of Edmonton was a visitor this past week with her sister, Mrs. Carrie Olson, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Suter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann were visitors in Edmonton Sunday evening of last week.

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**LINDBROOK HALL ANNUAL MEETING**

Annual meeting of Lindbrook Community Hall will be held Friday, Jan. 21st, at 8:00 p.m., at Lindbrook Hall. Everyone welcome. Lunch will be served. 20-21c-3151

**U.F.A. ANNUAL MEETING**

The Annual Meeting of the U.F.A. will be held at the residence of the secretary, R. J. Crispin, on Highway 14, three miles west of Tofield, on Wednesday, Jan. 26th, at 2:00 p.m. Dividends on 1965 purchases will be paid at this meeting. 21p-3070

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## Alberta Liberals have new leader

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Mr. Berry's opponents were Robert Russell of St. Albert, who polled a close second; Richard Broughton of Ponoka, and Wilbur Freeland of Peace River.

The Liberals have been without a leader since last fall when the former leader, Dave Hunter, resigned to contest the Athabasca riding in the Federal election in November, where he lost to the Conservatives.

Cameron Milliken of Calgary was named president of the Alberta Young Liberals in a close two-way fight against Aaron Shtabsky of Edmonton.

Held at the Calgary Inn, the convention was attended by over 600 voting delegates, ten being allowed for each provincial constituency, plus ex-officio delegates. Other non-voting delegates and visitors swelled the total attending the lively sessions.

The Hon. David Steuart, Minister of Health in the Saskatchewan Government, was guest speaker at the banquet Saturday evening.

## Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
**W. H. McDonnold, B.A., B.D., Minister**
**Sunday, Jan. 23rd**

10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School
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11:00 a.m. Sunday School
RYLEY
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:30 a.m. Divine Service

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Pastor Don McLean**
**Sunday, Jan. 23rd**

10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service of Music and Message

Tuesday, 8:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

Thursday, 7:30 p.m. — Young People's Program

## Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Johnny (Gloria) Wood and baby, Cathy, left on Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller at Onoway for a few days.

Lorne Berrecloth was home over the weekend with his wife, Marg. and baby son, David, at the farm of Marg's mother, Mrs. Ethel Wood. He left Tuesday morning for Wandering River where he is employed.

Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg, who is still a patient in the Tofield hospital, was able to spend a few hours at her home Sunday afternoon with her family. Her daughters, Janet Wickenberg and Mrs. Vivian Jones, both of Edmonton, were down for the day visiting with their father, Roy Wickenberg, and Vivian's son, Donald Jones.

Mrs. Ila Walker and son, Vernon, and his wife, Kay, motored to Edmonton on Monday and while there visited Ila's daughter, and Vernon's sister, Mrs. Jean Jenkins of Grassland, at the University Hospital where she is at present a patient.

Graham and Ella Allan and family were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Ella's sister, Vi and Elmer Geoglein.

**RETURNS TO ONTARIO**

Herb Niemetz of Ontario spent all day Wednesday, overnight, and Thursday morning visiting his mother-in-law, Mrs. Ellen Eaton. He had been visiting his brother, Charlie, and Mickey Niemetz since January 9th, and was visiting other relatives while there. He visited his sister, Iriene, and Harold Sieb and his brother, George, and Ida Niemetz and left for Ontario again on Friday to return to work at Temagami.

Gary Niemetz left on Monday for the far north where he is employed with a drilling company and does not expect to be home again before spring or later.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton accompanied George and Ida Niemetz to Edmonton on Monday where she visited her brother, Johnston Campbell of Tomahawk, who is a patient in the Col. Mewburn Hospital. She also was a supper guest and evening visitor at the home of Jean and Tony Volney. George and Ida were supper guests and evening visitors at the home of their daughter, Gail Niemetz and afterwards called at the Volney home to get Ellen on their way home.

Martha and Emil were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of their daughter, Yvonne, and Peter Brown.

On Tuesday of last week, Bill and Mary Tiedemann of Deville were evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Bill's brother, Emil, and Martha Tiedemann.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were last Wednesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Nell and Grace Phillips.

## Spilstead news

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

Mrs. Louise Winder visited with Mrs. Jennie Rotto in Camrose recently.

Mrs. Louise Winder and Glen visited Mr. and Mrs. Verne Fox in Edmonton recently.

On New Year's Day, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Belcourt had the following visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brunner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lirondell, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Belcourt and GiGi, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Schwyl, Leila and Milton Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mackie and George Arbin were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schmidt and Johnnie on New Year's evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ferguson and family were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoflin and family for New Year's.

Rodger Hoflin was at Arthur Hoflin's home one evening recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster of Vegreville were visiting relatives and friends in this district during the Christmas and New Year's holidays.

Ruth Fairbrother is home while stricken with the mumps.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Magnus Broen from Burnaby, B.C., has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Eskel Paulson, recently.

Visitors on Sunday at the Ernest Fairbrother home were Mr. and Mrs. Dick deFrenne, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Fairbrother and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray and boys.

New Year's visitors at the Ernest Fairbrother home were Herb Sware and family and Harold and Lois and boys.

# Former Holden woman. Mrs. Hawrylizn passes

(Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—Mrs. Tolka Hawrylizn of Edmonton, a former Holden district resident, passed away Tuesday, Jan. 11, at the age of [illegible].

She leaves her husband, Mike; four daughters, Mrs. Joe (Anne) Kondrat and Mrs. Jim (Nancy) Dublanko both of Edmonton, Mrs. Mike (Mary) Chomiak of Holden and Mrs. Steve (Katherine) Turek of Toronto, 12 grandchildren, and 13 great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawrylizn lived for a number of years in the Holden district before leaving to reside in Edmonton, and last year the couple had happily celebrated their 67th wedding anniversary.

Requiem Mass was held at St. Josaphat's Cathedral, Edmonton, with Rev. Walter Kowalsky officiating, and burial was in St. Michael's cemetery. Sympathy is extended to the bereaved family from all friends.

## Mumford heirs in 'Weekend'

(Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—A picture in Weekend Magazine, Jan. 8, 1966, may be of interest to old time residents of the district who remember the late "Sadie" Mumford, one of the pioneer families of Holden.

In the article, "According to Doyle", Mrs. Donald Mair and two small sons, Douglas and Gregory, all three having the same birth date of January 17th, is the family of a grandson of Sadie Mumford and son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mair of Edmonton, the former Annie Mumford. Joe was formerly employed at the CNR depot.

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# Ministik and district news items

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

Members of the Ministik Community Club and several other young people of the district assembled at the Tofield Curling Rink and enjoyed an evening's curling Saturday. They concluded the outing with lunch and coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Nasichuk attended the 25th wedding anniversary party of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Wright in Edmonton on January 2nd.

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Mrs. Albert Horricks assisted by Mrs. Russell Wilson, was hostess to 18 boys at a skating party on Saturday afternoon. After skating for a couple hours, the youngsters devoured hot dogs and hamburgers topped off with dozens of doughnuts and brownies.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson enjoyed a day's visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. Potts on Friday. Her other sister, Mrs. R. Inglis was also visiting, the occasion being Mrs. Potts' birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Swabey and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swabey were Saturday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jones of Ardrossan.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Penrice and Mrs. W. Baird of Ardrossan were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Penrice.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horricks were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Horricks at Namao.

At their recent meeting, the members of the Community Club decided to hold a Valentine dance at the hall on February 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick were Edmonton shoppers Monday.

Douglas Embree and Margaret Roddick of Edmonton were Sunday guests at the Jim Roddick home. Douglas also spent four days the previous week with the Roddicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe of Tofield were Sunday guests of Mrs. S. George.

Mrs. Elwood Dekinder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Verden Sears, has been staying at her home on the Sears farm for two weeks while her husband works near Wabiscau, Alberta.

Alex Boss has had about 50 acres of land bulldozed on the former Dick Allan quarter. Other farmers in the area plan to have this work done also.

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## 4-H Beef Club to have Amateur Night

4-H Beef Club held their monthly meeting when it was decided to hold an amateur hour February 22nd in the Community Hall.

Two debates were held: (1) Resolved that farm life is better than city life. Negative side of Brenda Weins and Linda Rose defeated Miles Rose and Doug Finseth, affirmative. (2) Resolved that the age for drivers' licence be raised to 18 years, permits to 16 years. The affirmative team of Ross Cossey and Harvey Stadnick defeated Nettie Appleby and Terry Moore, negative.

Rev. Hammett was the able judge for the debates.

Laurie Weatherill gave a very interesting demonstration on trimming the calf's feet.

The next meeting will be held February 10th when the public speaking competition will be held.

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## Tofield High news report

(Elaine Walker)

Last Friday evening, the Tofield basketball teams travelled to Ryley where two well-played games took place. The games were split, the Ryley girls winning 40 to 8, while the Tofield boys won their game 70 to 47. Tofield was supported very well at the games and the public is urged to continue their fine support in future games.

This Friday, the teams will meet in Holden and the following week the games will be played in Tofield.

The students of the high school would like to commend the public on their fine support of the blood donors clinic. It is hoped that future clinics will be as successful.

TO PRESENT PLAY

The drama class has selected their annual play and practices have begun. The play, "Five to Five-Thirty", will be staged at the annual drama festival to be held on March 18th and 19th. The play is a one-act comedy written by Philip Johnson, and characters are Mrs. Boner, acted by Charla Astley, Edith by Dianne Pittet, Alice by Lynn Dunlop, and Gertie by Cheryl Halverson. More details of the festival will be published later.

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# Bardo district news

Mrs. C. M. Rude

BARDO, Jan. 8—The monthly meeting of the LCW will be held at the home of Mrs. Elmer Sitler February 2nd at 2:00 o'clock.

On Friday Axel and Nita Kindley entertained guests for a Norwegian-style dinner which has become an anual event.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Rude and family were guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Price in Tofield on Wednesday evening when Dr. Price showed slides taken on his various travels.

**Mrs. Dick Blakely of Tofield passed away recently. She was a sister of Mrs. Harry Mosby of this district.**

Ronny Foshaug returned home from the hospital on Saturday but is still not feeling well. Visitors at the Ivan Foshaug home over the weekend were their son-in-law and daughter, Ed and Maureen Wesner and Lori, Mervin and Diane Krogen and Caroline Foshaug, all from Edmonton.

Darrol Krogen of Edmonton spent the weekend with his uncle and aunt, Leif and Evelyn Foshaug.

Friday evening supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simonson were Mrs. Chester Running of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Ness of K[illegible] and other friends from this district.

Mrs. Blanch Paaigard of Provost and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hudson of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon and supper guests at the Leroy Finseth home. On Monday Elmer Johnson of Viking came to spend a few days with his brother-in-law and sister and family. Elmer, who spent more than [illegible] in the University Hospital in Edmonton, is feeling much improved.

Larry Foshaug returned home from High Prairie where he was employed on a seismograph outfit as he was not feeling well. Merlin Rude is at High Level where he drives a water truck for Seismograph outfits.

## Jacob Boness passes

Mrs. C. M. Rude

BARDO, Jan. 18—Mrs. Jacob Boness passed away in a Vancouver hospital on Sunday.

Mrs. Petra Stauffer and Mrs. Robert Berrecloth left on Thursday to be with Petra's sister, who has been ill quite a while. Mrs. Boness, the former Maria Lerbekmo, is the daughter of John Lerbekmo, one of the first pioneers to arrive in this area. The Boness family lived in this district many years prior to moving to Bawlf, Kingman, and later to Vancouver.

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# By George!

If your nose is stuffy and you have difficulty breathing chances are you're suffering from one of the most widespread and prevalent of all diseases, coryza.

Chilling and overheating make a person particularly susceptible to coryza which is why it is so prevalent at this time of the year.

There is no known cure.

Although it is relatively minor, coryza causes an annual loss of more than $5 billion each year in the United States alone in terms of time lost from work, wages lost and the cost of treating the disease and its complications.

Persons of all ages are susceptible to coryza according to World Book Encyclopedia but preschool youngsters seem to be most susceptible. More than 30 million illnesses each year in American pre-school youngsters are caused by coryza.

William Henry Harrison, ninth president of the United States, delivered his inaugural address on a cold windy day and caught coryza. This developed into pneumonia and he died a month later.

Coryza is what keeps handkerchief makers and tissue manufacturers in business. It means more volume for the pill manufacturers, too, as well as retailers.

Coryza is popularly known as the common head cold.

## Around the town

On Sunday afternoon, Jan. 9th, a small reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gab Pittet in honor of their oldest daughter Susan, and Larry Do[illegible] of Fort Saskatchewan who were married December 16th.

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Patty Roberge of Edmonton spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roberge.

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Mildred and Findley Dunlop and Kay Kashmere of Cadomin were Sunday visitors in town.

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Mable Boyle is a patient in the Tofield hospital.

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## From the mail bag

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than seeking a new life elsewhere.

However, there are quite a number of Old Timers whose names are missing, such as the Logans, Lennies, McKenzies, Rowlands, Norris', Norins, Ed Prudens, F. Prudens, J. Gladus, Andersons, Jones and A. Gladus.

Noticing reference to ethnic groups caused me to wonder whether there is a place in the records being prepared by the Historical Society, for these natives of Tofield district.

They were the original inhabitants of the district being so-called Metis, or people of mixed blood, Cree and English, Scottish or French. We found them very worthwhile friends, law-abiding and honest. Sometimes one of our friends might be guilty of taking a bit too much "squtae wapoy" (firewater), but on the whole they were well behaved and trustworthy.

Yours sincerely
J. W. McMullen

## New cause to quit

If there is anyone more moral than the reformed toss-pot, it must be the man who quit smoking.

After inhaling two packs a day for years, the man who joins the organization known as the "Never Touch Ems" can relate the most monstrous tales of failing health and mental deterioration ever heard on this planet.

[illegible] seizing on a new tax structure as a time excuse, have jacked up the price of cigarettes.

While we might be capable of ignoring the lethal potential of cigarettes in the face of former Health Minister Judy LaMarsh's widely heralded attacks, we cannot ignore being hit where it really hurts—in the pocketbook.

The Sudbury Star

**[illegible]**

Mrs. Bernard Pedersen was hostess at a pre-nuptial shower at her home Friday evening, Jan. 7th in honor of bride-elect Noreen Campbell. Games were played and a social hour enjoyed by the 19 ladies in attendance. Many lovely gifts were presented to Miss Campbell and a dainty lunch was served. Miss Campbell's marriage to Larry Johnson of Holden will take place this [illegible]


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## Farmer's open 'spiel planned for Feb. 7 - 11

One of the hi-lites in the Farmer's Curling Season will be held from Feb. 7 to 11th when the local farmers club will be hosts to the annual Farmer's Open Bonspiel.

As in past years there will again be four events with only day-time curling. Up for grabs again this year will be the Bank of Montreal trophy awarded annually to the Grand Challenge winner.

The Bill Holowstuik rink from Round Hill, last year's winner have already filed their entry and have indicated they are not giving the trophy up without a good fight.

A good array of prizes are being lined up by the prize committee and also, as has been the practice in the past years a curling sweater will be raffled the last day of the spiel.

The entry fees have been set at $12.00 per rink and entries must be filed by 10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 3rd. Entries are to be phoned to Vernon Walker at 662-2235 or Andy Haberg at 662-2222.

EVEN THE BEARS PLAY HOCKEY. It's no wonder Canada's Allan Cup winners, the Sherbrooke Beavers, fared so badly playing hockey against Russian teams in the Soviet Union. In Russia, it seems even the bears have taken to hockey. Above shows three black bears passing the puck in one of the segments of the Russian "Circus On Ice" show.

## Baby! It's cold outside

A look at the weather report released by the Calgary Power Co. this week, shows that there has not been a single above zero reading all week. Temperatures have ranged from a frigid 38 below last Thursday to a high of 4 below on Monday.

Not that we need thermometers to tell us it's cold! A walk of a block or two is enough to convince us that Tofield is indeed in a deep freeze, with no immediate relief in sight.

Although there is much less snowfall this year than last winter weather reports indicate that the average temperature since Christmas has been about ten degrees colder than last January. Looking back quickly to a comparable cold snap, many recall February, 1936, when the overnight low never got above 25 below for 30 consecutive days.

## Killed in crash

**A man believed to be a resident of the Ryley district, Bill Steffen, died last night of head injuries after the truck he was driving left a municipal road and struck an approach.**

**Mr. Steffen was found in the truck between 7:00 and 7:30. RCMP at Edmonton told The Mercury this afternoon there was nothing to indicate anyone else was in the truck. The accident occurred about 3 1/2 miles southwest of Holden.**

**Further details of the accident were not available at press time.**

## Tofield UCW names officers

The annual meeting of the Tofield United Church Women was held on Wednesday, January 19, in the church hall with 25 members present.

The ladies had a most successful year in 1965 as shown in reports.

The officers for this year were installed by Rev. W. H. McDonald as follows: president, Bessie Hunter; vice president Hazel Patterson; secretary, Winnie Christenson; treasurer Irma Francis, nominating committee chairman, Dorothy Williams.

### From the scrap book

The churches biggest task, today is not just getting sinners into heaven, but getting saints out of bed. — Anon. J.W.R.

# J. H. Roddick is reeve of county

J. H. Roddick, councillor for the County of Beaver for the past several years, was elected reeve by his fellow councillors at the statutory meeting of the County of Beaver. Also nominated for the position were Councillors W. Kropielnicki and H. Weatherill. Mr. Roddick was given three votes and each of the others two. In taking the chair, Mr. Roddick thanked council for the confidence they had demonstrated by electing him reeve.

**WELCOME**

Reeve Roddick extended a welcome to the newly-elected councillor, G. Knudslien, who had defeated the former reeve, Edwin Magneson in the December election. Mr. Roddick expressed the hope that the relationship that had existed between the councillors during the past year would continue during 1966.

Council as a whole was appointed to the County of Beaver school committee as well as to the municipal committee and the county's agricultural committee. It was agreed Reeve Roddick be named chairman of the municipal committee.

**DEPUTY REEVE**

Named deputy reeve for the next six months was Councillor Harold Weatherill. Appointed as members of the Tofield Municipal Hospital Board were Councillors A. L. Gibson, Knudslien and Kropielnicki, along with Charles Soors, while Councillors Gibson, W. A. Dorin, W. D. Johnston and Roddick were appointed members to the Viking Municipal Hospital Board.

Councillor Kropielnicki was named county's member on the Vegreville Health Unit board. Councillor Roddick was named county representative to the County of Beaver Foundation (Vialta Lodge) with Councillor Dorin as alternate.

Rex Boyles was re-named field supervisor for the county, and Assistant Sec'y-Treasurer Robert Cross was named secretary of the agricultural committee.

Named to the Emergency Measures Unit control committee were Crs. Dorin, Johnston and Knudslien, with the committee to elect its own chairman.

Each councillor will be fire warden in his respective division, Rex Boyles fire warden for the county and Keith Williams fire warden for the county for that portion of the Ministik area be is included in the County of Beaver. There will be no remuneration for the fire wardens.

After the statutory meeting was completed, council agreed to continue its business in regular meeting.

## Co-op talent night to aid Tofield 4-H club

The Tofield Co-ops, who during the past years have been putting on a Good Neighbor Night in conjunction with their Talent Show have gone a step further by sponsoring the Tofield 4-H Beef Club in a Talent Show this year.

The 4-H Club had originally planned for an amateur program near the end of February. However, in order to avoid any conflict with their Talent Night, the [illegible] Tofield Co-ops [illegible] to sponsor the 4-H Beef Club in a Talent Show with all proceeds to go to the 4-H Club.

On Saturday Fin Clane of the Co-op Extension Service of Edmonton was in town and together with representatives from the local Co-ops and 4-H Club laid the ground work for the Talent Show.

The original date of Tuesday, Feb. 22 has been set back to Friday, Feb. 25th, as it was felt that a Friday night was a better night for the show.

It is also hoped to have the Tofield School Band who has been practicing under the direction of Sgt. Coates to perform at the program.

More details are being worked out concerning the program so watch your Mercury for further news concerning the Talent Show.

## Henry Huseby passes

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — Friends and residents of Holden and district were saddened to hear that Henry Huseby passed away in the Providence Hospital, Daysland, Monday, January 17th, at the age of 80, after a short illness.

He leaves to mourn his loss: his wife, two sons, four daughters, five grandchildren, his father, Hans, one brother, Conrad, and two sisters. Henry suffered a severe stroke December 30th and was taken to hospital. Although his recovery was slight, it was hoped that in time his condition would improve.

The funeral was held Thursday, Jan. 20th, from Zion Lutheran Church and interment followed in the church cemetery. Hoveland's Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

The Huseby family is one of the pioneer families of the south Holden district. Sympathy of all friends is extended to the bereaved family.

## Legion contest winners named

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—The Holden Legion recently held a coloring contest for Grade I pupils of Holden and Bruce schools, the theme being a "Story Of A Flower" for Remembrance Day.

The winners in Grade 1 at the Holden School were: 1st, Joanne Kalumy $3, 2nd, Colleen Chupka, $3, 3rd, Bonny Kondrat, $1.

Winners at Bruce School were, 1st, Bobby Kawalilak, $3, 2nd, Tracy Hamet, $3, 3rd, Gail Keim, $1.

# Plush living standard

Alan Y. Eaton, a member of the famous merchandising firm in Canada, recently commented on changes in the consumer market which have taken place in only the past ten years. There is today nothing like the so-called mass market for retail goods, in Mr. Eaton's view, and he backs this up with a comparison of women's sports clothes, now and then. Ten years ago, this was considered a basic item, and the firm did a substantial business, for instance, in sweaters with 30 different styles. Each style would be stocked in six colors and four sizes, making a total of 720 different stock-keeping units. Today's requirements call for 175 styles, in six colors and four sizes, for a total of 4,200 stock-keeping items.

In 1935, 95% of the firm's business in women's shorts was in one basic style. Being only male, we didn't realize how far we had fallen behind the times, but today's shorts requirements include "short" shorts, regular shorts, Jamaica shorts, cabin boys, clam diggers and even more, in a tremendous variety of fabrics, prints, colors and sizes.

Some years ago we were highly interested when one of the local men's wear experts explained part of his problem in the field of men's shirts. With collar sizes ranging from 13 to 17½, he said, there are about ten sizes, each coming in three different sleeve lengths, making 30 varieties. There are about four popular collar styles, he suggested, making 120, and there are both french and button style cuffs, making 240 different units. Then he pointed out this is only in white, and many customers, naturally want colors or stripes, according to the fashion of the day. "And then," he said, "you'd be surprised how many customers can't understand it when you sometimes can't provide three shirts in their particular size and style."

Each business has its problems, of course, and probably it's only on paper that the other fellow's business looks so much better.

But it's highly interesting to note the changes being brought into merchandising by the so-called "good life" and our ability to look for and pay for variety undreamed of by one of the world's largest merchandisers only a decade ago. Among other things, it helps to show why an up-to-the-minute inventory and knowledge of sales is so important in so many fields. And why the computer has so many areas in which its capabilities, properly used, can be a major asset in business planning.

# Questions needing answers

What questions are going to receive the major considerations at the 27th Parliament which opened a few days ago in Ottawa, ask a number of writers whose material we see. What new institutions are needed to encourage healthy economic growth? What system will give Canadian savers and borrowers the best service at the least cost? What is the most effective way to encourage Canadian ownership and control of Canadian industry and resources?

That Canadians are hungry to invest in their own country and to learn more about the principles of investing was shown a few weeks ago in Toronto when thousands turned out to listen to lectures, view exhibits and ask hundreds of questions at a week-long How to Invest Show. They have the money, and they're not looking for quick gains on fliers, according to a responsible financial paper, only a good return for a reasonable risk.

This point was underscored this week in Vancouver when Edmonton's Dr. Hu Harries said at a conference that American money is flowing only into relatively good investments, with the result that the poor investments are left to Canadians. While this is doubtless an over-simplification, there is enough truth in it to explain in part why Canadians are often soured at their experiences in the market.

Tax laws devised to encourage the use of Canadian capital for Canadian development would help. Improved regulations on the stock exchanges would help. Closer control of the various provincial securities commissions would help. And of course, closer investigation and scrutiny on the part of the individual investor would also help.

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# The Ryley Times

PAGE FOUR — THE TOFIELD MERCURY — Thursday, January 27th., 1966


## Former district man, Selmer Graftaas dies

Selmer Graftaas was born in Lyon County, Minnesota, on March 27, 1893. He was married to Josephine Gunderson on Feb. 15, 1911 at the bride's home in Sterling, Alberta.

He and his bride returned to Clearbrook, Minnesota where they lived until 1915 when they returned to Alberta, and made their home in Ryley.

They moved to Breton in 1951 where he resided until his death on Jan. 12, 1966. His wife predeceased him on Jan. 25, 1965.

He leaves to mourn his loss, two brothers and one sister: Theodore of Ryley, Alta.; Roy of Gonvick, Minnesota and Gladys Mrs. Halvorson of Garden Grove, California, and several nieces and nephews.

God bless his memory

Funeral services were held on January 18, 1966 at 2.00 p.m. from Hoveland Funeral Chapel. Interment in Eden Church Cemetery with Pastor H Haugen officiating

Pallbearers were: Keith Brainard, Lyle Brainard, Earl Hellickson, George Mosby, Jas. Graftaas and Allen Hellikson. Hoveland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**Floral Tributes:**

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**Memorials:**

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**Calvin United Church Memorial Fund:**

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Mr and Mrs. Earl Hellickson.

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Selmer, Alvin and Keith Brainard; Arthur Gunderson.

**To Gideons:**

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**CARD OF THANKS**

May the Lord's blessing and reward be unto each and every friend, relative and neighbor who has liberally given of themselves on our behalf at this time and during the illness of our brother and uncle.

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— The Graftaas families


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(21-22)


# Strebergs buy auction mart, buying station

R F "Bob" Somahor, who acquired ownership of Camrose Auction Co. Ltd. from Veld Brothers about six years ago, announced Monday this week there has been a change of management of both Camrose Auction and the Camrose Livestock Buying Station.

Otto Streberg is now president and general manager of Camrose Auction, while his brother, Dennis Streberg is president and general manager of the livestock buying station. Mr Somahor said he will be staying on the staff of Camrose Auction as auctioneer and assistant manager. It is interesting to note Mr. Somahor learned auctioneering after he had taken over as manager of Camrose Auction.

Both Otto and Dennis Streberg and their families will be moving to Camrose from the Meeting Creek district as soon as they can obtain suitable accommodation. Both boys were born and reared at Meeting Creek. The Streberg name has become known throughout the province in cutting circles, and they are equally as well known as Hereford cattle breeders.

Otto Streberg worked as an auctioneer with Camrose Auction for a short time a few years ago before going to the West Coast where he was employed by an industrial auction firm.

"We'll carry on the business in exactly the same way", Otto told The Canadian Monday. "We're keeping the same staff in both places".

The official opening at the auction mart will be held this Saturday, and open house at the buying station is scheduled for Feb. 1st and 3rd. Coffee and doughnuts will be served on all three occasions.

## Curling carnival a huge success!

(M. K. Westmancoat)

Despite the very cold weather, the Ryley Curling Club held their first annual Winter Carnival, which everyone agreed was comparatively successful.

Both evenings were filled with keen ice competitions, bingo, other games of chance, and on Friday a Carnival dance and the crowning of the Carnival Queen. Lucy Diserelais was crowned Queen by the curling club secretary and M.C. for the evening, Darryl Albrecht. First runner-up was Evelyn Kosack, also of Ryley; second runner-up, Shirley Dirkes of Edmonton, followed by Linda McKinnon of Viking and Darlene Sand of Camrose.

The girls were then called upon to make the draws for the prizes raffled in conjunction with their Queen tickets. Winners were as follows: Frank Rawlack, Prince Rupert, B. C. (record player); M. G. Ward, Edmonton (transistor radio); Mrs. E. H. Brown, Ryley (transistor radio); Brian Brown, Viking (electric knife); John J. Stelly, Vegreville (electric knife); Vaughn Runyon, Viking (electric clock), Miss Missy Macleod, Edmonton (heating pad); John Kosalnik, Viking (blanket); Howard Dean, Galahad (blanket).

Ryley's own "Sophie Tucker" plunked out several numbers on the honky-tonk piano

All in all it was a successful endeavour, and now the club invites all men to the Open Bonspiel, February 14th to 18th

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(22-23)


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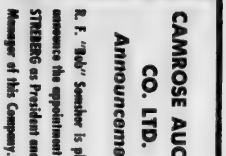

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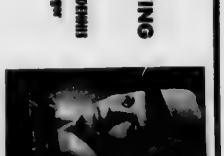

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# School committee meets January 11th

Following are the minutes, in part, of County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee meeting held Tuesday, Jan. 11th. Those present included Councillors W. A. Dorin, A. L. Gibson, W. D. Johnston, G. Knudslien, W. Kropielnicki, J. H. Roddick and H. Weatherill, and C. J. Nord, N. Semotiuk and J. E. Stinson, representing Towns and Villages. Supt. of Schools Mr. H. A. Pike.

The meeting was called to order at 10:05 a.m. by the secretary-treasurer who called for nominations for Chairman of the School Committee for the ensuing year.

Cr. Kropielnicki was nominated by Cr. Roddick, Mr. Semotiuk was nominated by Mr. Nord. Mr. Semotiuk withdrew. Cr. Roddick was nominated by Cr. Dorin.

Moved and carried that nominations cease.

**Chairman Elected**

In the ensuing balloting, Cr. Roddick received 7 ballots and Cr. Kropielnicki received 3. Cr. Roddick elected Chairman of the School Committee for the ensuing year.

In accepting the position of Chairman of the School Committee, Cr. Roddick thanked the members of the School Committee for their confidence in him, but stated that, in his opinion, the office might have been given to someone else in order to distribute the work and authority among the members.

Cr. Kropielnicki was nominated Deputy Chairman by Mr. Nord.

Moved and carried that nominations cease.

Cr. Kropielnicki elected Deputy Chairman for the ensuing year.

It was moved and carried that Crs. Roddick and Johnston, together with the Superintendent of Schools, constitute the Viking School Building Committee.

Moved and carried that Crs. Dorin and Kropielnicki and Mr. Nord constitute the Bus Shop Committee for the ensuing year.

Moved and carried that Crs. Gibson and Roddick be appointed the members on the Graduation Committee from the School Committee.

Moved and carried that Crs. Kropielnicki, Roddick and Weatherill and Mr. Stinson constitute the Salary Negotiating Committee for the current year.

Moved and carried that Cr. Roddick be appointed to the Policy Handbook Committee.

Moved and carried that Cr. Roddick represent the School Committee on the "Crest" Committee.

**Business Arising From Minutes**

In regards to the "Advanced School in Employer-Employee Relations", dealt with by motion 514/65, Mr. Stinson and Cr. Roddick reported verbally. They stated that it had been a very good conference and that a written report would be forwarded from the A.S.T.A. Office in due course. There had been a poor representation from the south part of the Province.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In connection with motion 530/65, the Committee was advised that as from December 31st, 1965, Tofield School District No. 1939 was changed back to the original No. 376 and that the Ingram School District was now renumbered 1939.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the milk dispensers, dealt with by motion 533/65, the secretary-treasurer reported that the offer of $560 for the three dispensers had been accepted by Palm Dairies Ltd. and that payment would be forwarded within the next few days.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

**Correspondence**

A letter from Jubilee Insurance Agencies Limited concerning the "Carrying of Passengers for Compensation" in the County's non-owned Automobile Liability Policy. It was noted that in future if a teacher is authorized to use his or her car to transport students and the County agrees to [illegible] them, even on a mileage [illegible], it will be necessary to insist that they satisfy the County that their own auto policy is extended by Standard Endorsement form No. R-6.

It was moved and carried that two teachers be designated to use their cars for emergency transportation of students, possibly the principal and one other teacher, and that it be ascertained that these designated teachers carry Standard Endorsement Form No. R-6, furthermore that the County pays the cost of this endorsement for the designated teachers.

A letter from C. J. Wright, President of Holden and District Chamber of Commerce, stating that at the last meeting of the Holden and District Chamber of Commerce the following request was made:

That the County of Beaver give due consideration to providing a school bus for pick up and delivery during inclement weather for those children living in the extreme east of the Village of Holden. The parents involved had indicated a willingness to pay for such a service if it could be made available.

After due consideration, it was moved and carried that the Holden and District Chamber of Commerce be advised that their request be acceded to.

**Purchase New School Bus**

The matter of the purchase of new school buses was discussed while the Bus Supervisor was present, and he suggested that the buses should be equipped with V-8 motors; also with the "new process" high speed transmission and 2-speed axle.

After some discussion, it was moved and carried that tenders be called for four-only 48-passenger school buses, general motor chassis, equipped as requested by the bus supervisor.

The A.S.T.A. Economic Bulletin No. 18 was referred to the School Committee, and it was noted that a Regional Salary Conference for Zone 3 would be held in the County of Strathcona Office on January 31st, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Moved and carried that the Bulletin be received and filed, and that the Salary Negotiating Committee attend this Conference.

Moved and carried that, as provided in paragraph 3 of the Agreement between the School Committee and the Alberta Teachers' Association, notice be given that the School Committee is prepared to meet and discuss adjustments to the Salary Agreement.

Mr. Pike informed the Committee that the Phys. Ed. teachers would like to have a set of parallel bars to be used by all the schools, the equipment being moved from one school to the [illegible] the [illegible] cost of this equipment was [illegible].

Moved and carried that, as requested, one set of parallel bars be purchased.

J. D. Harder, Industrial Arts Supervisor, Dept. of [illegible], attended the meeting at this time; also present were Cal Annis, J. Hemphill, Lars Olson and Paul Vongtlie, school principals. By slides and over-head projector, Mr. Harder explained the Industrial Arts program very extensively and he suggested that possibly [illegible] could be [illegible] up in the two industrial arts schools in the County, that is six different types of work could be carried out. Actually more than the six units could be taught during the school term. One instructor should be able to handle 15 to 20 students. Mr. Harder referred to the difficulty in obtaining enthusiastic industrial arts teachers and discussed the whole industrial arts program very thoroughly. Mr. Harder started his address at 2:00 p.m. and finished at 3:15 p.m., being thanked by the Supt. of Schools and the School Committee Chairman for having attended the meeting and explaining the situation so well.

**High School Curling Playoffs**

The matter of the High School Curling Playoffs was referred to the Committee by a [illegible] from J. R. Hemphill, the principal at the Viking School, to Mr. Pike. The letter stated that the Viking High School curling [illegible] had won in the Zone playdowns which

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The meeting was called to order at 10:05 a.m. by the secretary-treasurer, who called for nominations for Chairman of the School Committee for the ensuing year.

Cr. Kropielnicki was nominated by Cr. Roddick, Mr. Semotiuk was nominated by Mr. Nord. Mr. Semotiuk withdrew. Cr. Roddick was nominated by Cr. Dorin.

Moved and carried that nominations cease.

### Chairman Elected

In the ensuing balloting, Cr. Roddick received 7 ballots and Cr. Kropielnicki received 3. Cr. Roddick elected Chairman of the School Committee for the ensuing year.

In accepting the position of Chairman of the School Committee, Cr. Roddick thanked the members of the School Committee for their confidence in him, but stated that, in his opinion, the office might have been given to someone else in order to distribute the work and authority among the members.

Cr. Kropielnicki was nominated Deputy Chairman by Mr. Nord.

Moved and carried that nominations cease.

Cr. Kropielnicki elected Deputy Chairman for the ensuing year.

It was moved and carried that Crs. Roddick and Johnston, together with the Superintendent of Schools, constitute the Viking School Building Committee.

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Moved and carried that Crs. Gibson and Roddick be appointed the members on the Graduation Committee from the School Committee.

Moved and carried that Crs. Kropielnicki, Roddick and Weatherill and Mr. Stinson constitute the Salary Negotiating Committee for the current year.

Moved and carried that Cr. Roddick be appointed to the Policy Handbook Committee.

Moved and carried that Cr. Roddick represent the School Committee on the "Crest" Committee.

### Business Arising From Minutes

In regards to the "Advanced School in Employer-Employee Relations", dealt with by motion 314/65 Mr. Stinson and Cr. Roddick reported verbally. They stated that it had been a very good conference and that a written report would be forwarded from the A.S.T.A. Office in due course. There had been a poor representation from the south part of the Province.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In connection with motion 520/65, the Committee was advised that as from December 31st, 1965, Tofield School District No. 1939 was changed back to the original No. 376 and that the Ingram School District was now renumbered 1939.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the milk dispensers, dealt with by motion 522/65, the secretary-treasurer reported that the offer of $500 for the three dispensers had been accepted by Palm Dairies Ltd. and that payment would be forwarded within the next few days.

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### Correspondence

A letter from Jubilee Insurance Agencies Limited concerning the "Carrying of Passengers for Compensation" in the County's non-owned Automobile Liability Policy. It was noted that in future if a teacher is authorized to use his or her car to transport students and the County agrees to compensate them, even on a mileage basis, it will be necessary to insist that they satisfy the County that their own auto policy is extended by Standard Endorsement form No. R-6.

It was moved and carried that two teachers be designated to use their cars for emergency transportation of students, possibly the principal and one other teacher, and that it be ascertained that these designated teachers carry Standard Endorsement Form No. R-6, furthermore that the County pays the cost of this endorsement for the designated teachers.

A letter from C. J. Wr[illegible] President of [illegible] and District Chamber of Commerce, stating that at the last meeting of the Holden and District Chamber of Commerce the following request was made:

That the County of Beaver give due consideration to providing a school bus for pick-up and delivery during inclement weather for those children living in the extreme east of the Village of Holden. The parents involved had indicated a willingness to pay for such a service if it could be made available.

After due consideration, it was moved and carried that the Holden and District Chamber of Commerce be advised that their request be acceded to.

### Purchase New School Bus

The matter of the purchase of new school buses was discussed while the Bus Supervisor was present, and he suggested that the buses should be equipped with V-8 motors; also with the "new process" high speed transmission and 2-speed axle.

After some discussion, it was moved and carried that tenders be called for four-only 48-passenger school buses, general motor chassis, equipped as requested by the bus supervisor.

The A.S.T.A. Economic Bulletin No. 18 was referred to the School Committee, and it was noted that a Regional Salary Conference for Zone 3 would be held in the County of Strathcona Office on January 31st, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Moved and carried that the Bulletin be received and filed, and that the Salary Negotiating Committee attend this Conference.

Moved and carried that, as provided in paragraph 3 of the Agreement between the School Committee and the Alberta Teachers' Association, notice be given that the School Committee is prepared to meet and discuss adjustments to the Salary Agreement.

Mr. Pike informed the Committee that the Phys. Ed. teachers would like to have a set of parallel bars to be used by all the schools, the equipment being moved from one school to the other, the approximate cost of this equipment was $600.

Moved and carried that, as requested, one set of parallel bars be purchased.

J. D. Harder, Industrial Arts Supervisor, Dept. of Education, attended the meeting at this time; also present were Cal Annis, J. Hemphill, Lars Olson and Paul Vonglin, school principals. By slides and over-head projector, Mr. Harder explained the Industrial Arts program very extensively and he suggested that possibly six areas could be set up in the two industrial arts schools in the County, that is six different types of work could be carried out. Actually more than the six units could be taught during the school term. One instructor should be able to handle 15 to 20 students. Mr. Harder referred to the difficulty in obtaining enthusiastic industrial arts teachers and discussed the whole industrial arts program very thoroughly. Mr. Harder started his address at 2:00 p.m. and finished at 3:15 p.m., being thanked by the Supt. of Schools and the School Committee Chairman for having attended the meeting and explaining the situation so well.

### High School Curling Playoffs

The matter of the High School Curling Playoffs was referred to the Committee by a letter from J. R. Hemphill, the principal at the Viking School, to Mr. Pike. The letter stated that the Viking High School curling team had won in the Zone playdowns which

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Nominator Mrs. E S Kopas
Editor C A Clark
High River Times
JACK PLECKAITIS
Jasper Place
Nominator H E Shacker
Editor D H McLeod
Jasper Place Suburban Times
VERLIN RAU
Bassano
Nominator Mr & Mrs. G Reddekopp
BEVERLY THIRSK
Kelsey
Editor K Patridge
Camrose Canadian
JUDITH WALTERS
Felger Colony
Hutterite Brethren of Lethbridge
Nominator Mrs W Andrews

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Nominator Cheadle Lions Club
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MARLENE HERNBERG
Breton
Nominator F Johns (formerly of the Leduc Representative)
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Editor D H McLeod
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Nominator Mrs. R. Radke
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Beshaw Star
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Nominator M. Dale Phillips
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Vulcan Advocate
GARY FRY
Edmonton
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Nominator Mrs. C. Boston
Editor R Hawk, Nanton News
DAVID KILFORD
Sherwood Park
Nominator Mrs. John Bell
Editor T W Pue
Edmonton Sun
HUGH McLEOD
Edmonton
Nominator Art Kellet
Editor D McLeod
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Cayley
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**1965**
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Nominator William Graham
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SPECIAL AWARD
DORIS POLLARD
Chip Lake
Nominator Mrs M Bruner
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# School committee meets January 11th

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meant that the rink would go to Edmonton on Jan 20, 21 and 22 for the Regional playoffs and if they should be successful in Edmonton they would go to the Provincial Playoffs in Calgary on Jan. 28 and 29; and, if they should win in Calgary, they would go to St. John's, Newfoundland, Feb. 21 to 25. Mr. Hemphill recommended that a non-teacher accompany the rink, preferably one of the parents of the boys on the rink. Mr. Hemphill had discussed this matter with the boys as well as with a parent, and he was sure that this could be arranged for. He pointed out that he was almost certain that it was not necessary that a teacher accompany the team as a coach and that any adult could do so. It was mentioned that Pepsi Cola was sponsoring the Curling Playoffs this year and that no responsibility rests with the County. The parents of the students making up the rink have to sign a form accepting full responsibility in all matters.

Moved and carried that this meeting now adjourns to Wednesday, Jan. 12, at 10:00 a.m.

**RECONVENED MEETING**

The reconvened meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 12, was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by the chairman.

An application for a bursary from Richard Thiessen was referred to the Committee by the Superintendent. Mr Thiessen has his B A from Waterloo University and is now taking Education at the U. of A. and has agreed to teach in the County upon completion of his education and would be teaching English and Social Studies in one of the schools in the County.

Moved and carried that the bursary application be approved.

A report from the Fire Commissioner's Office concerning an inspection of the Viking School was referred to the Committee. Particular notice was taken of recommendation No. 6, which stated that the corridor lengths are in contravention of Alberta Regulation, 190/59. This had been noted on the inspection on Nov. 7, 1964, and no steps had been taken to correct the situation.

Mr. Pike referred to the Committee a letter that he had written to the Deputy Fire Commissioner concerning the recommendation No. 6 explaining why no action had been taken on the recommendation made on Nov. 17, 1964.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and the Superintendent's action concurred in.

The Superintendent referred to motion 59-65, which stated that commercial photographers be allowed to take pictures in the schools in the County for the purpose of having them placed in the yearbook, such pictures to be group pictures only.

Mr Pike pointed out that in a yearbook it was desirable to have individual pictures, and he suggested that this motion be amended.

Moved and carried that motion 59-65 be amended by stating that individual pictures of the high school students may be taken for use in the year book.

Mr Pike stated that the old library shelves at the Viking school could not be used in the new library.

Moved and carried that Nick Shihinski be authorized to sell this shelving as he see fit.

Mr. Pike mentioned that tape recorders and tape in French and German would be used in the final exams for Grade 12 this year, and that arrangements were being made to have tape recorders in all the schools. The only school that did not have one was Ryley and the tape recorder from the office can be used at this place.

Mr. Pike mentioned that the County of Minburn school bus is picking up a Grade 5 pupil on S.W. 32-48-13-W4th in the County of Beaver. To accommodate this pupil the County of Minburn has extended their bus route one mile but that the child still has over one mile to walk, and it was felt some arrangements should be made to bring a bus closer to the home of the pupil if at all possible.

Moved and carried that Cr. Johnston investigate this situation and make the best arrangements possible.

Reference was made to payment of accounts under the Pupil Accident Policy, some difficulty having arisen from the fact that payments were being made to the parents of the injured child and that in some instances payment was not made to the doctor concerned.

Moved and carried that arrangements be made, if possible, for the payments under the Pupil Accident Policy to be made directly to the physician concerned.

The Superintendent informed the Committee that the Gestetner in Viking, being a very old machine, was almost impossible to repair and that a new machine would cost $292.50 including a $40 trade-in on the old machine.

Moved and carried that a Gestetner be purchased for the Viking school.

Mr Pike referred to the report on teacher recruitment that had been given at the Trustees' Zone

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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Yvonne and Peter Brown entertained at their home on Sunday evening when guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gill and Mr and Mrs Stanley Brown. The occasion was Lawrence's birthday.

The 'mumps' are continuing to plague young and old in this district.

**UCW MEETS**

The Ketchamoot UCW met at the home of Mrs. Roy Whillans on Tuesday afternoon. Due to the cold weather and poor road conditions the attendance was small. Plans were made to stitch a quilt at the March meeting.

Mrs. Gordon Kyle and her daughter, Mary are patients in the Tofield Municipal Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketchum and family of Rocky Mountain House spent the weekend with Chester and Harold Coombes. On Sunday afternoon they all visited with Ronald and Kay Coombes and family.

Recent visitors with Mr and Mrs. Donnelly McGinitie and family were, Dick Blakely and his son Glen of London, Ont., and Mrs. Virginia Auburn of Seattle. Last Friday, Mr. and Mrs. McGinitie took Mrs. Auburn to the airport where she boarded the plane for the west coast.

# Mrs. Ruddy noble grand of Rebekahs

Mrs. Harriet Ruddy was installed as Noble Grand of Cavell Rebekah Lodge No. 86 at the regular meeting held Tuesday, January 18th, in the Legion Hall at Ryley.

The installation ceremony was conducted by District Deputy President, Mrs M Fisher, assisted by Mrs. M Hahn and staff from Edmonton.

Other officers for the new year are Junior past Noble Grand, Mrs Martha Whitson; vice-grand, Mrs Ethel Pepper, recording secretary, Mrs Hazel Patterson financial secretary, Mrs Bertha Hay, treasurer, Mrs. Ruth Graftaas, warden, Mrs Leona Stumbo, conductor, Mrs Eleanor Campbell Color bearer, Mrs Margaret Cross, RSNG, Mrs Kay Hillerud, LSNG, Mrs. Lavina London; Chaplain, Mrs Bertha Winsmon, RSVG, Mrs Gladys Annebo, LSVG, Mrs. Dorothea Kirkland, Musician, Mrs Doris Oslund, outside guardian, Mrs Lena Orbeck; and inside guardian, Mrs. Marie Helgeland.

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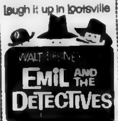


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# School committee meets January 11th

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meeting on January 7th Some 194 teachers had been interviewed by Mr Gault and 31 teachers had been hired in Zones 2 and 3 at an approximate cost of $170 per teacher At the meeting it had been suggested that the two Zones should not combine this year but still, when voted upon, it was decided that the recruitment program be combined for Zones 2 and 3. Mr. Pike stated that the County of Beaver had obtained 3 teachers under the recruitment program, the County of Minburn 6 and the Forestburg Consolidated School District three teachers. The 17 other areas had only obtained 17 teachers between them. He felt that the program had not been too successful However, the Executive of Zone 2 had decided to combine with Zone 3 again. An executive meeting should be called with the Superintendents present to further discuss the situation.

Mr. Pike stated that he would be happy to have certain other Superintendents hire his teachers directly at the time of interview It was mentioned that any Superintendent that undertook this work would have to be granted leave of absence by the Dept of Education

Moved and carried that Mr Pike be authorized to hire teachers on behalf of the County and other areas if requested to do so by Zone 3

In regards to the Viking Building Program. Mr Pike reported that a request had been made for the $2 per square foot additional grant which was applicable as of Jan. 1, 1966. He also reported on the work that Nick Shibinski and his crew was doing in prefabbing certain furniture for the laboratory in Viking, and he felt that Stan Kubin could start some of this work for the library if arrangements could be made for him to use part of the grader shed in Viking

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

The Committee was advised that the Town of Viking had requested that the Grade 1 rooms be left where they are when they are abandoned as classrooms, to be used for meeting places for the various youth organizations in the Town. Mr. Pike was of the opinion that they were in a bad location, and also stated that the Department had suggested that they should be moved. Mr. Pike also recommended that the one room school to the north, that is the old Home Ec. room, be disposed of when no longer required.

Mr. Semotiuk brought up the fact that three weeks holidays was to be included in the agreements with the school janitors after 10 years of service

Moved and carried that three weeks holiday with pay be allowed any employee of the school system after 10 years of service

Moved and carried that the appointment of Mrs. Karen Cottrell as teacher in Grade 7 in the Viking School be confirmed

Moved and carried, at 3:45 p.m., that this meeting now adjourns.


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## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

FRIENDSHIP GROUP MEETS

The Friendship Group met Thursday afternoon, January 20th at the home of Mrs. Carrie Olson. Due to the severely cold weather only eight ladies were present Devotions were taken by Mrs. J. A Giebelhaus and a reading was given by Mrs. Campbell. The ladies have decided to collect used postage stamps which are sent to one of the missionary addresses and sold, the proceeds being used in their missionary work. At the conclusion of the meeting a delicious lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held February 17th at the home of Mrs J. A. Giebelhaus and Devotions taken by Mrs Blanche Olson

**John Lemke had an unfortunate accident last week-end, coming in from outside and slipping from snow on the bottom of his boots, he fell down the basement steps hurting his back very badly He is confined to bed at home.**

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mike Chupka was visiting with his mother who has been a patient in Tofield hospital for the past two weeks. She is expecting to be transferred to an Edmonton hospital for further treatment.


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# Hastings Lake notes

(Mrs. S. Gladue)

The General Hall meeting took place Saturday afternoon, Jan. 15, when the following officers were elected for the year.

A. Gladue, president; U. Rowlund, vic-president, R. C. Dunham, secretary-treasurer; Board members, Mrs. Muir, Mrs. Rowlund, Mrs. Gladue, E. Stewart, and F. Dunham.

A board meeting was called for Jan. 21 at the Fontaine home, but due to the cold weather not enough of the board members came to hold a meeting.

The ladies club met at the home of Mrs. Barrows, Thursday, Jan. 20.

Mrs. Rowland the president, Mrs Scott, vice-president; and Mrs. Simpson, secretary-treasurer were elected for another year

The ladies decided to hold a Grocery Bingo, Feb. 14

Due to the cold weather the Social Credit Whist Drive of Jan. 22nd was cancelled The next one will be on Saturday, Feb. 5th. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs A. Gladue, Feb 9th.

## Tillie Branes marks 77th birthday

( M. K. Westmacott)

The many friends of Mrs. Tillie Branes gathered at her home on Sunday afternoon, January 23rd to help her celebrate her 77th birthday.

"Tillie", as she is known to all, has lived continuously in Ryley since 1903, and received birthday greetings from relatives in many points in Alberta, and also a long distance phone call from a niece Mrs. Florence Nerassen in Billings, Montana, U.S.A. The ladies, numbering 30 at her party enjoyed a lovely lunch together and ended a pleasant afternoon by singing "Happy Birthday", with a promise to be back again for a similar occasion in 1967


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# Native son makes good

Dr. Wm. McCauley of Toronto, was in Tofield on Monday night last when he visited at the Shaw home along with the Innes and Swift families. Dr. McCauley is Musical Director at the O'Keefe Centre in Toronto. He was born at Tofield, the son of the late A. J. H. and Mrs. McCauley.

"Bill", as he is known to his friends, began his career in Tofield, progressing to his present position. He was interviewed on CHED shortly after 10 a.m. on Tuesday morning last, as another of the Tofield people who made good.

# Tofield JHS hi-lites

(Joy Warkentin)

Two league basketball games were played Wednesday, Jan 19, against Holden at Tofield. The Tofield girls were victorious by a score of 16-12. The Holden boys evened the event by winning 31-22

At intermission between the games, two teams of teachers gave an exhibition of broomball, with the game ending in a 2-all tie. Later, a team of Senior High School students won a game of broomball against the teachers' team

The Big 3 of Junior High is beginning to plan for its annual Tea to be held on St Valentine's Day. This is always a highlight of the school year. Soon the contestants for Valentine's Queen will be selected from each of the six rooms in Junior High.

# Around the town

Frank Shupe celebrated his birthday Tuesday the 25th, along with Robbie Burns Day

LIONS NIGHT

Tofield Lions Club entertained their ladies to a chinese food supper in the Community League meeting room on Tuesday evening.

Deputy District Governor, Jack Dobush, Mrs Dobush and Mike Dudiak of Vegreville were also present Mr Dobush gave a short outline of the origination of Lions Clubs after which court whist was enjoyed by Lions and ladies

Born to Constable and Mrs Ray Murray, twin boys, January 20th at the Tofield Hospital

# MacDuff . . .

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opted out for writing and television instead of politics.

**Probably the most important thing about this Parliament is that it has come out from the "post-Diefenbaker" period so evident in the last House where everybody was so busy proving something to somebody that they hadn't much time to run the country.**

Having done much better than anybody thought he would, Mr Diefenbaker now takes a more relaxed view of his place in Canadian history. And having done worse than they hoped, the Liberals know that they'll have to convince Canadians, by deeds not words, that they're worthy of the majority for which they have vainly sought in five elections in the past nine years.

# Modern etiquette

Q. When are "informals" used in correspondence?

A. The "informal" is a foldover card, and may be used for any short, informal note—for sending and replying to invitations, for enclosing with a gift, friendly notes to acquaintances, and the like. This type of card is not proper, however, for writing messages of condolence.

Q I saw a woman recently use her napkin at the dinner table for wiping perspiration from her brow. Wasn't this in rather poor form?

A. It was much more than RATHER poor form! The napkin is used only for wiping the lips and the fingers.

Q. Is it necessary to send a wedding gift when one is invited only to the wedding, but not to the reception?

A. In this case, no. Only an invitation to the reception imposes a gift.

Q. Is it proper for the bridegroom to hand the clergyman his fee for the wedding?

A While not exactly improper, the usual procedure is for the bridegroom to allow his best man to take care of this.


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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN, Jan. 24 —Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, M . and Mrs. Kennie MacLennan and son Jim, and Chris Christenson were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Voigt.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden were visitors in Edmonton Sunday of last week and Mrs. Liden stayed in the city for several days to have a check-up.

Chris Christenson was in Edmonton Monday of last week to visit his sister, Mrs. Elna Parsons a patient in the University hospital.

Mrs Mabel Starr returned home from visiting with her daughter and family, the C Hammers, in Viking for a few days the early part of the week.

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus, Mrs. R. Loney, Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. G. H. Taylor were visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. Lars Ritland Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta and children of the Viking district Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, Mr. Chris Christenson, Ray Hovland and Alex Barlow of Poe were guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell for a turkey dinner Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Olive Good was a business visitor in Edmonton a week ago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, David and Robert were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Foran Sunday of last week.

Mr and Mrs. Earl Hardy and Mrs. Helen Tiedemann were visitors in Edmonton Friday evening Earl attends lectures in Edmonton Tuesdays and Fridays.

Harry Michlich returned home the end of last week after spending several days visiting with friends in Lloydminster.

BROTHER-IN-LAW PASSES

Mrs. Campbell received the sad news Thursday evening that her sister's husband, Bert Carr of Sudbury, Ont., had passed away in a nursing home Mr. Carr had been in poor health for some time He and Mrs. Carr were known to many in Holden, as they spent a holiday with Mrs. Campbell a few years ago.

Mrs. Anna Warren of Elk Point was a visitor with her mother, Mrs. Elna Parsons, at the University hospital a week ago Sunday. Mrs. Elsie Clark also was visiting with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Malowany and children of Edmonton were weekend visitors with the former's mother, Mrs. Kate Malowany.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka spent the weekend in Edmonton visiting their daughters, Patsy, and Betty and her husband.

EMO MEETING

Geo. H. Taylor, Co-ordinator for the County of Beaver No. 9 unit of EMO and Mrs. Ida Mason, Welfare Director for the village of Holden EMO, attended a meeting of the Welfare Directors in the County Office Monday afternoon, January 17th Mr. Bullock of the Department of Welfare EMO, Edmonton and Mr. Smith also of Edmonton were attending the meeting to talk over a plan for a County Welfare plan for EMO.

Mr and Mrs. Lars Olson were Friday evening visitors in Edmonton, Mrs. Olson visiting with her daughter Bernice and family while Lars attended a business meeting.

Mrs. Mary James and Mrs. Carrie Olson were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Mrs N. L. Campbell

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mielimaka and Mr. and Mrs Lud Mielimaka and family were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs Mike Zuzak.

SISTER PASSES

Mrs. Kate Nichols received the sad news Monday morning that her sister who lives in the Viking district had passed away very suddenly after being taken to hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Nichols motored to Viking Monday afternoon to visit the family.


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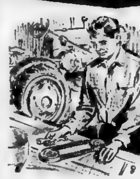

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# Francis Garford dies Friday

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Funeral services were held on Tuesday, January 25 from Holy Trinity Anglican Church at Tofield with Rev Walter Hammett officiating. Interment at Tofield cemetery and Andrew McLaughlin Funeral Chapel Ltd., Edmonton were in charge.

# Palmer-Earling

Mrs. Joe Knudson

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stensrud and their daughter Mrs. Sam Lockhart and Sidney of Strome and Mrs. Annie Mosy, left Thursday by train to spend 3 weeks in the United States. At Joyce Iowa they will visit the Iver Stensruds, and relatives at Albert Lee, Minnesota En route home they will spend a week in Southern Alberta with the Adrien Stensruds.

Mrs. Richard Vassberg left Wednesday for a few weeks holiday at Portland, Oregon

Mrs. Haaken Stensrud is a patient in St. Mary's hospital.

Sunday visitors at Walter Stensruds were Mr. and Mrs Haakon Stensrud, Camrose, Mr and Mrs George Campbell Round Hill, Mr and Mrs Jorgen Davick and Mr and Mrs Jerry Dobson and baby of Ryley.

## THE WEATHER ...

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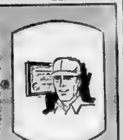

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# Co-op Talent Night is scheduled for 25th

The Co-op and Tofield 4-H Talent Night, scheduled for Friday, Feb. 25th, is beginning to shape up as an evening of real enjoyment for the entire family.

The Co-op of Tofield announced during the past week that two winners between the ages of 16-21 will compete in Edmonton in a district final competition. Then the top five winners from this show will be awarded a one week all-expense paid educational trip through Alberta and Saskatchewan This should add an extra incentive and improve the calibre of all those who enter in this age group.

The district finals in Edmonton are usually put on in a disabled Veterans' hospital, so the contestants, besides competing for top honors, will at the same time be entertaining those less fortunate who are unable to get around

The two winners can either be a duet or two single performers.

There will also be a free lunch served after the evening's entertainment, with the Co-ops furnishing the refreshments and the 4-H members serving.

Admission has been set at 75c for adults; students over 12, 50c, and under 12, free.

Entries should be sent to Grant Cossey, phone 662-2238, or Lyle Heiberg, 662-2222, or they can be left with Johnny Baergen at the Co-op store. Entries should be in the hands of the committee by Thursday evening, Feb. 24th, so a program can be arranged.

# T. H. S. news

(Elaine Walker)

Last Friday evening the Tofield basketball teams met the Holden teams in Holden. The Tofield girls lost their game by a score of 39-19, while the Tofield boys won their game 80-48.

The public is reminded of the basketball tournament scheduled for February 18 and 19 in Tofield. Everyone is urged to come and support their team.

DRAMA GROUP

On February 16th the touring drama group called the "Prairie Players" will be in Tofield Because of the overwhelming support of the County students, the plays will be held in the Tofield Community Hall The afternoon performance will be attended by Grades 6 and 7 of the County. That evening at 8:00 the performance of "The Doctor In Spite Of Himself" will be attended by Grades 8 through 12. A limited number of seats will be available to the general public Tickets for these seats will be sold at the door for 50c on the basis of "first come, first served".

**Nature's handiwork** Like a mantle of the finest lace, heavy hoar frost covered trees, shrubs and fences in the area recently. The weeping birch, a beautiful tree in the summer time can be just as lovely when covered with winter's frost. Mercury Photo.

# Hi-lites from junior high

(Joy Werkentin)

Tofield was doubly unfortunate in the basketball games played Wednesday, Jan. 26, in Holden Both girls and boys lost to the Holden teams by scores of 7-13 and 27-54 respectively

QUEEN OF HEARTS

Preparations for the annual Valentine's Tea, February 14 in the School Gym, are well under-way. Six girls, one from each room in Junior High, have been nominated as contestants for the crown of Queen of Hearts. Anne Wall and Judy Moore are contestants from Grade VII, Donna Mosby and Lena Schroeder represent Grade VIII, while Linda Ozubko and Gwen Sears are the Grade IX candidates. Tickets for each girl will soon be available at 10c each The holder of the lucky ticket will be the winner of a handsome door prize

The contestant with the largest number of tickets to her credit will be crowned Queen of Hearts by Miss Luella Schacker, last year's Valentine Queen. The honored queen will receive a suitable award in addition to a duplicate of the gift each of the runners-up will receive.

DRESS-UP DAY

The first Wednesday of every month is "dress-up day" in Junior High, and this month the weather co-operated so that the girls could wear their pretty dresses to complement the dress-up attire of the young gentlemen of Junior High.

## From the scrap book

A good listener is not only popular everywhere, but after a while he knows something.— Wilson Wegner. —J.W.R.

# Shyba wins Curlorama

The Harry Shyba rink of Holden, with Norm Koetke third, E. Faryna second, and D. Hultholm throwing lead rocks went through the "A" section of the Curlorama bonspiel.

This foursome then played "B" event winners, the T. Appleby rink, also of Holden, and continued their winning ways again.

The Shyba rink now goes to Irma on Monday to compete in the district playdowns, and possibly to provincial and even federal honors.

The Curlorama is sponsored locally by Beaver Motors, Massey-Harris dealers.

## Salary committee speaks to A.T.A.

Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Holden-Bruce Sub-local A.T.A. held their monthly meeting Monday evening, Jan. 24th Guests were C. Annis and L. Cribb of Tofield.

Mrs. Grace Appleby, representative to the local A.T.A., gave her report, and Oleh Shykora spoke, explaining the work of the salary committee The chairman of the salary committee, C Annis outlined the economic objectives, and Mr. Cribb spoke on the justification of the salary committee. Mrs. Allan gave a report on the planning of the Fall Convention.

# Tofield High trims Holden

(Elaine Walker)

Last Friday evening the basketball teams from Holden played in the Tofield Gym. Both the Tofield boys' and girls' teams won their games—the girls' score was 29 to 19, and the boys 73 to 44. The games were very well attended by the public, and it is hoped this fine support will continue during the coming tournament, February 18th and 19th

During the half-time period a very enjoyable game of broom-ball was played between the teachers and firemen. The firemen won the game by a score of 3 to 2.

# Tofield Library has good year in '65

The treasurer's report, read by Dorothy Freebury at the annual meeting of the Tofield Municipal Library on January 24th, showed a very successful year. The cash balance at the end of 1965 was $80.70. Receipts totalled $1,064.08, being made up of fees, fines and book sales, $137.63; grants for $859.65, and donations for $68.80. Disbursements totalled $989.62, being made up of book purchases, $742.72; extension book rentals, $50; fees for librarian's course, $20; book repairs, $42, and postage, supplies and miscellaneous, $134.90.

In the librarian's report, it was revealed that books borrowed in 1965 averaged 91 per week. "Young Canada Book Week" program of Hobbies and Collections was well received, and tag day netted $52.

Mrs. Freebury recommended that the Board appoint Joan Dunham as treasurer for the Library, and Mayor Dr. Freebury moved the appointment of Mrs. Dunham as treasurer, which was approved.

Mayor Dr. Freebury, on behalf of the Town Council, appointed Bert Everitt and re-appointed Hazel Patterson, each for a three-year term, as members of the Municipal Library Board. The Executive for 1966 will be Ed Warson as chairman, Joan Dunham, treasurer, and Rita Halverson, secretary.

The 1966 budget, except for certain minor changes, was accepted as presented.

Discussion took place regarding the per capita grant and the book grant. The secretary was instructed to get a clarification of the Library Act from the provincial secretary, and to apply for the grant most advantageous to the Library.

# Search for Talent has capacity audience

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — At the A.C.T. Search for Talent concert held in Holden Community Hall Saturday evening, Jan. 22nd, there was a capacity crowd to enjoy the local talent and the entertainment presented by the staff of A.C.T. There were three classes for local talent — juniors, Sunwapta and showmanship

The awards were as follows. Junior — 1st, Deborahl Skaley, Gadsby; 2nd, Debbie Giebelhaus, Holden. A special award was given to the Cynthia Thearle Dance School, Holden, the performers being Janet MacDonell, Dianne MacDonell, Debbie Semotuik, Laura Wright, Jean Laskosky, Marlene Kelly, Susan Cooper and Melody Thearle.

Sunwapta — 1st, Larry Benson, Holden, 2nd, Jacqueline Zukiwsky, Willingdon.

Showmanship—1st, Arnold Giebelhaus, Holden; 2nd, "Villagers Five", Holden, these being Judy Bilyk, Coleen Appleby, Dianne Holowachuk, Marilyn Komarnisky and Monica Laskosky, all of Holden.

The autographed recording of Johnny Forest was won by Vivian Carlson, and the winner of the chest of stainless steel flatware was Wayne Pozerniuk.

The show was sponsored in Holden by the B P O Elks Lodge, and they are to be commended on making such a good effort in bringing this show and the time they took to get up such a good listing of contestants.

# Income tax expert here

The field staff of the Farmers Union of Alberta will be in attendance in the back office of the Town Office on Monday Feb 14th, for all who desire accounting, as announced by Geo G. Abernethy, Tofield, FUA Sec'y.

# Could expand here

Meeting in Edmonton recently for their annual meeting, the Victorian Order of Nurses heard the call from their president for the need to expand by extending their services into new communities.

We have little idea of the size of community needed to support the wonderful work of the VON, but Tofield would seem to offer an ideal opportunity. While fees are never sufficient, and have to be supplemented by groups such as the United Appeal, still the great majority of costs are met by the small charges made for the services rendered by the nurses as they make their rounds, helping young mothers, bedridden patients and so on, in their own homes. In any case, it might be worth an exploratory look here.

This might be an area where the local chapter of AARN would have some knowledge and some interest, as a sister organization, it might be a field for the Chamber of Commerce as an added service in the community, it might be a field for the BPWC, for the town or provincial welfare departments. Or some other group, or maybe committees of all of them.

But let's hope the VON gets a chance to take a look at Tofield, and see if part of their destiny may lie here.

# Test needed

Canada's Supreme Court is being asked to decide when a man is, in fact, in control of a car or truck, and when he could be said not to be in control. The question was brought up when a Saskatchewan man was acquitted of being in charge, while impaired, of a vehicle which had left the road and landed in the ditch, so that it had to be hauled out.

The case was appealed, and judgment reversed by a judge, whose judgment was sustained by the provincial appeal court. Taken to the supreme court in the country, there seems some chance the justices may declare that since the vehicle could not move from its position, the driver was not actually in control. What seems more important, they are discussing the point that the law was never intended to cover certain situations such as this.

Clearing up anomalies in the law which lead to ridiculous charges can do nothing but improve public respect for the law, while trying to convict on such unintended errors in wording the law can only heighten the disrepute into which law enforcement forces, unfortunately, have fallen in the eyes of many citizens.

This loss of stature is most unfortunate and should be avoided so far as possible at all costs, since in large part the very warp and woof of our society depends on our acceptance of the rule of law. Without this acceptance, we revert to a state of savagery and nihilism.

# For safety's sake

Alberta drivers next year will not take long to recognize the major boost in the cause of safety that will be made by the 1967 license plates scheduled to go into production next week at Fort Saskatchewan for distribution a year later.

For the first time, the numbers and printing will be reflectorized, using an improved method of coating with glass beads.

While the plates can only help in the safety program when they're relatively free of mud, of course, it doesn't take long to figure out what a help they'll be when meeting a one-eyed driver, and trying to figure out which headlight is the one that's on. Glowing in the middle of the car, the plate will readily identify the proportions of the vehicle.

And, too, on those odd occasions following a vehicle without taillights, or older vehicles with very small and dim rear lights, the reflection will prove a warning again.

The '67 plates, by the way, will be white with green letters, and will display a maple leaf and state "1867-1967". Cost of the reflectorizing is about a nickle a plate

# Bon mot

Several months ago when Canada's weekly newspapers met in convention in Edmonton, one of French Canada's publishers from the north shore of the St. Lawrence was selected to thank a speaker on Expo 67.

We cannot quote directly Monsieur Alarie's speech at this time, but we have not failed to remember the ringing message he delivered in his thank you, and his complete awareness of the feelings of both sides in Canada's controversy of cultures and tongues. A really good play on words is interesting at any time, but a bon mot in a second language must be doubly difficult. His closing statement was to the effect: "On all sides we hear suggestions that Canada will split wide open during 1967, but the great body of French Canadians do not believe this, or want this, any more than you do. And I have no hesitation in stating my firm conviction that its Centennial year will prove to be the rapture of Canada, not its rupture."

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# By George!

The Alberta Association of Consumers advises there is little uniformity in sizing of dresses made by different manufacturers. Now, men, when the little woman brags about how much her diet is doing for her, since she was able to take a size 14 instead of her usual 20, better investigate before you praise her to the skies.

The Consumers' Association says "One size 10 may fit perfectly. Others may be too large or too small for the same person. Many women say that they find that, because more expensive dresses are better cut, they are comfortable in a size smaller than they would be in cheaper dresses. In fact, cheaper dresses in small sizes appear to be designed for the teen-age market, because bust darts are usually too high for the more mature figure.

"Nor can you be sure that the right size for one kind of garment will be right size for another. One woman (36 26:37) tells CAC that she buys size 10 in a shirtwaist dress, size 7 in a party dress and size 14 in shorts."

There are other problems, too. "Small women dislike having to wear the same styles as their teen-age daughters. Size 8, for example, seems to be regarded by manufacturers as only a teen-age size.

"Tall women feel neglected by dress designers. Older women complain that there are few attractive ready-made clothes for the more mature figure.

"Several women asked why blouses were so short that they rode up and exposed a strip of bare back whenever they bent over."

No questionnaire fails to produce some amusing replies. It was surprising how many women could not bring themselves to reveal their hip measurements, even anonymously. One lady modestly gave her vital statistics fully clothed, and we like another's observation that "narrow skirts are not graceful for mature women when seated".

The Consumers' Association of Canada hopes that its findings will help the clothing industry to work towards better sizing of women's clothes, to the benefit alike of manufacturers and consumers.

Considering the variations and shortcomings listed above, I don't envy the Association one bit.

# MacDuff Ottawa report

## SOCIETY BUILT ON SAND

OTTAWA.—Federal and provincial governments, in new sessions of their legislatures, are finally giving priority to education and the war on poverty.

In Canada, as elsewhere, poverty and ignorance go hand in hand. Find the untrained, the uneducated, and generally speaking, there you find the poor.

The logic of this seems simple, but it has eluded federal and provincial governments for too many years. They have failed to ensure an educated population, a trained labour force, and deeply-rooted poverty has been the result in many parts of Canada.

Only recently have governments, and Canadians generally, begun to peer uncomfortably at the ugly blemishes marring the fair complexion of their society.

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This year, the year before the Centennial, will mark truly massive spending by federal and provincial governments in an effort to raise educational standards and wipe out poverty.

Some of these efforts will be undertaken jointly by the two levels of government. Some will be undertaken separately. But the total spending on welfare, education, and manpower training will be reckoned in the billions.

The federal government will put upwards of $230 million into the Canada Assistance Plan, to be matched by the provinces, to help the needy, the aged, the infirm, widows and orphans.

There will be a vast improvement in technical training, with millions going into a new program under which unemployed persons will be paid while undergoing retraining in technical schools.

There will be a special $50 million fund for rural development, and increased help for marginal farm areas.

The provinces will spend hundreds of millions on new schools, special allowances, teacher training, and equipment.

The federal government will put $100 million into university grants, an increase of $60 million over last year. Another $40 million in Federal money will provide 40,000 university scholarships and bursaries over the next four years.

## NEVER TOO EXPENSIVE

This spending, of course, is in addition to current spending on pensions, family allowances, education, technical training and health. It is also in addition to the ambitious scheme of universal medical insurance the federal government hopes to set in motion next year.

It is a huge, expensive program. But we cannot say it is too much. We can only hope it is not being undertaken too late.

The face of Canada today is basically one of prosperity. For a long time governments acted as though that were the only

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# From the mail bag

Box 48, R.R. No. 2,
South Edmonton,
January 31

Editor, The Mercury

Enclosed please find $2.50 for our subscription to your paper for the coming year. It has been very good to receive your paper each week with the news of old friends and neighbours, and we have been able to keep in touch with them and know what is going on this year. My husband was born in the T[illegible] district and lived there all his life until we moved to this f[illegible] in 1964.

We were also in[illegible]sted in the boys who won the [illegible]wards for the highest marks in the Grade IX exams last Ju[illegible]. I know your paper does not cover the ordinary Viking news, but we saw their names in the Edmonton Journal and also saw a reference to special awards from the County of Beaver to the School Board meetings, but there has been no other ne[illegible] about them. Do you know if they were twins?

Would be pleased if you could find out and perhaps put a little news item in the pap[illegible] about them as it must be very unusual to have two winners of Grade IX honors in one school division.

Yours sincerely
D. M. D[illegible]y.
(Mrs. O. [illegible] Daily).

(Editor's Note: Perhaps the school committee or Superintendent J. A. Pike can answer the question for Mrs. Daily.)



# MacDuff . . .

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face. But now surveys and special studies have delineated the profile of poverty.

It is an unflattering profile, to say the least. Here are some of the salient features, taken from a federal working paper presented to the federal-provincial conference on poverty last December.

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The Canadian poor are numbered in the millions. Close to a million Canadian families have incomes of less than $3,000 a year.

In 1961, one in 20 of all Canadian dwellings was dilapidated.

In the same year, of all Canadians over 15, more than five million, or 47 per cent, had no more than elementary schooling. During that time of heavy unemployment, half the unemployed people in Canada had not finished primary school.

This points up the essential link between poverty and ignorance, and conversely, between prosperity and education.

It will probably come as a severe shock to many Canadians to learn that this is an ill-educated country, by comparison with its idol, the United States.

## MYTH SHATTERED

There has been a smug assumption here that while the U.S. might surpass Canada in material things, our educational system is superior to that of the vulgar, acquisitive American.

Facts are now beginning to shatter this myth.

The Economic Council of Canada, in its second annual report, said that the lower level of education in Canada was a major reason for lower levels of income here. Years of effort would be required to close the educational gap between Canada and the U.S.

The Council reported that 11.1 per cent of the U.S. labour force had university education, compared to 5.6 per cent in Canada. That ratio also held for high school education.

## TOMORROW'S POOR RECOGNIZED TODAY

The situation is obviously not improving. Finance Minister Sharp stated recently that 30 per cent of Canadians between the ages of 14 and 24 have left school with only grade eight education. "These are tomorrow's poor", said Mr. Sharp.

Basically, the lesson is clear. Canada's poor lack of training, and those who lack training lack the means of improving their conditions.

Nearly half of adult Canadians have only an elementary education, and they are sitting ducks for unemployment and the quagmire of poverty.

With that kind of manpower base under the Canadian economy there can be no real stability.

As long as Canadians are poorly educated, there will be poverty here. And as long as there is poverty, there can be little joy and little assurance in an affluent society built on sand.

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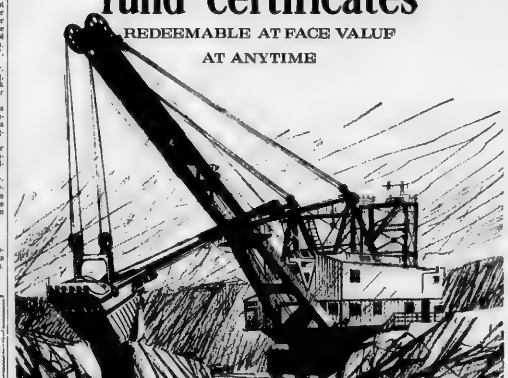

# The Ryley Times

***No shadow here***

As evidenced by this tree trunk there was no evidence of any shadows in Tofield yesterday, and therefore Mr. Groundhog may as well have stayed in his hole. Does the fact he doesn't see his shadow mean six weeks of fair weather?

Mercury Photo.

## Quick Canadian Quiz

1. The Northwest Territories occupy what proportion of Canada's total area?
2. In 1964 was the average profit per dollar of sales of Canadian manufacturers 3.5 cents, 5.4 cents or 10.5 cents?
3. The federal government collected $2.1 billion in personal income taxes in 1964-65. What is the estimate for the current year?
4. The number of Canadians with jobs outside agriculture was 4,164,000 in 1951, 4,843,000 in 1951, 4,843,000 in 1956. What is the present figure?
5. Which is the longest river in Canada?

ANSWERS: 5. The Mackenzie River, with its headwaters, 2,-35 miles. 3. Estimate is $2 billion, after allowing for 10 per cent tax cut. 1. About 33.9 per cent of the total area. 4. At February, 1965, total was 5,938,000. 2. Average profit per dollar of sales was 5.4 cents in 1964, unchanged from 1963.

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***No shadow here***

As evidenced by this tree trunk there was no evidence of any shadows in Tofield yesterday, and therefore Mr. Groundhog may as well have stayed in his hole. Does the fact he doesn't see his shadow mean six weeks of fair weather?

Mercury Photo.

## Quick Canadian Quiz

1. The Northwest Territories occupy what proportion of Canada's total area?
2. In 1964 was the average profit per dollar of sales of Canadian manufacturers 3.5 cents, 5.4 cents or 10.5 cents?
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# On the Provincial Scene

By JOHN WARREN

Premier Manning is undoubtedly a remarkable man. A politician all his adult life, he has suffered few of the serious attacks on his integrity that plague most men in that hazardous trade. His interests range from preaching to farming and his knowledge covers the entire sphere of government affairs.

One of the things Mr. Manning does best is squelch the people who annoy him from time to time. There have been quite a number recently. Some, like Neil Reimer, are quickly disposed of. Asked recently to comment on a statement by the NDP leader, Mr. Manning retorted that he paid no attention to Mr Reimer, who "couldn't tell the truth if he tried".

A few years ago the former federal resources minister, Walter Dinsdale, made the mistake of commenting on a particular area of the oil and gas industry. I can remember Mr. Manning explaining, with a pleasant smile: "I could write a book on what that man doesn't know about the oil industry". He then proceeded to explain.

This is more the premier's tone. The manner is that of a patient teacher with a balky student.

Last week the students included the federal minister of agriculture, J. J. Greene; the former minister, Harry Hays; The Southam Newspapers' political expert, Charles Lynch; the government in Ottawa, and an Indian girl studying at the University of Alberta. The list is composed of mere mortals, obviously over-

Mr. Manning noted that Mr. Greene had a "very poor memory" the day he told the house of commons no special request for aid to Peace River farmers had been received by the federal government. "He signed the letter rejecting the request", explained Mr. Manning.

And Mr. Hays "missed the point entirely" when he said the Alberta farmers could have been protected if the province had co-operated in a federal crop insurance scheme. The premier pointed out that Ontario and Quebec have had just as long to get crop insurance but farmers there got $15,000,000 in special aid.

Mr. Lynch's error was to suggest that the Alberta premier calls the signals for the federal Social Credit leader, Robert Thompson. "It is totally false", said Mr. Manning. "The story was completely biased" and unfair to the five Socreds in Ottawa.

The entire federal government was rapped on the farm assistance issue; for discrimination in aid to the provinces for Trans-Canada highway building; and for building the expanded heavy water plant in Nova Scotia instead of Alberta.

And 21-year-old Marie Smallface had her knuckles rapped for telling an Indian conference in Toronto that Alberta Indians can't vote in provincial elections. "They were given provincial voting rights at the last session of the legislature", said the premier.

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Much of the news space last week was taken up by the grain-shipping situation and developments affecting higher education in Alberta.

While the railways, the federal government, the grain companies and the grain handling authorities in Vancouver blamed one another for the problems, the three prairie provinces got together to complain. "Never mind passing the buck. Let's just get the grain moving" they said to Ottawa. At week's end a commission had been named to try to do just that.

The government announced it would boost grants to the University of Alberta by $235 per student in an effort to prevent higher student fees. Mr Manning said the jump to $1,000 a student, would probably mean provincial assistance to the two university campuses would total $22,400,000 next year.

And a special study of higher education needs in Alberta last week recommended extensive changes for both the university and junior (or community) colleges.

## Around the town

Mrs W McHaffey left January 28th for Kamloops, B.C., to help out at the home of her son, Bill Warner, and two daughters, while Mrs. Warner is in Vancouver with their infant son who is receiving medical attention in the General Hospital.

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Ray Ovelson of Kingman was the winner of the Tofield Legion Arf and Arf $30 for January.

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Mrs. Tom Nahrebeski visited in Edmonton for a few days last week with her daughter and son-in-law, Ethel and Paul Chorney and family.

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(by Ellen Eaton)

Mrs Johnnie (Gloria) Wood and daughter, Cathy returned home on January 21st from a week's visit with her parents, Mr and Mrs. John Miller at Onoway They are at present staying with Johnnie's parents, John and Mary Wood.

Mrs Roy (Ruth) Wickenburg returned home on Jan. 23rd after having been a patient in the Tofield Hospital since Dec. 27th. We all wish Ruth continued improvement.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mary and John Wood on Sunday, Jan. 23rd helping Mary celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. A. W. (Alma) Holmes of Ministik arrived Jan. 22nd at the home of John and Mary Wood to spend some time with her friend Mary and help her celebrate her birthday on Jan. 24th Johnnie and Gloria Wood and Mrs. Mary Wood took Mrs. Holmes home on Monday evening and were coffee guests of Mrs. Holme's son, Jim and Delsey Holmes (with whom Mrs. Holmes makes her home) before returning home.

Mrs Ethel Wood entertained her sister-in-law, Mrs Mary Wood Mrs Gloria Wood and daughter Cathy, and Mrs. Alma Holmes at her home on Monday afternoon, Jan 24th at a birthday luncheon in honor of Mary's birthday

Doug and Francis Baines and two sons Tim and David were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guest at the home of Doug's sister, Mrs. Ethel Wood

Lorne Berrecloth who is employed at Wandering River spent from Thursday to Sunday at home with his wife Marg and son David

Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen were among the guests attending the Park Social Service Club banquet and dance held in the Chipman Hall on Friday evening.

### IN HOSPITAL

We were sorry to hear that Lionel Ferguson had once again become a patient in the Tofield Hospital on January 24th and is still there; also that his brother T. D Ferguson had become a patient there on Friday, Jan. 28th. We wish them both speedy recoveries.

Audrey and Harold Kindley and family of Edmonton were Sunday guests of their mother, Mrs. Lionel (Emma) Ferguson and during the afternoon they visited Audrey's father, Lionel Ferguson in the Tofield Hospital

Friday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Howard and Mae Ferguson were their daughter, Doris and Howard Brown and son David, and Mae's mother, Mrs. Roberts of Tofield All were helping Mae and Howard celebrate their little granddaughter, Wanda Weir's birthday Wanda lives with her grandparents

George Abernethy was a Monday evening visitor at the home of Rod and Isabel Rudacki

The FWUA will hold their next meeting on Thursday afternoon, Feb 10th at the home of Mrs Jim Francis in Tofield

Sybil Nelson of Lacombe arrived Thursday evening and spent the weekend with her sister, Ruth and Roy Wickenberg She left for home again by bus Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Vivian Jones and Janet Wickenberg arrived Saturday afternoon, were supper guests and Sunday visitors at the home of their parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and Vivian's son Donald Jones.

## Mrs. Gertie Coghill passes suddenly

PALMER-EARLING, Jan. 28 - The Peter Reums attended the funeral at the Ponoka Funeral Home Wednesday, Jan. 26, for Mrs Reum's sister, Mrs. Gertie Coghill, 59 years, who died suddenly from a heart attack Jan. 22 at Ponoka.

She was born May 10, 1907 at Wilkie, Sask. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Steve Holomis of the Camrose Pentecostal Church.

Pallbearers all from Earling were: Keith Bratrud, Garry Stenerud, Morris Reum, Vern Reum, Billy Reum and Harold Reum. Interment in the Ponoka Cemetery

She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, James Coghill, one son Bert, three sisters, Mrs. Peter Reum, Ryley; Mrs. Irene Reid of Geraldton, Ontario, Mrs Harry Coldham of Colonsay, Sask., and one brother, Bert Healey of Mountain Side, Manitoba.

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# County council meets Jan. 13th

Following are the minutes, in part, of the meeting of the County of Beaver No. 9, held Thursday Jan. 13th

**Business Arising From Minutes**

In regards to the Centennial Grants, the secretary - treasurer reported that the Provincial Centennial Committee had approved of the proposed work in the Hamlet of Bruce and in the Hamlet of Kinsella, but that the approval had not been obtained for the Pioneer Monument at Borshtchow

Cr. Korpelnicki stated that he was not certain whether or not the community at Borshtchow had some other project in mind, and he suggested that the matter should be left in abeyance for another 8 to 10 days

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the Municipal Curling Bonspiel, Cr. Weatherill reported that he had made arrangements for this 'spiel to be held on February 23rd, having booked the ice for that date The secretary - treasurer stated that the assistant secretary-treasurer was looking after the details for this bonspiel and was contacting the different machine companies and suppliers to the County soliciting contributions to the Bonspiel

George Gallimore from R Angus (Alberta) Ltd. interviewed the Council at this time placing before the Council a proposal for the purchase of: One only new Caterpillar Diesel D7 Tractor, Series E, Direct Drive, at a price of $32,083, one only new Caterpillar 7A Bulldozer, cable controlled, $5,873; one only new Caterpillar No. 127 cable controlled unit, $3,675 Total $41,630.

The proposal also contained quotation on the same D7 tractor but with hydraulic control bulldozer at a total price of $41,879 Canopy installed, $550.

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Mr Gallimore stated that the proposed would remain in effect for 30 days.

Inasmuch as the public works foreman was away on holidays and it was considered advisable to discuss the matter with him, it was moved and carried that decision be deferred until the next meeting, in regards to a possible purchase of a D7 caterpillar tractor.

E. Atwood of the Alberta Government Telephones attended the meeting at this time in regards to the Buried Rural Distribution System explaining in detail the operation in connection with this work.

**Correspondence**

A letter from W. D Clifford requesting some road improvement to N E 33-50-20-W4th, was referred to Council.

Moved and carried that this request be referred to Cr. Weatherill.

A letter from the Minister of Highways concerning the Natural Resources Road Appropriation was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that we apply to have the road from S.W. corner of S W 2-49-18-W4th north 9 1/4 miles to Highway 14 accepted under this grant

The secretary-treasurer reported that, as directed at the December meeting, he had forwarded to the P F A A office a request to have Sections 1 to 12 inclusive in Twp 50, Rge. 14 included in the inspection of adjoining areas previously applied for.

A letter from the Director of the P F A A dated December 30th, advised that the request could not be acceded to Council was also advised that Twps. 48 and 49-13 and 48 and 49-14 would be inspected starting December 9th.

Moved and carried that the information be accepted and the correspondence received and filed.

It was then moved and carried that inquiries be made if the County of Beaver as a whole could be included in the Crop Insurance Plan in 1966.

## Modern etiquette

Q. Just what is meant by "semi-formal", as applied to the dress of both men and women?

A. This usually depends upon the community. In some places, where men customarily wear tails, semi-formal means tuxedos for them and simple evening dresses for the women. In a simpler community, it would be plain dark blue or grey suits for the men and afternoon frocks for the women.

Q. Is it permissible at the dinner table to eat the skin of a baked potato, and also the parsley used as a garnish?

A. If you enjoy these items, it is perfectly proper to eat them.

Q. I've been told that the "elbows-on-table" rule of eating has been relaxed Is this true?

A Yes, and it has been for some years. It is now generally acceptable to lean the elbows on the table—so long as you do this BETWEEN courses and not while you're actually eating.

Q. Is it necessary to respond with a "You're welcome" to a "thank you"?

A. Some sort of response should be made, and "You're welcome", or "That's quite all right" are always in good order.

Q. When a bride is being married in her "going away" dress, should she carry a bouquet?

A. It would be better if she wore a corsage.

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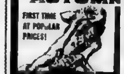


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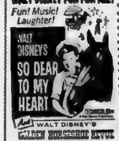


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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Mr and Mrs. Alex McSporran received congratulations from their many friends and neighbors on their 62nd wedding anniversary on February 2nd

Mrs. Alma Holmes spent several days at the home of Mr and Mrs. John Wood of the Lakeshore district

Mrs. S. George attended a birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe in Tofield in honor of Mr. Shupe's birthday on Tuesday evening

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson was pleasantly surprised on Monday evening when her old chum, Miss Edna Burgess of Victoria, B.C., formerly of Edmonton, called her on the telephone

Friends and neighbors are sorry to hear that Mrs. Alex McSporran is not well. Her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Herricks of Namao is staying with Mr. and Mrs. McSporran for a while. A speedy recovery is wished her from all her friends.

### FAMILY GATHERING

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Jones on Sunday were their four sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harmond Jones and boys, Mr. and Mrs John Jones and Sandra and Mr and Mrs. Robert Jones and Robbie, all of Edmonton. Bill Roddick also called there.

Margaret and Edna Roddick of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with their parents Mr and Mrs Jim Roddick

**Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilson have sold their herd of Holstein milk cows and heifers, and plan to make a move in the near future**

Mr and Mrs Douglas George and Valerie were Sunday visitors with Mrs. S. George Bruce George and Mrs Russell Howland were tea guests Monday evening

Due to cold weather the whist drive to have been held on Friday evening was cancelled and will be held on Friday, Feb 18th.

### AT WEDDING

Mr and Mrs Jim Roddick attended the wedding Saturday evening of Miss Margaret Christie and Mr John Statler at Salisbury United Church and reception following at the Highway Motor Hotel. Their daughter, Edna was maid of honor

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Herricks of Namao were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Herricks

Archie Flowers of Edmonton called on Mr. and Mrs. McSporran on Sunday afternoon

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# Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Hans Huseby was a visitor in Camrose last Saturday leaving from there for Edmonton where he will visit for a few days and also tend to business

Mrs Reuben Minchau, Mrs Darin and Mrs Hammermaster of Bruce were callers in Holden Wednesday afternoon of last week and also visited with Mrs Helen Tiedemann in the Tofield hospital

Mrs Mike Chupka was in Edmonton Friday and over the weekend having dental work done Mike drove there on Sunday

**TRUSTEES MEET**

The Trustees of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 held their regular monthly meeting Friday afternoon, Jan 28th, with all trustees present Fell [redacted] and the approximate ex[redacted] for the year were discussed and the budget for the year was made up

The date for the annual meeting is to be held Wednesday, March 16th in the Gladstone Curling Rink at 2 00 p m

**RETURNS NORTH**

Larry Strilchuk and two younger brothers motored to Edmonton last Wednesday afternoon taking their father, Paul Strilchuk who has been visiting his family, to Nisku airport where he was taking the plane for the north country. Paul is employed at Inuvik during the winter months, and on phoning home after arriving said the temperature was 60 degrees below that morning

Bruce Appleby was a weekend visitor with his family the Bert Applebys over the weekend

Mr and Mrs. Mike Zylak of Edmonton, formerly of Holden when Mike was agent at the National Elevator, were receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, born Tuesday, Jan 25th

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## Barbara Roth marries Mervin Yoder Dec. 30th.

The Salem Mennonite Church was the scene of a lovely wedding on December 30th at 6.30 p.m., when Miss Barbara Louise Roth, daughter of Mr and Mrs Joseph E. Roth, became the bride of Mervin Leland Yoder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie E Yoder of Camrose

The bride was lovely in a gown of white velvet and she carried a bouquet of red roses with silver balls. Her sister, Faye (Mrs. Ed Friesen) of Eaglesham, was matron of honor. Her sister, Pat Roth, and Marian Yoder, sister of the groom, were bridesmaids. They wore identical street length dresses of red velvet and carried red velvet muffs with white 'mums. The groom's cousin, Derrill Reil, was groomsman, and Bryan Stauffer best man. Harley Stauffer, Ed Friesen and Dennis Boettger served as ushers

The mothers of the bride and groom wore teal blue suits with brown accessories, and yellow rose corsages

Rev Paul Voegtlin offered the meditation, Rev Harold Boettger solemnized the ceremony, and Rev M. D Stutzman, grandfather of the bride, offered a prayer of dedication. The wedding music was rendered by a mixed quartet and ladies' trio

A reception was given in the church basement to 100 guests, with Joseph Voeglin capably serving as master of ceremonies. Harold Lauber proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom ably responded

For her honeymoon, the bride chose a two-piece blue wool suit with black accessories, and red rose corsage

Mr and Mrs Yoder are residing in Edmonton.

## William Steffen passes at 50 yrs.

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER EARLING, Jan. 28 — William Herbert Steffen, 50, of Ryley South passed away Jan 26 following a heart attack. He leaves to mourn his passing his wife Gladys Steffen, two daughters, Joan in Edmonton and Wanda at home and his mother Mrs Alma Steffen. His father Benjamin Steffen predeceased him five years ago

# Kingman news briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

Mission Circle meets at the Harley Schmidt home on Wednesday, Feb. 9th at 2:00 p.m.

Salem LCW meets in the church basement on Thursday, Feb. 10th at 8 00 p.m. with Mrs Ovel Bjurgum and Mrs. Helga Evenson as hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingvold Ness are staying at the Mervyn Ness home in Edmonton looking after their granddaughter while her parents are on holidays

Mr. and Mrs Albert Olson of Camrose were Sunday visitors at the Ed Seljeboug home.

Donald Hole left by plane from Nisku Sunday for Waterloo, Iowa, where he will attend the John Deere Plant tour. He will be gone a week.

Sunday visitors at the Oscar Simonson home were the Ken Leach, Ed Glassman, Chuck Gawlecki families and Mr. and Mrs. Jules Glassman all of Edmonton, and Mr and Mrs. Ger-

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Dary Bahr of Calgary called at Tofield hospital Monday, Jan. 24th to visit Mrs. Bahr's grandmother, Mrs. Mary Andrews who has been a patient there for the past two weeks. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad and were overnight visitors there leaving Tuesday for Regina, Sask. Mr and Mrs. Bahr were recently married and she is the daughter of Roy Andrews of Calgary.

**SISTER PASSES**

Mr and Mrs. Ray Nichols were visitors Monday afternoon of last week with Herb Lockhart of the Viking district after receiving the sad news that Mrs. Nichol's sister had passed away very suddenly. It was just a year ago to the day that Mrs. Nichols received word of the death of an older sister.

Mrs Lillie Grosland returned home last Saturday after spending several weeks visiting with her daughter and family at Medicine Hat. Her son-in-law brought her to Edmonton where she visited for a few days with her son Walter and family. Mr. and Mrs. W. Grosland took Mrs. Grosland home and were visitors over the weekend calling on other relatives.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Alex Shybo returned home from Tofield hospital Monday afternoon of last week after being a patient there for several days receiving treatment.

Henry Oberg has been a patient at the University Hospital for the past few weeks, having treatments on his shoulder which he wrenched and hurt during the Christmas holidays while driving to Glendon with his wife and son. Henry has been coming home for the weekends

Arthur Story was a patient in Tofield hospital for three days last week having minor surgery

The small son of Mr. and Mrs Basarabe who was very ill in Tofield hospital for several weeks with pneumonia returned home a week ago Wednesday

Mrs. T. A. Liden who has been a patient in an Edmonton hospital for over a week having treatments for an infection returned home Thursday evening.

Mrs. Elna Parsons who has been a patient in the University hospital for the past three weeks is beginning to feel much improved.

Alan Tiedemann of Edmonton was visiting with his family the Henry Tiedemanns over the weekend

Mrs. R. Raeder entertained several friends for tea Friday afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. Lutz who have been spending the last few weeks visiting with their daughter and other relations in various points in the U.S., at Seattle and later in Vancouver, returned home last week. Mrs. Lutz was saying that of the seven days they spent in Vancouver there was rain for five days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason, and Mr and Mrs. Clint Armstrong attended the 4-H Club dance held in Bruce Community Hall Friday evening

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mistlenka were Edmonton visitors Monday of last week, taking Annie's mother, Mrs. Mike Zuzak to her doctor's for a check-up. Mrs. Zuzak was pleased to receive a good report

**MRS. LOCKHART PASSES**

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols and brothers from Grande Prairie attended the funeral of their sister, Mrs Herbert Lockhart in Viking Thursday afternoon, January 27th Mrs. Lockhart entered the hospital Sunday evening for a check-up and Monday morning while having an examination succumbed to a heart attack.

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. Gladue)

Final plans for the Grocery Bingo to be held Friday, Feb 4th have been made by the Ladies Club, that is sponsoring the Bingo.

**CORRECTION**

In the report of the General Hall Board, Miss T McLeod's name was inadvertantly left off the list of Board members.

**ALEX DONALD PASSES**

The district was sorry to hear of the death of Alex Donald of Jasper Place, Edmonton, formerly of this district who passed away last Thursday.

# Tofield girls are 'capped'

Mr and Mrs. G Allan and Mr and Mrs. N Stauffer attended the "capping" exercises of their daughters at the University of Alberta Hospital School of Nursing on Friday evening.

Lorraine Allan and Sylvia Stauffer were in a class of 110 who received their caps and took part in the impressive candle-lighting ceremony which followed. Incidentally, both girls had identical averages, standing eighth in the class

A reception followed the exercises.

Mrs. G Allan attended a tea in the Faculty Lounge at the University last Thursday for mothers and daughters of the nursing class of September 1968

Lorraine Allan, David Allan and Marion McDonald, a classmate of Lorraine's, were home for the weekend

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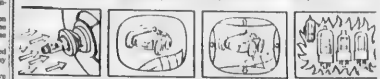
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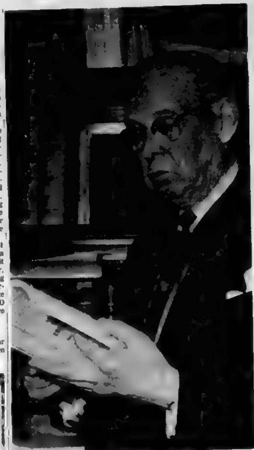

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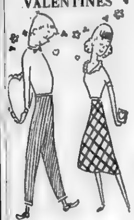

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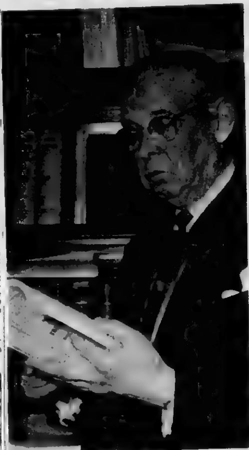

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[illegible] on the shoulders of the Board to buy it. Certainly to argue "we can't buy it but won't let you sell it to anyone else" is preposterous.

The farmers at Andrew don't much care when their grain is shipped really, so long as they can spend the income from it. But the income from a one-bushel quota is ridiculous. These men were desperate because the Wheat Board put them in a desperate position. They weren't lawbreaking for luxuries to indulge whims [illegible] they were desperate even for the necessities of life for themselves and their families.

Why can't the Board arrange cash advances enough to cover life's bare necessities against farm stored grain [illegible]

[illegible]

# Half a century

[illegible]

# By George!

"Enhgosed peease find our new bredy hard ... I saye wigh some inyedsey yhay your firm has fineggy run into yhe age of yhe compuyer wiyh humorous reaays."

The perils of mass mailings in this age of automation are clearly noted in that paragraph from a letter received by Tilden Rent-a-Car from Jack Lindsay, a customer in Vancouver.

No respecter of the alphabet, the machine which imprints the company's credit cards forgot to mind its p's and q's when it came to Lindsay's card and produced this address:

Mr. J. Quinsay
Jahk Quinsay Qimiyed
[illegible]
Vanhouver 2 B N

A man of letters with a sense of humor, Lindsay returned the card to Tilden's Montreal office and suggested that the automated equipment redo yhe hand and eqiminaye yhe errors.

Then there was the customer in Burnaby, B.C., who objected to having his place of residence recorded as Dumglane when actually he lived on Dunblane Avenue. And the young lady in Winnipeg who didn't care to find a "Mess" in front of her name. Tilden commanded the machine to use the proper identity by changing it to Miss.

A man named Nash in Sydney thought Tilden made a Hash of things and a chap in Ottawa whose Christian name and middle initial is Bruce S. didn't like the B.S. on his card.

Of course, I wouldn't want to guarantee I could prepare 140,000 credit cards and mail them out in two or three weeks time without an error, either.

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The B.C. salmon industry received a sort of left-handed compliment from British "consumers".

According to a news item from London, B.C. salmon received an unsolicited testimonial from British shoplifters. Store Detectives Ltd., a private security agency that operates throughout Britain, reports B.C. canned salmon was the article most often picked up by shoplifters during 1965.

This hardly comes as any surprise, commented one Vancouverite. In Canada canned salmon's food value is so high it's practically a steal anyway.

## Famine is possible

Famine is possible in some parts of the world in the near future unless the world's capacity to grow more food is fully used, FAO Director-General B. R. Sen told the organization's [illegible] conference in Rome.

He said that while there are [illegible]

[illegible] states are depleting North American surplus stocks.

"What should be done ... [illegible] the potential [illegible] for food production [illegible] already exist in the developed countries, most specially in the U.S.A., where in recent years millions of acres have been taken out of cultivation," he asked. "In view of the growing food needs and [illegible]

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# From the mail bag

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[illegible] Baumann

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# Information on liquid granular fertilizers

By Frank Kelme
Assistant District Agriculturist

Many enquiries have been received lately concerning the use of liquid fertilizer. To answer the many questions some farmers may have about it, I have the following information.

The liquid fertilizer is as effective as granular fertilizer in supplying plant nutrients. Liquid fertilizer has one big disadvantage—high cost.

Experiments were conducted this past year at the Lacombe Experimental Farm and Chedderville Project Farm. The results of these tests showed:

1. Treatment of the seed with liquid fertilizer was not effective in increasing yields.
2. Foliar sprays were not effective in increasing yields.
3. The combined use of three gallons of liquid fertilizer drilled in with the seed and two gallons of foliar spray when the crop was six to eight inches tall, produced an increase of 3.7 bushels of barley at Chedderville location and 12.9 bushel increase at Lacombe, also with barley. The use of granular fertilizer to supply exactly the same amounts of nitrogen and phosphorous produced yield increases of 2.7 and 16.1 bushels at the same two locations.

It should be noted that these are the result of only two years experiments, so their reliability is questionable.

# Shower honors bride-elect

On Saturday night a miscellaneous shower was held in the Tofield Legion Hall in honor of Miss Barbara Williams, whose marriage to Mr. Kai Kristensen will take place this Saturday in the Tofield United Church.

Bonnie Bowick and Barbara's cousin, Nola Williams, assisted her in unwrapping the gifts. Barbara very graciously expressed her thanks to the ladies for the many beautiful and useful gifts.

The couple plan to make their home in Edmonton.

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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)
(Last Week)

Mrs. Roy Whillans spent several days in Edmonton with her son Vernon and family. She returned Sunday with her little granddaughter, Tracy to visit with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stirrett and family were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sutton.

Mrs. Harold Ray and sons spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fairbrother and family in the Spilstead district.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mary Kyle returned home from Tofield Hospital on Tuesday where she was a patient for the past ten days. Her mother returned last Thursday.

Gordon Whillans is a patient in the Edmonton hospital where he underwent surgery on his eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Oliver and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clive Gudmason near New Sarepta.

Betsy-Ann Schultz of Edmonton spent the weekend at home with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hardy of Tofield were Sunday dinner guests of Harold and Lilly Schultz.

Albert and Myrtle Sutton were dinner guests of Harold and Isabel Sutton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell were Sunday dinner guests of the McLeod's at Lindbrook when other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brunner and Judy Mitchell of Edmonton.

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# The Ryley Times



## Glaucoma research aided by $5000 grant

The University of Alberta has received a grant of $5,000 from the E. A. Baker Foundation for the Prevention of Blindness for further research into the treatment of glaucoma. The money will finance work already being done by the Eye Department of the University to learn more about the eye disease that is the most common preventable cause of blindness among Canada's adult population.

The increase of blindness in Canada caused by glaucoma is the concern of this country's eye specialists and the Canadian National Institute for the Blind which is active in the prevention of blindness. Glaucoma causes higher pressure inside the eyeball and ends in blindness if not treated. It is responsible for ten per cent of the blindness in Canada, fifteen per cent in the older group. It is more common in people forty years and over.

Information gathered from thousands of tests taken over a period of time on glaucoma patients at University Hospital have revealed some interesting facts about the mechanism and control of pressure inside the eye. So far all tests have been on human beings; the $5,000 given by C.N.I.B. will provide an opportunity for analysis not suitable on humans through a research fellow in the Department of Pharmacology at the University of Alberta. It is hoped that his work in this field will provide information to alleviate glaucoma sufferers through the Glaucoma Diagnostic Clinic at University Hospital and the eye specialists of Alberta.

The grant is one of many made by the Canadian National Institute for the Blind to honour Col. E. A. Baker, one of the founders of C.N.I.B. and a world figure in the rehabilitation of the Blind and the Prevention of Blindness. Since its inauguration in 1962, the E. A. Baker Foundation has awarded grants totalling $60,000.

## Modern etiquette

(by Roberta Lee)

Q. What does "bowing" mean for a woman?

A. Not the deep, formal bow of yesteryear. It is a pleasant nod and smile, accompanied by a slight bend forward from the waist. Bowing is a friendly gesture, not a stiff one. You would use it in greeting friends across a room, and some naturally graceful women combine it pleasantly with shaking hands.

Q. My wedding is to be a very small, informal one, and someone has told me that under these circumstances it would not be proper for me to wear a white bridal veil. Is this true?

A. Not at all, so long of course as this is your first marriage.

Q. Since I have just broken my engagement, what do I do about the wedding gifts I have already received? Should I return them and explain the reasons for breaking my engagement?

A. You should return the gifts, but it is not necessary to make any explanations. Simply that your engagement has been ended by mutual consent.

### Crab or sucker

One report indicates that some biologists insist that fish and man are "brothers under the skin". They claim that man in his physical formatoins passes through recapitulation — that he is at one stage actually a fish. Women, of course, knew this from the beginning. They can even name the species!


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## Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Elna Parsons who has been a patient in the University hospital for the past three weeks was discharged from the hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann returned home from Tofield hospital Wednesday of last week being a patient for ten days after surgery.

Paul Padlecki of the Holden Hotel staff returned to his duties last week after taking a month's holiday which he spent in Edmonton. Peter Zadoromy is now taking a month's holiday and is spending it around home and in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Malowany and family of Edmonton were visitors with the former's mother, Mrs. Kate Malowany the weekend of January 30th, while visiting with relations of Mrs. Malowany's in the Bruce district.

**Mrs. R. Westmancont, Sr., of Ryley was taken to Tofield hospital a week ago last Thursday and is very ill. Her daughter came by plane from the United States on being informed of her mother's condition.**

Hans Huseby returned home from Edmonton the early part of last week where he had visited with his daughter and on business. Mr. Huseby was also a business visitor in Viking last Friday.


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### CARDS OF THANKS

We herewith wish to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks to all our friends and neighbors who have shared our sorrow in th recent passing of our baby, Clarence Philip. A special word of thanks to Dr. Freebury and the staff of the Tofield Hospital.
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**Notice To Creditors and Claimants**

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TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above-named must file with the undersigned by the 14th day of March, A.D. 1966, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them.

SIGURD LEFSRUD,
Solicitor for the Executor,
Viking, Alberta.
24c

## Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
**W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister**
**Sunday, Feb. 13th**
10 00 a m —Teen Church
11 00 a m —Sunday School
11 00 a m —Public Worship
Topic "What's In It For Me?"
"Some people remind one of blisters—they show up after the job is finished".

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O Come Let Us Worship.

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**Winter Schedule**
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First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ...... 11:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ...... 9:30 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ...... 9:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ...... 11:00 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:30 p.m.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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**Pastor Stanley Rude**
**Sunday, Feb. 13th**
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Pastor Don McLean**
**Sunday, Feb. 13th**
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service of Music and Message.
Tuesday, 2 30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.
Thursday, 7:30 p.m. — Young People's Program.

## Palmer-Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Feb. 4 — The Leroy Forres, residing in Camrose, have purchased the former George Bruce farm, from Johnny J. Bruce, in the Meldahl district, East of Camrose, where they will reside after April 1st.

Aaron Beattie, age seven, had an appendectomy Tuesday at the Tofield Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Larson and Glen were Thursday visitors in Holden with the Olaf Smerlies.

### Quick Canadian Quiz

1. What is the distance from the 49th parallel of latitude, the Canada-U.S. bounary across the prairies, to the Arctic Ocean?
2. In what year did women gain the right to vote in federal elections?
3. Over the past century the number of hours in the average work-week in Canadian industry has decreased at what rate?
4. What proportion of post-war immigrants to Canada have been women and children?
5. In 1939 the net national public debt was just over $3 billion. What is the current total?

ANSWERS: 5. At March 31, 1965, $15.5 billion. 3. By three hours every 10 years. 1. 1,600 miles. 4. About 60 per cent. 2. In 1917

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## Calvin UCW Elects officers

The annual meeting of the Calvin United Church Women of Ryley was held January 27th in the church parlor, with a good attendance. Five new members joined the organization. Reports indicated the U C W. had a very successful year in 1965.

Officers for this year are: Mrs. F Manderson, president. Mrs. T. Graftaas, 1st vice-president; Mrs. R Cross, 2nd vice-president, Mrs. J. L. Hay, secretary - treasurer; Mrs. M S Johnson and Mrs. T Harris, visiting committee.

## Ministik news

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Mr. and Mrs. Verden Sears, Miss Theresa Rogier and Jim Roddick enjoyed a game of Monopoly at the home of Miss Evelyn Cook, Saturday evening. Midnight lunch was enjoyed, with Mrs. Jim Roddick, Margaret and Edna being additional guests

Alex McSporran Jr of Edmonton spent Saturday and Sunday with his father, Alex McSporran, also visiting his mother in Tofield Hospital. Mrs. Charlie Horricks who had been staying with her father spent the weekend at her home at Namao, returning on Monday afternoon to be with Mr. McSporran for a while.

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## Plan district music festival in Edmonton

The Edmonton and District Music Festival, Canada's first, will be held Monday, April 25th, to Saturday, April 30th, next.

The Syllabus lists more than 700 competitions covering voice, choral music, instrumental music and dramatics. The Festival will have in excess of 2,000 entries numbering in all over 12,000 competitors. Sponsors are the Downtown Kiwanis Club of Edmonton.

In addition to many trophies, over $3,000 will be awarded in scholarships and prizes. For the Grand Award winner there is a scholarship of $150 with the Howard Stutchbury cup. The Lesaunier Challenge Scholarship offers $300 for open class piano. Last year's Festival winner, Tamara Fahlman, is presently studying in New York, while Aline Blaine, the runner-up, is studying in England.

Closing date for entries is February 15. Syllabus and entry forms can be obtained from Mrs. H. L. Molstad, 8304 117 Street, Edmonton, phone 433-7989 or 422-7166.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harboway of Edmonton were weekend guests at the Martin Lawson home.

**40th ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown were pleasantly surprised on Saturday evening at their home when their many relatives arrived to help them celebrate the occasion

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Parent and son of Mannville were weekend guests of Albert and Myrtle Sutton and family.

Chester and Harold Coombes motored to Edmonton to be Sunday dinner guests of Gladys and Ewalt Gaberts and family

Grace and Jareld Whillans of New Sarepta called on Dorothy and Roy Whillans Thursday noon

## Shower honors

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-FARLING, Jan. 28 - Noreen Campbell was honored at a miscellaneous bridal shower in her home district at the Shaw Community Centre, South of Ryley on Friday night. In charge of the shower were Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Mrs. Astrid Sorenson, Mrs. Art Hodges and Mrs. Lewis Stefura.

Exciting games and amusing contests were enjoyed, and master of ceremonies, Eddie Chappell chaired a fine program in suitable readings and songs.

Noreen and her fiance, Larry Johnson were seated at a decorated table above which were suspended white wedding bells and streamers, with white candles on either end of the table. Eddie Chappell made the presentation speech. Little Sheia and Douglas Stefura dressed as bride and groom brought in the gifts — in "Larry's Garage" placed on top of the wagon. Diane Campbell and Valerie Johnson assisted in unwrapping the many lovely gifts, and Larry and Noreen expressed their gracious thanks.

## Noreen Campbell

Noreen Campbell, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Campbell of Ryley and Larry Johnson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson of Holden were united in marriage at Messiah Lutheran Church Camrose on Saturday. A reception followed for 200 guests at the United Church parlors, Camrose

## Modern etiquete

Q. If I am being introduced to Mr. Perry for the second time, is it proper for me to say, "I know Mr. Perry?"

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# Wm. H. Steffen laid to rest

William Herbert Steffen passed away Wednesday the 26th day of January at the age of 50 years.

He was born at Bawlf on Dec. 1st, 1915, the only child of the late Ben Steffen and Mrs. Alma Steffen. He moved to the Ryley district in 1922 and has lived on the farm all his life. He was educated at Shaw and Ryley schools

In 1937 he married Gladys Rindahl of Kingman, and this union was blessed with two daughters, Ionne, and Wanda.

He was predeceased by his father in 1960.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his loving wife, Gladys, his daughter Ionne of Edmonton and Wanda at home; his mother, Mrs. Alma Steffen of Ryley and a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held from the Ryley United Church on January 31st with Pastor Ruxton officiating. Lloyd Wickstrom rendered a solo. Interment followed at the Ryley cemetery. Pallbearers were: Art Anderson, Ernest Brown, Stan Johnston, Bill Mainland, John Fish and Garnet Burnsted. Andrew and McLaughlin were in charge of arrangements

**FLORAL TRIBUTES**

Loving wife, mother and children; Grandma Rindahl, John, Doreen, Russ and Joan; Billie Miller, Willard Chappell, Mike; Steve, Olga and Vic Seabar; Lois and Elaine; John and Rosella; Helen and Frank Kushnir, May, Ray and Shirley Kent; Mrs. Syverud, Bernice, Jack and Inga; Rose, Ben and sons; Harvey, Mae and family; Bill and Rose Karylchuk; Gus, Sophie, Orlin, Arlene, Shelley, Sherry and Shane, . . and Mrs Harold Anderson Mr and Mrs. Ernest Anderson, Kenny and Dianne Anderson, Junior High School Student's Union, Helen and John Zaseybida, Stapley Audrey and boys, Tom Hunka and Joyce Stesurca, Tom Kerloe, Peter Rindahl and family; R.A.H X-Ray staff; The Kordich family, Art and Clara Gary and Rose, Dodds Coal Mine, Guy and Aileen Fontaine, Ed, Mary Lynda and Bonny Rodyk, Carol Leo and Harold, The Royal Alex X-Ray class

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**To the Family**

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**Heart Fund Memorial**

Mrs Margaret Caney; Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Campbell and boys, Steve and Barbara Kozak, Mr. Walter; Mrs. Wiedman; Ryley Grade Seven class; Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell, Jr., Garnet, Ann, Judy and Brian, Irene, Melvin and family; Clare and Oliver Lehman; Clare and Thelma Paulson; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Campbell; Dodds Coal Mine; Harold, Clara, Annette and Yvonne Vergette; Barbara, Alfred Harbac and family. Anonymous

**Crippled Children**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nahirniak; Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Forre; Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Forre.

Mr. D. Law; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lysle; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nordwaski; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Teski; Mr. and Mrs. Mal Lehman; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stumbo; Mr. and Mrs. Kalodychuk; Mr. and Mrs. E. Lundin; Mr. and Mrs. Arden Weibeman, Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. E. Schmidt and family, Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. P. Snortheim, Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Helgelund; Mr. and Mrs. Helmar and Kjehror Hjelter; Mr. and Mrs. R. Dyer.

**To Ryley Cemetery**

Sogvert Helgeland and Sylvia; Mr. and Mrs. F. G Loades; Mr. and Mrs. Bergie Helgeland and Family; Mr. and Mrs Bud Hammer; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Dueck; Mr. and Mrs Dick Whitson; Mrs. Selmer Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Laid Lyslo; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ness; Mr. Jake Dueck; Mr. and Mrs. J. Fish; Mr. and Mrs. F. Johnson, Fort Saskatchewan; Mrs. Amy Pope; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Patruk, Hinton, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fish, 7104 - 96 St., Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Anton Knudslien; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mainland; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nordby; Mrs. Bea Goodall; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wiens; Mr. and Mrs O. G. Bruce, Edmonton, Alberta Pacific Grain Co., Mr. and Mrs Selmer Helgeland, Mr and Mrs Ted Gjerde, Camrose, Mr. and Mrs J. O Davick, Mr and Mrs. C. Penner; Mr and Mrs. A. Wayne.

**Ryley Cemetery Fund**

Martha Lillo; Mr. and Mrs. Ole Snortheim; Mrs. Gladys Annebo; Mr. and Mrs. S. Booth; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brown and Patricia; Mr. and Mrs. George Knudslien; Mrs. Harriet Ruddy; Mr. and Mrs. Alvo Jensen; Oliver, Pearl and Reg; Alma Wiklun; Allan and Helen; Eilleen and Marvin; Doraine and Leonard; Bill and Emma Gilbertson; Boltolf, Dorothea and family; Bill, Bertha, Gary and Dale; George and Lena Sandstrom; Robert, Elva and family; Reinold, Jean and family; Cliff and Frieda Foran; Stan and Ida Hunka, Earl and Marilyn; Lefty and Elsie Clark; Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Campbell; Mr. and Mrs. Orval Hjelter; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wiklun, Mr. and Mrs Melford Wiklun; Mr and Mrs Edward Paradis, Mr. and Mrs Alvin Wiklun, Mr. and Mrs Fred Selthun, Mavis Fjaustad; Mr and Mrs. Don Campbell, Sr; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sorensen and Ivan; Lawrence and Inga Pearse; Pete and Ruby Hunka, Mr and Mrs. Jim Touli; Clarence, Martha and Robert Johnson

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Mrs Tillie Winder

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The kindness and sympathy of neighbors and friends in our recent sorrow will always remain with us a precious memory. Our sincere thanks and gratitude for all those comforting acts.

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# Francis S. Garford passes January 21st

Francis Sydney Garford passed away on January 21st in Tofield Hospital, at the age of 80 years.

He leaves to mourn his loss: his loving wive, Clarice Annie, four sons, Gordon of Tofield, Kenneth of Jasper and Andrew and Lloyd, both of Edmonton, three daughters, Vera (Mrs. Wilbur White) of Sundre, Effie (Mrs. G Watalla) of Sylvan Lake and Myra (Mrs. J Tomich) of Redwater. He was predeceased by Ena (26 years) in 1943 and Frank (37) in 1960 There are 37 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in Holy Trinity Church, Tofield, with Rev W Hammett officiating, and interment followed in Tofield cemetery Andrews - McLaughlin were the funeral directors. Pallbearers were Messrs J Whyte, A Swift, B McAdoo, N. Glover, E. Hicks and J Thomson.

**Floral Tributes**

The Family, Congregation of Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Mr and Mrs. Percy Simpson, Margaret, Doug, Vivian and Family, Edmonton Woodland Dairy, Mr and Mrs. Nick Tomach, Edson, Mr. and Mrs. W Tomich, Huxton Mr. A. E. Maguire and Family, Dan and Molly Conn; Mr. and Mrs G. W. West; Mr. and Mrs. L. W West; Ole and Mary Langhaus.

**Memorials**

To Anglican Church — Norman and Pat Glover; Mrs. Mary Moore; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Glover; Conrad and Hazel Patterson; Mr and Mrs. J E Hardy Mrs. Annie McGinitie; Mr. and Mrs. J W. Robinson; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stinson; Margaret Jensen and Family; Mr. and Helge Reger; Mr and Mrs. Verlyn Moon and Bob; Mr and Mrs. Frank Shupe; Horace Seller, Mrs. Mary E Richardson; Rita Halverson, Edna Davison.

To Lions Club—Mr and Mrs Charles F Kallal, Harvey and Shirley Simpson and Girls, Leslie and Ethel Ball, Gordon and Peggy Simpson and Family, Vernon and Marlene Simpson and Boys; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gill, Jim and Florence Ingram and Family; Vernon, Joan and Family, Joan and Alan Warner, Mrs. J B Warner, Mr. and Mrs Paul Kallal; Warren and Lena Anderson; Mrs. Lottie Moon and Mate, Emily Carlisle.

To T o f i e l d Hospital — Mrs Charles J Kallal; Jas. and Walls Fisher (Ambulance Fund).

To Heart Fund—Mr and Mrs. Silas Pearson.

To Historical Society — Edna Bowick and Mrs. Shaw

**Card of Thanks**

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all our friends and neighbors for so many acts of kindness to us in the death of our beloved husband and father Also, for the many beautiful flowers, donations, cards and letters, and to the pallbearers who turned out on such a terribly stormy day A special "thank you" to Mr and Mrs. E Hicks, Mr J E Stinson, Mr and Mrs. E Stang, Rev W Hammett and to Mr W Backshat for his many acts of kindness to me

—Most sincerely, Mrs. Clarice A. Garford and Family. 24L-2650

# Modern etiquete

Q: How many salt and pepper shakers are proper for the dinner table?

A. The most convenient placement is a pair at every other plate

Q When a girl is introducing a young man to her [redacted] should she say, "This is my mother, Mrs. Kenton"?

A No The man should be presented to her mother by saying, "Mother, this is Bob Harris" And since the young man should certainly already know her mother's name, it isn't necessary to mention it

Q Will you please suggest a note I might friend a friend who was kind enough to write to me during a recent bereavement?

A "Dear Jane Your sweet letter gave me great comfort Thank you so much for your thoughtfulness I shall call you as soon as I feel able. Lovingly, Susan."

Q Does it really make any difference whether a person sits down from the right or the left side of his chair at the dinner table?

A. No; whichever side offers the quickest and easiest access.

Q Should a woman call on a new neighbor in the same apartment building?

A. An offer of friendship is never out of place. In fact, the fine old custom of calling on new neighbors has lapsed sadly in recent years, and I'm wholeheartedly with any person who tries to revive it.

Q Do you think a social letter written with lead pencil is in good taste?

A Much better to avoid this. But if you simply MUST, it is usually nice to apologize for the pencil

# Thank You!

A letter received by Mrs. J. Francis from the District Secretary, Rev E. M. B. Wheelock of the Canadian Bible Society, reads as follows

Dear Friends

We wish to convey our thanks very sincerely to the collectors and to all interested friends who donated to the Canadian Bible Society This very generous gift of $235.12 from the Tofield district is most deeply appreciated and truly encouraging

Wishing you richest blessing in the New Year and with all best regards and good wishes

Very sincerely yours,
E M B Wheelock,
District Secretary

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Some people are like an apple —sweet on the outside, but bitter at the core —J W R


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# Goubault - Erickson rites solemnized

The Drayton Valley United Church was the scene of a double-ring ceremony on December 4th, uniting in marriage Gloria Ann, youngest daughter of Mr. S Erickson of Whitehorse and Mrs Jewel Erickson of Edmonton, and John Emile (Jack) Goubault, only son of Mr and Mrs. Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley Rev. James Strachan performed the ceremony Mrs. H. Pickup was the organist, and during the signing of the register, Mrs. Wayne Green sang "The Wedding Prayer"

Given in marriage by her brother, Jim Erickson, the bride was radiant in a floor-length gown of white peau de soie trimmed with lace inserts from neckline to hem, and styled with a scooped neckline and lily - point sleeves. Her matching floor-length train was trimmed in lace. Her shoulder-length veil was held in place by a crown headpiece Her only jewellery consisted of a pearl necklace, a gift from the groom, and she carried a bouquet of cascading Red Delight roses with stephanotis and rosebud streamers.

The bride's attendants were Mrs. Judy Meyer, cousin of the bride, as matron of honor, Miss Carol Townsend and Miss Dee Dee Hennessey as bridesmaids and Miss Judy Goubault, sister of the groom as junior bridesmaid They wore identical floor-length gowns of romance blue organza over taffeta with matching headpieces, and carried bouquets of cascading Elegance carnations with a touch of delphinium blue The flower girl was little Tammy Mowatt of Calgary, niece of the bride, who wore a floor-length dress of white peau de soie with a romance blue sash. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and stephanotis. The ring-bearer was B r e n t Erickson, nephew of the bride

The groom's attendants were his friends Don Olberg and Jack Bannard of Drayton Valley, Les Erickson, brother of the bride, of Drayton Valley, and Bob Tiedemann, cousin of the groom, of Tofield Ushers were Jim Kennedy and Robert Krause, both of Drayton Valley. The church was decorated with twin candelabras with matching arrangements of pink and white chrysanthemums.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Erickson chose a two-piece blue velvet dress with matching accessories, and wore a corsage of white roses. Mrs. Goubault, mother of the groom, chose a smart tangerine Italian knit suit with black accessories, and her corsage was also of white roses

Following the wedding a reception and dance for 200 guests was held in the Scout Hall and was catered to by the Drayton Valley Ukrainian C a t h o l i c Women's League. The bride's table was centred with a beautifully decorated three-tiered wedding cake, surrounded with candles and arrangements of pink and white chrysanthemums The beautiful crocheted table cloths were made by the groom's grandmother Mrs. John Wood, of Tofield Grace was said by Vic Halwa, uncle of the groom. Bill Mowatt of Calgary was master of ceremonies, and Harry Erickson of Sangudo proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom ably responded Merv Ward proposed the toast to the groom During the reception telegrams were read from the groom's great aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs R H Bradley, of Nelson B C and Mr. and Mrs H Blight of Vancouver. Miss Rose Hansen was in charge of the guest book

For a honeymoon trip to Great Falls, Montana, the bride chose a two-piece pink boucle suit with black accessories Her corsage was a white orchid tipped in pink

Out of town guests were from Edmonton, Calgary, Okotoks, Tofield, Rimbey, Barrhead, Stettler, Viking, Sangudo and Whitecourt

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Sharon Obertas, Setty Lindsay, Robert Wall and Herb Dawson of Calgary, Bonnie Bowick, Marion Hardy and Nola Williams of Edmonton spent the weekend at their parental homes

Sunday visitors with Zip and Tod Gray were Elsie and Alan Fair of Lacombe, Dede and Robert Gaubault of Drayton Valley and Peg and Bob Nahrebeski and family.

**TO ONTARIO**

Mrs. Mary Moore left by plane on Thursday for Ontario where she will visit with her daughters and families, Fl. J.E. and Mrs Pederson (Audrey) and family at Ottawa and Mr. and Mrs Ivan May (Hazel) and family at Belville.

Emily Carlisle of Edmonton spent the weekend visiting in town

## Lakeshore -

Mrs. Owen Eaton left for Edson last Saturday morning to stay with the family of her son, Walter Eaton as Mrs. Eaton is ill and in Edson hospital

The Lakeshore UCW will hold its February meeting at Mrs Mel Wood's home on Wednesday Feb. 16, when quilt blocks and nylons are to be handed in to the supply committee Members are also reminded that there is a need for good used clothing and wool materials for quilts for the Bissel Institute


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# News from Ministik and district

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Services were held at the United Church with a good attendance Due to the cold weather there had been no services for a few Sundays in January.

**GOOD SKATING**

A good time was enjoyed by all, when skaters from six to [illegible] years gathered at the rink at Ministik School on Sunday afternoon After skating, hot dogs and coffee and hot chocolate served by the girls of the community club, were enjoyed Everyone hopes there will be more of these most enjoyable afternoons of skating in the future.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Mrs Annie Oliver and Mrs. Alex McSporran are patients in the Tofield Hospital.

**NATURE LESSON**

Take a child to a forest, to a marsh or the open prarie Show the child a tree, a bush, a stand of cattail, a prarie flower Point out a deer, a bear, a moose, or a duck, a goose or shore bird; perhaps even the supremely beautiful plains antelope. Show the child these symbols of a master plan, then finding God will be easy.

Mr and Mrs. Tom Collingwood and family of Edmonton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson were hosts at a turkey dinner on Sunday in honor of their Ronald's birthday. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Lochtee and family. Richard Heitman and Archie Ferguson.

Gordon Kilfoyle left on Saturday for Chilliwack, B.C., where he will spend February with his sister and brother.

George Sears of Edmonton spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Verdun Sears.

Sunday guests at the Alex Penrice home included Mr. and Mrs. Norman Penrice of Ardrossan, Grant Penrice of Drayton Valley and Miss Gloria Smith of Fort Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy was an Edmonton shopper on Thursday.

Several people from the district attended the grocery bingo held at Hastings Lake Hall, on Friday evening, many being winners of groceries.

Mrs. Gladys Roddick and Mrs. Doreen McLaugin and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick and family.

A Valentine dance, sponsored by the Ministik Community Club will be held on Friday, February 11th.

Margaret and Edna Roddick were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick, also attending the skating party Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. S. George spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill George and family in Edmonton.

Farmers who have bad land cleared recently include, Michael Nasichuk, Alex Penrice and Dick Wilson.

# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

**29th ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Sutton and Brian motored to Edmonton on Saturday evening to attend the 28th wedding aniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Ab. Liefke. Mrs. Winnie Liefke is a sister of Mrs. Sutton.

Judy Mitchell of Edmonton is spending a few days at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ferguson (Ruth Henderson) a son, Willard Jason, on Feb. 3rd at the Tofield Municipal Hospital.**

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ray of Edmonton spent the weekend visiting with relatives in the district. They were Sunday dinner and overnight guests of Lelia and Milton Ray.

Mrs. M. Gould of Tofield was a Sunday afternoon visitor at the home of the Gordon Kyles to help her granddaughter Kathy celebrate her 11th birthday.


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# Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown mark 40th anniversary

Mr and Mrs. J H Brown were surprised on Saturday evening, Feb. 5th, when relatives gathered at their home on the occasion of their 40th wedding anniversary Among those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lancaster, long-time friends of the family

A lovely three-tiered cake embedded in tulle centred the table Gifts and cards were presented to the honored couple, and a telegram was received from Mrs. J T. Brown of Agassiz, B C, who was unable to be present

Lunch was served, after which Jim Hooper showed movies taken in Alberta and British Columbia Mr. and Mrs Brown both expressed their thanks to all for making their anniversary such a happy occasion


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## Pioneer group meets at Ruskenveld home

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —The Pioneer Group gathered for their regular meeting on February 3rd, at the home of Mrs. Maurice Ruskenveld, with [illegible] members and visitors present The devotions were taken by Mrs. Doris Story and the lesson read by Mrs. J A Giebelhaus.

Sewing was given out to members in preparation for the sale of work and tea which will be held in the spring.

A card was signed by all members, to be sent to Mrs.Elna Parsons, a patient in the University Hospital.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. N L Campbell, with Mrs. Giebelhaus taking the devotions.

## No word yet on final wheat payment

Rumors of the final wheat payment for last year's crop have been circulated throughout the district recently, stirring many hopes The Mercury has been unable to trace the rumor, however, or to gain any backing for it.

Usually, according to most agents, the final wheat payment does not appear until March. However, according to the rumor, this year's payment was expected to arrive around the middle of February.

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# Holden rink advances in Curlorama

The Holden winners of the M-F Curlorama scored another victory in farm curling honors as they won the "A" event at Irma last Monday, were defeated in the first game with the "B" winners, then triumphed in the final to advance to the northern Alberta finals.

Harry Shyba ,Norm Koetke, E Faryna and D. Hultholm will compete in Red Deer on March 2nd to decide a winner, who will then fly to Toronto for the Canadian Farm Championships on March 9, 10 and 11.

## Only 25 . . .

(Continued from Page One)

be master of ceremonies of the show. Jim Brown, sports and news broadcaster, and Dennis Radcliffe, farm commentator, together with one man from the Co-op Extension Service, will act as judges of the show

Those wishing to take part in the Talent Show are urged to get their entries in early as the first 25 only can be accepted especially those between the ages of 16 to 21, as the two top winners in this group will go to Edmonton in a Co-op district final show

The top five winners from this show will be awarded an educational trip through Alberta and Saskatchewan during the Easter holiday.

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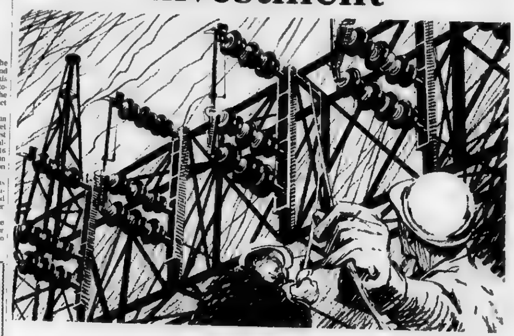

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs Francis Shand of Edmonton was a visitor with her mother, Mrs R Loney, Sunday of last week, taking her to Vegreville in the afternoon to visit with Mr Loney who is a patient in the Minburn Auxiliary hospital Mr Loney is not very well but is able to be up and walk around part of the time

William J Laskosky who visited in Edmonton, returned home Tuesday evening of last week.

Mr and Mrs Ernie Merta and children of Viking were visitors a week ago Sunday with Mrs. Merta's parents Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow

Geo H Taylor was a business caller in Viking last Thursday [illegible]

Norman Armstrong of Sedgewick father of Mrs Ernie Good was a patient in the University hospital Edmonton, for several days waiting to have surgery. He was released however, when he developed a severe cold, and is hoping to re-enter the hospital about the 13th of the month.

Mrs. Laura Christianson, Mrs. Mary James, Mrs N L Campbell and Ray Hovland were Friday dinner guests with Mrs. Mabel Siner.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Oscar Ruskenveld returned from Tofield hospital last Tuesday but is still not well enough to have visitors.

David Sorenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorenson was away from school all of last week and confined to bed and home with the 'flu.

Mr and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visitors Tuesday of last week with their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas, and were overnight guests returning home Wednesday afternoon.

Geo. H .Taylor visited his son Robert and family in the Viking district last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. J Lindberg entertained several friends and neighbors for tea Wednesday afternoon and Thursday

**UC BOARD MEETING**

The official board members of the Ryley, Holden and Bruce charge of the United Church met Friday evening in the United church, Holden for discussion of affairs of the charge for the coming year Rev. Hickman of Vegreville and Rev Barkwell of Viking also attended the meeting to address the members. At the conclusion of the meeting lunch was served in the church parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson entertained a number of friends and school staff at a steak supper, Wednesday evening of last week. 13 persons sat down to enjoy the meal. The evening was spent in visiting, a singsong and a few games

Mrs. Lars Olson's brother, Horace Jeglum, was released from Colonel Mewburn hospital Edmonton after being a patient there for the past 13 months, following surgery on his leg and then being fitted with an artificial limb. Mr. Jeglum came down by bus Saturday evening to spend a few days visiting with his sister and Mr Olson, before leaving later to stay for awhile with his daughter in B.C.

Mrs. Andrews is still a patient in Tofield hospital.

Mr and Mrs. Ernie Merta and children were Sunday dinner guests with Mrs. Merta's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow. Mrs. Campbell was also a dinner guest of the Barlows.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Slywka of Sherwood Park were Saturday visitors with the former's mother, Mrs. William Slywka.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Anderson and children of Calgary drove here Friday evening and were weekend visitors with Muriel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow. The Andersons were also Saturday visitors with Mrs. Anderson's sister and family, Mr .and Mrs. Ernie Merta of Viking. The three oldest Anderson children stayed overnight with the Mertas and returned to their grandparents home on [illegible]

Mr and Mrs. Hans Brekstad were visitors at Tofield hospital last Friday afternoon visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Andrews who is a patient there.

## Junior High splits games with Ryley

Last Wednesday the Tofield Junior High basketball teams split a pair of games with Ryley Tofield girls won 17-14, while the boys lost 22-33.

The Tofield girls are tied for second place in the league, the boys are in last place.

The County Jr. Hi Basketball Tournament is being arranged for February 26th, when teams from each town in the County of Beaver will participate

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## Dairy Club wins debate

On February 4th the Ryley 4-H Beef Club held a meeting with 31 members present. It was decided that the club dance be held on Feb. 11 at the Legion Hall in Ryley. Everyone is asked to support this project, and an enjoyable time is promised

The Beef Club challenged the local Dairy Club to a debate, which was held immediately following the meeting. The Dairy Club debaters were Ken Hillerud and Rosand Owens, and for the Beef Club, Garry Wiens and James Panier. Topic for the debate was, "The Beef Industry versus the Dairy Industry". Lyle Hodge acted as president during the debate. Judges were Mrs [illegible]y, Jack Davison and Bob Cross. Mr. Cross announced the Dairy Club as winners, and pointed out a few of the mistakes of the contestants and useful factors for further debating.

## Church officers elected for '66

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING — Following the Skudesnes LCW meeting, Pastor Olson chaired the annual Skudesnes Church meeting, that had previously been cancelled due to the cold weather.

Officers for 1966 are: President, Joe Knudson, treas. Evan Kvale, secretary, Eddie Knudson, deacons, Ingvald Bruce, Mrs. Alberta Bolding and Mrs. Karen Pederson, trustees, Ingvald Aspenes, Thomas Bruce and Lars Olson

**ZION CHURCH**

The Zion Church recently held their annual meeting at the Alvin Bratrud home.

Officers are: secretary, Mrs. George Mosby; treas. Mrs. Allan Helleksen deacons, Cornelius Lien, Alvin Bratrud and trustees, George Mosby, Lawrence Hovland and Clifford Bratrud

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They did the planning

This is the committee responsible for planning the mammoth Talent Show to be held Feb. 25th in Tofield. Although the three Co-ops have in years past had such shows free for their customers and friends, this year a change has been made. A small admission will be charged and proceeds will go to the Tofield Senior and Pee Wee 4-H Beef Clubs. Pictured above, are, seated left to right: Andy Helberg, 4-H Leader; Bill Friesen, UFA Director, and Ralph Cossey, Co-op Director. Standing are Grant Cossey, Marjorie Moore and Laurie Weatherill, all members of the Senior 4-H Club.

# Co-ops and 4-H Clubs join to plan super talent show

On Friday evening Feb. 25th, something new in the form of a Talent Night in Tofield will take place. In previous years, the three Tofield Co-opers, namely the Co-op Store under the management of J Baergen the Maple Leaf Service UFA Co-op operated by L. Hunter and Bill Friesen and the three Alberta Wheat Pool agents of the district C Nolan L. Fosbaug and C Weir have put on a free Talent Night for their many customers and friends. This year however, these three Co-ops are sponsoring the local 4-H Beef Club in a Talent Night. There will be a charge at the door this year, with all proceeds to go towards the furtherance of the work of the 4-H Clubs

The 4-H Club actually has two clubs, the Senior and the Pee Wee Beef Clubs. The Senior Club boasts a membership of 20 and is under the capable leadership of John Moore, who has given much of his time and energy over the past years in helping the young people realize what the 4-H motto of "Learn to Do by Doing" means.

The Pee Wee Club consists of members under 12 years of age and is the potential club of tomorrow. The Pee Wees this year have 15 members and is led by Donald Woods, who has achieved many honors while he was a member of the Senior Club. These two men are doing a wonderful job in working with the 4-H, and it is hoped that the general public will lend support to the 4-H movement in Tofield

A well-planned program has been outlined and a real evening's entertainment should be in store for everybody

Bob Monroe, well-known disc jockey from radio station CFCW has consented to emcee the show while Rich Simms and Dennis Ratcliff, also from CFCW, together with Cliff Michelberg of the Co-op Extension Branch will be the judges

The Talent Night should be of special interest [illegible] between the ages of 16 and [illegible] as two winners [illegible] group will be eligible to compete in an Edmonton district final [illegible] winners will be picked and awarded an all-expense educational trip through Alberta and Saskatchewan during the Easter holidays

As an added attraction for the show Mr & Mrs Sidhu, teachers at Tofield who recently arrived from India, will favor the audience with numbers in song in their native tongue and also perform several of their native Indian dances

The Tofield Band under the direction of Sgt. Coates will also render several numbers

The Co-ops are also going to continue a practise that they started several years ago to serve coffee and lunch to everyone at the end of the evening's entertainment

The 4-H Clubs, in meeting with the Co-ops, set up the following committees: Publicity – Laurie Weatherill, Colleen Wylie, Grant Cossey, Marjorie Moore and Mr. Andy Helberg; Hall – Laurie Watherill, Ken Dodds and Mr. F. Cline, Public Relations Officer for the Co-op; Stage Helpers Mrs B Wyllie, Mrs J Moore and Mrs E. Woods, Ticket Sales Mr John Moore and Mr Don Woods; Lunch Phyllis Rose, Marilyn Schacker, Nettie Appleby Mrs. Rose and Mrs Rudzki Ushers – Robert Holowatiuk Monte Malcolm, Allan Herchak, Lyle Helberg and Mr Bill Friesen; Registration — Grant Cossey, Johnny Baergen and Lyle Helberg

It may be pointed out that the committee are planning to close entries when the first 25 are received So far 16 entries have been received Anyone wishing to enter is urged to get his entry in as soon as possible.

The admission charge has been set at 75¢ for adults 50¢ for students over 12 and those under 12 will be admitted free.

## Council meets snag in proposed library unit

A meeting of Council of the Town of Tofield was held Monday, Feb. 7th, with Mayor Dr. W. H. Freebury and Councillors Allan, Everitt, Boese, Herndon, Patterson and Swift present.

**MUNICIPAL LIBRARY**

Approval from the Centennial Board for the proposed building of a library was received But because of the waiver from the County being $500 less than previously quoted the committee asked that the bylaw be amended Dr Freebury informed Council that a letter had been forwarded to the County requesting that they reconsider the position that the Town is placed in by cutting the grant by $500 A motion was made and carried that Mrs. Hazel Patterson be appointed a member of the Tofield Municipal Library for three [illegible]

Council was advised that school requisition payments are one month earlier, now falling due on May 1, August 1 and November 1 of each year

Auditor's statement for 1965 was received, showing a surplus of $11,216.94, due mainly to the large collection of arrears of taxes. The statement also showed the Town to be in a much better cash position than the previous [illegible].

A Hagen of Ryley requested Council's approval to install a laundramat in the "Poultry Building". It was decided that Mr. Hagen be given authority to install a [illegible].

Discussion took place regarding the hiring of an assistant maintenance man. It was resolved that the secretary-treasurer advertise for applicants for this job

The Police Report was read and filed. A copy of correspondence petitioning the Attorney General's Department for the establishment of a joint Family Court and Juvenile Court for the Tofield area was read.

Clr. Swift, chairman of the water and sewer committee, informed Council of the need for a pump and chlorine feeder for the water treatment plant. It was resolved that the committee be authorized to purchase a pump and chlorine feeder for the water treatment plant.

Correspondence from the Tofield Community League requesting financial assistance was read After much discussion Council agreed to favourably consider the request and to deal with it at the Budget meeting.

## Mrs. Hoflin hosts Ladies' Society meet

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

The regular monthly meeting of the Spilstead Ladies Society was held at the home of Mrs Geo. Hoflin on Feb. 2nd, with nine members present.

It was decided to send for material and wool to make into articles for the fall sale.

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held in March at the home of Mrs. Grace L'irondell of Edmonton.

## Ladies club plans future activities

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

MINISTIK — The Ministik Ladies Club held their February meeting at the Community Hall with 11 members present. Roll call was answered with a Valentine verse Roll call for March will be answered with "the name of an Irish song".

A cash bingo was planned for February 25th and a whist drive for March 11th Mrs. Joe Davenport and Mrs Baden Bowerman will convene the bingo and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and Mrs Claude Leach will be in charge of the whist drive.

The ladies also decided on an outing for themselves February 10th, first dining at the Highway Motor Hotel and then attending the show at the Varscona theatre, "The Sound of Music".

Mrs Baden Bowerman was in charge of the entertainment, with two Valentine contests, the first being won by Mrs. Albert Horricks and Mrs. Joe Davenport, and the second one by Mrs. Jim Roddick.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Keith Williams, Mrs. Joyce Bowerman and Mrs. Joe Davenport.

Thunderstorms occur most frequently in Canada on the southern prairies and in southern Ontario, an average of 20 to 30 days with thunderstorms each May-September period.

## Busy season coming for community

The Tofield Community Centre will be the scene of several major attractions during the late winter and early spring.

On February 25th, the Tofield 4-H group is presenting an Amateur Hour.

On March 10th, two one-act plays will be presented, one of which will be "Rise and Shine" by the Grade IX Drama class, coached by J. Norton.

On April 2nd, the Camrose Barbershop Quartet will delight a Tofield audience with a concert

Later in April, the Little Old Opera will be presented by the Rogers Brothers. This will be a two-hour program. Ben Munro will be MC, and also featured will be the Country Rhythm Sweethearts; and also in April Joyce Smith, Roy Adolph and Rusty Campbell's Band will appear.

Arrangements are being made for a Sportsman's Banquet later in the spring.

## Holden Legion elects Peter Jakobow pres.

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

The Holden Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion held a meeting Friday evening, Feb. 11th. Due to the stormy weather, the January meeting had been cancelled The officers for the ensuing year are President, Peter Jakobow, vice-president, Nick Haybida, secretary treasurer, Geo. H. Taylor. Mr. Taylor has held this office for 12 successive years

## THE WEATHER . . .

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## MacDuff Ottawa report

OTTAWA — The cease-fire is over for Defence Minister Paul Hellyer. He has come in for lavish praise in the press for the job he has done on integration. The opposition parties have sat back and done little to start sniping holes in the press campaign.

But now in the second session of the new parliament he has come under vigorous criticism. The attack was launched by Opposition Leader John Diefenbaker. It was picked up by Mr Diefenbaker's former Minister of Defence Douglas Harkness, and seconded by another former Minister of Defence Gordon Churchill. The New Democratic Party and Social Credit group have joined in the attack.

The word from the Tory sources is that Mr [illegible] is for increasing [illegible] in the session Mr Harkness and Mr Churchill have been hearing reports that make them more than a bit unhappy over the state of morale in the armed forces. They will start prodding and prying for additional information.

They want to know if the Canadian forces are in such a state of confusion that they would be able to carry out all of Canada's commitments. They are suspicious that the shortages of trained manpower are becoming so [illegible] it was only two years ago that critical that [illegible] back some of its [illegible]

It would be sweet revenge for the Conservatives if they could blast the Liberal administration for allowing such a state. They have not forgotten that one of the factors that led to the downfall of the Diefenbaker Government was the Tory policy on nuclear weapons.

The Liberals launched an all-out assault on the Tory administration in those days. They denounced its policy on the "[illegible] Bomarcs" and trumpeted from the opposition benches of Parliament that the Canadian forces could not carry out their commitments under NATO. The resignation of Mr Harkness from the defence post added strength to the Liberal assault.

Now the Conservatives are beginning to fire back with some of the ammunition they have been collecting about the state of the armed forces under the Liberal Government. Mr Hellyer was on his feet frequently during the first weeks of this new session.

One of the decisions he was called on to defend was the choice of the Northrop CF-5 Freedom Fighter for a NATO ground support role. Later he was explaining a shortage of technical personnel in the forces. And again he was called on to provide explanations for the great demand for trained pilots in the Royal Canadian Air Force when [illegible] were compulsorily retired because flying jobs could not be found.

The questions [illegible] the Canadian decision to acquire the CF-5 [illegible] stemmed largely from a Canadian Press report that the United States Air Force had decided against buying the aircraft. The Americans made their decision after tests of the plane in Viet Nam.

The Canadian [illegible] will spend $[illegible] to obtain 115 Canadian-built CF-5's for Canada. The first fighters are to come off the Canadair Limited assembly line at Montreal next year. The defence production department in Canada and the Canadian aircraft industry had hoped to get in on any follow-up orders for the F5-A from the United States and other countries. The U.S. decision is a blow to those hopes. When Mr Hellyer came under fire over the CF5 he [illegible] only to the defence of the aircraft. He said "my operators" informed him that below 20,000 feet it is the best aircraft in the world and will do the job for the Canadian [illegible] in the most standardized manner.

The Defence Minister explained that the U.S. defence authorities had not intended to buy the F-5 because the American requirements are not the same as Canada's. He contended that the Viet Nam trials showed the aircraft was an outstanding airplane with the lowest attrition rate, the most success in the number of sorties and the lowest operational cost. He contended [illegible] it was a [illegible] aircraft [illegible] and added that [illegible] members should replace [illegible].

But the opposition is not going to be put off quite so easily this session. Mr Harkness cited reports that refuelling flights for the CF-5's had been a failure. But Mr Hellyer denied such reports. The C.P. carried a report quoting the authoritative U.S. trade magazine Aviation Week. It said that the Freedom Fighter had to be refuelled 16 times in the air and make two ground stops during its 10,000-mile trip from Arizona to Saigon last October. [illegible] the combat trials had proved advantages and limitations, one of the latter being that the plane needs 4,000 feet of runway to take off with a [illegible] load. This is more runway than required by an Air Canada DC-8 passenger jet.

In the Commons questions were also raised about a shortage of pilots for the air force. The Defence Minister said his Department is worried about the stepped-up drive by U.S. airlines to recruit experienced RCAF pilots. Officials in the Defence Department report that the demand for commercial airline pilots in the U.S. and abroad is running to about 4,000 annually. One American airline alone is reported seeking 750 pilots this year.

With a shortage of pilots looming, some 110 flight lieutenant pilots in the RCAF due to retire in 1967 have been offered two-year extensions in flying jobs. The Air Force shortage is developing after the 300 aircrew were integrated out of the services. The defence officials explain that it was not foreseen at that time that the airline boom.

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## Sweet revenge

## Red tape?

The Post Office has the answer to the question when is a stamp not a stamp? For anyone outside the Post Office, the answer is when it's a precancel!

Many people know these stamps that bear two heavy black bars across the face when they're sold, but many don't know that even though they cost money like any other stamp they can't use them for first class mail, or parcel post or any other mail except advertising apparently.

We've no quarrel with the local postal worker who recently and very courteously charged an extra ten cents due on a letter mailed with six cents worth of precancelled stamps. This was only a matter of enforcing regulations as they're set out.

But what can possibly be wrong with the use of Canadian postage properly bought, properly paid for too. Or is it considered that literally thousands of us would take the time to steam them off and re-use them again?

## A-B-C

The Safety Council's A-B-C reads Always Be Careful.

And striking proof was furnished only this week of how important the principle is. The news columns note the story of a young woman who poured a toilet cleaning compound into a toilet bowl without knowing that another preparation had been put in it only a short while before and was still working.

The combination of the two produced a concentration of chlorine gas known as one of the most lethal and pain producing gases for warfare and only by great good fortune was tragedy averted.

The fine print in the instructions carried the information that this set of circumstances could develop, yet the unknown combination was one of those one-in-a-million chances.

Even in a home there are times when the unexpected could develop. Mother could be called away, or someone else, like daughter, could have somewhat the same idea of cleaning the toilet at the same time. No-one needs to be told how many amazing little quirks can develop around homes.

It's possible, of course, to leave some sort of label or sign around with the information that some substance has been used. But just think how much simpler, and how much safer to just flush the toilet before starting to work ... on fresh, clean water.

## By George!

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To be so strong that nothing can disturb your peace of mind.

To talk health, happiness and prosperity to every person you meet.

To make all your friends feel that there is something in them.

To look at the sunny side of everything and make your optimism come true.

To think only of the best, to work only for the best and expect only the best.

To be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your own.

To forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future.

To wear a cheerful countenance at all times and give every living creature you meet a smile.

To give so much time to the improvement of yourself that you have no time to criticize others.

To be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear and too happy to permit the presence of trouble.

—Christian D. Larson

One of the Better Business Bureaus sent out its complaint form to a customer to fill out, sign, and return. The customer wrote out his complaint, but in the place for his signature wrote: I been gypped so often I ain't signin' nothin' no more.

## Where is the law

(By C. J. Parris)

The transit strike that paralyzed New York City for 12 days is estimated to have cost more than $800 million. How many deaths and injuries may be attributed to the complete stoppage of the subways and buses remains unknown, but the event was a catastrophe and all the more so because it was a man [illegible].

It was one of the most extreme abuses on record of the right to strike. In fact, since New York state declares it illegal for public employees to strike in the first instance the transit union did not even have that right. But the union leaders simply defied the law and publicly tore up court orders.

In North America the illegal strike is no longer an oddity. Nor is the failure of authority to enforce the laws or take other action. In the case of the publicly owned New York transit system where the municipal government has assumed the responsibility to provide public transportation, supervisory personnel could have operated at least some key bus and subway lines with the help of the army reserve if necessary. Since it was a clearly illegal strike that action would not have been strike-breaking. Of course it could have meant trouble, but not nearly the trouble that was inflicted by the 12-day strike. However, political leaders carefully avoided any suggestion of such a challenge to the union.

This almost universal refusal of political leaders to provide leadership when labor disputes are involved has been the subject of a forceful statement by Richard J. Needham, columnist of the Toronto Globe and Mail. Politicians, he says, have the courage to insist that the full weight of the law descend on the

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## From the mail bag

Holden, Alta. [illegible]

Editor, The Mercury

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Thank you again.

Sincerely yours,

Knights of Columbus
Holden Sub Council
per Harry Christian

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# The Ryley Times



## Ryley news correspondent hospitalized

Due to the fact that Mrs. R. K. Westmancoat, news correspondent from Ryley, is a patient in Tofield Hospital, residents of the Ryley district who have news items for The Mercury are asked to mail these items direct to The Mercury, Box 1270, Camrose, or drop them in at The Mercury office in Tofield.

Mrs. Westmancoat was taken to hospital some time ago when she suffered a severe heart attack.

Friends in Ryley as well as The Mercury staff extend to Mrs. Westmancoat their wishes for a speedy recovery.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown. J.W.R.


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## Tofield JHS activities

(Joy Warkinton)

Tofield Junior High School girls were successful in the basketball games played on Wednesday, Feb. 9, against Viking, winning by a score of 24-6. The final score for the boys' game was 28-16, this being the Tofield boys first victory of the season. The games were very well played by both the Tofield and Viking teams. Preparations are being made for the basketball tournament to be held in Tofield on February 26.

**VALENTINE TEA**

On Monday, Feb. 14th, the Valentine Tea was held. The Big Three is grateful to the public for coming to support the tea, to the mothers who helped several girls make sandwiches, to Mrs Patterson and Mrs Friesen who were on the staff because of absentees, and also to Mrs. C. Sears and Mrs Lindsay for helping with the preparations.

The school auditorium was decorated by the Grade VIII students, and the color scheme was pink and white, with bluebirds used for accent. After an opening speech by Mr Lampitt, the Queen of Hearts, Linda Ozubko, was crowned by Louella Schacker, last year's Queen of Hearts. The Princesses, Gwen Sears, Donna Mosby, Lena Schroeder, Anne Wall and Judy Moore, were each given a gold crown and a box of chocolates. The Queen received a pendant, presented by Louella Schacker, as well as a box of chocolates, after which she ascended to her throne, made and decorated by Brian Schultz and Terry Moore, from which she made a speech, thanking her supporters. As her first royal duty she drew the lucky ticket, the holder of which was Raymond Lindsay, who thereby won a box of chocolates.

The annual tea was a financial and social success for the Big 3.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Ellen Eaton)

Sympathy of the community and district goes to Emil Goubault of Tofield and all members of his family and other relatives, on the death of his wife, their mother and grandmother, Mrs Emil Goubault in the Tofield Hospital on Tuesday morning, Feb 15th.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

A speedy recovery is wished for all patients in hospital, namely, Mrs. Ila Walker, who entered Tofield hospital on Friday Feb. 11th., Roy Wickenberg, who was admitted Feb. 9th, George Abernathy and T. D Ferguson who have been for a longer period.

**Congratulations go to Tom and Dorothy Campbell on the birth of a son one day last week in the Tofield Hospital.**

Mrs Ellen Eaton was an overnight guest at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg on Friday, Feb 4th before leaving for Edson. She returned home last Saturday after having spent a week at the home of her son Walter and Evelyn Eaton and family at Edson.

Mrs Alice Warner, Mrs Edith Rogers, and Mrs Mary Shupe, all of Tofield and Mrs Mary Wood of Lakeshore were dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Vi Geoglein, Wednesday of last week Mrs. Ethel Wood and Mrs. Gloria Wood were also afternoon visitors and coffee guests the same day.

Jacqueline Hunter of Tofield spentt he weekend at the home of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen as a guest of their daughter's Clarice and Donna.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg were her daughter Janet Wickenberg of Edmonton, and a Sunday afternoon caller, Jack Johnston who is also residing in Edmonton for the winter. Later in the afternoon they all visited Ruth's husband, and Janet's father, Roy Wickenberg in the Tofield Hospital.

### Ladies' Auxiliary elects officers

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

The Ladies Auxiliary held their monthly meeting Monday evening February 7th, in Holden. Due to the severely cold weather no meeting was held in January. Regular business was attended to and reports given, with the financial statement for 1965 read by the treasurer. Officers elected for the ensuing year are; president, Mrs Ethel Brekstad; past president, Mrs Anne Black, secretary, Mrs. Frieda Foran; treasurer, Mrs. Rene Taylor, 1st vice-president, Mrs. Stella Komarnisky; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Irvin Fredericks.

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## District farm woman for many years dies Tuesday

Mrs Pauline Louise Goubault passed away on Tuesday, Feb 15th at the age of 66 years in the Tofield Hospital. Besides her loving husband, Emil, she is survived by two daughters, four sons, Mrs Cliff Gossell (Adele) Edmonton, Robert of Drayton Valley, Mrs Emil Tiedeman (Martha), Leon, Victor, and Armand of Tofield, and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, Feb 18th at 2 p.m from the Tofield United Church, with Rev W H McDannold conducting services. Interment will be in Tofield Cemetery. Andrews McLaughlin Chapel Ltd., Edmonton funeral directors.

Donations may be made to the Cancer Fund.

Mrs Goubault was a resident of Alberta for 51 years. She and her husband and family resided where they farmed in the Lindbrook district before moving to Tofield five months ago.


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## Ketchumoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Patsy Sears and her friend Carol Ross of Olds spent the weekend with Patsy's parents, Mr and Mrs Stanley Sears and family.

Gary Sears and his friend, Phillip of Trochu left Sunday on an extended motor trip to California and Mexico.

Several farmers of this district and their wives have been spending much time at the curling rink either playing of just as spectators.

Agnes and Henry McGinitie were last Saturday dinner guests of their son Harvey and Pauline McGinitie of Viking.

On Sunday Mr and Mrs. Donnally McGinitie and family gathered with other relations at the home of Dick Blakely to help him celebrate his birthday.


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### FUTURE DATES

**VARIETY BINGO**

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### ENGAGEMENTS

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And gently speak his name.
Things have changed in many ways,
But one thing changes never,
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When we were all together.

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**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDannold, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Feb. 20th

10.00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "Twilight Christians"
"The person with a one-track mind has no way to side-track a prejudice".

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Feb. 20th

10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service of Music and Message
Tuesday, 3.30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting
Thursday, 7:30 p.m. — Young People's Program.

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**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Winter Schedule

TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month .......... 11:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month .......... 9:30 a.m.

RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month .......... 9.30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month .......... 11:00 a.m.

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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Feb. 20th

HOLDEN—
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11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.

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## Ministik news

(Mrs. Jim Reddick)

Church services continue to be held at the United Church since the weather has been more favorable.

**MRS. MORROW PASSES**

Sympathy is extended to the Ferguson families in the loss of their sister, Mrs. John Morrow, last Tuesday. Funeral services were held at Hainstock's Funeral Home on Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Jim Moore of Whitecourt pleasantly surprised Mrs Helen Hennesy on Wednesday afternoon, the occasion being her birthday. They were Wednesday overnight guests, leaving Thursday morning for their home.

The Community Club was host at a Valentine dance Friday evening, where all who attended spent a most enjoyable evening.

**The annual meeting of the Ministik Telephone Mutual Co. was held Wednesday evening at the Hall. Officers of the pre-[redacted] year [redacted] returned for another year.**

Miss Evelyn Cook was in Edmonton on Friday, visiting her optometrist while there.

Mrs. Ronald Swabey and Mrs. Les Whitford were Edmonton shoppers on Thursday.

Mrs Effie Nasechuk received the sad news Friday morning that an old school chum had passed away at Vegreville.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Francis and three daughters were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Helen Hennesy. They came with a lovely birthday cake for her birthday, which was February 9th.

**MOTHER IS ILL**

Mrs. T. A. Jones left Sunday afternoon by train for Wilkie, Sask., on hearing that her mother was seriously ill in hospital. Her little granddaughters, Bernice and Rosemary Stepanow, accompanied her.

Mr and Mrs Alphonse Loch took Mrs Maria Antoniuk to Bonnyville on Saturday, where she will stay with other relatives for a while.

**IS IT SPRING?**

Spring must be just around the corner, as Mrs. MacIntyre has four little baby canaries.

Mrs Annie Oliver returned to her home Saturday, after a stay in Tofield Hospital.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie

Mr and Mrs Darrel Sutton of Edgerton were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs Ethel Wood.

Mrs Ellen Eaton and Mervin Russ motored to Tofield on Sunday and were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Ellen's son, Leroy and Shirley Eaton and children, Margie and Ronnie. Margie returned home with her grandmother for a few days visit.

## Palmer - Earling

Mr. and Mrs. N. Feduik of Calgary spent the weekend here.

Visitors during the week at the Ed Knudsen home were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Pederson, Terry, Brian, Ricky, and Lori of Bawlf North, and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Reum, Philip, David and Alana.

Anton Peter, Kay and Ann Peter, Mr. and Mrs Frank Urlacher and Clifford, Jimmy Peler, and the Henry Reinhert family were Saturday eve guests at the Leo Urlacher home at Bawlf.

Mr and Mrs Bill Pearse, Edmonton were Sunday dinner guest with the Lawrence Pearses.

Mr and Mrs Lorne Murdock, Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gelbelhaus and children, Holden, were Sunday dinner guests at the H. Hauby home.

**Fourth event** The local Art Francis rink didn't make it to the top in last week's *Farmer's* Bonspiel. However, they d'd capture first in the fourth event and were caught by the photographer while collecting their prizes. Photo by Peter Nickel

# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**STILL IN CAST**

Mrs Jack Stambaugh took Andy Anderson to Viking Hospital Thursday to have his leg attended to. Andy has been wearing a cast for the last six months when his leg was broken in an accident in the garage He was hoping to get a walking cast but, unfortunately, a small bone is not healing and he had to have a cast to the hip, but he is getting around very well with the aid of crutches.

Mrs. Bert Appleby, daughters Anne of Tofield, who was visiting her parents during the week-end, and Colleen, visited with Harry Appleby a week ago Saturday at Vialta Lodge, Viking.

Nels Hvid attended the N.A.D.P. Convention in Edmonton last week. Mrs. Diane Komarnisky assisted at the creamery during his absence.

Mrs. Alice Jones of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with her mother Mrs. Carrie Olson

Mr. and Mrs. Scott of Dawson Creek, (nee Vera Clark) are visiting with her sister, Miss June Clark and brother Lloyd.

**WORLD PRAYER DAY**

The World Day of Prayer will be held Friday, February 25th. This year the service will be held in the Holden Lutheran Church, at 3:00 p.m. Women of all denominations and churches are welcome to attend and take part in this universal program.

The ladies of the Lutheran Church will serve lunch in the church parlors after the service

The Friendship Group will meet Thursday afternoon, February 17th at the home of Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus Visitors are welcome

Mr.a nd Mrs. Robert Taylor and children of Viking were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitrs with Robert's parents Mr and Mrs. G. H. Taylor

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell of Leduc were Saturday dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Marjorie's mother, Mrs. N L. Campbell

Mr. and Mrs. Don Manchur and small son Grant were visiting a week ago Monday with friends in Wetaskiwin and Ponoka Mrs. Manchur's mother Mrs. Vivian Gares accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were Saturday visitors with Mrs Serena Christenson in Tofield

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# Around the town

Mrs. W. McHeffey has returned from Vancouver where she spent a few days with her son Ray Warner and family. She also spent a week with Bill Warner and family, Kamloops, and a few days in Jasper with her daughter, Mrs. Joyce Worsfold.

Annie and Ivan Phillips from Edmonton and Mrs. B Kennedy and Mr and Mrs. Nick Obertas were Wednesday visitors with Mrs. Tillie Yurkowski.

Jack Whyte is attending a Crown Lumbers Manager's Conference in Calgary this week.

Rev. Sidney Bell of Lethbridge visited friends in Tofield last Wednesday afternoon and evening.

**TO COAST**

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Jacobs left on Saturday Feb. 5th by train for a two week holiday at Victoria, B.C. where they will visit with their grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jacobs.

Mrs. Harvey Young from Camrose visited on Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Campbell.

**IT'S A GIRL**

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim McKay (nee Marlene Ozubko a daughter, Feb 15th in an Edmonton Hospital

Mrs. Joe Yurkowski received a long distance call from her son in Red Earth where he is employed

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# Spilstead news

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

Leonard and Dorothy Ferguson and family were visitors with Mr and Mrs. A. E. Hoflin recently.

Daryl Bertsch and three friends from Vermilion School of Agriculture spent Saturday night at the T W. Fairbrother home.

E. Roycroft, Mrs. T. Bertsch and David Bertsch of Edmonton came to wish Mrs. T W Fairbrother a happy birthday on Sunday

Later in the day the T W Fairbrother family visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Erickson and family

**IT'S A BOY**

Congratulations from this district go out to Mr and Mrs. Willard Ferguson on the birth of a son recently

Sunday visitors at the Ernest Fairbrother home were Mr and Mrs Peter Balasock and family and J rk and Elaine de Frenne all of Edmonton

Mr and Mrs Allen Barnhard and Edward and Isabelle Gladue spent Sunday evening at the T W Fairbrother home

Mr and Mrs. C. A. Barnhard spent a few days in Edmonton with their son and daughter-in-law, Delbert, Joyce and family

A number of residents of this district atetnded the wedding dance of Barbara Williams Saturday night

# 22 rinks enter ladies' 'spiel

The Tofield Ladies Curling Club held their annual Bonspiel on February 12 and 13 with 22 rinks taking part. A Smorgasbord was held on Saturday night in the meeting room

Results of the 'spiel are as follows

Grand Challenge — M. Morris, Edmonton, E. Carlisle, Edmonton, G McKay, Tofield; E. Roddick, Viking.

Second Event — J. Swift, Tofield, E Davison, Tofield, M Beattie, Edmonton; M. Worton Tofield

Third Event — G Gemmell, Edmonton; S Komarnisky, Holden; Z Hallett, Tofield; C. Tomlinson Ardrossan.

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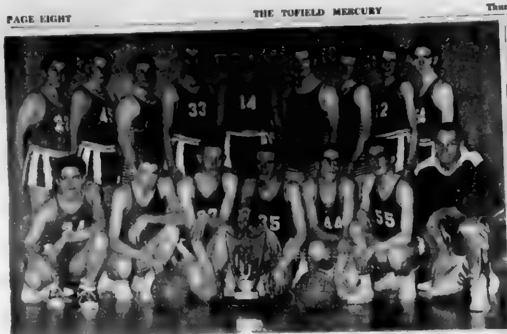

**County champions**

Standing, left to right are B. Bowick, R. Foshaug, D. Korbie, D. Reil, D. Stauffer, G. Burkholder, D. Hart, J. Hart and A. Everitt, and kneeling, left to right are A. Posticker, G. Whyte, B. Foshaug, A. Scott, H. Schroeder, J. Wall and coach Eastlick. This is the County of Beaver champion high school basketball team. Tofield High School will host the County of Beaver basketball teams this Saturday. The afternoon session will start at 2:30, and the finals will commence at 7:00 that evening. The Tofield boys completed their schedule with an unblemished record and will receive the Diorah Trophy for their efforts. During league play the team averaged 67 points per game while giving up an average of only 41 points per game. On Feb. 26th the boys will compete in the Class B zone playdown at Camrose. Photo by Peter Nickel.

## Palmer-Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Feb. 11 — Mr and Mrs George Mosby entertained Friday night for supper in honor of Linda's 13th birthday, when guests were the Alvin and Lyle Bratruds, Allan Helleksons, Adrien Berquists of Bawlf, Keith Bratrud and Diane Campbell. In the evening the Lawrence Hovland and Harry Johnson families were also present.

Nick Kushnerick is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose, having undergone surgery on his knee.

**"HOUSE WARMING"**

A large crowd gathered at the new home of Mr. and Mrs Don Campbell, Ryley South, for a "house warming" Saturday night. On behalf of relatives and friends of Eddie Chappelle made the presentation of an electric clock and a purse of money for which Don and Gwen expressed their appreciation.

Larry Johnson left for Edmonton Monday where he will take a course in mechanics for six weeks.

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## Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong were visitors Sunday of last week with their daughter Joan and family, Mr. and Mrs Irving Bablitz.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Jack Stambaugh received word early Wednesday morning that her father, Fred Nordwoski of Ryley was quite ill and drove there to pick him up and take him to Viking hospital. Mr Nordwoski had had a very severe cold which developed into bronchitis. He is now making satisfactory recovery.

Henry Oberg returned home from Edmonton last weekend after spending the week there having treatments on his shoulder. He stayed with his son Carl and family while in the city. He was hoping to be able to drive his school bus this week.

Mrs. Jack Stambaugh, her sister and mother, Mrs. Nordwoski were Friday afternoon visitors at Viking hospital with Mr Nordwoski.

Mrs. Joe Alexander, who was visiting her husband for a few week, returned to Edmonton Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs Nick Fediuk and sons Ronald and Donald of Calgary, former south Holden residents, were visiting with a few friends in Holden and district Saturday, February 5th enroute to spend the weekend with Mrs. Fediuk's sister and family at Andrew.

Steve Kondrat of Edmonton was visiting around Holden Tuesday of last week, also on business. His father Joe Kondrat was along and visited with his father, Albert Kondrat and other relations.

Mrs Oscar Ruskenveld entertained several old friends and neighbors Tuesday afternoon February 7th, to help her celebrate her 82nd birthday. Mrs Ruskenveld has been home from hospital for two weeks after being a patient for three weeks. It was nice to know that Mrs Ruskenveld was feeling well enough to have visitors. Mrs Maurice Ruskenveld served a delicious lunch to the guests and helped entertain.

Mrs. Hilmer Olsen was in Camrose Friday afternoon, having dental work attended to.

E. Nord and Ida were supper guests with his daughter Doris and her husband, Mr. and Mrs Joe Ogrodnick, Tuesday evening of last week.

Mrs. Mabel Szer, Mrs. Carrie Olson, Mrs. Laura Christianson and Mrs. N. L. Campbell were dinner guests with Mrs. Mary James a week ago Wednesday, and spent the afternoon visiting.

Mr and Mrs. Percy Barlow were dinner guests and afternoon visitors Tuesday of last week with Mrs. Barlow's sister, Mrs. Campbell.

Mrs. Don Manchur and small son visited her grandmother, Mrs. Gares, Sr., a week ago Saturday at Viking Lodge, Viking. The Manchurs were also Sunday visitors with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R Gares, Viking.

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## Francis - Kerby wedding solemnized

The Hyglen Heights Baptist Church, Calgary, was the scene of a pretty evening candlelight ceremony on November 27, 1965 at 6:30 p.m. when Miss Adrienne Margaret Kerby became the bride of Mr Arthur Garry Francis. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Richard Kerby of Nanaimo, B.C., and the groom is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Francis of Tofield.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by Rev Cyril Hutchinson. Miss Marilyn Wilson played the wedding music and Miss Greta Prihodko and Murray Hodges were the soloists.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of white-textured velvet, styled with lily-point sleeves. Her chapel length veil was held in place by a wedding ring head dress of fur. She carried a bouquet of deep yellow roses and white carnations, and her only jewellery was a single strand of pearls.

Floor-length gowns of deep emerald green velvet with matching headpieces were worn by the bride's attendants, who carried white Bibles with small custers of white carnations tinted with gold. Miss Marguerite Kerby, sister of the bride, Miss Deannie Petunia, cousin of the bride, and Miss Cora Street were the bridesmaids. Flower girl, Glenda Francis niece of the groom, wore a short dress of emerald green velvet with matching headpiece, and carried a basket of white [illegible]. Little Gregory Francis, nephew of the groom, acted as ring-bearer.

The best men were Earl, Keith and Reed Francis, brothers of the groom. Ushering the guests were Jack Francis, the groom's brother, and Paul Dyck.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Kerby chose a rose-beige colored two-piece lace dress with pink and brown accessories. Her corsage was of deep yellow roses. The mother of the groom wore a navy blue brocade dress with pink accessories. She wore a deep pink rose corsage.

A reception for 90 guests was held in the basement of Bethel Baptist Church, with Carson Mitchell acting as master of ceremonies. William Petunia, cousin of the bride, proposed the toast, to which the groom ably responded. Miss Josephine Francis, sister of the groom, was in charge of the guest book. The bride's table was beautifully decorated with candles and a three-tiered wedding cake decorated by Mrs. Henry McGinitie.

Mr and Mrs Francis are residing in Calgary.

MR. AND MRS. ARTHUR GARRY FRANCIS

## Native of Kingman Mrs. A. Erga passes

Alice Andrietta Erga passed away Saturday Jan. 22, after a lingering illness. She was 54. Mrs. Erga was born Alice Skalin on April 3, 1911 in the Kingman district and here she resided most of her life. On October 9, 1929 she married Oscar Erga, and to this union was born one daughter.

She leaves her husband Oscar, daughter Adeline, son-in-law Ted and three grandchildren, Glenn, Dale and Marie Swanlund; also four sisters, Mrs. Esther Rosland, Mrs. Gladys Grahn, Mrs. Grace Studholme and Mrs. Mary Hillman, and two brothers, Clarence and Arthur Skalin, as well as other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held from Burgar Memorial Chapel on Monday, Jan. 24 at 2:00 p.m. with Mr. Ron Larson officiating. Interment followed in Camrose cemetery with Wilfred Johnson, Richard Sikstrom, Robt. Michelson, Torsten Tollefson, Peter Elsseth and Ernest Adamson as pallbearers. Burgar Funeral Home were in charge.

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**Top rink**

These well known curlers swept their way to the top of the Tofield Farmers' (week long) Bonspiel which ended last Friday, and took with them the Bank of Montreal trophy. They are members of the Hafso rink from Viking and are, left to right: H. Hafso, M. Teverud, H Sellers (presenting the trophy), Wm. Place, and A. Burnham.

Photo by Peter Nickel

# All entries are filled for hiah school 'spiel

(Elaine Walker)

The Open Mixed Bonspiel, to be held March 5, has received tremendous support from the surrounding High Schools. All the entries have been filled, and it is regretted that many rinks had to be turned away due to the remarkable response. Rinks will be participating from the following schools, Tofield, St. Albert, Ryley, St. Joseph's, Lamont, Strathcona Composite and Austin O'Brian. All the rinks are wished the best of luck, and an exciting Bonspiel is anticipated.

Last Friday evening the concluding game of the basketball schedule was played between the Tofield and Viking girls' teams. The game ended in a victory for Tofield, the score being 35-5.

On Saturday, Feb. 26th, the Provincial Zone Playoffs will be held in Camrose. The Tofield boys' team will be competing, and students of Tofield High wish them the best of luck, and would like to congratulate the whole team on their outstanding achievements during the season.


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## World Day of Prayer to be Februzry 25

The annual World Day of Prayer service will be held in Tofield United Church on Friday, Feb 25, at 2:30 p.m.

Ladies from several churches will lead the service which this year has been prepared by a committee of Scottish women. All women are cordially invited to attend this service.

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

Winners at the Social Credit whist drive were: ladies high, Mrs. M Gladue, low, Mrs A Gladue, gents high, Bob Scott, low, Mrs Campion.

The next whist drive will be held on Saturday, Feb. 19th.

The Hall Board met at the home of Mr and Mrs. A. Gladue Feb 10th. Plans have been made for a dance March 18th.

Mrs Berrecloth has returned home after visiting her mother and her son Ken of Vancouver, at which time she met her new grandchildren, Ken's twin son and daughter.

**TAKE NOTICE**

That the annual meeting of the electors of the County of Beaver No. 9 will be held at one o'clock in the forenoon on SATURDAY, the 5th Day of MARCH, 1966, at the Ryley School Auditorium, for the discussion of County affairs.

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**County of Beaver No. 9**

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS**

Penalty of 5% will be added to all unpaid taxes on March 1st, 1966, as authorized under Section 349 of the Municipal District Act.

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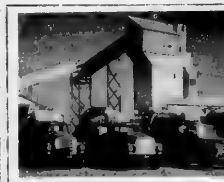
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...ness would boom to the extent it has.

The same applied to the acute shortage of technical personnel in the armed forces. Social Credit Leader Robert Thompson wanted to know what was being done about that situation. Mr Hellyer agreed that there were difficulties. He said the armed forces were having the same trouble competing for manpower as every other organization is experiencing in these boom times.

Hardly had the defence minister weathered those attacks in the Commons than the report of the Auditor General A. M Henderson was tabled in the House. It contained several severe criticisms of defence spending. It was carefully filed away for future reference by the opposition defence critics.

They are waiting for the House Defence Committee to be consulted so they can start an examination of the effects and impact of integration of the armed forces. The Defence Minister, too, would welcome the committee study as it would give him an opportunity to set forth the government's side of the story—a picture that Mr. Hellyer believes will reflect credit on the Government.

# Hafso rink takes Grand Challenge for Viking in one - point victory over Moore of Tofield

On Friday afternoon the climax of an intensive week of curling was reached when the final game in all four events of the Farmers' Open Bonspiel was played before a full house. The Henry Hafso rink from Viking emerged the big winner as they captured the Bank of Montreal trophy, emblematic of the Grand Challenge winner.

The bonspiel began Monday morning with 32 teams competing for honors, 15 were from the Farmers Club, 6 from the Tofield area, 5 from Round Hill, 3 from Ryley, and one each from Mundare, Fort Saskatchewan, and Viking.

The Hafso rink defeated a stubborn Johnny Moore rink who, earlier in the day, had defeated the Teddy Strilchuk rink, last year's winner. Moore was down early in the game, but came back with a big three on the ninth end, to narrow the gap to only one point. However, in trying to bury his last rock behind a guard he came a few feet short, thus giving Hafso the narrow one-point victory. Supporting Hafso were third M Teverud, second Bill Place, and lead A. Burnham. Helping Moore in a losing cause were D. Lawson, W. Lawson, and Don Wylie.

The F. Gotheridge rink from Round Hill, skipped by E. Herberg took third place, while the Teddy Strilchuk rink wound up fourth.

SECOND EVENT

The second event was an all-Tofield final, with G. McLachlan defeating the P. Anderson rink skipped by R. Pollock. Kulba from Mundare took third prize while D. McGinitie took fourth.

The third event was won by the White rink from Fort Saskatchewan, who defeated C. Orcheski of Round Hill. To gain a berth in the finals, White had defeated Haugen, and Orcheski had beaten Ken Rempel.

The last event was won by Art Francis, who defeated the Finnaug rink. Third and fourth places were taken by the Lee Coykendall and C. Steward rinks, respectively.

The Bekker rink was the first rink to be sidelined and they were rewarded with a free food at the Diamond Cafe as consolation. The first six-ender of the 'spiel was made by Ron Goeglein, and he picked up four boxes of chocolates for this feat.

Sam Mostowich was winner of the curling sweater which was raffled, and he was so pleased with it that he has intimated he might even consider taking up curling next year.

After the curling was all finished, President Vern Walker called on Horace Sellar of the Bank of Montreal to present the trophies to the Hafso rink, after which the other prizes were distributed to the various winning teams.

Mr. Walker thanked all those who had made the bonspiel such a success, and invited all the rinks back again next year. He also gave a special thanks to all the merchants and firms of Tofield and district who had made such good contributions towards the bonspiel, ensuring its success.


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bootlegger or the fellow who takes a bet or sells a sweepstakes ticket, but they become "honeless wonders" when a union leader defies a law.

"When the picket lines have been set up", writes Mr. Needham, "when people are being bashed and windows being smashed and trucks being burned and cars having their tires slashed, where are the politicians then? Hiding under the nearest bed. Seeing all this, I have wondered: "If labor unions do not have to obey the law, why should I? Why should anybody? Is Ontario being run by Leslie Frost, by John Robarts? Or is it being run by Jimmy Hoffa, by Walter Reuther? Who's in charge around here? Where's the law? I'm still wondering".

To return to the subject of the New York transit strike, it may be recalled that it was the decisive action taken by Calvin Coolidge in the case of the Boston police strike that won him the prominency and public favor that elevated him from the governorship of Massachusetts to the presidency of the United States. At that time Coolidge made the famous statement, "There is no right to strike against the public safety by anybody, anywhere, at any time". And when he was told that organized labor would prevent his election to any office in the future, Coolidge replied, "It does not matter".

## "Granny" Holnes passes at 92 years

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Otto attended the funeral for Mrs Laday "Granny Holnes" as she was known, at the Holnes in Viking on Mon... would have been 92 years old in March. She was very active until the last six months, which she spent in the hospital.

Mrs Otto also visited with her parents in Viking, Mr and Mrs G. T. Armstrong.


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# Society annual meeting held on February 15th

The delayed annual meeting of the Tofield Historical Society was held February 15th in the Community Centre meeting room with president Harold Schultz in the chair and approximately 26 people present.

The financial report showed a balance of $423.74. The president's report mentioned the new exhibits in the museum, the work done to improve facilities in the museum and the entertainment of the Old Timers as a part of the July 1 Community League Sports Day.

CENTENNIAL PLANS

Some discussion occurred regarding centennial plans and also in regard to the quilt to be made by Mrs. Mary Tiedemann, using the cattle brands of the area as motif. Further particulars about the quilt will be made public later. This quilt will be raffled for benefit of the Society's funds.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Election of officers was held under the chairmanship of J. E. Stinson and resulted in the following slate of officers for 1966: Harold Schultz, president; Conrad Patterson, vice-president; J. R. Francis, secretary; Edna Bowick, treasurer. Stan Dunham and S. J. Sears were elected directors for two years and Dave Heidebrecht and Clifford Appleby for one year.

A vote of thanks was given the retiring secretary, Grace Philips.

It was called to the attention of the audience that due to the efforts of R. J. Francis, aided by H. A. Pike, Tofield's original school district number of 376 has been restored and 1939 has been allotted to Ingram S.D., which had erroneously been given 376 when the school building from Tofield had been moved to Ingram. Since the lower number is an indication of Tofield's age as a settlement, the Society is grateful to Mr. Francis for securing the return of the original number.

INDIAN CULTURE

Following the business meeting, Mr. and Mrs. Sodhi of the Tofield High School delighted the audience with an illustrated talk on their native country of India. Mr. Sodhi explained the contribution made to Indian culture by each of the four major religions—Buddhism, Hinduism, Moslem and Christianity. Mrs. Sodhi described the status of women in India and the Indian marriage customs. Mr. Sodhi played some records of Indian music which showed the effects of Western civilization on Eastern music. Mrs. Sodhi demonstrated the draping of an Indian sari such as she herself wears, and also danced to the Indian music.

A question and answer period followed, in which the audience took full advantage of Mr. and Mrs. Sodhi's willingness to answer questions about many aspects of Indian life, including that of the cottage industries. To illustrate the excellent qualities of the products of these industries, Mr. and Mrs. Sodhi had brought some examples. Hammered brass goblets, sequins, slippers and Indian jewellery were displayed.

A hearty vote of thanks for the delightful entertainment they had provided was given to the Sodhis by the audience.

To close an interesting evening, lunch was served by Mrs. Harold Schultz, Mrs. J. Francis and Mrs. Dorothy Whillans.

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Holden Lodge CORP held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday Feb. 8th with a very good attendance of members. Fourteen ladies from Kinsella Lodge were visitors including D.D.S.H. R.L. Overbo.

Reports were given of the Chamber of Commerce supper, February 1st and the joint social evening with the BPO Elks celebrating their 20 lodge anniversaries.

Applications for membership to the Holden Lodge were balloted upon. At the conclusion of the meeting, members of Kinsella Lodge enacted a skit exemplifying the principles of the Order and presenting the Travelling Gavel to H.R.L. Ida Mason.

Lunch hostesses were Ass. R. Lady Strilchuk, Ladies Kay Chupka and Jean Manowski.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer Sunday, Feb. 6th, were their daughter Verla, her husband Harry, and children of Edmonton. Mrs. Bud Sizer drove back to Edmonton with them, planning to stay several days to look after the children while her daughter was in hospital for surgery on her knee.

R. Lutz who has not been well for the past few months is a patient in Tofield hospital after having surgery Tuesday of last week. Mr. Lutz visited him the Thursday evening and was pleased that he is feeling some better. Mr. and Mrs. Lutz just returned two weeks ago from a visit of several weeks with relatives in Seattle, U.S. and Vancouver and Chilliwack.

## Kristensen-Williams wedding on Saturday

(Mary Mitchell)

A lovely wedding was solemnized in the Tofield United church on Saturday Feb. 12th, when Miss Barbara Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Williams became the bride of Kai Kristensen of Jarvie. Rev. Wm. MacDonald performed the double-ring ceremony.

The reception which followed was catered by the Ketchamont United Church Women in the church parlor.

A wedding dance was held later that evening at the Lindbrook Hall.

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# 2 Holden brothers take RMC honors

Two brothers from Holden, Roman and Stephen Jakubow, have brought distinction to themselves and their village, having been honored by receiving awards for their academic and military achievement. Students at Royal Military College, Kingston, Ont., they graduated from Royal Roads, Victoria, B.C., before going to RMC. Before joining the Canadian Army, they attended high school at Holden. They are the sons of P. Jakubow of Holden.

HIGHEST MARKS EVER

Lt. Roman Jakubow, left, will be presented with the Association of Professional Engineers of Ontario "Gold Medal for Academic Achievement" at their annual meeting in Ottawa this Friday. Roman graduated from the Royal Military College of Canada in May last year with the highest marks ever attained in the College's 90-year history.

On graduation with a Bachelor of Engineering degree, first class honours in engineering physics, he was awarded the Governor-General's Gold Medal and the department of national defence award of merit as well as numerous departmental prizes. In addition, he was the recipient of the McLaughlin Graduate Fellowship, the highest post-graduate award given by Queen's University and an Imperial Oil Fellowship.

On completion of his present studies at Queen's University, leading to a doctorate in statistical communications theory, he will follow a career in the Canadian Army in the Royal Canadian Engineers.

BEST ALL-ROUND

Stephen Jakubow, a third-year officer Cadet in the Engineering Physics course at RMC, has recently been awarded the Canadian Infantry Association Trophy as the best all-round infantry officer cadet in the Canadian Army in 1965.

# New arena at Ross Creek revives sports interest

The Ross Creek district has been enjoying the new skating rink at the community centre.

Much credit goes to Albert Savage who worked during the cold weather, flooding the rink and to the volunteer shovel brigade keeping the snow off.

Saturdays and Sundays are busy days at the rink with a mixed group ranging from 5 years to 50. Come on mom and dad, join the kids at the community rink.

Skating fees are $10.00 a family, $3.00 single and 25 cents for visitors. Open skating hours are from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Other hours are for hockey. All fees can be paid to Ken Pederson and visitors can pay Maurice Beauregard at the Ross Creek store. Maurice has used the money so far for lights and wire at the rink.

HOCKEY

The Ross Creek hockey boys have been very active lately and recent games played brought the following results.

Ross Creek - Tofield at Ross Creek, 5-3 for Ross Creek. Ross Creek - Tofield at Tofield, 8-4 for Tofield. Ross Creek - Ardrossan at Ardrossan, 15-4 for Ardrossan. Stedelbauer - Ross Creek at Ross Creek, 10-3 for Stedelbauer.

It's gratifying to see the Ross the good sport of hockey again.

MEN'S BONSPIEL

The Ross Creek men's bonspiel got off to a flying start Thursday noon, Feb. 3rd and continued until Sunday night, with the co-operation of the weatherman and the people of the district. The Ross Creek Athletic club wish to thank the ladies of the district for cooking and serving a delicious banquet, also all volunteer help in the booth at the rink.

The Grand Challenge winner was the Gordon Olson rink from Ardrossan; 2nd Jim Lamont from Fort Saskatchewan, 3rd, George McLachlan from Ross Creek and 4th Arnold Swift from Tofield.

In the 2nd event 1st place was won by Lawrence Waytovich of Ross Creek, 2nd, Bill Skrip, Chipman; 3rd, Walter Semkowich, Edmonton and 4th, Ray Pittet, Tofield.

Third event winner was Berry Trudgeon of Lamont, 2nd, Mac Haines, Chipman; 3rd Adolph Antoniuk, Edmonton, hard luck, Mike Kolpa, Mundare; Glad, McCue, Fort Saskatchewan.

## Frances Schultz wins UN speech contest

The United Nations Pilgrimage for youth speaking contest, sponsored by the Odd Fellows and Rebecca Lodges was held on Feb. 17th in the library room at the Tofield school.

Frances Schultz and Donna Jacobson of Tofield, Evelyn Kozak from Ryley and Dale Haynes from Camrose were the four contestants with Frances Schultz the winner.

She will go on to Irma on Friday night to compete for this zone.

The final winner from there will have a three week tour to New York where he or she will visit the United Nations at work. Donna Jacobson was the runner up.

## The weather

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# Remember ! Friday is Talent Night

After weeks of preparation by the Planning Committee and others, Talent Night will be a reality tomorrow (Friday) night, starting at 8:00.

Sponsored jointly by the Tofield Co-ops and the 4-H Clubs, the event promises to be even bigger and better than former years. Already 23 entries have been received of a possible 25, with great variety in the choices by contestants. There will be musical numbers, both instrumental and vocal, monologues, recitations and others on the program.

Bev Monroe, announcer at radio station CFCW Camrose will be master of ceremonies for the proceedings, and judges will be Rich Simms and Dennis Ratcliff of Camrose, and Cliff Mickleberg of the Co-op extension branch.

As an added attraction, teachers Mr. and Mrs. Sodhi from India will sing songs in their native tongue and perform native dances.

# Native son awarded research grant

Dr. Max Tofield Rogers, a former son of Tofield, recently received a $40,000 Petroleum Research Fund grant.

J. W. Robinson of Tofield just received a copy of the American Chemical Society Magazine mentioning that Research Grants of $40,000 each have been awarded to five outstanding scientists by the Petroleum Research Fund administered by the ACS Fund.

The latest recipients are Dr. George A. Olah of the Western Reserve University, Dr. Max T. Rogers of Michigan State University, Dr. Paul Von R. Schleyer of Princeton University, Dr. Herbert L. Toor of Carnegie Institute of Technology and Dr. Harry M. Walborsky of Florida State University.

The awards permit each recipient to investigate any area of pure science which may provide a basis for subsequent research in the Petroleum field. The grants are for a four-year period but may be used at any desired rate.

Max Rogers is a son of Mrs. Edith Rogers and the late Harry Rogers, and is a grandson of the late D. Tofield for whom the town of Tofield was named. Max was born in 1918 and had all his public school education in the old brick school.

The American Chemical Society, in describing Dr. Rogers, has the following to say: "Dr. Rogers, professor of Chemistry at Michigan State University, received a B.Sc. in 1937 and M.Sc. in 1938 from the University of Alberta, and a Ph.D. in 1941 from California Institute of Technology. From 1942 to 1946 he taught Chemistry at the University of California, Los Angeles. He became assistant professor of chemistry at Michigan State in 1946, associate professor in 1948 and professor in 1955. Dr. Rogers held a Guggenheim Fellowship at Oxford, England, in 1954, and in 1962 he was a National Science Foundation post-doctoral fellow at the National Physical Laboratory, Teddington, England.

"He has written 112 papers dealing with the determination by physical methods of electronic and molecular structures of a variety of organic series."

Dr. Rogers was on a Scientific tour to Japan last year and gave two papers. We have followed his career all these years and are proud of his success. He has been on the Monroe Commission for many years.

Tofield salutes Dr. Rogers and congratulates him on his wonderful achievement.

## UCW plans program

United Church Women have been busy practicing for a program night which will be held in the Chipman School Auditorium on March 5th at 8 p.m.

Anyone interested in an old fashioned stage show, including piano, monologues, one act plays, pantomine, stunt, children's items and Go-Go 66, square dance, sing-along and guest stars, and western show — come and join the fun and help the Ross Creek UCW building fund.

## Sorry, Mr. Manning

Recently this paper suggested reverting to the preferential ballot system, rather than today's single choice votes in provincial elections, and to bolster our case, pointed out the present Social Credit government had been elected with less than fifty per cent support of provincial voters.

Really, we feel the merits of the case stand up for themselves, without the added bolster. In any case, the fact is we erred in making the mistake.

Premier Manning has drawn the error to our attention, together with the information that his government was returned to office with a majority popular vote of 54.8048%. We appreciate Mr. Manning's correcting our error no less than we're intrigued by the accuracy . . . to the fourth decimal point . . . of his information.

Yet it seems to us this serves just as much to strengthen our argument. The fact that five voters out of nine, (the ratio above) can elect 97 per cent of the members in the house hardly seems like representative government to us.

Even while we'll agree that the Liberals and Conservatives helped elect such a ponderous Social Credit majority by their own weakness, and while we feel Social Credit is doing a reasonably good job, we still would hope for balloting which would give a more balanced picture.

## Let's back Dickie

Calgary's MLA, William Dickie, has brought up in the Legislature an item of importance to many young men and also their parents, in asking the government to ban the present arrangement which permits national hockey league clubs to sign up youngsters of all ages who play hockey, so that when they reach professional age and level they are required to serve under conditions already fixed by the NHL.

Most youngsters haven't the faintest notion of what they're letting themselves in for, and scramble to get aboard the big league bandwagon, not realizing what the cost may be later on. Legislation requires that many deals with minors are not legal, and this is one more area where youth should be protected against the smooth, fast-talking salesmen trading in human flesh.

## Smokescreen

Speaking recently at Rocky Mountain House, his home constituency, the Hon. A. L. Hooke, minister of municipal affairs, had the following to say:

"We are worshipping at the shrine of higher education and I think we are placing too much emphasis on it," he said. "I'm not afraid to get up and say it because it is a fact. We have to have a stiff back and say this is it. [illegible] really have to have swimming pools in so many schools."

Surely the minister is just sending up a smokescreen when he speaks thus to divert attention from the role the government is not playing in this field. Himself a former teacher, Mr. Hooke must know that the cost of all the swimming pools built in all the years in all the schools in the province (and there aren't many) wouldn't pay the teachers' salaries for two weeks.

Having just faced new tax assessment notices, many property owners are keenly aware of the cost of education and the spiralling costs. And many object to the unrelenting upward pressures on teacher salaries out of proportion to income levels of these same taxpayers. Competing fiercely in the commercial world for increased recompense, they can't understand a system that offers similar reward to superior and incompetent alike.

Other than creating the strongest union in the province, what has Mr Hooke, or his government, done in the face of this situation?

## Bright day ahead

The curse of broken bottles, with their hazards and dangers, may soon be eliminated through the ingenuity of a Canadian chemical engineer Walter Heinrich, a plastics and chemical consultant in Ontario has solved the problem that previously closed off the carbonated drink market to plastics according to reports. He has designed a molded-in top for polyvinyl chloride (PVC) bottles which can even be pushed on without causing a leak. Brewers and bottlers are reported to be inspecting the new sealer, and health officials are also checking it.

The advantages to the bottling industry are immense: lighter bottles, which saves on handling, stacking, and freight, and big savings on labor and transportation because there are no "empties" to collect.

All the big benefits that would accrue from relief from the cut feet, cut tires and other damages, and the benefits can be seen to be enormous.

Maybe economy can win where legislation has so far failed.

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## By George!

In a meeting with Premier E. C. Manning and his cabinet earlier this year, a group of us newspaper types brought up the matter of a proposed ombudsman. An ombudsman is a man appointed to hear the case of a supposedly wronged citizen, decide whether or not he has a case and then correct the injustice which has been brought about in the first place by bureaucracy. The premier told us at that time this whole question was under study and would probably come up at this session of the legislature. He and some of his cabinet members wondered if an ombudsman is what the people of this province want. And after hearing reports of how the ombudsman system worked in New Zealand, I have often had second thoughts about it myself. While it's true that thousands of people bring their cases before the ombudsman in New Zealand, when these are screened only a fraction of these cases are deemed worthy of investigation. And of those investigated another fraction are found to have a case to [illegible]

Surely there must be a more efficient way of being sure the victims of bureaucratic injustices are given a fair shake?

Says The Lacombe Globe editor: "In theory, the idea of an all-powerful 'citizens' champion' sitting in a government centre and anxious to take up the cudgels on behalf of the wronged is an enticing one.

"But in this day and age, it sounds mightily like a fairy tale. A full-time ombudsman would of necessity be a civil servant, and it seems quite axiomatic that bureaucratic wrongs will not be corrected by another bureaucrat."

The Medicine Hat News comments, "No weapon with which an ombudsman could be vested could possibly prove more effective than the power of a member of parliament asking questions in the house of commons."

And, again, The Lacombe editor, with his parting shot: "Any MP or MLA who does his duty to his constituents is the logical ombudsman for his area. Let's keep this reponsibility in the hands of our elected representatives, rather than delegate it to a government appointee."

Which leaves us with the all-important question: Are our elected representatives carrying out their duties to the best of their ability, with the best interests of their constituents at heart, regardless of how the party dictates?

## From the mail bag

Editor, The Mercury:

We often hear, "We made our own recreation when we were kids." And now I see that some of the youth are not making only their own facilities, but for the whole community as well. And I can easily imagine the "fatherly" advice that they have been and are getting on how to do things like we used to do. Inferring that the way they did it was the only way to do it. It makes me wonder what I would do if I were a youth in their place today getting that kind of info'. I have a feeling that I would do one of two things. Either react with violence or just dejectedly give up and in substance say, "if your way is so much better, why are you not doing it?"

But is not the responsibility of furnishing said facilities that of the older of us? It is easier for us to forget it. But is it cheaper? For if youth lack outlets for their youthful energies and have to seek "by trial and error" relief from boredom, naturally some of them are sure to find what we call "trouble". Are they to blame or we? But then we send them away where they get (to them) free board for from a few months to a few years. And then we get righteously indignant, when they return from said "post graduate course in mischief" if they put into practice the knowledge thus learned, and return them for longer periods of time. In [illegible] we (Society) have by our failure just deliberately and almost with malice aforethought forced them to become social outcasts. And in the day of judgment their faults will be on our heads and their sins be judged our sins.

—Geo. G. Abernethy

## Common honesty

(The United Church of Canada)

The phrase is interesting—common honesty. It says much about the foundation of mutual trust on which the everyday life of Canadians is built. We set out newspapers in a corner box with a lid on one side, and it works. Men and women with expensively acquired skills give us their services first and bill us afterward. Almost any store will extend credit easily and quickly. The director of the Accounts Department of a large retail establishment says that except for a hard core of deliberate chisellers (perhaps 5% of the clientele) most people are reasonably good risks.

Unhappily, though, dishonesty is not as rare as we'd like to think. There are indications that it is on the increase. Shop-lifting for instance. Prior to the Christmas buying spree merchants expected a heavy wave of pilfering. There was such a demand for security services from firms like Pinkerton's, who keep a watchful eye on slippery fingered customers that one newspaper commented, "The private eyes never had it so good." The majority of these petty thieves are women who pick up little items [illegible] tuck them into their clothing.

Male dishonesty [illegible] up differently. A repairer [illegible] offers his customer a discount if he doesn't care about a receipt. Often the former stamps at [illegible] bargain after all it's only the government that loses. Not long ago a psychiatrist remarked that one of the chief subjects discussed at the parties he attended was how to beat the income tax.

People who wouldn't think of stealing from an individual not only take "souvenirs" from hotels, deceive Customs Officers and knowingly break the laws they boast about [illegible].

Perhaps the stream of "giveaways" and the "no down payment" techniques of modern selling are to blame for this blunting at the edge of honesty, but whatever the cause, individuals should take a sharp look at their own habits. We all have a stake in common honesty. Sooner or later we are the victims if it disappears. It is a precious commodity. Let's not lose it.



## Palmer - Earling news items

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER - EARLING, Feb. 18 Mrs. E. Aspenes and Ingvald Bruce were callers at Mrs. Ragna Knudson's home in Camrose.

Sunday dinner guests at the Fernie Forre home at Tofield were the Lewis Forres, Joe Knudsons of this district, and Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Brekke and Lance and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hamilton and Kelly all of Edmonton.

Bob Beattie was a business caller at White Bear, Sask., and Mrs. Elbert Dyrland returned with him to spend the week. Little Brent Beattie has been a patient in the Tofield Hospital.

Saturday evening visitors at Carl Sorenson home, marking David's birthday were, Tom Brown's and Gordon Meudahl's. Sunday guests were the Esben [redacted] Mrs. Mabel Meadahl and the Dennis Meadahls, Camrose.

Mrs. Malinda Roth of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. R. McKee, Wetaskiwin were Sunday dinner guests with the Lawrence Hovlands.

Ludvig Hoveland has returned from Hillsdown where he visited the Leif Hovelands.

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## Locals . . .

Wednesday, Feb. 16th brought the Prairie Players to the Tofield Community Hall. The afternoon production of the "Sorcerors' Apprentice" was enjoyed by the grades 6 and 7 of the County of Beaver. That evening grades 8 to 12 watched the entire performance of "The Doctor in Spite of Himself".

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The High-School Open Mixed Bonspiel will begin at 8:00 a.m. on March 5. The public is reminded that these games will provide some top-notch entertainment.

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## School committee meets February 8th

Following are the minutes, in part, of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee meeting held Tuesday, Feb. 8th:

In regards to the Frontage Assessment at Viking, the secretary-treasurer reported that he had contacted the secretary-treasurer of the Town of Viking in regards to prepayment of the frontage tax. He had also noticed in the Viking News that this matter had been dealt with at a Council meeting and that the cost would be $5.74 per foot—510 feet of frontage was involved making a payment of $2,927.40, approximately half the cost that would be paid if it was paid over a period of 20 years.

It was moved and carried that the frontage tax be prepaid upon receipt of the statement from the Town of Viking.

In regards to the Student Accident Policy, the secretary-treasurer informed the Committee that he had written the agent, P. O. Nordstrom in Viking, inquiring if it would be possible to have payments for medical attention made direct to the attending physician rather than to the parents. A reply from Mr. Nordstrom indicated that this was quite feasible.

Moved and carried that the information be accepted.

In regards to the teacher recruitment Mr. Pike reported on a meeting of the Superintendents of Zones 2 and 3 and that the Superintendents were not in agreement with the stand taken by Zones 2 and 3 of the A.S.T.A. Some superintendents were not prepared to participate at all, although some Boards, whom these superintendents served, might want to participate to some extent. M. G. Gault stated that he was not prepared to act under last year's circumstances but would act providing the teachers could be hired on the spot and a number of superintendents had agreed to such an arrangement. Cr. Roddick stated that a pro-rate payment, possibly $50 or $100, should be made by each member of the Zone. It was felt that the whole matter should be handled on a voluntary basis with the hiring of the teachers when they are interviewed. It was expected that this matter would be further discussed at the next Zone meeting and that some definite proposals should be ready for that meeting.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the Building Program at Viking, the Superintendent reported on the increased grant of $2 per sq. ft. for school building purposes and referred to the Committee letters to Dr. Swift, the Deputy Minister of the Dept. of Education, from the secretary-treasurer and Dr. Swift's reply to the first letter in this connection. He suggested that nothing further could be done until a reply had been received to the second letter.

Moved and carried that the action be concurred in and the report accepted.

The Superintendent then referred to the 3 one-room schools at Viking that are to be abandoned after the new construction is completed, and he suggested that the old Home Ec. room would have to be removed and that one of the two schools on the west side of the present buildings, the building to the south, could be retained as a music room. The north building should be removed and it could be offered to the Town for the use of youth organizations.

Moved and carried that the Superintendent's proposals be

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## STokkan wins Co-op 'Spiel

A one day bonspiel, organized by the local Co-op was held on Saturday Feb. 19th at the Tofield curling rink.

Sixteen rinks entered with each rink curling three six-end games, scored by total points. First prize went to the Olaf Stokkan rink, consisting of his two daughters, Marlene and Arlene and son-in-law, Dale Rude.

Second place was taken by the Armand Goubault rink consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Armand Goubault and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McLeod. Third was the Patterson rink from Ministik. Prizes were donated by the Co-op and Hunter and Friesen.

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THE LANGUAGE WAR. Although there can be little consolation in it, Canada is not the only nation experiencing difficulties because of its bicultural and bilingual makeup. In Belgium, continued riots are erupting between French-speaking and Flemish-speaking factions. Above shows police breaking up a demonstration in which 300 Flemish nationalists marched in Louvain calling for recognition of their language. Tear gas and rifle butts were used to stop the march, and 19 people were injured.

## Red Cross campaign begins March 1st

PALMER-EARLING, March is "Red Cross Month" across Canada. For 18 years, 1940 to 1958, the Palmer Branch was active in the Red Cross.

However, they are now only working during the March Campaign and expect to be wound up by March 31 to avoid conflict with other appeals.

Volunteer canvassers this year are Nick and Jerry Kushnerick, Oscar Afseth, Hans and Duane Huseby, Mrs. George Mosby, and Mrs. Joe Knudson. The quota for this district is $175.00


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- 1 cup lukewarm water
- 1 teaspoon granulated sugar
- 1 envelope fast-rising active dry yeast
- 1 tablespoon granulated sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons peanut oil
- 3 cups (about) pre-sifted all-purpose flour
- ¾ pound ground beef
- 1 tin (7½ oz.) tomato sauce
- 1 cup chopped mushrooms
- ¼ cup dry bread crumbs
- ½ teaspoon garlic salt
- 2 tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese
- 1 teaspoon oregano
- 1 (8-oz.) package Swiss cheese slices, halved

Measure lukewarm water in large bowl; stir in 1 teaspoon sugar. Sprinkle yeast on top. Let stand 10 minutes, then stir well. Add sugar, salt, oil and 1½ cups flour. Beat until smooth. Stir in enough additional flour to make a soft dough, about 1½ cups more. Turn out on a lightly floured board; knead until smooth and elastic. Place in a greased bowl, grease top. Cover and let rise in a warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk, about 45 minutes. Meanwhile, combine ground beef, tomato sauce, chopped mushrooms, bread crumbs and garlic salt. Punch down dough, turn out onto a board. Roll half of dough into a circle to fit a 10-inch pie plate. Place dough into greased plate and press around plate to form a standing rim of dough. Spread with half of meat mixture. Repeat with remaining dough and filling. Sprinkle each meatzza with half of the grated Parmesan cheese and oregano. Bake in preheated hot oven (400° F) for 20 minutes. Remove from oven, cover with cheese slices. Return to oven five minutes or until cheese is melted. Serve at once. Makes two 10-inch meatzzas.


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### CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to extend my hearty thanks to all my neighbors and friends for flowers and well wishes, also birthday greetings, during my stay in the hospital.
—Sincerely, Mrs. Ole Hagen. 28p-3171

A very sincere thanks is extended to the nurses and staff of Tofield Hospital, also to Dr. Freebury, for the wonderful attention and kindness received during my stay there. It was greatly appreciated and could not have been better.
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# Kingman news briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Feb. 21 — Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ovelson and family have moved to Camrose to reside. The Ovelsons have farmed north west of Kingman since their marriage, and will be missed by their many friends in this district. They have their land for sale.

**NEW BA AGENT**

Norman Wideman who operates a trucking service at Kingman has taken over the British American Bulk Service, an agency which J. A. (Albin) Anderson has been in charge of for 33 years.

Mr. Wideman has also operated a pick-up service for the NADP which is now taken over by Robert Kerr.

Sunday afternoon and evening visitors were Mrs. J. A. Holte to help her celebrate her birthday were Mrs. Nettie Moen and Mrs. Mary Erickson of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. A. Haukedahl of Tofield, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Christensen, Mabel Simonsen, Mrs. A. Asp, Mrs. Tillie Winder, Arlene, Ruth and Daniel Dahlen and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simonsen.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Cumberland, Lee and Glenna spent the weekend at Drayton Valley with their daughter and son-in-law, and family.

Miss Gertrude Asp of Calgary spent the weekend of Feb. 12 and 13th with her mother, Mrs. Alma Asp and brothers.

**ADDITIONAL MEMORIALS TO FRANCIS S. GARFORD OBITUARY**

To Holy Trinity Anglican Church — Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kyle, Mrs. Edith Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomson, Miss Jean Baptist, Mr. and Mrs. Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunham.

## Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Feb. 27th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
[redacted]
Sunday, Feb. 27th
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 2:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.
Coming: Thursday, March 3rd, 8:00 p.m. — Film, "The Soul of Quebec".
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**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
[redacted]
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 11:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9.30 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 11:00 a.m.
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Every Sunday at 12:30 p.m.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Feb. 27th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, Feb. 27th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service
8:00 p.m.—Program. Theme "Living by the Name of Christ". Skit by Young People. "Wanted, Your Life".
March 2nd, 8:00 p.m. — Representative from Mission to Lepers to report and show film.
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# Bardo district news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Feb. 21 — The March meeting of the LCW will be held at the home of Mrs. Alice Sitler on Wednesday afternoon, March 2nd at 2 p.m.

The social committee of the Bardo Recreational Association have planned a social get together for the evening of Friday, March 4th, to be held at the Centre. Young and old are welcome.

The Phillip Anderson family motored to Edmonton on Sunday where they were dinner guests at the Bill Green home.

BAPTISM

Pastor A. Dahlen officiated at the baptism of Mark John, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sirois on Sunday morning, Feb. 13. Sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reil. After services the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cinnamon entertained at dinner in honor of the occasion when guests were Grandma Simonson, from Camrose, Pastor and Mrs. Dahlen and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Sirois and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reil and children and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sitler.

Mrs. Leonard Stauffer returned home from hospital on Tuesday. Her mother Mrs. Herman Lawson was at the Stauffer home until Saturday, helping with the housework.

Mrs. Alma Foshaug entered the hospital again on Sunday for X-rays and change of cast. Her leg is causing her considerable pain.

The Ivan Foshaugs visited at the Leonard Stauffer home on Thursday evening and on Sunday the Marvin Moens from Camrose and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Reil and children were visitors.

MISSIONARY HERE

Quite a number turned out on Wednesday evening to hear missionary, Karl Washeim and see slides from the field in Bolivia. Mr. Washeim is presently at CLBI in Camrose and is a missionary with the world mission prayer league. He also showed many beautiful and interesting items made by the natives.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Heiberg and family attended open house at Messiah Lutheran Church in Camrose on Sunday afternoon honoring Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson on their silver wedding anniversary. Mr. Watson is a cousin of Mrs. Heiberg. Later in the day they visited Andy's mother at Bethany Home who is feeling somewhat better after taking treatments.

Ed and Maureen Wesner and Lori and Carolyne Foshaug all from Edmonton spent the weekend at the Ivan Foshaug home.

Monday dinner guests at the Lester Severson home were the Otto Sorenson family from Viking and Mr. and Mrs. Ludvig Arntson from Sedgewick.

The Lawrence Anderson family from Edmonton were visitors with Lawrence's parents, the Olaf Andersons on Sunday afternoon.

NASTY BURNS

Mrs. Glenn Francis sustained nasty burns when a pot of hot tea tipped over on her while she family were having supper with Mrs. Laura Francis and Sharon on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Kindley motored to Edmonton on Sunday and were dinner guests at the Harold Kindley home.

The Bob Hunter family from Fort Saskatchewan and the Dale Rudes from Inland spent the weekend at the Olaf Stokkan home, also taking part in the Co-op Curling bonspiel on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bjorne Erickson and children from Edson and Mrs. Minnie Sorgaard from LaGlace arrived at the Mikael Erickson home for dinner on Sunday returning to Edson on [illegible]

## Valentine luncheon enjoyed by students

(Cheryl McMann)

The Tofield Five B class enjoyed a Valentine luncheon on Friday, Feb. 18. The hot meal prepared by the mothers and pupils, consisted of tomato juice, meat balls, gravy, a salmon loaf, baked potatoes, creamed corn, green beans, raw carrots, shredded lettuce, buttered buns, jello fruit salad, and chocolate milk.

Committees within the room were appointed to serve and cleanup. The luncheon was held to make use of what we have learned in health on "Food and Nutrition".

Pupils enjoyed it to the utmost although there was a lot of work involved.

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# School committee meets February 8th

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concurred in and that the two buildings that are not needed be removed from the school grounds and donated to the Town of Viking if they wish to make use of them.

The tenders to supply four-only 48-passenger school buses were now opened. Tenders were received (per bus) from: Pioneer Bus and Sales, $6,322; Enerson Bus Company, $6,916; Thomas Built Buses of Canada Ltd., $6,312.70, Western School Bus Sales & Exchange Ltd., $6,804; Blue Bird Bus Sales Ltd., $6,487.

Moved and carried that the Bus Shop Committee, together with the Bus Supervisor, examine the tenders submitted and bring in a recommendation to the March meeting of the School Committee.

Lars Olson, representing Beaver Local ATA, attended the meeting at this time and discussed with the Committee the matter of Non-Owned Automobile Liability Policy, and in particular the need of standard endorsement form No. R-6 for teachers transporting children under certain circumstances. Mr. Olson stated that he had obtained information from the Insurance representative in Holden and that Western Union Insurance Group had stated that this endorsement was not necessary. The secretary-treasurer referred again again to the information received from Jubilee Insurance Agencies in this matter and stated that he had not had an opportunity to further discuss the matter with the Agencies representative but would do so at an early opportunity.

Mr. Olson also referred to the milk dispensers that had been purchased from Palm Dairies Ltd., and stated that there was some confusion as to the amount of discount that they should take. The secretary-treasurer stated that he was supposed to have received written confirmation of the purchase and would again write the Company in this regard.

Mr. Olson then retired.

### Correspondence

It was moved and carried that the following teachers, in response to their written request, be permitted to reside outside the School District in which they teach, as provided in Sec. 363A of the School Act: Mrs. Mary Laskoski, Holden; Mrs. Karen Cottrell, Viking; Mrs. Ruth Landers, Kinsella; Mrs. Barbara Fandrick, Kinsella; Mrs. Alma Enger, Kinsella; Mrs. Florence Ingram, Tofield.

It was moved and carried that information from Dept. of Education concerning the Canada Pension Plan advising that, subject to approval of the Legislative Assembly, the Government of Alberta would pay the employer contribution in respect to teachers employed by School Boards, be received and filed.

A letter from Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation requesting information as to estimated 1966 capital requirements to be financed by the sale of debentures to the AMFC was referred to the Committee.

Moved and carried that the AMFC be advised that we expect to have to borrow $226,000.

A letter from the Ryley High School requesting that the School Committee sponsors a page or part page in their Yearbook was referred to the Committee. The secretary-treasurer reported that he had, after consulting with the chairman, informed the advertising manager of the Yearbook that the County would sponsor a full page at the cost of $10.

Moved and carried that the correspondence be received and filed and the action concurred in.

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## AGT building tcking shape

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

The new Alberta Government Telephone office, which Watson's of Tofield have been building on Main Street is reaching completion.

A couple of weeks ago the frame and plastic covering was removed and the heating and electrical systems are being installed. When this is completed the telephone equipment will be installed.

This building makes a big improvement to main street, and the completion of the project in the late summer will give Holden and rural lines direct dialing.

## Drama is ahead for junior high

On March 10 the Tofield High and Junior High will be presenting their plays in the Tofield Community Hall. The Junior High will present their play, "Rise and Shine", while the High School will be producing, "Five to Five-Thirty" under the direction of C. F. Annis. The High School play will also be presented at the Drama Festival which will be held at Vegreville on March 18 and 19.

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# School committee meets February 8th

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Moved and carried that the Bus Supervisor's Report for the month of January be accepted and the account paid.

The secretary-treasurer reported that two or three bus drivers had made some extra trips from the Tofield School to the Tofield Community Hall when Al Oeming's film on the Game Farm was shown and they had inquired if they would receive extra pay for this service; apparently it had taken approximately one hour for each driver.

Moved and carried that each driver be paid $1 for this service.

**Meet Prior to Annual Meeting**

It was moved and carried that the School Committee meets at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, March 5th, prior to the annual meeting.

Cost estimate to have the balance of the storage yard at Ryley fenced was referred to the Committee, the cost being approximately $1,000.

Moved and carried that the fencing of the balance of the storage yard be proceeded with.

The Superintendent referred to the intern teachers and the fact that up to now the County had paid $5 per day when these teachers were teaching in their home school and $7 per day when they were teaching in a school other than their home school. The grant for these teachers had now been increased to $8 per day and in many areas payments were being made as high as $10 to $12 per day. Mr. Pike suggested, however, that payment [illegible] large was not necessary but recommended a payment of $8 per day to all intern teachers.

Moved and carried that the intern teachers in the County be paid at the rate of $8 per day.

It was moved and carried that the County pay the expenses for one student and one supervisor to attend the Girls' Leadership Workshop, May 3th to 8th.

It was moved and carried that the reports from the Inspector of Industrial Arts concerning the Industrial Arts Shops at Viking and Ryley be accepted.

Moved and carried at 5:40 p.m. that this meeting now adjourns.

## Kingman couple observe 40 yrs. married life

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN — A large number of friends and relatives attended open house for Mr. and Mrs. George Undin on Sunday, Feb. 13 at their home for their 40th wedding anniversary. The celebration was arranged by their family.

The table at which the couple were seated was centered by a two tiered wedding cake made by their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Rudolph Undin and decorated by Mrs. Ray Gould.

Elwood Flemming was master of ceremonies and after well wishes to the happy couple, read a composition by Mrs. Helge Reger, of Mr. and Mrs. Undin's life together. A men's trio sang two numbers, Barbara and Jeanette Ekdahl, grandchildren, sang a duet and another granddaughter Gail Gibson read a poem.

Mr. Milo Stuzman spoke briefly and Albin Anderson made the presentation of a purse of money from the community. Rudolph Undin spoke on behalf of the family and presented them with a swivel rocker.

# The swinging set

By Robin Randel

## Bored ? or do we lack initiative ?

Have you adults often wondered what we teenagers do on the weekends? Well, sit back and get an earful.

There is the show on Friday night. After the show, perhaps there is a coke, etc. Do you think all of us spend our weekends that way? Even many who go steady find themselves sitting home twiddling their thumbs. Some, sadly to say, go off to the country to park and neck or get sloshed. (For those adults who are wondering about the meaning, sloshed means to get drunk.) Then there are kids of the other extreme . . . those who are held at home because their parents feel that weekends are too wild, etc. But these kids have been known to sneak out just to walk the streets.

But why blame the kids? Either way, they are just looking for something to do to pass the time away. Maybe they just seek excitement.

What this city needs (and I say "city", dear friends) is a project to start some kindling of that small spark in the younger set. And some caring and thoughtful businessman would not only make a fortune from a coffee cellar, but would also win the hearts of hundreds of now bored kids. Not only that, Camrose would retain its reputation for clean-cut kids.

I have heard that in Edmonton, a church group has started a coffee shop in some basement cellar. How fab''! Kids from 13 to 19 years can take their dates or even go stag, just to get together to talk, drink coffee, and dance. And what's more fun than making up way-out poetry?

"What a perfect idea", one of the secretaries in the office said.

"Well, what do you know. An adult who agrees with a teenager!" I said sarcastically.

"Why not? It's just what these kids need".

"Yes", I said. "But I know how busy you adults are, and we society-starved children wouldn't want to put you out of your way. Half of you wouldn't want to see us have a good time, anyway"

She gave me a surprised look and strutted off.

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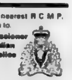

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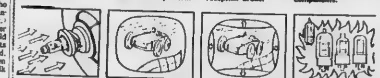

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Arnold Jones entered the Tofield Hospital on Wednesday, where he underwent surgery on Thursday. We all wish him a speedy recovery.

T. D. Ferguson and George Abernethy have both returned to their homes after having been patients in the Tofield Hospital for quite awhile.

Lorne Berrecloth returned home from Wandering River on Friday evening after working there the past few months.

Ken Ross of Ryley visited his uncle, Mervin Ross on Sunday afternoon and was a supper guest at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein were their two sons and their families namely, Elmer and Vivian Geoglein and children of Ardrossan, Ronnie and Barb Geoglein and daughter Sydney; also Mrs. Ethel Wood.

Joe and Tillie Yurkowski and Mrs. Pearl Chubaty all of Tofield and Mrs. Ellen Eaton were Friday evening guests at the home of George and Ida Niemetz. A very enjoyable evening was spent playing cards and visiting, followed by a delicious luncheon served by the hostess.

HERE FOR FUNERAL

Dede and Robert Goubault and daughter Judy of Drayton Valley and their son Jack and Gloria Goubault of Calgary were Thursday overnight guests at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood. All attended the funeral of Robert's mother, Mrs. Emil Goubault on Friday afternoon. Jack and Gloria returned to Calgary later Friday.

Miss Kathleen Wood of Calgary arrived Friday evening at the home of her parents, John and Mary Wood and was an overnight and Saturday until afternoon guest there. Also Saturday dinner guests there were John's and Mary's daughter, Dede and Robert Goubault. Kathleen returned to Edmonton with Dede and Robert on her way back to Calgary.

Esther and Joe Majakey of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon luncheon guests at the home of Esther's brother, John and Mary Wood. Enroute home they also called on George Abernethy.

Bill and Mary Tiedemann of Deville, their daughter, Sharron Tiedemann and her girl friend, Jean Perry, both of Edmonton, also Victor Goubault were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Bill's brother, Emil and Martha Tiedemann.

The farm accounting club are holding their meeting on March 2nd at 1:30 p.m. in the Tofield Legion Hall. There will be a speaker on insurance, there will also be a question period. This meeting is opened to anyone who is interested in this topic.


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# Tofield teams are champs

On Saturday, Feb. 19, the Tofield gym was the scene of the County of Beaver basketball tournament. All the games were exceptionally well played and all teams and coaches are congratulated on their efforts.

The afternoon game between the Tofield and Holden girls was won by Tofield, 24-23. The second game between the Ryley and Holden boys was won by Holden with an overtime score of 47-42. The evening championship game between the Ryley and Tofield girls was won by Tofield with a score of 24-22.

The boys' game which followed was won by the Tofield boys over Holden with a score of 66-30.

The students of Tofield High wish to commend the players on their fine representation of Tofield in all the games of the past basketball season. The Tofield High Boys team is especially note-worthy because of their remarkable achievements. While the Tofield girls provided the thrills of the tournament by first defeating second-place Holden and then defeating first-place Ryley in the championship game.

On February 28th the Tofield boys team will be competing in the A.A.A. East Central "B" Basketball Playoffs.

Their first game will be against Wetaskiwin at 8:30 p.m. in the Lutheran College gym at Camrose. If this game is won they will play again on Saturday afternoon at 2:00 against Castor. The boys are wished the best of luck in these games.

# Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Charnulke spent the weekend in Banff visiting with relatives. Joe motored home Monday morning.

C. Lien of the Ryley district was a caller in Holden Friday afternoon, accompanying his son-in-law Lawrence Hovland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bell of Edmonton, former Holden residents, were business callers in Holden Saturday afternoon, also calling on a few friends.

Lawrence Kalutzy has been helping at the National Grain Elevator at Chauvin for the past two weeks.

Joe Charnulke, village of Holden co-ordinator for EMO and Geo. H. Taylor, County of Beaver No. 9 Unit Co-ordinator of EMO attended a meeting of personnel in the County Office, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Appleby with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby were visitors Sunday evening of last week with their father, Harry Appleby, a resident in Vinita Lodge, Viking.

The Ladies Curling Club held an open Bonspiel Friday, Saturday and Sunday with approximately 20 rinks entered in the event.

Pupils and teachers from Viking, Holden, Ryley and Tofield show put on by a drama group from Calgary in the Tofield Community hall last week. Junior groups attended the afternoon presentation and senior groups in the evening. The group played to a capacity house both times and this is the first of its kind to be held in this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were Sunday and Monday visitors in Edmonton, with their daughters and on business.

Mrs. Irene Strilchuk who broke her ankle some weeks before Christmas and was wearing a cast had it removed from her leg a week ago.

Ray Hovland was a business visitor in Camrose Monday and called on friends there.

ADDITIONAL MEMORIAL TO WM. STEFFEN OBITUARY

Floral Tributes — Clarence and Borghild Budicki and Family.

# TAKE NOTICE

**That the annual meeting of the electors of the County of Beaver No. 9 will be held at one o'clock in the forenoon on SATURDAY, the 5th Day of MARCH, 1966, at the Ryley School Auditorium, for the discussion of County affairs.**

OLOF MONSSON
Secretary-Treasurer.

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## County of Beaver No. 9

# NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

**Penalty of 5% will be added to all unpaid taxes on March 1st, 1966, as authorized under Section 349 of the Municipal District Act.**

Land where taxes are in arrears for two years will be subject to Tax Notification on April 1st. as provided in Section 4 of The Tax Recovery Act. To avoid the filing of such Tax Notification all taxes except 1965 taxes must be paid prior to March 25th.

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# Kathy's Korner

## *Color hints*

THE EDITOR OF THE LADIES' section in *Keeping Track*, official publication of the employee communications branch, personnel and labor relations department of the Canadian National Railways, says that many people are "seized with a mania for decorating their homes" as Old Man Winter begins to lose his grasp for another year.

True, she says, it can be pretty expensive to start furnishing your home when you're still paying the Christmas bills, but a change of color costs little, and it can change a room.

*Warm colors like red, orange, yellow and shades of these colors make a room seem smaller but more lively—they are particularly good in living rooms and dens. Cool colors—blue, green, violet and variations on these—make a room seem spacious and airy and give it a tranquil atmosphere. If you want to change the apparent shape of a room, use pale colors on the walls you want to push out, and warm ones on the walls you want to move in.*

Echo in the room the predominant color in something you already own. You might want to dramatize a magnificently printed carpet or mosiac-topped table. Pick out the predominant shade and use the same color elsewhere. New cushions, a jar of brillliant dried flowers, new prints to hang on the walls—all are inexpensive ways to alter the color emphasis in a room.

In planning your color scheme, remember that one color should dominate, while a second or third is used in a lesser degree to point up or subdue. The third color is an accent color and should be used sparingly on lamps, ashtrays, flower-pots and cushions. It adds the "zip" to a room that seasoning adds to food. You can spray some inexpensive accent pieces with aerosol spray paint which is easy to use and dries quickly.

*As an extra help to home decorating, use a color wheel. Color wheels, which diagram the relationships between colors, can be found in books on home decorating.*

# Colleen Wyley wins first in 4-H contest

(Allen Horchuk)

On February 10th, the Tofield 4-H Beef club held its monthly meeting. The main issue at the meeting, besides the regular business was a public speaking contest.

The seven participants and their topics were; Monty Malcom on "A career in conservation", Judy Moore, "A week at camp", Lyle Heiberg, "Radar"; Robert Holowaychuk, "The challenge of change"; Colleen Wyley, "A tribute to our pioneers"; Marlyn Schacker, "Canadian Centennial" and Terry Moore's topic was "The future schools".

The winner of the contest was Colleen Wyley, who narrowly defeated Marlyn Schacker, Judy Moore and Terry Moore. All contestants are to be commended on their presentations.

A coming event of interest is the 4-H Skating Party to be held at Ross Creek, February 18th.

# Mr. P. Wiens Awarded Ten Year Elevator Merit Certificate

Mr. P. Wiens of the Alberta Pacific Grain Ltd. at Ryley, Alta., has been awarded a Ten Year Elevator Merit Certificate. This award is granted by the Affiliated Inspection Bureau Limited in recognition of proficiency in the care of grain elevator premises and to earn this, an elevator agent must have a perfect record for ten consecutive years.

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(Mrs. Jas Knudson)

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Away back in 1911, Mrs. M. Rasmussen's mother, Mrs. Poulson, started a Christmas cactus and it continued to flourish. At the time of her mother's death, February 11, 1935 the plant was handed down to her only daughter, Mrs. Rasmussen of the Gladstone district about 22 miles east of Camrose.

Nora has lovingly cared for the plant these past 30 years, for sentimental reasons as well. It is now a hanging plant with a circumference of about 36 inches and is still blooming. At Christmas time it had about 100 red blossoms.

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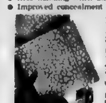

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# Friendship Group meets Feb. 17th.

The Friendship Group held day, Feb. 17th, at the home of Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus with 11 ladies present. Devotions were taken by Mrs. N. L. Campbell which were on St. Paul and his Conversion on the Road to Damascus. Mrs. Campbell also gave a reading, giving a synopsis of the work of the Salvation Army from their beginning to the present day. This is the centennial year for the Salvation Army.

A letter of thanks was read from the missionary in Hong Kong and the ladies discussed sending another parcel there in the near future, also another donation to the little boy they have adopted.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Blanche Olson with devotions being taken by Mrs. R. Lutz.


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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

The sons and daughters of Agnes McGinitie and their families were guests at her home on Sunday to help her celebrate her birthday. They were Harvey and Pauline, and children of Viking. Alice and Eric Munkedahl, and children of Ryley; and Donnolley, Opal, Floyd and Darlene were evening callers.

Harold, Ronald and Kay Coombes attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Johnny Crovum on Monday afternoon in Edmonton

Betty Ann Schultz and Irene Lawson of Edmonton spent the weekend at home with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dyer of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Jennie and Pat Sears.

Sharon and Richard Streng of Edmonton spent the weekend with the family and Florence and Jimmy Ingram.

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. N. L. Campbell entertained a number of friends and neighbors last Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Scott of Dawson Creek, B.C. who with her husband were visiting last week with her sister and brother, Miss June Clark and Lloyd.

**FAMILY RE-UNION**

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Budd and family and relatives who had been visiting with them, drove to Cadogan the weekend of February 12th, to visit Mrs. Budd's mother, and to attend a family re-union there.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorenson entertained friends around Holden and from Tofield at a card party last Saturday evening.

**BIRTH ANNOUNCED**

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Duliba of St. Paul, (nee Lorraine Zwierachke) have been receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Katherine Ann, January 14th. This is the first grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. Ross Zwierachke. Mrs. Zwierachke visited with her daughter and son-in-law, for a week to get aquainted with her granddaughter.

**LUCKY WINNER**

Mrs. Ron McLeod, (nee Myrtle Hooper) a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hooper, was a lucky contestant recently. She was awarded a trip to Vancouver by air, with all expenses paid for an interview on the "Windfall" program. Having the nearest answer to the question asked, she won a beautiful Bernina sewing machine. The program which was taped will be shown on Channel 3, March 12th at 8 30 p.m. Mrs. Hooper was in the city for three days while her daughter was away looking after the children. Myrtle also visited with a niece in Vancouver.

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## Around the Town

Mrs. Joe (Tillie) Yurkowski is a patient in the Tofield Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eric Lefsrud from Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Place from Viking were Sunday visitors with Carol and Betty Swanson.

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Bert Everitt left last Wednesday afternoon for Kindersley, Sask., to attend the funeral of his uncle on Thursday.

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A number of friends of Mrs. J. A. Richardson's gathered at the Stinson home on Saturday afternoon to help her celebrate her birthday.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Walter Wiklun is a patient in the Vegreville Hospital.

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The Ross Creek people will be glad to hear that Wyman Odiorne, who has been a patient in the University hospital and Glen Gray hospital, will soon be coming home. Also Mrs. Sid Cossey who had the misfortune to fracture a hip, is recovering nicely in Lamont Hospital.

## Ministik news

Mrs. J. Roddick

The whist drive held Friday evening was a huge success, despite a cool evening. Conveners Mrs Andrew Ferguson and Mrs. Claude Leach wish to thank all who helped to make the evening a success. Prize-winners were, ladies' first, Miss Theresa Rogier; ladies' second, Ralph Leach (playing as a lady); ladies' consolation, Mrs. Albert Horricks; men's first, Glenn Ferguson; men's second, Verden Sears; men's consolation, Ronald Ferguson.

Beverly Loch attended Varsity Guest Weekend in Edmonton, on Saturday.

Barbara Kleinschroth of Edmonton, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth, was a successful candidate in Grade VII examinations held recently by the Royal Conservatory of Music in Toronto.

Seventeen members of the Ministik Ladies' Club motored to the Highway Motor Hotel on Wednesday where they enjoyed dinner. Later they attended a show, "Sound of Music", featuring Julie Andrews, at the Transcona Theatre.

Several children in the community have been ill this past week including Linda Paterson Myron Bowerman and Lorraine Davenport.

**UNDERGOES SURGERY**

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland had some anxious moments last week when their little grandson Terry Collingwood of Edmonton underwent major surgery in an Edmonton hospital.

Don't forget the cash bingo sponsored by the Ladies Club at the Hall on Feb. 25th at 8 30 p.m. Mrs. Joe Davenport and Mrs. Baden Bowerman are conveners.

Donald Grummett of Calgary was a recent weekend guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Les Whitford.

Mrs. Michael Nasichuk spent last week doing household duties for a friend who had injured her arm.

Several members of the Community Club curled in a mixed bonspiel in Tofield on Saturday afternoon.

## Former Holden man passes in Victoria

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Frank Breach of Victoria, B.C. a former Holden resident, passed away Thursday, Jan. 27th at the age of 82 years. Mr. and Mrs. Breach lived in Holden for many years when he was the agent at the National Grain and for Imperial Oil.

Mr. Breach served overseas in World War I and was badly gassed during one of the offensives. He retired from the elevator about 25 years ago for health reasons and since then has made his home in Victoria. Mrs. Breach pre-deceased him three or four years ago. He is survived by his sister, Mrs. L. T. Chadwick of Winnipeg, Man., and several nieces and nephews. January 31st.

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# Education to be discussed at public meeting, Mar. 8

This year the week of March 6th - March 12th has been designated as Education Week. In honor of this public recognition of the importance of education, the Tofield sub-local of the ATA, under the presidency of Mrs. M. Conn, will present an evening of discussion and entertainment on Tuesday, March 8th, at the Tofield School, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

The evening's activities will be divided into two parts. The first session, beginning at 7:30, will explore the new trends in education which are already in operation in the County of Beaver schools as well as those which are scheduled for introduction next year.

This session will be divided into three sections, any one of which parents may attend according to their special interests. One group will be concerned with the elementary grades. Here, a panel discussion under the chairmanship of Mrs. Daisy Young with Mrs H Ruddy as consultant, will discuss the Continuous Progress Plan which has now been in operation in the County of Beaver for six year. Concerning the Continuous Progress Plan, four aspects will be considered:

1. The aims, methods and achievements of the plan.
2. What is being done for the gifted child
3. What remedial steps are being undertaken to help the slow learner.
4. Are the present report cards satisfactory? Would parents prefer another kind of reporting system?

While this session is evaluating the success of the Continuous Progress Plan, parents interested in the new High School and Junior High courses in science, Mathematics, English and Social Studies courses will meet to hear these explained. Mrs. Conn will be the chairman for this session and she will have a number of teachers assisting her. Miss Cumming will explain the English 33 course which is being taught for the first time this year. Mrs Sodhi will discuss the new mathematics course introduced this year in Grade X. Mr. Cribb will describe the Grade X science course which is also is new this year. He will also describe briefly the new course in social studies (33) to be introduced next year for non-matriculation students. Miss Matthews will discuss the Grade VII course introduced this year, with Mrs. Cribb reviewing the teaching of the elementary grades in mathematics. Mr. Sodhi will discuss new trends and concepts in counselling. Mr. H. A. Pike, Superintendent of Schools, will be consultant for this session.

When these two sessions have been completed, the two groups will join in a general session to discuss "Education in Alberta". This will take the form of a panel discussion involving students, parents and teachers., and should prove valuable to anyone interested in education, no matter at what level or from what viewpoint.

The public is given a most cordial invitation to attend any or all of these sessions and to remain for the lunch and the social hour which will follow

# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow Lars Ritland Wednesday afternoon were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. ... of last week.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Elna Parsons, who had been a patient in the University hospital for a few weeks having treatment, is presently a patient in the Good Samaritan hospital, Edmonton.

Mrs John Lemko has been a patient in Viking hospital for several days the past week having a check-up and tests. The youngest daughter was staying with Mr. and Mrs. Kalmany and family.

Mrs. Alex Shyba was an overnight patient in Tofield hospital the early part of last week having X-rays.

Steve Sollman of Edmonton was a supper guest with his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka, Friday evening of last week, enroute home from a business trip at Saskatoon.

Debbie Semotuk the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John ... ber of her school chums on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 17th, to help her celebrate her 10th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy and Mrs. Helen Tiedemann were Friday evening visitors in Edmonton.

Mr and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visitors over the weekend with their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas of Viking.

John Lemko visited with Mrs Lemko at Viking hospital Thursday evening Mrs Mary James was in charge of the children while he was away.

Mrs Earling Henderson of Taber has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Mabel Sizer and they both drove to Viking Friday to visit with Mrs. Sizer's daughter, Gurene and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hammer.

TO MEXICO

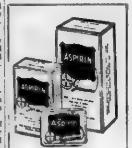
Harry Olson was a Thursday overnight visitor with his mother, Mrs. Carrie Olson. He and Russel Komarnitsky left for Edmonton Friday morning, and Nisku airport from where they left by plane for a two week holiday in Mexico

Chris Christenson was a dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. Nels Hvild Wednesday of last week.

## Tofield Lions meet Tuesday

Tofield Lions Club held their regular semi-monthly meeting in the Community League meeting room on Tuesday, with a good attendance. Matters receiving special attention were an appeal from Tofield Municipal Hospital for assistance in purchasing a new ambulance which has already been ordered; the Annual Charter night to be held in the Community Hall on Feb. 26th, together with a report by Lion Regehr in the sales on the Ski-do being raffled off.

The Hospital was to be advised that their request for assistance would be taken up at a later date.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# Basketball tournament to begin here Friday

Saturday, Feb. 26, is the date selected for the Lions Club-sponsored Junior High School basketball tournament at the Tofield School. Both boys' and girls' teams from Viking, Bruce, Holden, Ryley and Tofield will participate. The tournament will commence with two games on Friday night and will run all day Saturday with games from 9.00 a.m. to 9.00 p.m. The Junior High students will be running the lunch concession all day Saturday. Passes for the entire tournament may be secured at the door for $1.00 for adults and 75c for students; single game admissions are 30c.

Leo Hurka, physical education teacher in Tofield and coach of both Tofield Junior High teams, has announced the following schedule of games:

Friday, 7 00 p.m.—Tofield girls vs. Viking girls.

Friday, 9:00 p.m.—Holden girls vs Bruce girls.

Saturday, 9 00 a.m. — Viking boys vs. Tofield boys.

Saturday, 11:00 a.m. — Ryley boys vs. Bruce boys.

Saturday, 1.00 p.m. — Ryley girls vs. winner Holden-Bruce.

Saturday, 3:00 p.m. — Holden boys vs. winner Ryley-Bruce

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.—Girls' final

Saturday, 5:00 p.m. — Girls' final.

Saturday, 7:00 p.m. — Boys' final

The referees will be Messrs Eastlick, Kniss, Annis, Ness, Hurka and Lutz

This is the first time this tournament has been held in Tofield Junior High students extend a cordial invitation to the public to come out and support the local [illegible]

The trophies will be presented to the winning teams by Henry Paige, president of the Tofield Lions Club.

## Legion bonspiel was held on Sunday

The Tofield Legion held their annual curling bonspiel on Sunday, Feb 20th at the Tofield Curling rink. Each rink curled two eight-end games.

Counting by the points the Conrad Simonson rink from Kingman were high, the rink consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Simonson and Mr. and Mrs Farness. After the curling a pot luck supper, held in the Legion Hall was enjoyed by all who took part in the bonspiel.


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## Three ladies cited for their efforts at Agnes Forbes Lodge

During the Sunday evening service at Agnes Forbes Lodge last week, Rev. P. Ream read a letter which was received from Rev. J. R. Hord, the secretary of the Board of Evangelism and Social Service, Toronto. Rev Hord recognized the service devoted to the Lodge by Mrs. Dundas, Miss Frey and Mrs. Bessie Pederson, formerly of Ross Creek He expressed the appreciation of the whole church to these ladies, and said, "We have regarded the standard of their work as very high and know that they have won the affection and thanks of the residents through the years".

Last Sunday evening presentations in recognition of service were made to three members of the staff of Agnes Forbes Lodge

The evening, organized by the Session of First United, started with their regular service at which the choir sang

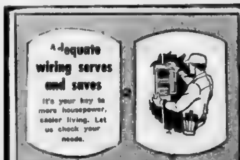
Rev Ream presented Mrs. Dundas with an engraved silver tea tray in recognition of her service from 1950 to 1966

Miss M Frey, who has been on the staff since December 1952, was presented with a set of initialled teaspoons

Mrs Bessie Pederson, who has been there nearly two years, received a cut glass cream and sugar set.

Mrs Victor Wood, president of the UCW, then presented Mrs. Dundas with an engraved teaspoon from the UCW group to which she belonged.

Lunch was supplied and served by the Session.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Trained Hunters

Shown are members of the Tofield Gun Club who recently passed the examination to become qualified hunter training instructors. Mr. P. J. Presidente, hunter training officer for Alberta, conducted the course in the Tofield Gun Club building. The following members are now qualified hunter training instructors: W. Freisen, A. Klassen, L. Rude, L. Foshaug, A. Warner, N. Stauffer, D. Hardy, J. Nolan, G. Funk, L. Willson, G. Reil, R. Murray, and T. R. Nahrebeski. Pictured is Mayor Freebury presenting a crest to club president Glen Reil. The rest of the group with the exception of J. Nolan and N. Stauffer are shown in the background with their crests. The Gun Club plans to hold a hunter training course as soon as possible. Interested parties are requested to contact a club member for further information. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Tofield takes all in basketball tourney

(Joy Warkentin)

The Basketball Tournament sponsored by the Lions Club for Junior High School teams, was held Saturday, Feb. 26, in the Tofield School. Teams from Viking, Bruce, Holden, Ryley and Tofield competed for the trophies and crests supplied by the Lions Clubs of Tofield and Ryley

The schedule was as follows.

Friday—Tofield girls vs. Viking girls—winners, Tofield.

Bruce girls vs. Holden girls—winners, Holden.

Saturday—Tofied boys vs. Viking boys—winners, Tofield

Bruce boys vs. Ryley boys—winners, Ryley.

Holden girls vs. Ryley girls—winners, Ryley.

Ryley boys vs. Holden boys—winners, Holden

The final games were both won by Tofield teams, the Tofield girls defeating the Ryley girls and the Tofield boys defeating the Holden boys.

Trophies were presented to the winning teams by John Moore and Paul Voegtlin, on behalf of the Lions Club

The players would like to express their gratitude to the Lions Club for sponsoring the tournament, to the public for supporting the tournament, to the referees, Messrs. Hurka, Voegtlin, Annis, Lutz, Eastlick, Ness and Kniss, and to the students and teachers who served lunches all day.

Mr Hurka, who coached both Tofield teams, was presented with a gift in recognition of his successful efforts. The referees received whistles as a gesture of thanks for their services.

## Society appeals for registered brands

The Tofield Historical Society, at its last annual meeting, agreed to go ahead with plans for the making of a quilt displaying the various brands in the Tofield area

This quilt will consist of copies of registered brands on blocks 5 by 6 inches along with the owner's name. The Society is asking one dollar ($1.00) per brand to cover the cost of material. It is hoped that interested local cattlemen will leave their deposit at the office of J. E. Stinson or with Mrs. Mary Tiedemann, Deville, Alberta. Brands will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis, as only a limited number can be used

It is the Society's intention to raffle the quilt, winner to be declared on July 1st this year.

# Somebody goofed!

Due to a breakdown in communications, or perhaps more correctly, the misunderstanding of a term used, an advertisement scheduled for The Mercury last week, advertising a program night at Chipman School auditorium for Friday, March 5th. at 8:00 o'clock, did not make last week's issue

A former correspondent, Mrs. Bessie Pederson, who now lives in Fort Saskatchewan, wrote the editor a very nice letter last week (it's always a pleasure to hear from her), and among other things she mentioned a "poster" she would like to see printed. Well, when the editor saw the word "poster", he decided to look into it as soon as he got last week's Mercury on the press and rolling. First things first' Then, after The Mercury was printed, he again checked into the "poster", only to find what Mrs Pederson actually had wanted was an advertisement in The Mercury.

The editor mentions this only to save his good friend, Mrs Pederson, from getting it in the neck for not getting the ad into last week's paper. The editor will take the blame. He should have read the letter more carefully. Please accept his apologies, Mrs Pederson'

But to those who receive this week's paper in time for the Friday night program, we might mention there will be piano solos, monologues, a one-act play, pantomimes, an Irish band, guest stars, square dancing, western singing, A-go-go '66 and a sing-along. It is sponsored by the Ross Creek UCW, with proceeds to go to the building fund. Admission charges will be $1 for adults, 75 cents for students and 50 cents for children six to 12 years of age.

# Community League seeks to retire debt in 1966

An all-out effort to reduce or, hopefully, to retire the debt on the Tofield Community Centre this year is being made by the Tofield Community league under the presidency of Lionel Borton.

In order to achieve this objective, the League is sponsoring several evenings' entertainments in the near future

DRAMA NIGHT

One of these will occur Thursday, March 10, when, under the sponsorship of the League, the Tofield School drama classes are presenting two one-act plays

C. F. Annis, who last year won an award as Best Director, will present the play he has chosen as this year's entry in the Zone Drama Festival. His choice this year is "From Five to Five-Thirty", by Philip Johnson. The cast, in order of appearance, are: Cherie Astley, Dianne Pittet, Lynn Dunlop, Cheryl Halverson and Gerry Hardy

Since the drama festival will be in Vegreville this year, this will be the only chance Tofielders will have to see this play here. In the past, Mr. Annis' plays have been highly successful and indications are that this year's entry will uphold the high standards set by previous ones and well worth seeing

The second one-act play will be "Rise and Shine", by Elda Cadogan, with Karl Meyer, Gwen Sears, Eddie Riley and Gwen Foshaug as the cast. Mr. Norton, from the Junior High School, is directing this play.

Other attractions will feature the musical talent found in the Tofield School, and will round out an evening of first-class entertainment by the young people of the community.

OTHER EVENTS

On April 2, the Camrose Chorus will present an evening of fine variety entertainment; again the League will be sponsoring the [illegible]

On April 14 the Little Old Opera will be featured in the Community Centre

All these events are well worth attending and community support for them will aid in reducing the debt on the Tofield Community Centre.

## Weather . . .

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## Capacity crowd at Talent Show

A capacity crowd attended the Co-op and 4-H Club Talent Show on Friday night, Feb. 25, in the Tofield Community Hall

Bev Munroe from CFCW, Camrose, was master of ceremonies. The program opened with the Tofield school band, directed by Mr Coates of Edmonton, playing "O Canada", followed by the East Port march.

Other items on the program were a piano solo by Roland Balser, an accordion solo by Lyle Jacobson and a piano solo by Dorothy Berg. Darlene Kubin sang two numbers, accompanied by Bill Baerg on the guitar; Sanda and Lynda Horn performed with a tap dance; Diane Stauffer, a piano solo; Ken Lemke, a monologue, the three Shewchuk children sang a selection, accompanied by Mrs. Stinson at the piano; piano solo by Alice Berg, duet, by Lucille Stednik and Evelyn Ferril; two songs by Laura Tiedeman, Millie Hoph and Betty Gray, accompanied by Jewel and Don Tiedeman on electric guitars, piano solo by Brenda Huebert, piano solo by Sharon Rudzcki; song by Bev. Munroe and his guitar, instrumental duet by Grace and Lyle Heiberg; trio by Lilian, Elvera and Roland Balser, piano solo by Kathy Reil, piano solo by Wendy Bergen, lighted baton twirling by Lorrie Schwuchow, monologue by Ken Lemke; piano solo by Lilian Bal-

(Continued on Page Eight)

# W. Wilkie wins power toboggan

Wm. H Wilkie, Tofield, with ticket No 630, was the winner in the Lions power toboggan draw which was held in conjunction with the Tofield Lions Charter Night last Saturday evening. Mr. Wilkie's son, Harry, said that his father, 82, would not likely use the popular machine too much, but he looked forward to many hours of scooting over the snowbanks himself

Members and their wives numbering some 170 from Fort Saskatchewan, Daysland, Two Hills, Ryley, Camrose, Chipman, Edmonton and Lamont were at the Community Hall to help the local Lions celebrate the Charter Night of the Tofield club. The evening was enlivened with several novelty dances and completed with a buffet banquet at midnight.

# Reason and responsibility

Introducing his new program of legislation on adoption, the Hon. Mr. Halmrast has demonstrated at one and the same time that he possesses the courage to tackle a difficult and politically dangerous problem, to face it with honesty, with a sense of proportion and breadth, and with a mature, enlightened, and responsible viewpoint.

Mr Halmrast's suggestion that adoption be restricted for a full year to the religion of the mother's choice is a rational compromise between the viewpoints that no restrictions should be allowed and the opposing view that a mother has the inalienable right to choose the church of the child.

We could perhaps be persuaded to accept in part the latter view if we could be persuaded that the woman involved has contributed any part of the high calling of motherhood, with all that this implies. On the contrary we are firmly persuaded that up to this point in the story, she has only played the role of an incubator. The role, the responsibilities and the privileges of motherhood lie ahead . . . and if her baby is up for adoption, she has abdicated these responsibilities and these privileges.

In the same legislation will be provisions making it easier for single women (and we hope, single men) to adopt children, although naturally they will face more careful scrutiny than married couples. There must be countless women and some men who for one reason or another live alone and yet who could and would dearly love to provide a home for some hapless child. Because the quirks of chance to shape our lives decree that some of us are denied the opportunity for the normal companionship of marriage, it should not follow that all other aspects of home life are automatically ruled out in addition.

# Money talks

Continuing tragic tolls on the highways are causing far more emphasis on automobile safety than ever before and car manufacturers are coming in for some pretty serious criticisms over their indifference to this fact responsibility in designing and manufacturing.

Safety councils have stressed this need among others, while authors, publishers and other writers have taken up the cudgels with articles in magazines, television programs, newspaper articles, books, safety crusades and so on.

Like water everlastingly dripping on stone, this barrage of attention may eventually bring some changes in thinking among the car designers. But we wouldn't count on it too much, nor expect a great deal.

The only time they will pay attention, it seems to us, is if and when the insurance companies realize what is happening to them because of the lack of built-in safety features in modern automobiles. When they produce figures showing that claims from one make of car substantially outclass other makes, and either bonus the owners of safer cars or "rate" owners of the other varieties, then, and only then, we feel, will any important concessions be made by the industry.

If they would, car insurance companies could wield tremendous influence to reduce their own losses through the building of safer vehicles. Every driver today knows how serious is the situation facing the insurance industry, and what it has been doing to insurance rates. If one brand of car were given a lower rate by the insurance companies, while another was given a higher insurance cost, and these ratings could be substantiated actuarially, the effect on buyer's decisions would be heard instantly in Detroit.

Money talks, and right now, the insurance companies are in the best position to make big money heard.

# Crime against humanity

Most people must have felt distinct shock at the revelation one of the major drug manufacturing firms has been charged with continuing to manufacture and supply a comparatively new drug after it had discovered through its own research that harmful side effects were experienced. A careful investigation by senior drug officials reveals the knowledge was in the hands of the company three or four years before it came to the attention of the investigators.

The certain knowledge that firms continue to manufacture and supply these drugs, without informing physicians, after learning of these extra deleterious effects, must produce the strongest feelings of revulsion in the public. After the wonderful efforts at enhancing their reputations for infinite care and solicitude in the preparation of drugs, for constantly checking for stability and replacing dated shelf stocks, the drug companies will all be suspected of sharing in this degenerate practice of trafficking in human suffering.

All the pleas for marketing under generic names rather than trade names will be given new support.

Surely, such a callous disregard of the rights of customers should be treated most severely by the food and drug administration.

# By George!

Mike Sich, who just last Sunday returned from a motor trip to southern California, says the system of freeways established in the large cities such as San Francisco and Los Angeles is nothing short of fantastic.

His views are backed up by Mary LaBarge, a visitor to that part of the world a couple of years ago. "You can get across Los Angeles from corner to corner, a distance of about 60 miles, just as fast or faster than it would take you to drive through Edmonton", claims Mary. Where some of the freeways intersect, he said, there are as many as four tiers of them crossing over and under each other.

But Mike has a warning to issue to all who plan to visit one of these large cities. Make darned sure you get on the right freeway. Mike didn't on his first try.

He and his good wife entered San Francisco after dark and began looking for a route to take them to the motel area of the city. Inadvertently Mike got into a stream of traffic that led onto the Golden Gate bridge—all six miles of it! So the Sich's made the trip to Oakland. After pulling up in the extreme right lane, one of 18 such lanes—to pay his toll for the bridge, Mike explained his plight to a kind and sympathetic attendant, a colored lad. "I don't want to be here", said Mike. "I want to be in San Francisco. How do I get back?"

The lad tried to direct Mike over several blocks of Oakland so that he might reach the road leading to the lane which would take him back to San Francisco, but the attendant himself became so confused, he finally stepped into a booth and talked to the attendants in the other 17 booths over an intercom. Stepping up to Mike's car window again, he said, "Look! All the lanes on this side of the bridge are about to be closed for a few seconds. When I say 'go' you just drive as fast as you can right across these 18 lanes to the first lane of traffic going the other way." At the signal Mike streaked to the designated toll booth and shortly he and Bertha found themselves headed back to San Francisco.

"I'm sure glad the attendant was so understanding and cooperative", commented Mike.

And I don't blame him for feeling that way. Who could possibly have stood all that embarrassment and a chewing-out besides?

# Get the accused out of the dock

Most of our criminal law and court practices derive from England. For that reason we watch carefully any changes made in English law and practices and ourselves adopt those which tend to improve our system. One change now advocated by the English Law Society would be well worth consideration here for we are constantly seeking ways of safeguarding the interest of accused persons who are presumed to be innocent until proven guilty.

The Law Society seeks abolition of the dock in English criminal courts. It would put the accused at a table near his counsel. This is the practice in American criminal courts and it seems to work well. The accused is not [illegible] throughout the hearing.

The argument for change is put cogently by the Law Society.

"For all practical purposes the onus of establishing guilt remains throughout upon the prosecution and the effect of placing the accused in a structure in the centre of the court which from its nature suggests that he is already the subject of imprisonment is contrary to this fundamental principle."

There are other arguments for [illegible], among them the fairness of [illegible] the accused easy access to his counsel and removing from him the stigma that is associated with his isolation in a prominent place in the court, [illegible] perhaps with policemen on either side of him. The burden of proof lies with the prosecution in criminal cases and it can be fairly argued that anything that places the accused at a disadvantage is a denial of this principle.

—The Montreal Star

# MacDuff Ottawa report

## LABOR'S BIGGEST PROBLEM

OTTAWA — Union workers in Quebec have been noticeably deaf to the siren calls of separatist agitators. The separatists themselves have from time to time [illegible] their failure to appeal to the ordinary working class French-Canadian.

This does not mean, however, that Quebec trade unions [illegible] to have the [illegible] specially adapted organizations. In the field of labour, as in politics and culture, there is a burning Quebec desire to resist domination by English [illegible] and to [illegible] forces.

[illegible] to the [illegible] conflict that has broken out between the Canadian Labour Congress and the Quebec-based Confederation of National Trade Unions.

On the surface [illegible] contest. The CLC [illegible] more than 1,200,000 members [illegible] labour body for Canada. The CNTU has about [illegible] members, nearly all of them in Quebec and [illegible] in Quebec.

## STRONG, LITTLE GROUP

But the CNTU is aggressive, militant, ambitious and is growing rapidly, partly because of its unabashed raids on membership of Quebec unions affiliated with the CLC.

It has the CLC on the [illegible] as the Quebec government has the federal government on the defensive. [illegible] Even [illegible] the CLC president [illegible] a French-Canadian [illegible] organization is [illegible] fed [illegible] the [illegible] of Quebec.

The CNTU, [illegible] Quebec Government, [illegible] the true voice of Quebec.

Late in February [illegible] week both labour organizations presented briefs to the federal government. Some [illegible] differences were [illegible] in the presentations.

The CLC, for example, [illegible] about regionalism, [illegible] centralization and favours a strong central government for Canada.

The CNTU, on the other hand,

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

Mrs. Ellen Eaton

The Ross Creek UCW are holding a variety program at the Chipman School Gymnasium on Saturday, March 5th, at 8 p.m. Adults $1.00, students 75c, children 6 to 12 50c and under 6, free. All interested are requested to attend, if possible, as the funds will be used for the building of a United Church at Ross Creek.

Evie & Vic Halwa and children of Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Evie's parents, John & Mary Wood. Geo. Abernethy was also an afternoon visitor and coffee guest there on Sunday.

Janet Wickenberg and Mrs Vivian Jones of Edmonton were weekend visitors at the home of their parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg.

Walter and Evelyn Eaton and children, Brenda, Donnie, Kevin, Brian and Karen of Edson, arrived Friday evening for a weekend of visiting with relatives and friends in Tofield and district. Brenda was a weekend guest of her cousin Ruth Norton in Tofield, while Walter, Evelyn and the other children were Friday overnight and Saturday overnight guests at the home of Walter's mother Mrs. [illegible] Eaton on the farm. They left for home again on Sunday [illegible].

Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen were Mavis's father Julius Jacobson also her nephew and his wife Dennis and Jeanette Jacobson all of Edmonton, and Barbara and Clifford Appleby of Tofield. Julius Jacobson was also an overnight guest there, returning home Monday.

Mrs. Ruth Ferguson and her mother Mrs Jason Henderson were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Martha and Emil Tiedemann.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Siegel of Wetaskiwin, spent last week visiting at the home of Harold and Margaret Weatherill.

### AT MONTANA SALE

Howard and Ronnie Brown, and Leonard Schacher left on Tuesday of last week to attend the Polled Hereford Sale held at Great Falls, Montana. They returned home Friday night.

Mrs. Mae Ferguson and son Nelson were Wednesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mae's daughter, Mrs. Doris Brown.

Mrs. Loretta Weir spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Emery Phillips and his son and daughter-in-law, Clarence and Jean Phillips, all of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Mrs. Ella Eaton.

The FWUA will meet at the home of Mrs. Barbara Appleby on Thursday afternoon, March 10th. Visitors are also welcome.

### HENRY WHITE PASSES

Sympathy of the district goes to Mrs. Art (Irene) Trout and family on the death of her father Henry White in Edmonton last weekend. Sympathy also goes to all other members of the White family and to Mrs. White who is at present a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital. The Henry White family were former residents of the Tofield - McKenzie districts.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Burchard and Mrs. Alice Warner were Sunday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

Roy Wickenberg returned to his home from hospital on Wednesday of last week but returned to the hospital Monday of this week. All wish him a speedy recovery.

# Ministik news

Mrs. Jim Roddick

There was a good attendance at the United Church Sunday, with Mr. Bob Stacey of Edmonton in charge of the service.

### REA MEETING

The Ministik Rural Electrification Association annual meeting was held at the hall Wednesday evening with Stewart Andersen in attendance. Coffee and doughnuts were served by Mrs. George Kleinschroth, Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth and Miss Ann Paterson after the business session was completed.

### BINGO A SUCCESS

The cash bingo held at the hall Friday evening was a huge success. Mrs. Baden Bowerman and Mrs. Joe Davenport were convenors and Mrs. Albert Horricks was in charge of the lunch. Bill Roddick and Baden Bowerman were in charge of the Bingo machine.

Mrs. T. A. Jones and two granddaughters returned last Monday from Wilkie, Saskatchewan, where Mrs. Jones' mother was in hospital. She has since returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Verden Sears were Saturday visitors with their daughter and son-in-law, the Elwood Dekinders in Edmonton. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

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# NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

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# The Ryley Times



## Elmer Noah Davick passes on February 11

Elmer Noah Davick was born Oct. 31, 1904 and lived in the Ryley district throughout his whole life. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran church.

He was married to Mary Holowachuk in 1942. To this union one son was born. Mr Davick died at the Tofield hospital on Friday, Feb 11, at about 1:00 p.m. He lived to be 61 years and 3 months and 11 days.

He leaves his wife Mary, one son Peter of Fort McMurray, his mother Mrs Caroline Davick of Camrose, three brothers, Jorgen, Roy and Leonard all of Ryley, two sisters Alma, Mrs Wiklun of Camrose, Mrytle, Mrs. Roche of Port Alberni, B C.

Pallbearers were Lester Pepper, Chris Bugge, S Booth, Ed Chappell, Louie Stefura and Anton Knudslien.

Honorary pallbearers were: Alex Kurilo, Ted Strilchuk, Wm Holowachuk, Bob Campbell, Jim Holwen and Lorne Gudmundson. Andrews McLoughlin Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to thank all our friends and neighbors for their many kind acts of sympathy and for the memorial donations extended during our recent bereavement.

— Mary and Peter Davick.

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### FUTURE DATES

**EASTER TEA AND SALE OF HOME COOKING**

The Evening Unit of the U.C.W. will hold their Easter Tea and Sale of Home Cooking and Flowers on Saturday, April 9, in the [illegible] United Church Basement. [illegible] wishing potted plants or lilies, please phone 662-3002 to order some. 27 to 32c-3181

**McKENZIE HALL MEETING**

Residents of Lakeshore and McKenzie are urged to attend a meeting in the Town Hall on Saturday, March 12, at 8:00 p.m., to discuss the future of the McKenzie Hall. 27-28c-3179

**F.U.A. MEETING**

A representative of the Medical Services Limited will be at the F.U.A. meeting at the Legion Hall on Tuesday, March 8, at 8:00 p.m. The purpose of this is to try and form a group medical insurance plan, which would mean a considerable saving to each us over the single or individual plan with the same coverage. We must have a large attendance to make this work. This is one way where by helping the other fellow you help yourself also. There will also be a vote on the question of Daylight Saving plan.

—Geo. G. Abernethy, Sec'y 27p-3177

### CARDS OF THANKS

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**OLD NYLON STOCKINGS FOR KOREA**

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## Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
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Sunday, March 6th

10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "The Sign Above Our Ignorance".

"Little boys who whine all the time usually become GROAN-men"

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean

Sunday, March 6th

10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service of Music and Message

Tuesday, 2:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**

Sunday, March 6th

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service, and Communion.

Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.—Bible Study for the entire family.

"Prayer is not conquering God's reluctance, but laying hold of God's willingness". (Author unknown).

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O Come Let Us Worship.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Winter Schedule

TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 11:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 11:00 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:30 p.m.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude

Sunday, March 6th

HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

## High School news report

(Elaine Walker)

The public is reminded of the coming events in connection with student projects.

On Saturday, March 5, the open mixed high school bonspiel will be held in Tofield. Then on March 12, the County high school bonspiel will also be held in Tofield.

On March 10 the high school and junior high will present their drama productions. The high school will present their play, "Five to Five-Thirty" again at the Drama Festival to be held in Vegreville on March 18 and 19.

## Young lad dies in city mishap

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Shawn Kiernan, aged six years, son of Mr and Mrs. James Kiernan (nee Emily Laskoski) of 13416 - 102nd Street, Edmonton, and a grandson of Mrs Nancy Laskoski, was drowned when he fell into a deep pool of water caused by a broken water main in the city.

Shawn and a playmate had gone out to play, and less than 15 minutes later the little girl ran home shouting that Shawn had fallen into the water.

In spite of efforts by his father, police and firemen the boy was found to be dead on arrival at the Royal Alexandra Hospital.

He is survived by his parents, one sister, Sharon, his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs M. Kiernan, and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Nancy Laskoski.

Funeral Service was held Thursday, Feb. 24 at Park Memorial Chapel, Edmonton, with Rt Rev Edmund Donohue officiating and interment was in St. Joachims cemetery. The sympathy of all is extended to the bereaved families.

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# Daysland boys and Wet'n girls advance to Alberta hoop finals

**One for THS**

This is one of several baskets made by the Tofield High School boys Saturday afternoon in a game with Castor High, but unfortunately the Castor boys hooped more of them and eliminated Tofield from the provincial semi-finals. Coach Ken Eastlick led his boys to victory in the first round, however.
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By DENNIS HOPFE

Camrose Lutheran College Convocation Centre was the scene of the East Central Zone High School "B" Basketball Tournament Friday and Saturday.

Friday night saw both Highway 13 finalists in the boys' league lose out in their first games. The CLC Vikings were defeated 54-47 by the Daysland Dynamos. Gary Koehli led the Dynamos with 7 points. Terry Thinglestead notched 19 points and Elwood Knebel added another 19 for the Vikings. Vikings played most of the game without George Pheasy, who re-injured his knee.

In the second game Friday night, Tofield defeated Wetaskiwin 44-43 in a real thriller. The teams exchanged the lead all through the game. John Wall had 15 points for Tofield, while Bob Bourque netted 12 and Richard Siler added another 10 for Wetaskiwin.

On Saturday, Daysland defeated Wainwright 70-37. Larry Brinker netted 26 points for the Daysland Dynamos, while Lowe notched 10 for Wainwright.

Castor Boys eliminated Tofield by a 51-34 score. The first half was fairly close, but Castor broke it open in the final half. High shooter for Castor was Heidecker with 16. Stauffer had eight for Tofield.

In the finale, Daysland Dynamos came on from a 19-19 half-time tie to defeat Castor 43-32. Gary Koehli netted 14 points for the Dynamos.

Dr Frank MacInnis, President of CADRECA, presented the zone trophy to team captain Dennis Vos, while a zone basketball official gave the team crests.

In the girls' games Wetaskiwin girls, led by Gloria Roth with 19 points and an exceptional effort by Millicent Eliason, downed Wainwright 35-28. B. Taylor hooped 10 points for the losers. The game had started off very close and slow but gradually picked up momentum. This win meant that Wetaskiwin had hung onto one playoff spot for a Highway 13 league team.

In the other game, Castor defeated Camrose Composite High School 30-23. M Jamieson had 11 points for Castor, with Doug Petruk getting 10 for CCHS.

The final was a real cliffhanger between Wetaskiwin and Castor. Millicent Eliason's six points and exceptional defensive efforts and Marlene Heinch's additional six points helped to give Wetaskiwin a 25-16 win. The score had been 10-8 for Castor at half-time. Loretta Wideman had a high of eight points for Castor.

After the final game of the evening, Wetaskiwin team captain Millicent Eliason was presented with the zone trophy by Dr. MacInnis. The team was then given crests by a zone basketball official.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

A birthday party was held on Sunday afternoon for Susan Ingram on her 10th birthday at her home. There were eight invited guests that shared a very pleasant afternoon with her.

Bill and Mae Ingram motored to Edmonton on Sunday where they were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. Frank Ratigan. Later Bill drove to the west end of the city to call on John and Kathleen Nickerson.

**The members of the Stirrett Mutual Telephone Company held their [illegible] meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell on Monday evening. Most of the subscribers were present and were pleased with the financial report.**

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## REA annual meeting to be held Saturday

The annual meeting of the Tofield Rural Electrification Association will be held in the Community Hall on Saturday, March 5th, at 8:30 p.m., instead of the Legion Hall, as previously announced.

An interesting program has been arranged and a good attendance is expected.

Dr D H Warner of the Alberta Power Commission will be on hand to discuss the Association's Deposit Account, and J Heath of the Co-op Activities Branch will bring a couple of films and outline the work of his department in rural electrification.

Doug Gibson of Farm Electric Services will also be present and, as usual, will answer any questions in regard to power.

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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Congratulations to the winning teams of the basketball games on Friday and Saturday, especially the girls and boys of this district.

The Ketchamoot UCW met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lilly Schultz, when plans were made to make a quilt at the March meeting. Following this meeting the ladies held a baby shower for one of the members, Mrs. Ronnie Coombes.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Nelson and Dianne of Ohaton were Thursday afternoon visitors with Myrtle and Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas and family of Edmonton spent Thursday with Dorothy and Roy Whillans.

Agnes McGinitie and son, Raymond were visitors in Viking on Saturday.

At the Bingo games at Lindbrook Hall on Saturday evening the Carlisle boys, Wayne and Reinhold seemed to have most of the luck. They each won [illegible] prizes while little Linda Carlisle won the blackout, the last and best prize of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Carlisle Ricky and Grant were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Anderson of Camrose.

Gene Carlisle spent the weekend at home with his family. At present he is employed at a lumber mill near Wandering River.

A housewarming party was held one evening last week by friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thuesen and family who recently moved into their new home in the Ketchamoot district.

# News from Ministik and district

(Mrs. J. Raddick)

Alex McSporran of Edmonton spent Sunday with his father Alex McSporran and visited with his mother who is still a patient in Tofield Hospital.

HOME FROM B.C.

Gordon Kilfoyle returned to his home last Thursday, after spending three weeks at Chilliwack, B.C. His brother Brock came to spend a week with him.

Barbara Kleinschroth of Edmonton added another laurel to her collection, when she received First Class Honors in Grade Two Theory in Piano from the Royal Conservatory of Music in Toronto. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch and Beverly, and Mr. and Mrs Melvin Loch attended an open-house in Sherwood Park, Saturday evening.

Grant Penrice of Drayton Valley, Miss Gloria Smith of Fort Saskatchewan, Pat Penrice of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Penrice of Ardrossan were Saturday guests at the Alex Penrice home.

Alex Boss was an Edmonton shopper on Friday.

A whist drive sponsored by the Ladies' Club is to be held at Ministik Hall on Friday, March 11th. Lunch will be served, and everyone is welcome.

# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. Melvin Olson and family were visitors Sunday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Burnstad of the Willowdale district.

HOSPITAL NEWS

John Baraniuk was taken to Vegreville hospital Monday of last week, when he was suffering a very bad attack of the 'flu.

Mrs. Kay Chupka was visiting with Mrs. John Lemko, a patient in Viking hospital, Tuesday evening of last week. Mrs. Lemko who has been a patient there for the last week and a half having a check-up and tests returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Harry Hrabec became very ill Monday of last week and had to be taken to Viking hospital where she was to have tests and a check up.

Mr and Mrs William Kashman drove to Vegreville Wednesday evening, taking his mother to Vegreville Hospital where she will be a patient for a few days having treatment and tests.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Eaton took their small son to Vegreville Saturday, after he became ill during Friday night. He is confined to hospital with a bad attack of pneumonia. Mrs. Eaton is staying with relatives near Vegreville for several days until her son's condition improves. Leroy visited there Sunday.

The many friends of Mrs. R. Westmancoat, Sr., of Ryley a patient in Tofield Hospital are pleased to hear that she is making satisfactory progress and is now allowed to have visitors. It is hoped that it will not be too long before she will be strong enough to be home.

Geo H Taylor was a Saturday afternoon visitor with his son Robert and family in the Viking district.

The regular monthly meeting of the Pioneer Group will be held Thursday, March 3rd at the home of Mrs. N. L. Campbell, all are welcome.

Mr and Mrs. Larry Benson were visitors during the weekend a week ago at the home of Mrs. Marie Benson at Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs Marshal Slywka of Sherwood Park were Saturday visitors with the former's mother, Mrs. William Slywka.

David Good of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his mother, Mrs. Lars Ritland while Mr. Ritland also visited with his brother, Ernie and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nordwoski of Ryley visited with their daughter Agnes and family, the Jack Stambaughs Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Charles Kelly visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ritland for the afternoon a week ago Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter of the south Ryley district spent a few days a week ago visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Reinhold Grinde and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Semotuik were business visitors in Edmonton Monday of last week.

Joe Komarnisky, E. W. Good, Paul Howrish and Jim McLennan left Thursday of last week for Spirit River where they curled in the Spirit River Bonspiel. They returned home Monday evening.

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New producers will not be eligible to vote unless they had started construction on production facilities prior to June 1, 1965, and the first crop of broilers was marketed from such facilities prior to August 31, 1965.

Every producer who is eligible to vote and who has not already registered, must register if he desires to vote as set out in Order in Council 296/66. Registration forms are available at any District Agriculturist's office or from the office of the Marketing Council and must be in the hands of the Returning Officer by March 18, 1966.

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs Raeder, Mrs Lutz, Mrs Carrie Olson and Mrs. Mary James were afternoon visitors with Mrs. Campbell Tuesday afternoon of last week and enjoyed a pancake tea.

Harry Applebs of Vialta Lodge Viking was visiting for a few days the early part of last week with his son and family, Mr and Mrs Ted Appleby. He also attended the pancake supper held in the Community Hall Tuesday evening which was sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

Leo Hladilo of Edmonton was in the district this past week, looking after the farm.

Mr and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann were Edmonton business visitors Monday of last week also calling on Mrs. Tiedemanns relatives the Morrisons.

Dale Jeffries and Ernie Good were business visitors in Edmonton one day last week, returning the same day with Joe Komarnisky.

Henry Oberg went to Edmonton Saturday to have another treatment on his arm and shoulder, returning home Sunday.

Mrs. Mamie MacAfee of Edmonton arrived on the bus Friday evening to spend the weekend visiting with Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

Mrs. John Godbout was a business visitor in Edmonton Wednesday of last week.

### BROTHER PASSES IN B.C.

Mr and Mrs. Anton Paranich were visiting for a few days this past week with relatives in Mundare. On their return home Thursday night they received the sad news that Mrs. Paranich's brother in B.C. had passed away.

Mrs Helen Tiedemann and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus attended the Lenten Service held in the Bruce Immanuel Lutheran Church Tuesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adel left Friday evening to spend the weekend visiting with their family at Medicine Hat.

Dennis Hoffman who is employed in Edmonton was here for the weekend visiting with his wife and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sawchuk.

### WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

The World Day of Prayer which was held this year in the Lutheran Church, Feb. 25th was well attended by women from many churches in the district. The service was conducted by ladies of the Lutheran and United Churches. Mrs. James, president of the Friendship Group opened the service and the scripture reading was given by Mrs Campbell which pertained to the theme "Ye are my Witnesses". The address was also given by Mrs. Campbell.

Mrs. James Ruxton was the organist and a beautiful solo was given by Mrs. Lawrence Hurum. At the conclusion of the service the ladies of the Lutheran Church served lunch in the church parlors to all attending.

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## Capacity crowd .

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Numbers not included in competition were an exhibition of club swinging by John Moore; a native dance by Mrs. Sodhi and native dance by Mr. Sodhi.

Judging was done in two categories. Winners in the 14 years and under class were: 1st. The Balzer Children, 2nd. Lorrie Schwuchum, baton twirler. In the 15 years and over class: 1st. Trio, Vern Pederson, Randy Anderson and Gary Johnson 2nd, Roland Balzer.

Coffee and lunch was served by the ladies of the Co-ops and 4-H Club.

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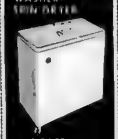
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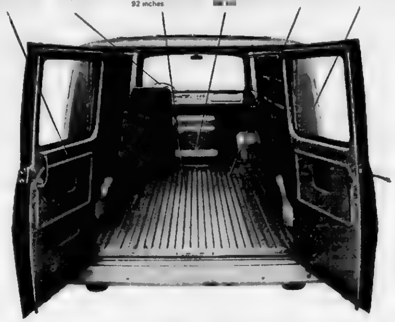

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# Panel discussion will mark Education Week

In observance of Education Week, Mrs. M. Conn, president of the Tofield sub-local of the Alberta Teachers' Association, extends a cordial invitation to all persons interested in education to attend the panel discussions on the many facets of education at various levels planned for the evening of March 10 (Thursday) in the Tofield School.

The first part of the evening's entertainment will be divided into two sessions, either of which parents may attend, depending whether their special interests lie with the elementary school or with junior and senior high school.

Those whose children are in the first six grades of school are especially invited to attend the panel discussion on the Continuous Progress Plan under the chairmanship of Mrs. Daisy Young which will have Mrs Harriet Ruddy, Supervisor of Instruction, as consultant. Those assisting Mrs. Young on the panel will be Mrs. Noble, Mrs. Everitt, Mrs. Ingram, Miss Zwierschke and Mr. Reistad. These teachers will be most happy to answer questions about the aims, methods, achievements and problems.

At the same time, in another area of the school, the new courses on the curriculum in Junior and Senior High Schools will be explained by a group of teachers, under the chairmanship of Mrs. M Conn, with Mr. H. A. Pike, Superintendent of Schools for the County of Beaver, as consultant.

The program for this group will include discussions of. Grade VII Mathematics by Miss Matthews, with Mrs. Cribb explaining the background given in mathematics by the elementary school; English 33, Miss Cumming (this course is a new non-matriculation course); Mathematics 10, Mrs. Sodhi; Science 10, Mr. Cribb; Counselling, Mr Sodhi, who will discuss aptitude tests which have recently been given under his direction to pupils from Grade VIII through Grade XII; and Mrs. Phillips, who will discuss the individual Stanford-Binet I.Q. tests.

A general session will follow the two earlier group discussions. The panel for this session will include representatives of parents, teachers and students at various levels. Linda Schacker, Grade XII, will be co-ordinator. Other participants will include Elaine Sorell, speaking for students on matriculation courses, Henry Schroeder (Gr. XII) and Cheryl Halverson (Gr. XII) for diploma-course students, Bill Sears Gr X) for the students in Grades X and XI, and Beth Ingram for Grade IX students.

Representing the parents will be Dr. G. M. Price, and the teachers will be represented by Mr. C. F. Annis, principal of the Tofield School.

The topic for this session will be "Education in Alberta" — its strengths and its deficiencies. A question period will follow the panel discussion, and it is hoped that members of the audience will feel free to express their opinions.

The Red Cross collects a blood donation every 8 seconds of every working day.

# Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Ethel Wood was a patient in the Tofield Hospital from Friday to Monday for a check-up and treatment.

We are glad to report that Arnold Jones returned home on Saturday from Tofield Hospital after undergoing surgery a short time ago.

Art Trent has been a patient in Tofield Hospital for the past week or more. All wish him a speedy recovery. A speedy recovery is also wished to all those suffering from the flu and severe cold either in the hospital or at home.

Iriene and Harold Sieb and children were Monday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Iriene's brother Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

George and Ida Niemetz were Monday afternoon visitors in Edmonton, visiting with their daughter Gail after work.

Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Joe and Helen Murray were their two daughters and their families, also their son and wife, namely: Joan and Alan Warner and family of Tofield, Jean and Arno Binder and son Duncan, and Larry and Gwen Murray, all of Edmonton.

Joe and Helen Murray attended the funeral of Henry White in Edmonton on Monday. En route home they visited Joe's mother, Mrs. Murray Sr., at the Senior Citizens' home at Sherwood Park, where she is at present a resident.

# Local students earn high scholarship standings at GC

Fifty-seven students at Goshen College earned "First Group Standing" during first semester, Dr. Carl Kreider, dean of the College, announced recently.

There were 107 students who earned "Second Group Standing". They had a scholarship standing of 3.1 or more and no grade lower than a C.

A student from this area who earned second group standing is Miss Marylin Gail Lauber, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Harold Lauber of Dodds. She is a junior at Goshen College.

# Oldtimer observes 89th birthday

Lloyd Clark, his sister, Miss June Clark, their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Scott of Dawson Creek, who were visiting with them for several days, Mrs. Martha Hurum and her brother, Art Siegal, drove to Viking February 12th. There they visited Mrs. Berget Thorsen, a former old-time Holden district resident, now residing in Vialta Lodge, Viking, who was celebrating her 89th birthday. A beautiful birthday cake of Bruce, centered the tea-table made by Mrs. Anton Morland. Mrs. Thorsen thanked all her friends most graciously for their kindness and gift. Harry Appleby and Ludwig Sandbeck both guests at the party as was Mr. Morland.

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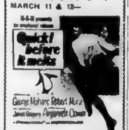

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## MacDuff Ottawa report

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emphasized decentralization, and was concerned about some aspects of federal economic policy which appeared to infringe on provincial rights.

Philosophical arguments may be pursued calmly and peaceably. Real fighting doesn't start until a specific issue appears, and it already has.

The issue involves the CBC stagehands in Quebec, who are now represented by the International Alliance of Theatre and Stage Employees (IATSE), a CLC affiliate.

The CNTU canvassed the membership and succeeded in winning a vote as bargaining agent. The trouble began when application for certification was made to the Federal Labour Relations Board.

**COULD BE BIASED**

The Board turned down the application on the grounds that the CBC and other national companies, should deal with employees uniformly across the country.

There are four union members on the federal board—three appointed by the CLC, one by the CNTU. It was apparent to the CNTU that whenever it, as a union organization, was in conflict with the CLC, it could not hope to get a favourable decision from the board.

The CNTU officers made this the chief point in their brief to the government. They threatened to boycott the Canada Labour Relations Board unless the board is made bilingual, and unless the effective control by the CLC was removed.

The Federal Labour Department asked time to consider these demands and further meetings were to be held.

But the CLC was not so diplomatic. Following an executive meeting here, President Jodoin fired off a statement that amounted to a declaration of war on the CNTU.

**BOTH BARRELS**

He accused the Quebec organization of making a deliberate attempt to disrupt labour legislation and collective bargaining practices in Canada. And his criticism went beyond labour matters.

The CNTU, he said, was also trying to "undermine the whole structure of Canada ... with a deliberate attempt to cut the ties that bind people of various provinces and racial backgrounds together as Canadians".

Mr. Jodoin also said that the CLC represented more workers in Quebec than did the CNTU. The CNTU policy would lead to wage differentials among regions.

Workers in Quebec, for example, would see their wages frozen and would be unable to overcome the wage gap with Ontario and other provinces which now exists.

He predicted "chaos". For example, a small group of employees in one location could tie up a transcontinental railway system.

"The Canadian Labour Congress will fight this with every ounce of energy we command", warned Mr. Jodoin.

It may be assumed that the CNTU will fight equally hard.

What does seem clear is that in the makeup of the federal labour relations board there is a built-in disadvantage to the CNTU.

**MANY-SIDED PROBLEM**

On the other hand, abandonment of the hard-won right to bargain on a nation-wide basis would surely bring hardship to workers in poorer provinces, including Quebec.

This could be the biggest problem the Federal Labour Department has faced in many years. It has all the aspects of the wider problem in Canada-Canadianism versus Quebecism, English versus French.

Its resolution, certainly, will be no simpler than the resolution of the larger Canadian problem.

## County council meet held Feb. 10th

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9, held Thursday, Feb. 10th.

**Business Arising from Minutes**

In regards to the Centennial Grants, the secretary-treasurer read a letter from the Mayor of the Town of Tofield requesting that the $500, which had been deleted from the waiver to the Town of Tofield, be waived to the Town inasmuch as this was required for the Town's Centennial Project.

The secretary-treasurer reported that he had contacted G. D. Salloum Centennial Officer to inquire if any further developments had taken place in regards to the Centennial Grant for Borshtchow. Mr. Salloum stated that, as far as the Centennial Committee was concerned, the matter was closed, the application having been turned down by the Provincial Centennial Committee. Cr. Kropielnicki stated that he had no further information but that he doubted very much that the Borshtchow Community would have anything in mind acceptable to the Centennial Committee.

It was moved and carried that, providing we get release in writing from the Borshtchow Community, the amount by which the grants to the Town of Tofield and the Village of Holden had been reduced be reinstated and waived to these two local authorities.

In regards to the Crop Insurance Plan, the secretary-treasurer referred to the Council a letter from the General Manager of the Alberta Crop Insurance Corporation which indicated that it would not be possible to extend the crop insurance to the County of Beaver in 1966.

Moved and carried that the information be accepted and the correspondence received and filed.

**Correspondence**

A letter from Elmer Sitler, renter of N.W. 23-49-20-W4th, a quarter section that the County owns in the County of Camrose, advising that he was agreeable to pay $75 rent for this quarter section was referred to the Council. Mr. Sitler mentioned that a new road had been put through on or near this parcel of land and he inquired if the County would share in the cost of fence construction.

Moved and carried that Cr. Knudslien investigate the situation and report to the next meeting.

A letter from the Department of Public Welfare, Municipal Circular No. 13, concerning Preventive, Public and Child Welfare Services, was read to the Council.

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An interesting program has been arranged and a good attendance is anticipated.

—V. BATES, Secretary.

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## Local news from around town

Visitors at the J. Yakabuski home last Sunday were David and Maureen Yakabuski, Margaret and Hank Lesniak and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Lesniak and Eddie, all of Edmonton.

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Mildred and Findlay Dunlop from Cadomin spent Saturday night and Sunday with their daughters, Darlene and Lynn Ann.

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**TO ENGLAND**

Mrs. Edith Bailey left on Sunday by plane for England where she will spend several months with relatives and friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Francis and family and Mrs. Hill from Edmonton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis.

Earl Francis from Calgary is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson attended a Lenten Noon service at All Saints Cathedral, Edmonton last Monday and in the afternoon visited L. W. Smith who is seriously ill at the Royal Alexandra Hospital. Mr. Smith was a former Bank Manager here during 1920-1926.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson also visited Reg Callard at the University Hospital on Monday afternoon. He is progressing favorably.

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**INFANT PASSES**

Sympathy of the people of Tofield is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ed R. Stang in the death of their infant daughter on Thursday, Feb. 17th.

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**BUS DEPOT CHANGES**

Residents of Tofield and district will be interested to know that the Sunburst Bus will stop at Charlie's Place on highway 14 instead of Premier Motors in town.

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Koreen and Jack Innes and family from Edmonton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Al Innes and Mr. and Mrs. A. Haukedal.

Born to Muriel and Bill Kleinschroth of Edmonton, a son, Wayne Fredrick, on Feb. 28th. The new arrival is another grandson for Pete and Olivia Erickson.

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Hans and Agnes Bosma of Camrose were Sunday afternoon coffee guests with the Pete Ericksons.

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Mrs. Annie Sirdar is spending a few days in Edmonton with her daughters.

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Mrs. Doris Oslund spent a week in Edmonton helping her daughter-in-law, Carol Oslund, who was convalescing following surgery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davis from Ardrossan were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oslund.

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Mrs. Alan Bigland, of Kelowna, B.C. accompanied by her nephew Dr. Alan Jevne of Wetaskiwin, were dinner and afternoon visitors at the Burchard home recently.

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Gordon C. Penney, of the Bank of Montreal staff, accompanied by a brother and a friend, returned last weekend from a six week holiday trip as far as Acapulco, Mexico and points in Canada.

## Hastings Lake notes

(Mrs. S. Gladue)

The Ladies Club met at the home of Mrs. Fontaine on Thursday, Feb. 17th. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Fiege, March 17th.

The Social Credit whist drive of Feb. 17th was well attended. Winners were — ladies high, Mrs. Page, low, Mrs. Dunham; gents' high, Mr. Hielmann, low; Mr. Davenport.

The next Whist Drive will be on Saturday, March 5th.

The group will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. M. Gladue, Wednesday, March 9th.

Several people of the district attended the Bingo at Ministik Friday evening bringing some of the prizes home with them. Saturday evening saw them again playing Bingo at Lindbrook.

Mrs. Ward and Mrs. D. Tiedemann have been patients at Tofield Hospital. Also Ralph Dunham who injured his leg while out at a logging camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Rowland of Edmonton were Sunday guests at the Rowland home.


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Alex Mearns of Ferguson Supplies (Alberta) Ltd. attended the meeting in regards to the Council purchasing a TS 14 Euclid rubber tired scraper. He quoted a price of $43,630 with a trade-in of the D6 Cat and Dozer of $8,330. However, Mr. Mearns stated that when they appraised the D6 Cat it had not been possible to start it due to the cold weather and therefore the under-carriage had not been fully examined. It was quite possible that the trade-in value would be $1,000 to $1,500 higher

The Council informed Mr Mearns that they would keep his proposal in mind

In regards to the Rural Road Study, the secretary-treasurer read to the Council the minutes of the East Central Rural Road Study Area No 13 of its meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 26. The minutes indicated that the Study Group would be known as the East Central Rural Study Area No 13 and that a second meeting would be held on Friday, Feb. 11, 1966, in the Municipal Office at Sedgewick commencing at 10:00 a.m. The secretary-treasurer of the M.D. of Flagstaff No 62 had been appointed Secretary to the Study Area Group. It was suggested that each Local Authority, belonging to the group, being the County of Beaver No 9, M.D. of Provost No. 52, M.D. of Wainwright No. 61 and the M.D. of Flagstaff No. 62 should have two members plus one alternative member on the Committee

Crs. Roddick and Kropielnicki already having been appointed from the County of Beaver No. 9, it was moved and carried that Cr. W. D. Johnston be appointed alternate member

The Reeve, Cr. Roddick, explained to some extent what had been dealt with at the meeting on January 26th. He stated that at the meeting on Feb. 11, a representative from Stewart, Weir, Stewart and Watson, surveyors and engineers, would be present to discuss with the group the possibility of them taking on the engineering of this work for the group. He also mentioned that once an engineer had been appointed and other preliminary arrangements made an agreement would have to be signed between the different corporations and the Dept. of Highways for Provincial Assistance in the Rural Road Studies

The secretary-treasurer suggested that the Agricultural Committee should hold a meeting at an early date, and it was moved and carried that a meeting of the Agricultural Committee be held on Thursday, March 3, beginning at 10:00 a.m.

A summary of payments to Municipal Districts, Improvement Districts, Counties, Special Areas, etc. under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act for 1939 to 1964 programs inclusive as at July 31, 1965 was referred to the Council. The information indicated that the following payments had been made in the County of Beaver No. 9

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| From 1939 to 1963 | $2,091,327.50 |
| In 1964 | 157,347.00 |
| Total | $2,248,674.50 |

Moved and carried that the report be received and filed

The secretary-treasurer informed the Council that he had received information that an increase in culvert prices of 3 to 4 per cent was very likely to take place at the end of the month and he inquired if the Council wished to make some advance bookings for culverts for the coming season. He stated that it would be a booking in dollars only with sizes supplied as required, also that the full amount of the booking would not have to be purchased

Moved and carried that we book $5,000 worth of culverts with our principal suppliers

It was moved and carried [illegible] the Alberta Government Telephones be advised that road work will be done on the road south of Sections 1 and 2 in 46-12-W4th in connection with the Buried Rural Distribution System.

In regards to the Frontage Assessment for paving at the Viking grader shed, Lots 5 and 6, Block 28, Plan 109 HW, the secretary-treasurer informed the Council that the cost of prepayment of this assessment would be $574.

Moved and carried that the Frontage Tax be prepaid in the amount of $574

The secretary-treasurer brought up the matter of obtaining an undertaking from the Apprentices that may be employed and where the Council pays the full salary to these apprentices when they are attending their apprenticeship courses at the N.A.I.T., and he suggested that an undertaking should be obtained whereby these apprentices agree to work with the County for a number of [illegible] after they have obtained their Certificate of Proficiency

Moved and carried that agreements be obtained from any apprentice that the County may have whereby they agree to remain with the County for one year for each year that the County provides for their attendance at the N.A.I.T.

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## TAKE NOTICE

**That the annual meeting of the electors of the County of Beaver No. 9 will be held at one o'clock in the forenoon on SATURDAY, the 5th Day of MARCH, 1966, at the Ryley School Auditorium, for the discussion of County affairs.**

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**Seems to fit**

A guest at the Tofield Lions Club Charter Night a week ago Saturday evening tests the power toboggan won by William H. Wilkie. Mercury Photo.

# Students, parents and teachers seek improvements in education system

An interested group of concerned parents [illegible] the evening's program presented by the A.T.A. on Tuesday, March 8th, in the Tofield School in observance of Education Week

**ELEMENTARY**

The first two sessions ran concurrently. In the section dealing with elementary school, Mrs. Daisy Young was chairman with Mrs. Harriet Ruddy, Supervisor of Instruction for County of Beaver, as consultant. Members of the panel which dealt with the aims, methods and achievements of the Continuous Progress Plan were Mrs. Noble, Mrs. Everett, Mrs. Ingram, assisted by Mrs Campbell and Mrs. McCormick. Miss Zwierschke and Mr. Reistad reported on the type of report cards used, and they were assisted by Mrs. Asthey and Mrs. Fraser. Printed material was prepared by Miss S. Komarnisky.

On behalf of the elementary teachers, Mrs Young thanked the parents who attended, but stated that the elementary teachers had hoped for a larger attendance to discuss the problems concerned with the elementary school.

**NEW H.S. COURSES**

Mrs. Mollie Conn, president of the Tofield sub-local, presided over the group which was concerned with the new courses being, or about to be, introduced into the Junior and Senior High School. H. A. Pike, Superintendent of Schools for the County of Beaver, was consultant for this session.

Assisting Mrs. Conn were teachers from High School and Junior High. Lloyd Cribb explained the new Social Studies 33 course, which is for the benefit of non-matriculation students. Kenn Eastlick described the new science and biology course, and indicated probable future changes in the courses and the equipment which will be necessary for them if our young people are to be kept abreast of modern knowledge

Miss Roberta Cumming explained the need for, and the content of, the new English 33, a course for students on the diploma pattern

Miss Carol Matthews demonstrated the method of teaching the new mathematics concepts. The audience were especially interested in the "new math" which, as one parent remarked, "makes sure that the parents will not be doing the students' homework".

Mrs. Phillips explained the need for and advantages of the individual Stanford-Binet intelligence tests

Mr. Sidhi discussed the necessity of counselling students in both personal and career problems, and later showed samples

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# Little discussion at county ratepayer meet

Judging by the few questions asked and the minimal amount of discussion which took place at the annual meeting of the ratepayers of the County of Beaver Saturday, county residents are generally pretty happy with the way the county council and school committee are handling things. The meeting was held Saturday afternoon in the Ryley gymnasium.

**SMALL ATTENDANCE**

The meeting was about 15 minutes late starting, due to a poor attendance. When it was called to order, only about 16 ratepayers were present, but this number swelled to nearly 40 before the meeting ended.

Chairman was Victor Romaniuk, with Bob Cross as secretary.

One question raised in connection with school matters was why teachers were charged $12 per month for the use of block heaters, while office staff members paid nothing for the same privilege. Secretary Olof Monsson explained this was something new for the teachers just this year, whereas the outlets have been used at the office for several years. The matter regarding the office just never came up, he said, and added he personally would be quite willing to pay for the use of the outlet if this was the meeting's wish. How-

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## The weather

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| 2 | 4 | -17 | 27.93 | |
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| 6 | 21 | -4 | 27.45 | |
| 7 | 34 | 11 | 27.42 | |
| 8 | 22 | -4 | 27.34 | |
| 9 | — | 10 | 27.26 | |

## Mr. Abe Black dies suddenly

HOLDEN.—Abe Black passed away very suddenly Monday evening, Feb. 28. About 7:00 p.m. he became ill and phoned his brother, Sam Black, who drove to the house and picked him up, rushing him to the Tofield Hospital, but he died almost on arrival.

The Black family were one of the old-time pioneer families of Holden, Meyer Black having a general store with his sons assisting him. Abe will be greatly missed as he was a very community-minded citizen, taking part in all activities and was a curling enthusiast. Since the store was sold he has helped his brother Sam in the service station

He leaves three brothers, George and Harry of Vancouver, and Sam of Holden, and one sister, Annie, of Edmonton

The funeral was held Wednesday, March 2nd, in Edmonton. Bert Appleby, Zane Bilyk, Bruce Budd, Peter Jakotow and Larry Johnson drove to the city to attend the funeral.

## Officers elected by church ladies

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—At the recently held meeting of the Ladies of St. Gregory's Church, a new executive was elected, as follows: Mrs. Grace Appleby, president; Mrs. Peter Friend, vice-president; Mrs. Joseph Sroka, secretary; Mrs. Joan Appleby, Sunshine convener.

The ladies are planning a bean bingo for March 18th, to be held in the church parlors.

## Mrs. John Story dies in 88th year

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story were recent visitors with the former's mother, Mrs John Story, a resident in Westhaven Lodge, Edmonton, helping her celebrate her 87th birthday. Eight members of the family visited with her, and during the afternoon the staff of the Lodge brought in a birthday cake for Mrs. Story, which was enjoyed by the guest of honor and her visitors

Mrs. Story is keeping well and happy, and keeps busy with her crochet work and making gifts for her family.

## Open Mixed 'Spiel held here Mar. 5

Elaine Walker

The open mixed bonspiel held in Tofield on March 5th was a remarkable success, with top-notch curling. The public supported these games very well.

Winner of the first event was the Strathcona Composite rink of Edmonton. The team consisted of Bill Bradley, Gail Fo-an, Chris Freeborn, and Shannon Foran. Second in the first event was the Tofield rink of Brian McFadzean, Shirley Swift, Frances Shultz and Allan Everitt. Second in the second event was taken by another Strathcona rink which consisted of Doug Moseley, Barb Fee, Steve Hrubey, and Betty-Lee Cairns.

The second event was won by a Lamont rink, composed of Stuart Snyder, Gail McLaughlin, Maureen McLaughlin, and Norm McLaughlin. The beautiful Killearn trophy will now travel to Strathcona Composite High and serve to spur the Tofield rinks to bring it home another year.

## Lutheran women meet

The LCW of Ryley held their March meeting at the Parish Hall. Mrs. Otis Phillips gave the opening prayer

The season of Lent in the Church Year was explained by Mrs A. Hagge. The Bible study on the Apostles Creed was led by Mrs. W. Maaren, and World Missions of the Lutheran Church was reported by Mrs. W. Woods.

Many guests enjoyed the lovely lunch served by the hostesses, Mrs. R. Magneson and Mrs. E. Magneson.

## Drainage trustees meet February 25

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—The Trustees of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 held their regular monthly meeting February 25th with all trustees in attendance. There was a short discussion over placing culverts and the financial statement was also discussed.

The annual meeting will be held Wednesday, March 16th, in the Gladstone Rink at 2:00 p.m. The secretary advised that notices had been put up to this effect.

Nominations for one Trustee will also be received for a three-year period, Trustee Oscar Alseth having finished his term of office. It is hoped a good representation of ratepayers will be on hand.

## Ronning on peace mission?

Mrs. C. A. Ronning of Camrose, wife of the well known former Canadian high commissioner to India, says Mr Ronning is presently on a combined holiday and business trip. She said he is visiting relatives in Hong Kong, but declined to comment on his other activities

Rumors all across Canada are that Mr Ronning is on an observation mission for the federal government to Saigon in South Viet Nam in an effort to try to bring about early negotiations for a cease-fire or early settlement of the Viet Nam conflict.

Foreign Affairs Minister Paul Martin was asked about such a mission to Saigon in the House of Commons last night, but declined to answer

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He also submitted a price on a used Caterpillar No. 70 Scraper for $9,300, less a trade-in on the Letourneau L.S. Scraper of $1,300, for a net price of $8,000.

Mr Gallimore was advised that the Council would not make a decision at this time but that he would be advised as soon as the Council has decided whether or not to purchase a tractor and scraper this year.

Alex Mearns of Ferguson Supplies (Alberta) Ltd. attended the meeting in regards to the Council purchasing a TS 14 Euclid rubber tired scraper. He quoted a price of $69,030 with a trade-in of the D6 Cat and Dozer of $6,330. However, Mr. Mearns stated that when they appraised the D6 Cat it had not been possible to start it due to the cold weather and therefore the under-carriage had not been fully examined. It was quite possible that the trade-in value would be $1,000 to $1,500 higher.

The Council informed Mr. Mearns that they would keep his proposal in mind.

In regards to the Rural Road Study, the secretary-treasurer read to the Council the minutes of the East Central Rural Road Study Area No. 13 of its meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 26. The minutes indicated that the Study Group would be known as the East Central Rural Study Area No. 13 and that a second meeting would be held on Friday, Feb. 11, 1966, in the Municipal Office at Sedgewick commencing at 10:00 a.m. The secretary-treasurer of the M.D. of Flagstaff No. 62 had been appointed Secretary to the Study Area Group. It was suggested that each Local Authority, belonging to the group, being the County of Beaver No. 9, M.D. of Provost No. 52, M.D. of Wainwright No. 61 and the M.D. of Flagstaff No. 62 should have two members plus one alternative member on the Committee.

Crs. Roddick and Kropielnicki already having been appointed from the County of Beaver No. 9, it was moved and carried that Cr. W. D. Johnston be appointed alternate member.

The Reeve, Cr. Roddick, explained to some extent what had been dealt with at the meeting on January 26th. He stated that at the meeting on Feb. 11, a representative from Stewart, Weir, Stewart and Watson, surveyors and engineers, would be present to discuss with the group the possibility of them taking on the engineering of this work for the group. He also mentioned that once an engineer had been appointed and other preliminary arrangements made an agreement would have to be signed between the different corporations and the Dept. of Highways for Provincial Assistance in the Rural Road Studies.

The secretary-treasurer suggested that the Agricultural Committee should hold a meeting at an early date, and it was moved and carried that a meeting of the Agricultural Committee be held on Thursday, March 3, beginning at 10:00 a.m.

A summary of payments to Municipal Districts, Improvement Districts, Counties, Special Areas, etc. under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act for 1939 to 1964 programs inclusive as at July 31, 1965, was referred to the Council. The information indicated that the following payments had been made in the County of Beaver No. 9:

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|---|---|
| From 1939 to 1963 | $2,891,327.50 |
| In 1964 | 157,347.00 |
| Total | $3,048,674.50 |

Moved and carried that the report be received and filed.

The secretary-treasurer informed the Council that he had received information that an increase in culvert prices of 3 to 4 per cent was very likely to take place at the end of the month, and he inquired if the Council wished to make some advance bookings for culverts for the coming season. He stated that it would be a booking in dollars only with sizes supplied as required; also that the full amount of the booking would not have to be purchased.

Moved and carried that we book $5,000 worth of culverts with our principal suppliers.

It was moved and carried that the Alberta Government Telephones be advised that road work will be done on the road south of Sections 1 and 2 in 46-12-W4th in connection with the Buried Rural Distribution System.

In regards to the Frontage Assessment for paving at the Viking grader shed, Lots 5 and 6, Block 38, Plan 100 HW, the secretary-treasurer informed the Council that the cost of prepayment of this assessment would be $574.

Moved and carried that the Frontage Tax be prepaid in the amount of $574.

The secretary-treasurer brought up the matter of obtaining an undertaking from the Apprentices that may be employed and where the Council pays the full salary to these apprentices when they are attending their apprenticeship courses at the N.A.I.T., and he suggested that an undertaking should be obtained whereby these apprentices agree to work with the County for a number of years after they have obtained their Certificate of Proficiency.

Moved and carried that agreements be obtained from any apprentice that the County may have whereby they agree to remain with the County for one year for each year that the County provides for their attendance at the N.A.I.T.

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OLOF MONSSON
Secretary-Treasurer.
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# The Mercury

Tofield Ryley Holden Hiway 14

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**Seams to fit**

A guest at the Tofield Lions Club Charter Night a week ago Saturday evening tests the power toboggan won by William H. Wilkie. Mercury Photo.

## Students, parents and teachers seek improvements in education system

An interested group of concerned parents attended the evening's program presented by the A.T.A. on Tuesday, March 8th, in the Tofield School in observance of Education Week.

**ELEMENTARY**

The first two sessions ran concurrently. In the section dealing with elementary school, Mrs. Daisy Young was chairman with Mrs. Harriet Ruddy, Supervisor of Instruction for County of Beaver, as consultant. Members of the panel which dealt with the aims, methods and achievements of the Continuous Progress Plan were Mrs. Noble, Mrs. Everett, Mrs. Ingram, assisted by Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. McCormick. Miss Zwierschke and Mr Reistad reported on the type of report cards used, and they were assisted by Mrs. Astbey and Mrs. Fraser. Printed material was prepared by Miss S. Komarnisky.

On behalf of the elementary teachers, Mrs. Young thanked the parents who attended, but stated that the elementary teachers had hoped for a larger attendance to discuss the problems concerned with the elementary school.

**NEW H.S. COURSES**

Mrs. Mollie Conn, president of the Tofield sub-local, presided over the group which was concerned with the new courses being, or about to be, introduced into the Junior and Senior High School. H. A. Pike, Superintendent of Schools for the County of Beaver, was consultant for this session.

Assisting Mrs. Conn were teachers from High School and Junior High. Lloyd Cribb explained the new Social Studies 33 course, which is for the benefit of non-matriculation students. Kena Eastlick described the new science and biology course, and indicated probable future changes in the courses and the equipment which will be necessary for them if our young people are to be kept abreast of modern knowledge.

Miss Roberta Cumming explained the need for, and the content of, the new English 33, a course for students on the diploma pattern.

Miss Carol Matthews demonstrated the method of teaching the new mathematics concepts. The audience were especially interested in the "new math" which, as one parent remarked, "makes sure that the parents will not be doing the students' homework".

Mrs. Phillips explained the need for and advantages of the individual Stanford-Binet intelligence tests.

Mr. Sodhi discussed the necessity of counselling students in both personal and career problems, and later showed samples

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## Little discussion at county ratepayer meet

Judging by the few questions asked and the minimal amount of discussion which took place at the annual meeting of the ratepayers of the County of Beaver Saturday, county residents are generally pretty happy with the way the county council and school committee are handling things. The meeting was held Saturday afternoon in the Ryley gymnasium.

**SMALL ATTENDANCE**

The meeting was about 15 minutes late starting, due to a poor attendance. When it was called to order, only about 16 ratepayers were present, but this number swelled to nearly 40 before the meeting ended.

Chairman was Victor Romanuk, with Bob Cross as secretary.

One question raised in connection with school matters was why teachers were charged $12 per month for the use of block heaters, while office staff members paid nothing for the same privilege. Secretary Olof Monsson explained this was something new for the teachers just this year, whereas the outlets have been used at the office for several years. The matter regarding the office just never came up, he said, and added he personally would be quite willing to pay for the use of the outlet if this was the meeting's wish. How-

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## The weather

| Mar. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 2 | 4 | -17 | 27.92 | |
| 3 | 16 | -9 | 27.93 | |
| 4 | 16 | -16 | 28.05 | |
| 5 | 18 | -12 | 27.71 | |
| 6 | 21 | -4 | 27.43 | |
| 7 | 24 | 11 | 27.42 | |
| 8 | 22 | -4 | 27.34 | |
| 9 | — | 10 | 27.26 | |

## Mr. Abe Black dies suddenly

HOLDEN.—Abe Black passed away very suddenly Monday evening, Feb. 28. About 7:00 p.m. he became ill and phoned his brother, Sam Black, who drove to the house and picked him up, rushing him to the Tofield Hospital, but he died almost on arrival.

The Black family were one of the old-time pioneer families of Holden, Meyer Black having a general store with his sons assisting him. Abe will be greatly missed as he was a very community-minded citizen, taking part in all activities and was a curling enthusiast. Since the store was sold he has helped his brother Sam in the service station.

He leaves three brothers, George and Harry of Vancouver, and Sam of Holden, and one sister, Annie, of Edmonton.

The funeral was held Wednesday, March 2nd, in Edmonton. Bert Appleby, Zane Bilyk, Bruce Budd, Peter Jakobow and Larry Johnson drove to the city to attend the funeral.

## Officers elected by church ladies

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—At the recently held meeting of the Ladies of St. Gregory's Church, a new executive was elected, as follows: Mrs. Grace Appleby, president; Mrs. Peter Friend, vice-president; Mrs. Joseph Sroka, secretary, Mrs. Jean Appleby, Sunshine convener.

The ladies are planning a ham bingo for March 18th, to be held in the church parlors.

## Mrs. John Story dies in 88th year

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story were recent visitors with the former's mother, Mrs. John Story, a resident in Westhaven Lodge, Edmonton, helping her celebrate her 87th birthday. Eight members of the family visited with her, and during the afternoon the staff of the Lodge brought in a birthday cake for Mrs. Story, which was enjoyed by the guest of honor and her visitors.

Mrs. Story is keeping well and happy, and keeps busy with her crochet work and making gifts for her family.

## Open Mixed 'Spiel held here Mar. 5

Elaine Walker

The open mixed bonspiel held in Tofield on March 5th was a remarkable success with top-notch curling. The public supported these games very well.

Winner of the first event was the Strathcona Composite rink of Edmonton. The team consisted of Bill Bradley, Gail Furan, Chris Freeborn, and Shannon Furan. Second in the first event was the Tofield rink of Brian McFadyean, Shirley Swift, Frances Shultz and Allan Everitt. Second in the second event was taken by another Strathcona rink which consisted of Doug Moseley, Barb Fee, Steve Hrubey, and Betty-Lee Cairns.

The second event was won by a Lamont rink, composed of Stuart Snyder, Gail McLaughlin, Maureen McLaughlin, and Norm McLaughlin. The beautiful Killearn trophy will now travel to Strathcona Composite High, and serve to spur the Tofield rinks to bring it home another year.

## Lutheran women meet

The LCW of Ryley held their March meeting at the Parish Hall. Mrs. Otis Phillips gave the opening prayer.

The season of Lent in the Church Year was explained by Mrs A. Bugge. The Bible study on the Apostles' Creed was led by Mrs W. Maaren, and World Missions of the Lutheran Church was reported by Mrs. W. Woods.

Many guests enjoyed the lovely lunch served by the hostesses, Mrs. R. Magneson and Mrs E. Magneson.

## Drainage trustees meet February 25

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—The Trustees of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 held their regular monthly meeting February 25th with all trustees in attendance. There was a short discussion over placing culverts and the financial statement was also discussed.

The annual meeting will be held Wednesday, March 16th, in the Gladstone Rink at 2.00 p.m. The secretary advised that notices had been put up to this effect.

Nominations for one Trustee will also be received for a three-year period. Trustee Oscar Afseth having finished his term of office. It is hoped a good representation of ratepayers will be on hand.

## Ronning on peace mission?

Mrs. C. A. Ronning of Camrose, wife of the well known former Canadian high commissioner to India, says Mr. Ronning is presently on a combined holiday and business trip. She said he is visiting relatives in Hong Kong, but declined to comment on his other activities.

Rumors all across Canada are that Mr. Ronning is on an observation mission for the federal government to Saigon in South Viet Nam, in an effort to try to bring about early negotiations for a cease-fire or early settlement of the Viet Nam conflict.

Foreign Affairs Minister Paul Martin was asked about such a mission to Saigon in the House of Commons last night, but declined to answer.

# Who's being fooled?

Two government members shot down Liberal Bill Dickie's suggestion that laws be passed in Alberta to prevent juvenile hockey players from being signed up by national league representatives. Their major criticism appears to be that the bill was "premature"

Nonsense. The only thing premature about it was that it was advanced by a member of the opposition, rather than the government. If they wanted to make amendments, the detail of the bill could easily have been altered: after all, it seems the government has sufficient strength to ensure that.

But to give the bill the old fashioned heist is simply playing politics with children, the very same kids the new ministry of youth is designed to look out for. What can the new ministry achieve that modifying the Dickie bill wouldn't have achieved, other than putting the opposition in its place? For shame!

# Blatant politics

If Prime Minister Pearson had sat down and deliberately calculated the manoeuvre most likely to discredit the Canadian Senate, he couldn't have selected one better than his recent appointment of ten new Senators, all at the same time, and nine at least of them known almost exclusively for their active interest in Liberal party organization.

There would definitely have been criticism if the Senate slots had been filled from time to time one at a time with all Liberal appointments, but it would not have seemed on the surface at least to be such a cut and dried proposition Even devoted Liberal workers to whom we've talked can't find words for their feelings

Alberta may probably find itself reasonably well represented by Harry Hays, known for his outspoken opinions regardless of party or personage It may even be that Harper Prowse, who was selected twenty-odd years ago by Canadian servicemen to quit his regiment and return home to the Legislature, will add some stature to the Red Chamber Although based on past performance, we do not anticipate debates in the Senate will gain much lustre from their appointments On the contrary, we feel Alberta's third appointment, Senator Earl Hastings, is little short of an insult.

We have in the past stoutly defended the need for the Senate in Canada, and the job it can do. But we're thoroughly sickened by this contemptuous using of the Senate, and we'd readily agree the time has come for changes

We still need the Senate and we still need Senators.

But let's for the wellbeing of our nation find another way of getting people into it. We could establish an electoral college, such as in the United States. We might set up a permanent commission making appointments. We might allocate so many to every political party, or to every provincial legislature. We might arrange for popular election from zones or wards, on a lifetime (or 75) basis. Or we might establish an hereditary Senate, somewhat in the fashion of the British House of Lords. Or maybe we could hold national sweepstakes, with Senate seats as the prize.

Even this last ridiculous suggestion, we submit, wouldn't produce any more shameful result than Mr. Pearson's sickening political gesture which studiously avoided any alliance with moral principle

# Parlors are past

The Fairview Post brings up a point which must have occurred to many parents of school children as it writes "Some taxpaying parents wonder why school planners come up with costly buildings that seem to have everything but a floor to walk on Some parents are miffed at the fact the new shoes they purchased for their children are okay to get to and from class but they are not permitted to be worn inside the school. If the lino that seems to be in vogue won't stand up, those entrusted with spending money for new schools should insist on something that will stand everyday use How long would a Main Street store remain in business if they attempted to have their customers take their shoes off at the door so they wouldn't put a few marks on the lino?"

We agree with The Post, but we don't think it's the fact the lino (or other floor material) won't stand up What about the janitors or teachers who are so proud of the wonderful coat of wax on the floors they won't let anybody walk on them? Granted, there's no place for hob-nailed boots, or cleats, on schoolroom floors or any others On the other hand, they weren't built like old-fashioned parlors just for when the minister comes

Or could it be that the stiletto heels the girls wear is the basis of most of the trouble? Anyway, floors are for walking on, not looking at Let's get back to some sort of reasonable perspective


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# By George!

A writer in a recent issue of The United Church Observer, Grace Lane, has let it be known she is not prepared to let critics —be they athiests or otherwise— sit back smugly and glory in the criticisms they have voiced about the churches of Canada and the world. Calling them "secular saints", Miss Lane speaks out against those critics so well and so strongly, I felt her opinions will be reprinted many times over across Canada, and that this column should be among the first to do so. She says:

Well, 1965 was quite a year. The sky was so lit by the pristine perfection of the secular saints [illegible] all the answers, possess all the virtues, that we poor, imperfect men and women of faith were revealed for the shoddy creatures that we are.

What we didn't see under this blaze of brilliance, we heard from the eager acolytes [illegible] serve the new prophets with such devotion.

A typical specimen was the preacher at a prairie lakeside last summer We were gathered in a community church that has been maintained by the cottagers steadily since about 1915 Nearby is a fine campsite where several thousand boys and girls have spent happy and constructive holidays since about 1920 Leadership, administration and finances have come from volunteers drawn from scores of congregations in southeast Saskatchewan The current campers a fine group of teen-agers were present with us

The young man in the pulpit laid us out There was no health in us anywhere The virtuous were all "out there" lying on the beach and in the water He was right, of course It was perfectly obvious by the intense, dedicated way they applied their suntan lotion and littered the sand with paper that what weighed most heavily upon them was segregation in the deep south and the refugee problem in the Middle East

The occupants of the speed boats zooming in too close to the swimmers really had only one thing on their minds, the danger of escalation in Viet Nam and their eagerness to get involved, personally, in solving the problem.

We who had gathered to think and to pray, to ask for forgiveness for our failures and to try harder to be Christlike should have been ashamed of ourselves. Here we were, retreating, when we could have been part of the committed masses milling around the soft drink dispenser

Ah well [illegible] we [illegible] hopeless we might as well enjoy our shiftlessness and quit paying for the hospitals, schools, and agricultural centres overseas. We can leave to "them" the homes for unmarried mothers, the bungalow we maintain for Indian girls in Regina and the halfway house for released prisoners in Winnipeg The hundreds of local youth groups and junior choirs we lead week after week we can just forget about.

We may as well stop supporting missionaries in Angola or India. After all, they are miles away from their children and their friends because doctoring and teaching are so much easier in the under-developed countries, and they pay so much better than they do in Canada. The secular saints will march right in and we can kick up our [illegible]

But wait a minute—how long does it take light from the nearest star apart from the sun to reach the earth? Four and a half light years These dazzlers have just appeared I guess after all, we'll have to carry on for a while yet

# MacDuff Ottawa report

**EVERYMAN'S ESTATE TAX**

OTTAWA —A few years ago if the average wage and salary earner realized there was such a thing as an Estates Tax Act (then Succession Duties Act) he viewed it as something out of his realm and ken. Even if he were earning a fair salary the chances of his building up an estate of more than $60,000 the minimum on which his widow would pay succession duties were remote

The federal government for its part put little importance on the tax. If someone like Sir James Dunn died — an event which threatened for a while an American takeover of Algoma Steel as Lady Dunn sought cash to pay the tax — government revenues got a real fillip Otherwise it was a minor source So little importance has been put on it that Ottawa has withdrawn from 75 per cent of this tax field in favour of the provinces and retains the rest only because the estates tax returns supply valuable information on future income tax.

**PICTURE ALTERED**

But suddenly a great many people have become aware of the tax and are wondering whether [illegible] going to follow them into the [illegible] In a few [illegible] the estates tax, the level of exemptions and its administration are likely to become of prime political importance

This year the Canadian Labour Congress in its annual brief to the government ignored income tax and concentrated its attention on the Estates Tax calling for major amendments and pointing to inequities. It was an unusual that the CLC itself mentioned that until now it had had only an academic interest in the estates tax but that with the coming of the Canada Pension Plan it has assumed practical importance for the wage earner Group pension plans to which employer and employee paid contributions (sometimes only the employer) are of relatively recent origin and the average employee aside from a vague realization that he was saving up something for his old age and for his survivors, is only just waking up to the fact that he may be building an estate that will interest the tax collector

The Canada Pension Plan to which he and his employer must contribute whether they like it or not has brought this possibility much closer.

**INCLUDES MANY**

If he is earning $5,000 a year or more, his widow after the CPP comes to maturity will be entitled to a pension of $64.06 at age 45. This assumes no dependent children The Department of National Revenue look at this pension and calculates its lump sum value on the [illegible] of the number of years she [illegible] expect to receive it This is [illegible] actuarial figure of life expecta[illegible] taken from the government [illegible] annuity table The capital value [illegible] a CPP widow's pension is [illegible] $14,500 to which would be [illegible] $500 death benefit

This $15,000 [illegible] is quite a way below the $60,000 exemption she is allowed [illegible] federal tax But says [illegible] years of participation [illegible] private plan the [illegible] built up a survivor benefit [illegible] $30 a month If the widow [illegible] 45 the value of this benefit [illegible] of the Revenue Dep[illegible] is $30,000

**INSURANCE ESTATE**

Take another case of a [illegible] at 65 whose survivor [illegible] $300 a month The value [illegible] tax purposes of her pension is [illegible] If the Canada Pension Pl[illegible] survivor benefit is added to [illegible] she

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**Hoop cheerleaders**

Even with these girls leading the Tofield cheering section Saturday, Feb. 26th in Camrose, the Tofield High Basketball team fell behind a Castor team in the zone tournament. There was a good number of Tofield students and their parents and friends on hand to witness the game. Mercury Photo.

# MacDuff Ottawa report

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is over the $60,000 limit and pays tax.

Even in the case of pensions of less value if there are other assets such as a house, possibly a car, a substantial life insurance policy, the estate on this basis can soon build up to the $60,000 level. The pension value has been commuted for tax purposes over the period of life expectancy There is no such commutation in the case of the tax. That must be paid within six months The result is that the house, or car, may have to be disposed of or the proceeds from the life insurance policy paid over to the state in spite of the fact that the husband's premiums through the years have been subject to income tax.

In addition to all this the widow has no certainty of lasting out her span of expectancy. She may die within two or three years of her husband, in which case the Revenue Department shares the benefits with the insurance company since the annuity can't be passed on further as an inheritance.

**[illegible]**

For illustration take the case where the rest of the widow's estate is valued at exactly $60,000 and in addition to this she is drawing a survivor benefit from the Canada Pension Plan. If she is aged 45 and dies a year after her husband she will have paid $1,000 in tax and received $700 in pension payments

The Canadian Labour Congress has a simple and apparently equitable solution. It suggests that if the pension is to be valued on the basis of life expectancy the tax should be paid in instalments over the same period. Ottawa officials who have examined this proposal before refuse to differentiate between a pension and any other asset left in an estate They will not concede that if the widow dies soon after her husband there has been any overpayment of estates tax.

**TREAT ALL ALIKE**

One reason for this rigid attitude is that civil servants are probably the worst sufferers from the present system and would be the greatest beneficiaries of any change. The civil service pension plan provides a widow with half her husband's pension which, in the case of a number of senior civil servants, could easily mean as much as $500 a month. They have been afraid of accusations that they were discriminating in their own favour Now that the ice has been broken by the CLC and applications of the estates tax widened by the coming of the CPP they may feel they can take a different attitude.


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# Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. Alex Harris and family of Edmonton were weekend visitors with Mr and Mrs. Hans Brekstad and also attended the funeral of Holstein Fodness, Saturday March 5th.

**AT FUNERAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Laskoski and daughters, John Laskosky Wm Laskosky and Mr and Mrs. Delaney of Daysland attended the funeral of their nephew, Shawn Kiernan in Edmonton Thursday, Feb. 24th.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth Sorgen and daughter, Lois attended the guest weekend at the University of Alberta, held recently

Mr and Mrs Philip Liedl and children were visiting for a few days over the weekend with friends at Fort McMurray

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Komarnisky and children of Edmonton were vistors with the former's parents., Mr and Mrs Mike Komarnisky, the end of last week

Mrs Carrie Bratrud of Camrose was a recent Thursday visitor with her brother Lars and Mrs. Ritland.

Mrs. Laura Christiansen and Mrs Lillie Grosland motored to Viking a week ago Sunday with Mrs. Gertrude Wohl, Mrs. Olga Burnstad both of Edmonton and Mrs. Annie Stackhouse of Parkland Lodge, Edson, all are former district residents, and visited with Mrs. Berget Thorson and D. McLarty at Vialta Lodge Mr and Mrs. C. M. Logan, Melvin, Marian and Judi Logan also of Edmonton were other visitors there

**4-H CLUB MEETS**

The Holden 4-H Beef Club held their regular meeting, Feb 10th, to make plans for public speaking, the rodeo held in Edmonton and a centennial project Members also discussed holding a skating party Bruce MacDonnell who was the guest speaker spoke on "The Chamber of Commerce", the medical situation and the Holden and district sports day At the conclusion of the meeting lunch was served

# Mrs. Annie Rurka passes at 49 years

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Mrs. Annie Rurka of the Vegreville district, passed away March 3rd at the age of 49 She had been in poor health for some time

She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, Bill, seven sons three daughters, and ten grandchildren; her parents, Mr. and Mrs Mike Haybida of Holden, three brothers, Nick and John of Holden and Bill of Edson

Prayer services were held on Sunday, March 6th, at Barchew Hall, and Requiem Mass on Monday, March 7th at St John the Baptist Ukrainian Catholic Church, with Rev. F. Kalba, O.S.B.M., the celebrant Interment was in the church cemetery

# Pioneer group meets at N. Campbell home

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —The monthly meeting of the Pioneer Group was held Thursday, March 3rd, at the home of Mrs. N. L. Campbell, with 17 members and visitors present. Devotions were led by Mrs. Blanche Olson, and a chapter of the year's study book was taken

A letter from Mrs. Elna Parsons, a resident in the Good Samaritan Home, Edmonton, was read, thanking all the ladies for the card she had received from them, which all had signed.

The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J Buxton, with Mrs. Earl Hardy having the devotions

# Around the town

**FAREWELL PARTY**

Thursday afternoon luncheon guests at the Reger home were Mrs Hosler, Mrs Litwin, Mrs. Yager, Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. Mitchel Mrs McCormick Mrs. McCowan, Mrs. Sandercock, in honor of Mrs. Yager who will be leaving for Wetaskiwin where she will reside Mrs McLean home on Sunday were their noon and joined the luncheon party

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Dinner guests at the Reger home on Sunday was their daughter Carol and Wilfred Helgeland and grandsons Warrell and Donald Afternoon coffee guests were Rudolf and Louisa Undin, Warrell and Kathy

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Erica Kuc from Edmonton spent the weekend with her parents, Mr and Mrs Pete Kuc

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Mrs Guy Pigeon was the winner of the Tofield Community Leagues $100.00


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First year boys made butter cake, devil's food cake, cocoa syrup, egg nog and coffee. Second year boys made meat pie with biscuit topping, and meat pie with mashed potato topping.

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PALMER - EARLING — The Ryley Mutual Telephone Co. held their annual meeting Feb 25 at the Salt Lake Community Centre, with a small attendance. Joe Knudson was elected temporary secretary for the meeting.

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SALE AT 11:00 O'CLOCK — LUNCH AT NOON

**23 HEAD OF CATTLE**
Ayrshire Cow, 6 yrs. old, to freshen in April; Shorthorn Cow, 7 yrs. old, to freshen in April; Red Cow, 8 yrs. old, to freshen in April; Holstein Cow, 4 yrs. old, to freshen in April; Ayrshire Cow, 4 yrs. old, to freshen in May; Holstein Cow, 8 yrs. old, to freshen in June; Holstein Heifer, 2½ yrs. old, to freshen in April; Holstein Heifer, 3 yrs. old, to freshen in May; Jersey Cow, 4 yrs. old, just fresh; Holstein Cow, 6 yrs. old, just fresh; Black Cow, [illegible] yrs. old, due by sale time; Holstein Cow, 4 yrs. old, coming with 2nd calf; Holstein Cow, 5 yrs. old, due in April; 2 Holstein Heifers, due in April; 2 Crossbred Heifers, coming in the spring; [illegible] Hereford Cows, with calves at foot.
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**Also to be sold at this Sale is the Estate of the Late Andrew Reum:**
1953 FORD ½-TON TRUCK, A-1 shape; 5-ft. M-M COMBINE, with motor; 300-gal. Gas Tank with Hose, like new; Hydraulic 3-bot. Plow; 6-ft. IHC Tiller on rubber; 12-sec. Rolling Drew Bar; Power Lawn Mower; 20-ft. Grain Auger; 300-chick Propane Brooder; Tiller Disc Sharpener; 100 lbs. Fence Staples; Forks, Shovels, Chains and Small Articles.

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### FUTURE DATES

**EASTER TEA AND SALE OF HOME COOKING**

The Evening Unit of the U.C.W. will hold their Easter Tea and Sale of Home Cooking and Flowers on Saturday, April 9, in the United Church Basement. Anyone wishing potted plants or lilies, please phone 662-4092 to order same. 27 to 32c-3181

**McKENZIE HALL MEETING**

Residents of Lakeshore and McKenzie are urged to attend a meeting in the Town Hall on Saturday, March 12, at 8:00 p.m., to discuss the future of the McKenzie Hall. 27-30c-3175

### IN MEMORIAM

CANEY—In loving memory of Ted Caney, who passed away March 10, 1965:

We do not forget, nor do we intend,
We think of you often, will to the end,
Forgotten by some you may be
In our memory you will ever be.

—Ever remembered and sadly missed by Mom and Dad, Davick, Ted and Ona, Lill and Lorna, Bob and Marion, Jimmy, Betty and Janice. 28p-3081

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Remembrance is a golden chain
Death tries to break, but all in vain.
To have, to love, and then to part,
Is the greatest sorrow of one's heart.
The years may wipe out many things,
But this they wipe out never—
The memory of those happy days
When we were all together.

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### CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to thank Father Scriven, Dr Fresbury and the Nurses and Staff at the Tofield Hospital for their care and kindness given me while a patient there. I am deeply grateful.

—Mrs. Eddie Stang. 28c-3190

### FOR RENT

CASH RENT for Pasture- quarter section, 8 miles north of Tofield. Phone 662-4048 or 662-3274. 27-28-29c-3075

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8.00 p.m.—Evening Service of Music and Message
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It is sad to be lonely alone. But it is much worse to be lonely in the company of your friends. —J.W.R.

## LL toboggan party held at Viking

Two carloads of Luther Leaguers from Ryley travelled to Viking Sunday to take part in a tobogganing party. Nearly 50 young people, including Kingman Leaguers, enjoyed the afternoon the hills north of Kinsella. Lunch was served by the Viking hosts.

## Boys' Food Club meets

The regular meeting of the Ryley Boys' Food Club was held at the Home Economics Room with Glen Magneson, vice-pres., in the chair. Harvey Harbak led the boys in the 4-H Pledge. Roll Call was answered by each member naming an edible fish. The bake sale was reported as a success, with the cake raffle being won by Mrs. Diane Rude.

The cooksters decided to attend the Rodeo in Edmonton on March 22. The forthcoming public speaking competition, to be held March 28, was discussed. Each member then gave a one-minute impromptu speech.

First year boys made butter cake, devil's food cake, cocoa syrup, egg nog, and coffee. Second year boys made meat pie with biscuit topping, and meat pie with mashed potato topping.

## Ryley 'Phone Co. elects officers

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER - EARLING — The Ryley Mutual Telephone Co. held their annual meeting Feb. 25 at the Salt Lake Community Centre, with a small attendance. Joe Knudson was elected temporary secretary for the meeting.

Officers are: President, Melvin Lehman, vice-president, Clarence Johnson, sec.-treas., Mrs. Grace Lehman, board of directors, Harold Reum, Joe Knudson and Joe Lehman who was re-elected.

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### FUTURE DATES

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**McKENZIE HALL MEETING**

Residents of Lakeshore and McKenzie are urged to attend a meeting in the Town Hall on Saturday, March 12, at 8:00 p.m., to discuss the future of the McKenzie Hall. 27-28c-3175

### IN MEMORIAM

CANEY.—In loving memory of Ted Caney, who passed away March 10, 1965:

We do not forget, nor do we intend.
We think of you often, will to the end.
Forgotten by some you may be
In our memory you will ever be.

—Ever remembered and sadly missed by Mom and Dad, Dewick, Ted and Ona, Lill and Lorna, Bob and Marion, Jimmy, Betty and Janice. 28p-3081

CANEY.—In loving memory of a dear son and brother, Edward George (Ted) Caney, who passed away March 10, 1965.

Remembrance is a golden chain
Death tries to break, but all in vain.
To have, to love, and then to part,
Is the greatest sorrow of one's heart.
The years may wipe out many things,
But this they wipe out never—
The memory of those happy days
When we were all together.

—Ever remembered and sadly missed by Loving Parents, Brothers and Sisters. 28c-3085

### CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to thank Father Serveen, Dr. Froebury and the Nurses and Staff at the Tofield Hospital for their care and kindness given me while a patient there. I am deeply grateful.

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**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
**W. H. McConnell, B.A., B.D., Minister**
**Sunday, March 13th**
10.00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "How Does One Measure Failure?"
"A youthful figure is what you get if you ask a woman her age".

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Pastor Don McLean**
**Sunday, March 13th**
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service of Music and Message
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting
Friday, 7:30 p.m.—Young People's Meeting

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
**Sunday, March 13th**
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Program theme "Saved To Serve"
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First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month — 9.30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month — 11:00 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:30 p.m.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**Ryley, Alberta**
**Pastor Stanley Rude**
**Sunday, March 13th)**
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
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11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

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SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, Mar. 12:
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# Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. The lady, when asked about the matter, claimed she didn't know nothing about it.
2. I have drunk three hot cupfuls of coffee
3. Jones wanted the position of manager badly
4. The noted authoress told us that she was ravenously hungry
5. Although it was a pretty close race, they blamed the loss on Tommy
6. We have read into your manuscript, and we are returning same to you herewith

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Crescendo. 10. Campanile
8. Pantomime 11. Preamble
9. Passe. 12. Cynosure.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Liqueur, liquidate, liquify, lissomeness, litigation, accumulation accompaniment, accession, accomodation, acclimatize, contemporary, contenteous, contemptible, contingency, contemplative, Pharaoh, emporer, dauphin, regent generalissimo, courageous, contagious, conscientious, constituency, contiguous, soubriquet, sovereign, soulless, somniferous, somnolence.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "The WOMAN, when asked about the matter, MAINTAINED she KNEW nothing about it". 2. Say, "I have DRUNK three CUPFULS of HOT COFFEE". 3. Say, "Jones wanted VERY MUCH the position of manager". 4. Say, "The noted AUTHOR (feminine, as well as masculine) told us that she was RAVENOUS". "Ravenous" means eager for food. 5. Say, "Although it was a VERY close race, they blamed TOMMY FOR the loss". Never blame a thing on a person, but blame a person for a thing. 6. Omit "into" and "herewith", and say, "we are returning IT to you".
7. Pronounce kreh-shen-doe, accent second syllable. 8. Pronounce last syllable as "mime", and not as "mine", sometimes heard 9. Pronounce pa-say, accent second syllable 10. Pronounce kam-pa-nee-lee, accent on third syllable. 11 Accent SECOND syllable, not the first 12. Pronounce sigh-no-shoor, accent first syllable
13. Liquefy, accommodation, contentious, emperor, contagious, somniferous

## Palmer-Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER - EARLING March 4 — Mrs. Gladys Steffen and Wanda were weekend guests with Ionne Steffen and friends in Edmonton.

The Don Campbells were Edmonton callers Monday.

Diane Campbell of Camrose was a Thursday visitor with Marilyn Hjelter.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Kvale of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the Evan Kvale and Richard Vassberg homes.

Sam Olsen and Ed Christian are on a two week holiday at Vancouver, B.C. and points in Washington

Mr. and Mrs. Bent Pederson and children of Lodgepole were Sunday guests with Mrs. Karen Pedersen.

The Lawrence Hovland, John Bruce, R. McKee and Lewis Forre families were Sunday dinner guests at Mrs. Malinda Roth's home in Camrose

Harold, Alf and Glen Reum spent the week at Wanham with the Herman and Melvin Reums.

The Zion and Skudesnes Bible study conducted by Pastor Palmer Olson was held Thursday night at Bawlf, followed by fellowship and lunch at the par- [illegible]

[illegible] BIRTHDAY

Mrs Gyda Rindahl observed her 78th birthday March 1st at her home. She received many cards and a purse of money from her four daughters. Present for dinner were Mrs. Gladys Steffen, Mrs. Alma Steffen, Mr. and Mrs. Art Seabor, Mrs. Adamson, Mrs. Wooder, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rindahl, and Mr. and Mrs. Gust Knudsvig

The

## Swingin' set

By Robin Randel

### *Throwing a party*

Planning a party can be just as much fun as throwing one. All you need is a little imagination. First, decide what type of a party you are going to have, then use your theme as a basis for atmosphere For instance, a "come as you were" party — send the invitations attached to diaper pins. All guests come dressed as they were when they were still teething. Have them all send you pictures of themselves when they were still babies. When the guests arrive have them identify the posing babies, to get the party clicking

You may not think that the "Flying Dutchman" and other games you played when you were a child are any fun, but just try them for fun. They will prove to be a riot! While the party is under way, play some of the records you used to listen to in the days of old For lunch, serve your favorite food 10 years ago, and even go as far as to serve baby pablum as a side dish. With a silver spoon, of course!

See how much fun it can be?

There are hundreds of different kinds of parties you can throw and the more way-out and wacky they are, the more fun and laughter there will be.

Here are a few reminders when you plan your next party:

1. Have something to get the party under way. (e.g. When guests arrive, give them several pieces of an unfinished puzzle on the coffee table Finishing the puzzle gets everybody talking!).
2. Have entertainment such as games or dancing
3. Have plenty to eat. Boys are enormous eaters, especially after they've been dancing or out skiing.

Remember, you're the one who must get parties going A well-planned and a successful party is always remembered, so you're bound to be invited to another one.

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## Fire in fireman's home; fireman was out of town at time

Camrose fireman Gene Thirsk failed to respond to a fire call last week, even though the call came from his own home.

Mrs. Thirsk called the fire department about noon when she noticed smoke coming from her clothes dryer She immediately pulled the plug from the electrical outlet, and as a result damage was kept to a minimum, and the fire was out by the time the brigade arrived. Apparently the motor had overheated and lint in the machine began to smoulder.

Mr Thirsk, an employee of The Canadian, spends each Wednesday in Tofield, Ryley and Holden, servicing advertising accounts for The Tofield Mercury.

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# 90 year-old resident, Carl H. Johnson dies

An old-timer of the Kingman and Camrose district, Carl Hendrick Johnson, passed away Feb. 19th at the age of 90.

Funeral service was held at the Hoveland Funeral Chapel February 23rd with Rev. O. H. Haugen officiating. Interment took place in the Bethlehem Lutheran Church Cemetery.

Mr Johnson was born in Rumsall, Sweden on January 15th, 1876, came to Canada in 1906, and settled in the Kingman district where he farmed until his retirement in 1943. He then moved to Camrose, where he resided until his passing.

His wife Hilda, predeceased him in 1942 He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Alma Feragen of Camrose, two sons, John of Kingman and Bernard of Camrose, five grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Clarence Skalin, Fritz Adamson, Orval Bjorgum, Alvin Bjorgum, Pete Njesoth, Olaf Heie.

## Locals . . .

HOCKEY SCORES

Last week hockey scores On Thursday, Ross Creek at Tofield, 4-1 in favor of Tofield.

Tuesday, Ryley at Tofield, 4 all

Gary Oslund, Dave Price and Rennie Taylor fired the winning shots for Tofield in both games.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tiedemann and family motored to Grassland on Sunday where they visited Jewel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jenkins, her brothers, Richard and family and Burton Jenkins They also visited an uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs. Sandy White and cousins of Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Foss.

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HOOT HOOT

About 7:10 p.m. on Thursday evening last a pair of owls were seen sitting on the Everitt TV aerial, and they were also heard hooting in the time honored manner,

* * *

Mrs. Tom Nahrebeski and her brother Joe Audinko are visiting at High Prairie with Jim and Louise Nahrebeski and Jimmy.

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Betty Lindsay from Calgary spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lindsay.

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Bill Davison and Jack Hardy spent the weekend in Calgary for open house at the Southern Alberta Institute of Technology where Herb is attending.

## Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, March 7 — The Salem LCW meets at the church basement on Thursday, March 10 at 8:00 p.m. Hostesses will be Mrs. J. A. Holte and Miss Mabel Simonson.

Mrs. Melvin Severson is home after spending a week at Dawson Creek, B.C. with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lindalle.

Mrs. Bill Ording of Saskatoon, and Mrs. Fred Andiel and children of Edmonton were weekend visitors at the Erik Wruck home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Holte of Bittern Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Tiller Anderson, Curtis and Brent of Camrose were Sunday visitors with Mrs. J A. Holte.

**Mrs. Evelyn Gunderson received word of the passing of her uncle, Chester Christenson of Edmonton on Saturday.**

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## Spilstead news briefs

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

The regular meeting of the Spilstead Ladies Society was held at the home of [illegible] Grace L'irandelle in Edmonton on March 2nd. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent looking over the parcels of materials for sewing and knitting A delicious lunch was served by Grace. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Josie Paulsons home in April.

Mrs. Louise Winder and Glen attended a basketball game between Tofield and Castor at Camrose recently.

Mrs. Hazel Ray, Mrs. Louis Winder and Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother went to the curling game in Tofield on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs. Bart Lymburner visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoflin on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schmidt and Johnnie were visitors with Ed Knull on Sunday. They also visited the Kuiper family of Hilliard recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Belcourt had their little granddaughter Gi Gi Belcourt, visiting them lately

HERE FROM ONTARIO

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fairbrother and family recently had a surprise visit from Mrs. Fairbrother's brother-in-law, Fl. J. A Brown of the RCAF at North Bay, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Newlove and Leona, and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Fairbrother from Edmonton were Saturday evening visitors at the T. W. and Ernest Fairbrother homes.

AT FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Barnhard accompanied other members of their family to Cold Lake recently to attend the funeral of their nephew, Don Erickson.

On Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray and boys had supper with the Ernest Fairbrother family.

Sunday visitors at the Ernest Fairbrother home were Mr and Mrs. Virgil Dirk de Fresne and Mr and Mrs. Virgil Fairbrother and family, all from Edmonton.

## Holden

(Intended for last week)

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. Lars Olson were business visitors in Wetaskiwin and Camrose on Saturday.

Alex Gordey, MLA of Vegreville was a visitor Saturday afternoon in the district.

TRUSTEES MEET

The monthly meeting of trustees for the Holden Drainage District No 1 was held Feb 25th in the office of the Secretary-Treasurer Ray Hovland. Trustees Afseth, Hans Huseby and Nick Laskoski were present. The auditor for the ensuing year was appointed. A motion was made expressing the sympathy of the Board to Hans Huseby in the recent loss of his son and to Nick Laskoski in the tragic death [illegible] nephew The annual meeting is to be held Wednesday, March 16th in the Gladstone Curling Rink at 2 p.m.

AT NEPHEW'S FUNERAL

Mr and Mrs. Nick Laskoski and daughters, John Laskoski, William Laskoski, and Mr and Mrs Delaney of Daysland attended the funeral, Thursday, February 24th in Edmonton of their small nephew, Shawn Kiernan, who died in a tragic accident Sunday Feb. 20th.

Mrs Jack [illegible] went to Viking Monday of last week and picked up her father, Fred Nordwaski, who had been a patient there for the [illegible] three weeks, taking him home to Ryley

Mrs Beverly Manchur and son Grant and sister Linda visited with her grandmother, Mrs Gares at Vialta Lodge, Viking a week ago Sunday.

Sam Sroka of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his mother, Mrs Tekla Sroka and other relatives

Mr and Mrs. Ray Shand of Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests with her mother, Mrs. R Loney and they were all afternoon visitors with Mr. Loney at Vegreville.

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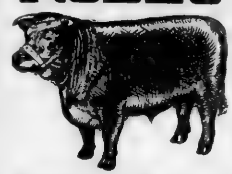

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# Bardo district news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, March 7 — Grandma Foshaug attended church services on Sunday morning for the first time since her accident.

Mrs. Ingolf Brekkan entertained several relations and friends in the district at a birthday party for her husband on Sunday.

The Raymond Brook's family from Wetaskiwin were Friday overnight visitors at the Clarence Rude home returning home Saturday afternoon. Garry Nelson from Edmonton accompanied Miss Joanne Lauber from Edmonton on Friday evening, spending the weekend with his grandparents, returning to Edmonton Sunday evening with Joanne and Jimmy Lauber.

Bjarne and Thelma Erickson and children from Edson spent the weekend at the Mikael Erickson home. Thelma's mother, Mrs. Sorgaard [illegible] LaGlace, who has been [illegible] some time visiting friends and relatives accompanied them back Sunday evening.

Visitors at the Arnold Johnson home at different times during the [illegible] been Mrs. Minnie Sorgaard [illegible] LaGlace, Mr. and Mrs. Albin Anderson and Audrey from Kingman, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brooks and boys from Wetaskiwin, Mrs. Petra Stauffer and Mrs. Agnes Hauhedal.

Olaf and Nora Anderson accompanied Axel and Nita [illegible]ley to Edmonton on Sunday where they visited their son and daughter-in-law, Lawrence and Elizabeth and children. The Kindleys were dinner guests with Nitas brother and sister-in-law, Angus and Irene Mitchel.

Philip and Norma Anderson and family and Berry Mosby, Douglas Finseth and Lyle Heiberg motored to Viking on Sunday afternoon when the Viking Luther League entertained at a tobogganing party.

Miss Caroline Foshaug of Edmonton spent the weekend with her parents.

Dale and Arlene Rude and boys from Inland spent the weekend at the Emil Rude home.

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

Friends and relatives who helped Mrs. Alice Stokkan cele- with Nita's brother and sister-in- Bob and Marlene Hunter and children from Fort Saskatchewan; Dale and Arlene Rude and children, Inland, Mrs. L. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haukedal and Mrs. Petra Stauffer, from Tofield, Mr and Mrs. Harold Shultz and family, Olaf Haugen, Mrs. Minnie Sorgaard, Mrs. Borghild Erickson, Mr and Mrs. Axel Kindley and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Foshaug.

Andy and Bernice Heiberg and children visited Andy's mother, Mrs. Ragna Heiberg at the Bethany Home on Sunday afternoon.

Dinner guests with Alice and Elmer Sitler on Sunday were their children and grandchildren, Glenn and Edith Sitler and family and Ed and Gail Look and family from Edmonton and Harold and Betty Ann Sitler.

A large group of children, young people, adults, enjoyed an evening of fun at the recreational centre on Friday. The entertainment was arranged by the Social Committee and lunch served by a group of six. According to comments heard the committee will soon be asked to arrange for another such evening.

## Former Tofield man, Henry White passes

On February 25, Henry A. White of 12136 - 64 street, formerly of Tofield passed away at the age of 79 years. Besides his loving wife Clara, he leaves to mourn one daughter (Irene), Mrs. G. A. Trent of Tofield, five sons, George, Ralph, Daniel Carl and Norman all of Edmonton; 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren, also three sisters and four brothers in the U.S.A.

Funeral services were held on February 28th at 1:00 p.m. from the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints at 10547 - 81 Ave., Edmonton, with Elder N. E. Olson officiating. Interment was in the family plot at Westlawn Memorial Park. Andrews - McLaughlin Funeral Chapel (1964) Ltd., were in charge.

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# Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, March 7 — Mr. and Mrs. Ross Flemming accompanied their son, Phillip to Nisku Airport on Friday where he boarded the plane for Kansas City. He will spend a month at the Atlantic Airlines School, having taken a correspondence course for the past year.

Allan Flemming was home for the weekend and left for High Level, where he will be employed on an oil rig.

Mr and Mrs. John Johnson spent Sunday in Edmonton with the Walt Gaberts.

Mr and Mrs. John Hutchinson and daughter of Drayton Valley were weekend visitors at the Roy Hutchinson home.

Mrs. A. M. Wick returned home Friday from St. Mary's Hospital but returned there again on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lowe and family of Stony Plain were Sunday dinner guests at the Fred Coykendall home. The Lowes and Coykendalls, and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Christenson went to Camrose in the afternoon to help Mrs. Tilda Christenson celebrate her birthday.

**TO WASHINGTON**

Oscar Erga and Huddon Bronnum left by train Monday for Seattle and Everett, Wash., to visit with Huddon's sisters, Helen Jensen and Amy Hougan.

Mr and Mrs. Emil Sletten of Camrose were Sunday dinner guests at the Ed Seljehaug home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bjorgum and family were among many visitors at the Martin Bjorgum home in Camrose to wish Mrs. Bjorgum a happy birthday.

Mr and Mrs. Rupert Haselgruber and girls of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with the C. L. Christensons.

Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Klevgaard and family, Mrs. Karoline Klevgaard and Roy Flemming, all of Edberg and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Flemming and family and Allan Flemming were at the Ross Fleming home for a family dinner Sunday, Feb. 27th.

## Mrs. E. Sitler hosts Bardo LCW meeting

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO — The March meeting of the LCW was held at the home of Mrs. Elmer Sitler on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Phillip Anderson chaired the meeting in the absence of the President, Mrs. Heiberg.

Mrs. Leif Foshaug led in devotion. Bible Study "The God of the Cosmos" was led by Mrs. Lester Severson and Mrs. Ivan Foshaug gave the offering meditation.

It was decided to purchase new song books for the LCW and committee in charge will be Mrs. Ivan Foshaug, Mrs. Sam Cinnamon and Mrs. Lester Severson. It was also decided to purchase a Sunday school attendance board and tract rack, the Education Sec. to be in charge of this. Many boxes of used greeting cards were brought in for the project and next months project is tray servers.

# Native of Holden, Henry Huseby passes

Henry Norman Huseby passed away January 17 in Providence Hospital, Daysland, after a short illness. Born at Holden on Nov. 15, 1908, where he attended public school, he received his school education at Camrose Lutheran College and his teacher's education at the Camrose Normal School. Having taught school for 20 years, he turned to farming, where he resided until his passing.

He was an all-around sportsman, and was a member of the Masonic and Elks Lodges.

He is survived by his wife, Evelyn, two sons, Murray and Dale, at home, four daughters, Brenda at home, June (Mrs. Ken Yarham) of Edmonton, Florence (Mrs. Wallace Giebelhaus) of Holden and Norma (Mrs. Lorne Murdock) of Edmonton; five grandchildren; his father, Hans, and one brother, Conrad, of Holden; two sisters, Lillian (Mrs. Alf Lefsrud) of Edmonton, and Irene (Mrs Paddy Francoeur) of Camrose, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held in Zion Lutheran Church on January 20th, with Rev. P. Olson officiating. Interment followed in the church cemetery. Hoveland's Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Active pallbearers were Harry Nesland, Ken Sorgen, Oscar Alseth, Harry Johnson, Henry Pederson and Espen Sorenson. Honorary pall bearers were Lars Olson, Ralph Mason, Len Sawyers, Bruce Budd, Ralph Pritchard and Lyle Grosland.

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Thursday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Mae and Howard Ferguson were Mae's mother, Mrs. Roberts of Tofield, and her friend Mrs. Chyneweth of Wainwright.

**UCW PROGRAM**

Quite a number of people from the Tofield, Lakeshore, McKenzie districts attended the Ross Creek UCW program in the Chipman School Auditorium on Saturday evening. People were there also from Ross Creek, Lamont, Edmonton, Chipman and other surrounding districts. An excellent program was provided and everyone really enjoyed it. The Ross Creek Ladies are commended for an excellent performance, also the MC of the evening, Mrs. Birsi of Lamont for her wonderful humorous talks and to the four young men for their part in making the evening such a success.

Mrs. Jake Nichel entertained nine ladies at a Tupperware show and tea on Thursday evening with Mrs. Alice Hultholm of Camrose as the demonstrator. A very enjoyable evening was spent with contests and visiting followed by a delicious lunch served by the hostess.

Glen and Margaret Bailey of Golden Spike, formerly of the McKenzie district, attended the Ross Creek UCW Program night at Chipman on Saturday evening. After the program they visited with their son and daughter-in-law, Neil and Violet Bailey and family on the farm and were coffee guests there before returning to their home.

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# Hold funeral rites for 3-year-old Holden girl

Judy Navrot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Navrot passed away at Bagotville, Quebec, February 18, at the age of two years 8 months and 10 days.

She leaves to mourn her passing her parents, one brother and two sisters, her maternal grandmother, paternal grandparents and a host of other relatives.

Funeral services were held in Hoveland Funeral Chapel, Feb. 24th with Rev. Eifert officiating.

Interment took place in the Holden Cemetery.

# Kingman news items

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

**25th ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Pederson and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ovelson, Mrs. Albin Anderson, Randy and Audrey, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coykendall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Anderson from this district were among the many at the Alvin Forsen home in the Hay Lakes district on Saturday evening to celebrate the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Chell Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Anderson and Audrey were Friday visitors at the Arnold Johnson and Michael Erickson homes in the Bar[illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Art Hanson of Edmonton were Sunday evening visitors at the Willie Bjorgum home after visiting with Mrs. Gust Hanson at Bethany Home.

# Ross Creek news

(Mrs. Bessie Pederson)

Mrs. Howard Malcolm has had her father, Martin Kuysten staying with her the past while.

A cash bingo and pie social will be held at the Ross Community Centre on Saturday, April 2nd. Sponsored by the Athletic Club, the raffle draw will be the same evening.

Sympathy of the district goes to the Harold families, Jessie Strand and Margaret McManus on the recent death of their mother, Mrs. Harrold of Lamont.

Ernie Ferrel is recovering from surgery at the Tofield hospital the past week.

Everyone will be pleased to hear Judy Eglinski is back home after being hospitalized after she was struck down by a car in the city.

**UCW PROGRAM**

The program of the UCW turned out most successfully with a large crowd on hand at the Chipman Auditorium. The ladies were highly praised for all the work put in this project. Mrs. Birsi of Lamont did an excellent job as master of ceremonies. The women would like to thank all those turning out to make the program such a huge success. Thanks to the guest stars for their volunteer entertainment called "Three Hits and a Miss".

The "flu" bug has hit Ross Creek, with several people falling victim to the germ.

Bessie Pederson is holidaying at Ross Creek before starting at her new job at the McQueens Lodge at Edmonton on March 15.

For the 1964-65 fiscal year administration cost of the unemployment insurance fund was $54 million, payment to the fund out of general tax revenues was $82 million, employer-employee payments were $309 million.

## George Edwards dies, March 3rd

On March 3rd, George Edwards late of Tofield passed away in his 88th year. He is survived by four sons, Charles and Donald of Fort Saskatchewan, Dennis and Eric of Edmonton, 17 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren, a sister in Australia and a brother in England.

Funeral services were held on Monday, March 7th at 2 p.m. from Holy Trinity Anglican Church at Tofield with Rev. Walter Hammett officiating. Interment at Tofield cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Holy Trinity Church Fund.

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## Quick Canadian Quiz

1. Aside from defence, what ten federal government departments will spend more than $100 million each in the present year?
2. What is the meaning of the word Saskatchewan?
3. Labour income was $9.6 billion in 1951. What was the 1964 total?
4. What is the difference in level between tidewater on the St. Lawrence River and Lake Superior?
5. Canadians will pay $2 billion in personal income taxes to Ottawa this year. What proportion will that be of Ottawa's total revenues?

ANSWERS: 5. About 26 per cent. 3. $23.4 billion. 1. Agriculture ($122 million), CBC ($113 million), Finance ($1,713 million), Labour ($130, million), Health and Welfare ($2,205 million), Post Office ($221 million), Public Works ($236 million), Transport ($388 million), Veterans Affairs ($365 million). 4. 600 feet. 2. It is a Cree Indian expression meaning "swift current".

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## Ross Creek district news briefs

(Mrs. Bessie Pederson)

The closed bonspiel rounded up on Feb. through to the 27th at Ross Creek. A banquet was held Saturday evening at the community centre. The president Graham Snider introduced the teams, also praised Mavis Ferrel, 14 years of age for her keen interest in curling. There are several teenagers curling with their parents this year.

The Challenge Trophy played off Sunday was won by the Nick Diduck rink, including Pauline Diduck, Harry Pich and Donald Dombicho.

Grand Challenge, 1st event — Joe McLachlan, Isabel Melvan, Malcolm and Gertie Ferret.

2nd Event — Geo. McLachlan and sons, Norman, Ronald and Clifford.

2nd Event — 1st. Lawrence Malkewich, 2nd Lawrence Woytoniuk. 3rd Event — 1st Nick Diduck; 2nd Tom Sheptycki, 3rd Kenneth Pederson; 4th Willie Van Buskirk.

4th Event — 1st Raymond McLaclan; 2nd Graham Snider.

A hockey game was played between Ardrossan and Ross Creek Sunday at Ross Creek, score 6-2 for Ardrossan.

HIGH SCHOOL BONSPIEL

Two teams entered the High School Bonspiel at Tofield Saturday, March 5th. Stewart Snider, Gayell McLachlin, Norman McLachlan and Maureen McLachlan took first in the second event. The other team taking part which lost out were, Scott Malcolm, Vicky Ulan, Monty Malcolm and Verna Ulan.

86th BIRTHDAY

Grandma McLachlan celebrated his 86th birthday on March 4th. He is able to go back to the Lodge and is feeling much better.


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## Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The Lakeshore UCW will hold their March meeting at the home of Mrs. Vi Geoglein on Wed., March 16th at 2 p.m. Anyone having nylons, quilt blocks or the heavy material, 20 to 30 inch strips ready please bring to this meeting.

Mavis and Carl and family were Sunday visitors, dinner and afternoon luncheon guests at the home of Isabel and Red Rudzcki were Mr. and Mrs. Abe Baergen and family were also Sunday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests there.

Mrs. Chyneweth of Wainwright was visiting Mrs. Roberts in Tofield last week. On Wed. they accompanied Mrs. Robert's daughter, Mrs. Mae Ferguson and her little granddaughter, Wanda Weir, to the home of Mae's daughter, Mrs. Doris Brown, where they were afternoon visitors and coffee guests.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton was a Sat. supper guest at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg. Later she accompanied George and Ida Niemetz home and had supper with them, then they all attended the program put on by the Ross Creek UCW at the Chipman School Auditorium.

### Poor turn-out for annual meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—The annual meeting of the ratepayers of the Village of Holden, held in the Community Hall recently, was very poorly attended, with only 19 persons present, including the council members and secretary.

In the absence of Mayor Budd, Deputy Mayor Lars Olson presided, and Mr. Wm. Ogrodnick was chairman for the meeting. The financial statement and auditor's report were received and discussed, and reports from various departments were given and discussed. The financial statement showed the Village had ended the year with a surplus.


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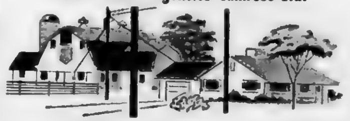

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## MINISTIK NEWS

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leach and family and W. F. Davenport, visited with Mrs. Davenport in a Camrose hospital on Saturday.

The last skating party of the season was held on Sunday by the Community club. Not as many skaters as previously were in attendance. Hot dogs hot chocolate and coffee were enjoyed after the skating session.

Mrs. Irene Williams, granddaughter, Carol and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Williams.

Mrs. Max Mulberry and Raymond were Edmonton visitors on Saturday.

The number of seats in Canada's House of Commons was increased from 235 to 245 in 1925, to 262 in 1949, to 265 in 1953.


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## Little discussion . . .

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over, another ratepayer, who said his wife was a teacher, argued he considered it a "privilege" to have the outlets provided for rural teachers at $12.

That was about the most contentious issue of the meeting.

In his report, H. A. Pike noted there are 30 fewer students in the county than there were last year. With regard to teachers, he said:

"The County was not able to staff its schools adequately for 1965 - 66. A recruiting program produced five teachers from the United States, three from Nova Scotia, and two from India, plus another six from the bursary program. The County was still forced to ask retired teachers to return to the classroom so a normal program could be carried out. Two high school teachers from India failed to appear, placing classes in an awkward situation.

"The County still offered bursaries for the first two years of the teacher training program and during the fall of 1965 offered a third year to teachers holding a certificate and to teachers in training who would agree to teach in the high school upon graduation.

"There are 12 students in the first year of the bursary program, eight students on a second year of the bursary program and eight students on the third year of the program. The 28 teachers in training comprise a potential teaching force for the next three years. However, at least 12 new teachers will have to be recruited each year to maintain the force".

Mr. Pike added the county is finding it more difficult to carry on a full high school program "as a result of this age of specialization". He said more consideration might have to be given in the future to more busing and centralization, and taking advantage of junior colleges and vocational schools.

During the discussion of municipal affairs, Reeve Jim Roddick spoke briefly on the proposed network of secondary highways throughout the province, in which all counties and municipalities will be involved. Mr. Roddick and Councillor W. Kropielnicki are Beaver county representatives on a unit committee whose job it is to work out a system of roads in the area. Most of these roads will be paved, said Mr. Roddick. The project is to be completed over the next 15 years. Costs of the survey for road locations is to be shared 30 per cent by the province, he said, with the balance to be split among the four rural municipalities in the unit.

Field Supervisor Rex Boyles gave a fairly lengthy report. He noted there is no agricultural service board any more, and that it is now an agricultural committee, with about the same status as the school committee except it has a much smaller budget. His position now, he added, is "agricultural field man" instead of "field supervisor", and commented, "so if you want me, just look out in some field, I guess".

He noted there are about 40 miles of backsloped roadsides which need grass seeded on them, and recommended this be done by the "hydro-seeding" method, whereby the grass seed is spread with water spray.

Just before the meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m., there was a request the county supply maps with all assessment figures on them so that farmers may compare assessments. Council agreed to take the matter under consideration.


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## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Geo. H. Taylor was a business caller in Viking Tuesday of last week and also called on his son Robert and family, at the farm.

Mrs. Kashman, Sr., who was in Vegreville hospital for a few days a week ago having a check up, is back home again with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kashman.

Linda Budd, student at the University of Alberta visited with her family over the weekend.

SISTER PASSES

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Elkowich received word last week of the death of his sister, Mrs. Savata Huculak of Smoky Lake who passed away March 2nd at the age of 72. The funeral service was held Monday March 7th at Russo Greek Orthodox Church, Smoky Lake.

Pete Ogonoski was visiting early part of last week. John is still a patient in Vegreville hospital and is beginning to make satisfactory progress.

ON TV

Mrs. Ron McLeod, (nee Myrtle Hooper,) will be a participant on the show "Windfall", Saturday evening, March 12th, which is shown on Channel 3, from Vancouver, at 8:30 p.m. The Hooper family are obtaining a TV for that evening for Mr. Hooper, a patient in Tofield hospital so he may have the pleasure of seeing his daughter on the show.

## Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Walker and family of the Lakeshore district were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lawson.

Raymond McGinitie of Edmonton was home with his parents Henry and Agnes McGinitie over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Holmes and family and Mrs. Alma Holmes of Ministik were Sunday dinner guests of Ivan and Mary Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGinitie and Esther Henderson motored to Viking on Friday.

Esther and Harry Ketchum and son, David of Rocky Mountain House were weekend visitors with Chester and Harold Coombes.

Judy Mitchell accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Chwyll of Edmonton on a motor trip to the southern United States. While in Los Angeles she will visit with Lorna and Orville Mitchell.

### Former district woman passes

Sympathy of the district goes to the Frank Schmalzbauer family of Edmonton and other points, former residents of Lindbrook district, on the death of their wife and mother, Mrs. Margaret Schmalzbauer on Friday morning. Mrs. Irene Scott and Mrs. Martha Tiedemann attended the funeral of Mrs. Frank (Margaret) Schmalzbauer in Edmonton on Monday morning.


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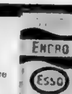


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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. Reuben Giebelhaus were business visitors in Edmonton Monday of last week, the two youngest children spent the day with their grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus. Reuben, who is quitting farming, will be holding an auction sale of farm and household goods, [illegible]

Miss Anne Appleby of the Tofield school staff, spent the weekend with her family, the Bert Applebys.

Lyle Grosland was a business visitor in Edmonton, Thursday of last week.

The Harry Shyba rink, competing in the bonspiel at Red Deer, returned home Thursday [illegible] They were defeated by the Gurlach rink from Stettler.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell entertained a number of old friends and neighbors Sunday evening of last week, in honor of her guest Mrs. Mamie MacAfee of Edmonton who was visiting for the weekend. Mrs. MacAfee returned home on the Monday morning, driving to the city with Mr. Ruxton.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visitors and lunch guests with their sister, Mrs. Campbell Tuesday of last week.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Chris Christenson is a patient in Tofield Hospital, he became ill with an attack of the 'flu and Robert Ruskenveld drove him to the doctor's who sent him to hospital for treatment.

Ray Hovland was a caller in Camrose Monday of last week, on Holden Drainage business.

Mrs. Earl Hardy was visiting her daughter Sharon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason, Jr., in Wetaskiwin a week ago Saturday and helped one of her small grandsons celebrate his first birthday. Her son Douglas of Edmonton was also visiting with his sister and family.

**ATA MEETING**

The Holden-Bruce Sub-Local of the ATA held their regular meeting Feb. 28th. Mrs. Appleby, representative to the local, gave her report, and Mr. Ness reported on sports. The teachers' annual curling bonspiel will be held Saturday, March 19th. Mrs. Pearl Allen, who had attended a convention committee meeting in Edmonton recently, gave a report of this. The groups, studying long range planning broke up into sub-comittees and continued their work.

**76TH BIRTHDAY**

A number of friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Chetney Monday evening, Feb. 28th to congratulate Olaf and help him celebrate his 76th birthday. Olaf has been active and busy farming until a year ago when he and Mrs. Chetney retired from farming and moved into their residence in Holden. His friends wish him many more happy years.

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## Holden pioneer passes at 96 yrs.

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — A former old-time pioneer of the district, Holstein Fodness of Edmonton, passed away on Thursday, March 2nd, at the age of 96. Mr Fodness had been in poor health for several years and was a patient in Westhaven Lodge, Edmonton.

He leaves to mourn his loss: two sons, Holstein of Oliver, B.C., and Ole of Bruce; three daughters, Mrs. N. (Mary) Christofferson of Holden, Mrs. Gusie Mathews and Mrs. Roy (Dora) Evenson, both of Edmonton; 21 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday, March 5th, in the Holden Lutheran Church, with Pastor Stanley Rude officiating. Interment was in the Holden cemetery.

## Students ..

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of the differential aptitude tests which he has given to students from Grades VIII to XII. This series of tests is verbal reasoning, numerical ability, mechanical reasoning and clerical ability.

**STUDENTS' VIEWPOINT**

The final event of the evening took the form of a symposium with Linda Schacker, a Grade XII student, doing a most capable job of moderating. Linda explained the purpose of the symposium as being to discuss education, its strengths and weaknesses in Alberta, from the viewpoints of students on both matriculation and diploma patterns.

Portraying the students' viewpoints were, Beth Ingram for Grade IX, Bill Sears for Grade X, Doug Grover for Grade XI, Cheryl Halverson and Henry Schroeder for Grade XII diploma pattern students, and Elaine Sorell, Grade XII, for the matriculation student. The parents' viewpoint was expressed by Dr G. M. Price; and J. C. Lampitt spoke on behalf of the teachers.

**LACK OF FACILITIES**

The students in general spoke of the lack of facilities for students in the diploma program. They felt that our schools do not offer sufficiently comprehensive courses in the commercial and vocational fields. These students all delivered well-prepared speeches, which gave evidence of sound reasoning and responsible thinking. Consideration of their views could profitably be given by parents, teachers and administration.

Dr. Price expressed, as a parent, both approval and disapproval of various educational practices. Mr. Lampitt explained some points that had caused confusion, such as the reason for not introducing the new mathematics in all the grades at once.

Mr. Pike complimented the panel members on their clear presentations, and educators on their willingness to ask for and accept constructive criticism. The students on the panel received praise from several members of the audience for their polished performances. The moderator, Linda Schacker, thanked the panel members, and invited the audience to remain for coffee and the social hour to follow.

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. Jim Reddick)

Services continue at the United Church each Sunday with fair attendances. Word received recently from Miss Helen Irwin of Toronto, student minister on the field last summer, extends very best wishes to all her friends in the area and regrets to inform us that she is unable to be back this coming term. It was hoped by all who knew her that she could spend another summer here.

**Mrs. Annie Oliver returned to Tofield Hospital last week for minor surgery.**

Alec McSporran of Edmonton spent the weekend with his father and visited with his mother who is still hospitalized in Tofield. Mrs. Charlie Horricks spent the week with her father as he was suffering with the [illegible]

**[illegible]**

Miss Lori Schwuchow placed second in the under 14 class at the 4-H Talent night in Tofield last Friday. Friends are very proud of Lori and have had the opportunity three times of seeing her perform her baton acts at local Christmas programs.

**[illegible]**

Mr and Mrs. Albert Horricks were hosts Tuesday evening to 17 people who were interested in forming an FUA Co-op. After the organization session lunch was served by Mrs. Horricks and her assistants.

Guests with Mrs. Helen Hennessey last week were her sister and brother-in-law, the Jim Moores from Whitecourt.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson was an Edmonton shopper on Thursday, also visiting her sisters, Mrs. J. Potts and Mrs. R. Inglis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reddick were hosts at a turkey dinner on Sunday when guests were Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport and girls.

Guests on Sunday with Mr and Mrs. T. A. Jones were Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones and family and Mr and Mrs. Robert Jones and Robbie and his new baby brother. Marvin Benson, brother of Mrs. John Jones was also a guest there.

Alphonse Loch was a business visitor at Slave Lake over the weekend.

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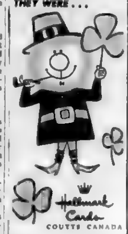

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**Watch it closely!**

In the foreground the Norseland and Holowatiuk rinks are shown in their battle for first place in the Grand Challenge of the men's open bonspiel held last week in Tofield. On the next sheet Brian McFadzean studies the ice as his father prepares to deliver his first stone in the second of the final game in the Northwestern Utilities event. The Holowatiuk rink of Ryley went on to win the Grand Challenge, while the McFadzean rink emerged victorious over the Rude rink for second event honors. - Mercury Photo.

# 37 ratepayers attend town's annual meeting

J. E. Stinson was appointed chairman of the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers of the Town of Tofield, held February 28th in the Meeting Rooms of the Tofield Community Centre.

Rita Halverson was recording secretary.

A total of 37 Ratepayers attended.

Rita Halverson read the secretary treasurer's report stating that 1965 was a good year for Tofield. The Town was not only able to show a healthy surplus but was also able to pay approximately $13,000 in unpaid 1964 debenture debts and requisitions. The total tax credits amounted to 102.5% which included 13.3% arrears credits. Eleven and a half town lots were sold and building permits sold totalled an estimated value of $113,850, consisting of 10 new dwellings, nine garages including the County's Municipal Garage and two renovations and additions. As a result the taxable assessment for 1966 is increased by $44,000 which takes into consideration a $10,000 assessment loss due to separation from the Town in 1965. The report stated that for every $100 paid in taxes, $55 went to Education; $8 for Hospital and Health Unit; $13 for local improvement debenture debts, and $24 for Town administration which includes police, fire, street lights, public works maintenance, gravelling, sidewalks, welfare, garbage removal, auditor, assessors, insurance and all the other services provided by the Town.

Mr. E. Watson moved the adoption of this report.

The Municipal Inspector's Report was made by Mrs. Halverson. Mr A. D. Swann, Inspector, stated that all books and records were being maintained in an efficient manner with the minutes prepared to give a clear account of the Town's transactions and administration. Mr Swann recommended that two cancellations of arrears bylaws be submitted for approval by the Minister. Also a discount bylaw be corrected to include the rescinding of a previous discount bylaw.

Clr. Allan moved the adoption of the Municipal Inspector's report.

Mr. H. G. Seller, manager of the Bank of Montreal, commented on the Auditors' Statement, stating that the Town was in a much better financial position than the previous year's. The Debenture debt at present is $221 per capita, reduced considerably in the past 10 years. Mr. Seller commended the Town on the arrears collections in 1965. But he cautioned against over-spending to enable a good cash reserve to be built up. Mr. Seller felt that the prepayment of taxes was working out well for the Town.

Mr. Bob Nahrebeski moved the report be accepted.

William Friesen, Fire Chief, re-

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# Holowatiuk rink wins Tofield 'spiel

The Tofield Men's Open Bonspiel wound up on Wednesday night with a very well attended banquet in the Community Hall. Two Alberta Curling Association members from Edmonton, Stu Sinclair and John Klinck, were in attendance and were the main speakers. The banquet took the form of a smorgasbord under the extremely capable supervision of Art Francis. Garnet Burnstad's appropriate reading highlighted the entertainment. During the course of the banquet various trophies were presented to the winning rinks.

The bonspiel, although somewhat lower in entries than previously, was pronounced a marked success by all who participated. All present were reminded of the Open Mixed Bonspiel to be held at Tofield on Saturday and Sunday, March 26th and 27th. Entries close on March 23rd and there is a limit of 32 rinks.

Eight rinks met at 3.00 p.m. in the afternoon to play the final draws and declare the winners of the four events in the Bonspiel. Walking off with top honors, the Tofield Curling Club's trophy and winning electric blankets, courtesy of Calgary Power in the Grand Challenge was the Holowatiuk rink consisting of E. Strilchuk, G. Burnstad and M. Lyons of Ryley.

The rink receiving the Northwestern Utilities Trophy was skipped by George McFadzean, with son, Brian, H. Kashuba and E. Goubault. Their prize was catalytic heaters.

The Tofield Hotel event was won by J. Moore, with D. Lawson, D. Wyllie and W. Lawson. In addition to the Hotel Trophy they took dressing kits home with them.

Winning in the Tofield Co-op Event was the G. Stenarud rink, with G. Becker, V. Roth and H. Kurch. Electric kettles were the prizes as well as the Co-op Trophy.

Other winners were as follows: Grand Challenge, Second, Norseland; 3rd, Haugen; 4th, MacLachlan. Northwestern Utilities 2nd, Rude; 3rd, Wall; 4th, Noble.

Tofield Hotel, Second Heiberg; 3rd, Simonson; 4th, Goubault. Tofield Co-op, 2nd, Nolan; 3rd, Swift; 4th, Walker.

## Beaver Lake level down 13 ft. from '03

BEAVER HILLS — On July 13, 1965, a survey of Beaver Lake was made, in order to find out how much the lake would have to rise in order to come up to the high level mark it was in 1903, and again in 1917. The result was that it would have to rise 13 ft., to come up to the 1903 mark, and 10 feet to equal the 1917 mark.

In 1903 the Point consisted of five islands.

## Former Tofield woman, Mrs. C. Whillans dies

Mrs. Clara Elizabeth Whillans, formerly of Tofield, passed away at the age of 80. Predeceased by her husband, Charles, and a son, Ralph, in 1961, she is survived by four sons, Ray and Gordon of Tofield, Lloyd of Edmonton and Neil of Winnipeg, two daughters, Marguerite (Mrs. F. Thomas) of Lancaster Park and Joyce (Mrs. L. Foss) of Vancouver, 20 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday, March 16, from the Tofield United Church, with the Rev. W. H. McDonald officiating. Interment was in the family plot at Evergreen Memorial Gardens. Andrews-McLaughlin Funeral Directors had charge of arrangements.

**THE WEATHER . . .**

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## Mrs. John Story very much alive!

**This letter received in The Mercury office from our Holden correspondent is self-explanatory, and we can give no excuse for the serious error, except to say it is human error that is ever possible, especially when there are deadlines to meet. We express our deepest apologies to the Story family, and can only say we hope Mrs. Story will celebrate many more birthdays.**

It was quite a shock to see in The Mercury, March 10th, the heading above the account of a birthday celebration of Mrs. John Story, "Mrs. John Story Dies in 88th Year".

Mrs. Story is in good health for her age, and it was most upsetting to have inquiries regarding her.

Of course, reading the item one can see that there is nothing regarding her death, but the headline surely hits one. It is disturbing for the family, and difficult for me to explain I do not write the headlines.

Sincerely,

Mrs. G. H. Taylor.

## FUA to form MSI group

At the FUA meeting on March 8th, Mr. Callon of Medical Services Incorporated explained the benefits of a group plan over individual memberships to all in attendance.

Briefly this is the plan:

To form a group any organization has to have 60% of its members enrol. Those who now have individual contracts can transfer to Group. There is no three-months waiting period as in individual, before becoming effective, and no exclusion for chronic or pre-existing ailments. Dependents receive equal coverage and there is no age limit. The premiums are considerably lower.

With the new Provincial subsidy which is at present 50% of the premium and which is expected to be raised considerably at the present sitting of the legislature no family can afford not to have some coverage. After full explanation by Mr. Callon is was passed practically unanimously to endeavour to form a group and within the next week or so MSI will have a man in the field to help canvass the district. If you are interested it would help considerably if you would phone either Ed Ferguson 662-2110 or Reg Cuspin, phone 662-2207 and we will call on you to fully explain, no pressure will be used. Next meeting, Tuesday, April 12. MLA Mr. Gordey will be here.

# On Gerda

It must indeed be a matter of the utmost concern to Canadians that a case which on the face of it is infinitely less serious than the Profumo case in Britain should through bungling mismanagement have developed into proportions which threaten to pull down not only a handful of senior government members, but quite probably the entire government, and even remotely possibly the institution of government as we know it.

As events continue to unfold there can be little doubt that the move was coldly premeditated by Justice Minister Cardin, though probably the exact time of its revelation had not been established. It seems obvious that he had knowledge of the Munsinger file for some time, and if this is accepted, it seems equally obvious he must have saved it up for some special occasion.

The file, reported to have been smuggled out, nonetheless is duplicated in RCMP files, and everything in it was known to police forces. Since no action was ever taken by these forces, it seems not unreasonable to suppose there was little question of security in their minds. The problem, if it ever existed, is long past, and nothing could now be gained by Mr Cardin's resurrecting it except personal revenge or a little political advantage.

Unless a security problem can be established in the investigation, the whole matter should be dropped, but unfortunately it cannot be. It seems incredible that the lifetime activities and careers of men of established reputation, some of whom served with distinction in the armed forces, and all of whom served their government with distinction, should be brought shattering down in ruins by a tawdry "party girl". It seems beyond belief that millions of Canadian men and women who wouldn't dream of admitting this cheap tramp to their homes will read and believe every word she says. And it seems unbelievable that of all the players in this sorry drama, only Gerda Munsinger will profit by it. She, obviously, stands to collect handsomely from royalties on publishing rights, now and in the future.

In this whole messy business, possibly we shouldn't overlook the warning issued by Igor Gouzenko, the Soviet cipher clerk defector of twenty years ago, who made a rare television appearance Sunday to point out this is the sort of work indulged in by the Soviets to bring into disrepute the establishment in other places. If they had a hand in this they can congratulate themselves on scoring a ringer; but Canadians should, just the same, keep the possibility in mind there was a plant in the case. Thousands of Albertans living today are convinced they saw another political career wrecked by planted or contrived evidence. Does history repeat itself?

# Good news to motorists

Announcement of the survey being conducted into insurance rates in Alberta will be welcomed by thousands of motorists, and quite probably by many of the casualty underwriters, too. Drivers will expect to see demonstrated proof that insurance rates are too high, while the insurance companies, we suspect, will be glad of an opportunity to air their position.

One of the areas they will doubtless attack as being a big problem is the responsibility of carrying the assigned risks: drivers whose business no one wants, but which they carry simply because each company in turn is assigned its share of these risks. The plan was adopted in the hope of avoiding government entry into the insurance field.

If things are as bad as the underwriters say . . . and their figures are open to inspection . . . it seems logical they should nowadays want to get out of the business and let the government have it. On the other hand, if public examination of the insurance problem produces a clearer understanding of problems and hazards faced by the companies, we may be able to more accurately assess the adjustments to be faced . . . either by the insurance companies or by the motoring public.

# Too complicated

Income tax time is rolling around fairly quickly, and on all sides the public is being besieged with advertisements, articles, broadcasts and telecasts to get their returns filled in properly and accurately, in order to avoid departmental trouble in processing them.

It had never occurred to us that the duty of all good citizens lay in making conditions as smooth as possible for the income tax collector, so this is a new concept. After all, if we make things too easy for them, how can all those extra jobs year after year be justified?

That's only an aside, though. What really bothers us is the need for all this advice on how to fill out forms correctly. Surely this indicates that the form is unnecessarily difficult in the first place. If only part of the effort and expense were beamed at simplifying the form, it's probable fewer mistakes would be made in the first place.

At the same time, we have to credit the department on two counts. They really did introduce a "simpler" tax form a couple of years ago. And faced with numerous errors, they are trying to do something about it, in the way of spreading clearer understanding, rather than wringing their hands and complaining.


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# By George!

I have often wondered lately why one no longer hears the national anthem played at the end of shows in movie theatres. Not too many years ago no one dared leave the building until the completion of the playing of "God Save the Queen". I can't remember when the practice might have gone out of existence.

I wouldn't doubt, though, it came about shortly after the time drive-in theatres came into being. It seems impractical for drive-ins, alright. Can you imagine the patrons getting out of their cars to stand at attention during the playing of "The Queen"? This is asking too much! And one certainly couldn't conceive of anyone standing at attention inside the car . . . unless he's a patriotic midget or a youngster who should be home in bed at that late hour anyway.

As far as I am concerned, the custom for indoor movie houses was a good one, and one that should be revived. Two years or so ago we were all watching with interest the progress of the flag debate. Now we have our very own flag, and one of which we can be justly proud. But in the meantime, somehow we have let an age-old patriotic custom slip by the boards pretty well unnoticed.

# MacDuff Ottawa report

**SURVIVAL COURSE**

OTTAWA.—Just over one year ago the Department of External Affairs issued a press release. That release was the start of a series of developments that culminated in the Liberal minority government experiencing its most severe setback in the Commons. It left the government badly shaken and was a serious blow to the power and prestige of Prime Minister L. B. Pearson.

In May, 1965, External Affairs issued a statement disclosing the break-up by the R.C.M.P. of a Russian industrial espionage ring that had been operating in Canada. The release went into much more detail than was customary for such statements dealing with security cases. It was a mistake for which the government was to pay dearly.

The government explained at the time that more information was being given out than usual in order to call attention to the dangers to national security that are threatening on all sides today, to focus attention on the kind of conspiracies developing and the relationship of these dangers to civil servants. As a result of the espionage activities that had been uncovered two Russians attached to the USSR embassy in Ottawa were ordered back to their home land.

**[illegible]**

The release revealed that two Canadians were involved. One had gone straight to the RCMP when he had been approached by the Russians. The second had not. But the government indicated it was taking no legal action against the second man because he was dangerously ill at the time the press release was issued. The implication was that he was not expected to recover from his illness.

**But recover he did. He was operated on for the removal of a cancerous lung. He survived and eventually made his identity known to a Vancouver newspaper man. He is Victor Spencer, a former postal clerk in Vancouver. The government ordered a civil service inquiry and after the hearing Spencer was fired.**

Later Justice Minister Lucien Cardin appeared on a CBC program "This Hour Has Seven Days" and there he confirmed that Spencer was the second Canadian named in the external affairs release. He branded Spencer as a risk to the security of the state and said he would be kept under surveillance.

**SETTING THE STAGE**

There it was, all the ingredients for the NDP and the Progressive Conservatives to seize on the case and exploit it as a prime example of the civil liberties of the little man being trampled underfoot by a heartless and arrogant administration. They lost no time. Victor Spencer became a cause celebre. The opposition howled that Spencer had been publicly branded a traitor and placed under life-long surveillance without even having the opportunity of a trial. The government protested that Spencer had publicly indentified himself by his own actions. Justice Minister Cardin on the advice of law officers and undoubtedly encouraged in his stand by the RCMP, argued vehemently against any inquiry being launched into the case. Inquiries cannot be permitted into national

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# From the mail bag

Open Letter to Ratepayers of Tofield

It is being suggested around town that as a centennial project, a library be built at a cost of some $24,000.00.

It is hoped that the ratepayers will give this careful consideration.

In the first place a town the size of Tofield cannot support and does not need a structure of this size, which we understand is to also have a room where senior citizens can use as a sort of club room. This we believe is good, but would suggest that we have plenty of buildings to fulfill this purpose here already, such as Legion Hall, Community Hall meeting room, rotunda, etc. None of these are at present used to capacity.

We presume that if a building of this proportion was built, it would entail a full time librarian and caretaker—this takes money. Our present library seems to be working adequately, and should fill the needs for some time to come.

If you think your present taxes are high enough, give this careful consideration and let your councillors know. The main ones to benefit would be the contractor—don't be misled.

Let's hear your opinion.

"Concerned".

Editor, The Mercury

We extend to you [illegible] sincerest "thank you" for publishing our letter in your paper [illegible] an appeal for clothing for [illegible] Mission Centre of Edmonton.

The response from the public was something terrific, thanks to your paper. At this time we will ask you to print [illegible] and thank you note to the [illegible] who were so generous in donating clothing.

Once again Thank You Sir,

Sincerely yours,

Knights of Columbus,
Holden Sub-Council.



## MacDuff Ottawa report

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security cases as they would expose to the view of Canada's enemies her counter-espionage organization.

The cabinet studied the case. Prime Minister Pearson at the outset was inclined to the view that Canada's national security procedures might perhaps be due for a searching examination by a judicial committee or commission. But the majority of the cabinet were opposed to such a move and the decision was taken to stand firm against the demands of the opposition for an inquiry into the Spencer case.

**NEW FOR THE HOUSE**

The battle was joined on the floor of the House. The Conservatives and NDP dug in their heels and stalled and delayed passage of estimates, arguing vehemently about the need to have an inquiry look into the Spencer case to ensure that the former postal clerk had been fairly treated. The Prime Minister said Spencer had not complained about his treatment, on the contrary he had sent a letter to the government in which he thanked those concerned for the considerate manner in which they had handled his case.

**The verbal battle dragged on. The government was getting close to the deadline when it would have exhausted its financial resources. Still the opposition refused to budge. Justice Minister Cardin, his patience exhausted, turned on his tormentor, Opposition Leader Diefenbaker, and blasted him. Seldom has the Tory leader been so mauled before in the Commons. The fury of the attack left Diefenbaker hanging on the ropes and Cardin was the hero of the Liberal backbenchers. Cardin declared firmly, emphatically and finally that he had stated the government's position and it would not be changed.**

**STUPIDITY**

But up rose David Lewis, of the New Democratic Party. In a reasoned appeal to the Government and Prime Minister, he argued that such obstinacy bordered on [illegible]. [illegible] there would be no threat to national security in granting an in-camera inquiry into the Spencer case.

His clinching argument was that he had contacted Spencer through a Vancouver lawyer. Spencer had informed Lewis [illegible] he was not satisfied with his treatment, that he regarded it as unfair that he should lose his pension and insurance benefits and that he wanted an inquiry.

That did it. Prime Minister Pearson wavered. He was now concerned that perhaps an in-camera inquiry should be held to ensure that Spencer had not been unfairly treated. There were those in the government who wanted to still stand firm against the demands of the united opposition—all four groups were now against the government. A motion of confidence in the Justice Minister was moved. A vote might have seen the defeat of the government. A minority government must give ground under such circumstances.

**NEVER THE SAME**

The Prime Minister did just that. He capitulated. He [illegible] to set up an inquiry in-camera. But first he would personally telephone the alleged spy to ensure that Spencer did indeed want an inquiry. The phone call was made, probably the first time in history that the head of state has telephoned a man [illegible] cused of being involved in an espionage ring. But Mr. Pearson went further. He returned to his original intentions and announced the decision to establish a sweeping inquiry into the whole national security procedures in this country.

The opposition was jubilant. It had humbled and humiliated the government. The Liberal backbenchers and many of the cabinet were indignant and disgusted with Mr Pearson's capitulation. They were irate at the treatment he had accorded Mr. Cardin, who was left shattered and visibly embittered. His political enemy, the Opposition Leader, tasted the fruits of victory and found them sweet. He was not magnanimous. He revelled in his triumph and whiplashed the Justice Minister while other Conservatives poured salt in the open wounds. The government had survided the crises but it will never be the same.


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# Kingman news briefs

Sunday visitors at the Ingvald Ness home to wish Mrs. Ness a Happy [illegible] were Mr and Mrs. Mervyn Ness and girls, and Darrel Ness of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dahl and Mrs. Inga Renning of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, Hal and Mrs. Cliff [illegible] and Dale of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brekkan and Donnie of Tofield and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Houkedahl and Pastor and Mrs. Dahlen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tangen and boys [illegible] Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the Ray Ovleson home.


# AUCTION SALE

Having been favored with instructions from the Executor (Mrs. Gladys Steffen), the undersigned Auctioneers will sell by Public Auction the Estate of

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# Ross Creek news

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

The flu bug still seems to be with us and many children are home from school. Among the adults hospitalized are Alex Ford, Lester Odsone, Winnie McLachlan and Ann Klatchuk.

Brock Snider accompanied by his uncle Melvin Henning took his calf to the Spring Show in Calgary last Thursday. Graham and Alta Snider returned home on Friday.

A number of parents attended the play put on by the grade 10 Drama Class at the Lamont High School on Thursday. Local students in the play were Monte Malcolme, Lerna Ulan, Allen Herchek and Grant Conery.

**Ross Creek defeated the Coca Cola team 7-6 in the hockey game in Edmonton on Thursday evening.**

Fred Antoniuk, Rolley Schacher and Max Schacher attended the Bull Sale in Calgary on Monday.

Judy Van Buskirk visited her friend, Maureen McLachlan on Saturday.

Joe and Isobel McLachlan, Donna and Larry motored to Wetaskiwin on Sunday to visit Isobel's father, Mr. Duncan at the Lodge. They report that he is feeling hale and hearty.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haggerty of Drayton Valley visited Florence and Ivan Malcolme over the weekend.

Howard and Nellie Malcolm and family visited the Von Gaza family on Saturday evening.

Nick and May Habseychuk and Ralph and Alice Conery and boys had supper with Don and Marguerite Bailey on Saturday. The Baileys have recently moved into a lovely new home.

**10th BIRTHDAY**

Sunday was Larry Schacher's 10th birthday and his mother took him and his friends Harvey Hauer, Doyle and Jackie Van Buskirk skating at the rink. Later they had dinner and birthday cake at Larry's house. Mabie, Alva and Alvin Hauer visited Ave and Dorothy Hansen at Strome on Sunday.

Anyone having news please phone 662-2257

# Mrs. Louise Albrecht passes away, March 10

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Thursday, March 10th, Mrs Louise Albrecht passed away at the age of 82. Mrs Albrecht had been in poor health for the past two years, and was a hospital patient at Vegreville for the last three or four months.

She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, George, three sons, John and Minor of Holden, and Peter of Blue Ridge; six daughters, Mrs. Geo (Mary) Garbelhaus of Holden, Mrs. Jack (Emily) McGuire and Mrs. Tom (Rachel) Lane of Vancouver, B.C., Mrs. Sigmond (Christine) Mohr of Fort Saskatchewan; Mrs. Otto (Leah) Dreitza and Mrs. Oscar (Betty) Summerfield of Stony Plain; 24 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren; one brother, John Krieger, of Portland, Oregon.

Funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon, March 13, at Salem United Church, with Rev C B Hickman of Vegreville officiating. Interment followed in the church cemetery.

Mr and Mrs. Albrecht were old-time pioneers in the North Holden district, farming there for many years, until they retired some years ago and moved into Holden.

## Historical note

(J. R. Francis)

Just a reminder as time slips. The Historical Society is putting together a quilt made up of Horse and Cattle Brands. We would like the approximate date of issue and to whom issued. You may leave your brand design and a dollar with either Mrs. Mary Tiedemann or J. E. Stinson.

First here, first served, as we have some spaces left.

## Sign of early spring

I have caught my first butterfly today, March 13th, which just emerged from the cocoon in the basement. It was probably carried into the basement as a caterpillar last fall with the vegetables.

We see dozens of them in the summer hovering over the cabbage and is called the 'cabbage butterfly'.

May be the sign of an early spring . . . but the only definite sign of an early spring is when I sit on a thumb tack!—J W B


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ported on the activities of the Fire Department for 1965. The Department had attended seven fires during the year. Mr. Friesen attended the School for Fire Chiefs at Vermilion and wished to recommend to Council that other firemen be sent to this worthwhile endeavor. Mr. Friesen, suggested a Clean-up week for Tofield, stating that the Fire Department would do everything possible to assist in the project if the Council would back the idea. Mayor Freebury assured Mr Friesen that the Town Council would be in favor of the idea.

Mr J C Lampitt moved the acceptance of this report.

Mr. George McFadzean, representative on the Tofield Municipal Hospital Board, reported that the Hospital had carried on a $210,300 business in 1965 and agreed that this was becoming a big business. A number of administrative changes had taken place last year. Mr. N. Kashuba had been appointed as Hospital Administrator and Miss Ruth Kraus as nursing supervisor. The Hospital operated at a 88.9 capacity. Mr. McFadzean stated that an agreement with the Government for $75,000 to build a new hospital had been negotiated but that the cost would be at least $100,000 and with approximately $92,000 debenture debts owing, the Board felt that the construction of a new hospital should wait for at least eight years. The present hospital had been brought up to standard by re-wiring and new plumbing. Mr. George Arnett moved the adoption of this report.

Mr J. E. Stinson, representing the School Board reported having attended 16 meetings. Mr Stinson told the ratepayers that negotiations were being held regarding teachers salary increases again this year but as yet no agreement had been reached. He also stated that the Board hoped to increase the teacher-pupil ratio because in some cases a teacher taught only 13 pupils.

Mr. Stinson moved the adoption of his report.

The Municipal Library Board Chairman, E. Watson, reported on the year's activities of the Library. The Library's book lending service had increased to approximately 100 books per week. As a result the Library was now open two afternoons a week, Tuesdays and Fridays. The Library operated on a $1,047 budget in 1965 with two-thirds of the cost going to the purchase of new books. Mr. Watson took this opportunity to thank the volunteer librarians for the wonderful work being done at the Library.

Mr. E. Watson moved the adoption of his report.

The Emergency Measurers Organization report was read by Clr. Allan for Father Scriven. The organization held a first aid course in 1965 in which 12 persons participated and passed the course. A rescue demonstration was held on July 1, 1965 and the Nursing Supervisor at the Local Hospital attended a course during the fall.

Clr. Allan moved the adoption of this report.

Mrs. Mabel Boyle, welfare officer for the Town of Tofield, reported that two families were at present receiving welfare. In 1965 seven families had received help amounting to $3,507.00. Many applications had been investigated with more than half not qualifying for aid.

Mrs. Boyle moved the adoption of this report.

Counc. J. Wall read the re-

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**YOU ARE THE DETECTIVE**

Police Sergeant Sam Craig is discussing one of his cases with you, a case involving the robbery of jewels from Lorraine DeWitt, the well-known actress of stage and screen.

"She's pretty much worked up about this thing", says Craig, "especially in view of the fact that she had permitted her insurance to lapse. When I went to see her, soon after the call about the robbery was turned in, I had to wait for at least twenty minutes or so before she calmed down enough to give me some sort of story. She said she was resting in the sitting room of her suite at the hotel when suddenly a grim - faced, stockily - built young man of about 25 with a gun in his hand entered the room, demanded the key to her jewel case and then after she handed it over to him he ordered her into the bathroom. But before he managed to slam the door of the bathroom on her, she says she saw another man come into the apartment—a man of the same build as the first man, but whose face she couldn't get a good look at, because he had a hat pulled down low over his eyes. She says she was locked inside the bathroom for about a half-hour before she heard her maid returning from a shopping errand she had previously been sent on. When the maid let her out of the bathroom she immediately checked and found that not only were the jewels in the case gone, but also a couple of other valuable pieces that had been in one of the drawers in her dressing table".

Sergeant Craig pauses to fill a pipe and light it, then resumes: "I've been on this case for two days now and, after lots of questioning and investigating, have managed to narrow down my list of suspects to three men—Charley Ames, Tommy Brand, and Willy Cunningham. I have determined that one of these three men was the gun wielder who ordered Lorraine into the bathroom. The gunman and one of the other two men have collaborated in a number of stickup jobs over the past year, although we've never managed to pin enough evidence on them to do something about it. The third man has at one time or another played bit parts in movie and television plays, and it was he who suggested and set up Lorraine as the target for the other two fellows.

"Other information I've managed to gather is the fact that Charley Ames is somewhat of a globe-trotter, having practiced his thievery in several hotels in South America, in Canada, in England, Italy, and France. I've also discovered that Tommy Brand and the gunman, both of whom are possessors of college degrees, were caught two years ago in an attempted r o b b e r y in Paris, France, and served a little time together. As for the actor, so far as I can determine, this was his first venture into the field of crime".

Sergeant Craig puffs reflectively on his briar, then casts a quizzical look at you. "From what I've just told you, can you name the gunman?" he asks.

Can you?

**SOLUTION**

The gunman is Charley Ames. The actor cannot be Charley Ames, and therefore he is either Tommy Brand or Willy Cunningham. Inasmuch as Tommy Brand has served time in Paris with the gunman, we know the actor is not the gunman. Hence, the actor must be Willy Cunningham, and since Cunningham had not a criminal record and the gunman had, then the gunman must be Charley Ames.


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# Bardo news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

**A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Anderson of North Surrey, B.C. on February 28.**

Visitors at the Ivan Foshaug home on Sunday were their daughter Caroline, son and daughter-in-law, Richard and Beatrice from Camrose.

In the Luther League Bonspiel held in Tofield on Saturday, the rink skipped by Ron Misera of Round Hill was first, Walter Johnson second, and Carol Skalin's rink of Kingman was third.

Mr. and Mrs Glenn Francis and Mrs. Clarence Rude motored to Edmonton on Friday evening. Glenn visited at the Jack Francis home while the ladies attended a WCTU executive meeting at the Earl Nelson home.

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# Kingman and district news items

KINGMAN, March 9 — Mr. and Mrs. Ed Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wismer, all of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nelson and family of Bonnyville and Mr. Oscar Erga were Feb. 6th dinner guests of the Pete Erga home.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Murray, Lynn, Carol and Phil of Camrose were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Alex Asp.

Sunday evening guests at the Alida Anderson home were Pastor and Mrs. Dobbin and family, Mrs. Helga Evenson, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fjoseth and Mr. and Mrs. Torkel Omsen.

Sunday dinner guests at Mrs. Grace Gibson's were Mrs. Annie Cavkendall and Leslie of Hay Lakes, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cavkendall and family and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Gibson and family.

Mabel Dereniowski of Red Deer was a Tuesday guest at the Steve Liebuck home, and with them attended the funeral of Mrs. Hirsch, their aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Erga were Saturday evening visitors at the Lyle Erga home at Meeting Creek.

**LCW MEET**

The March meeting of the Salem LCW was held Thursday evening in the church basement. Mrs. Wyman Christenson led in devotion. Bible study was given by Mrs. Art Dahlen and Miss Mabel Simonson gave offering meditation. Thank-you notes were read and it was decided to again visit Bethany Home some time in April.

Mrs. Ingrid Hewalson and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hewalson visited Ingrid's mother, Mrs. Julia Johnson in St. Mary's Hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. M. Wick returned home Friday following hospitalization in St. Mary's Hospital.


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## The Swingin' set

By Robin Randel

### Tips on dieting

So you've decided to diet! Here are a few hints to help you stay on that diet:

1. Paste pound reminders on the refrigerator door, candy dishes, and the kitchen cupboard.
2. Have a diet section in the refrigerator. Place in it, celery, carrots, apples and such.
3. Buy or make a dress that's one size too small.
4. Every time you lose 2 or 3 pounds, buy yourself something—a new lipstick, a new blouse.
5. Celebrate the loss of 5 pounds by throwing a party.
6. Keep a progress chart on the pounds you lose. Once you see the line going down, you won't be so tempted to backtrack.
7. Diet with a friend to keep an eye on each other.
8. If you tend to forget to exercise every morning, set your alarm clock as a reminder.
9. Tape up your present measurements. Every time you see them, you'll probably turn away doing strenuous exercises.
10. Make a deal with your friend. Every time you "snitch" a cookie or a bottle of pop, add a nickel to her piggy-bank.

Plan your diet according to your own requirements and then stick to it. Don't cheat!

## The Recipe Box

Here is a do-it-yourself (basic mix) with four variations, to please most anyone — especially since the (mix) can be stored at room temperature, in a covered container.

**Rolled Oat Cookie (Mix)**
4 cups all purpose (brand) flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
2 teaspoons baking soda
1½ teaspoons salt
2 cups brown sugar
1½ cups shortening

Sift the flour, baking powder, soda and salt (2 times); stir in the sugar; cut in shortening until in fine crumbs; add the rolled oats and mix well. Store in a covered container, ready to be used when needed

**(Orange Tuesdays)**

These are delicate and thin. Combine 2 cups of the (basic mix) with ¼ cup corn syrup, (1 egg), 1 teaspoon grated orange rind, 1 teaspoon vanilla and ½ cup chopped almonds.

Drop by teaspoons on greased cookie sheet. Bake in a 350° F. oven for 10 to 12 minutes.

**(Coconut Cookies)**

Combine 2 cups (basic mix) with 2 tablespoons milk (1 egg), 1 teaspoon vanilla vanilla and ½ cup coconut. Drop by teaspoons on greased cookie sheet. (Press ½ nut—such as walnuts or almonds—on top of each cookie), and bake for 10 to 12 minutes in a 350° F. oven.

**(Chocolate Whirls)**

Combine 2 cups of (basic mix) with 1 sq. square of unsweetened chocolate (melted), 1 egg and 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Shape dough in long roll. Wrap in wax paper. Chill for several hours. Slice in ¼-inch slices and bake for 10 to 12 minutes in a 350° F. oven.

**(Ribbon Bars)**

Combine 2 tablespoons of melted butter to 2 cups of (basic mix). Take half of the mixture and press into an ungreased 8-inch square pan.

Spread the mixture with about 1½ cups sweetened fruit filling, such as (mincemeat), raisin pie filling, chopped dates and nuts or perhaps a favorite fruit filling of your own choice.

Filling is made by taking ½ cups of fruit and cooked with ½ cup water and ½ cup sugar, until thick

Spread the other half of (mix) on top of (fruit) mixture. Press down gently and bake for 25 to 40 minutes in a 350° F. oven

Cut in squares or bars.

—Judith Johnson,
RR2 Camrose.


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# Kathy's Korner

### *On teenage marriages*

Teenage marriages have increased greatly in the past 20 years with "disasterous consequences", Dr. I. Lief reported to physicians attending the American Medical Association's 62nd annual Congress on Medical Education in Chicago recently. We're not sure what the statistics would show in Camrose in this regard, but we wouldn't doubt there is a similar trend in this area.

The Tulane University psychiatrist noted that more than 40 percent of U.S. brides are teenagers; that in a recent year more than 600,000 babies were born to mothers between the ages of 14 and 19; that one out of every three high school brides is pregnant when she marries (and one out of six brides generally); and that approximately half the teenage marriages end in divorce. Dr. Lief urged more active and intensive counseling of young people to head off the "individual waste, pain, and lives irreversibly scarred or wrecked."

*Giant strides will be made to halt family breakdown, Dr. Lief observed, when physicians and other adults assume responsibility for a broadened concept of family planning. Young people must be guided not only in contraception, but in such matters as when to marry, when to have the first child, child spacing and the desired size of the family.*

The physician said that while not all teenage marriages are poor risks, many young people are motivated to get married for such essentially unsound reasons as the search of illusory security, to achieve status or sexual pleasure, or to make a pregnancy legal. Sometimes such marriages represent a rebellion against parental wishes, an effort to overcome loneliness and to become one of the crowd, or a wish to attain independence before being emotionally ready for it.

While many of these motivations occur later in life as well, by that time the individual has usually developed certain firm values and beliefs that are less likely to change.

*Dr. Lief believes that every effort should be made to get young people to postpone marriage for a few years, and that meaningful pre-marital counseling is a must.*

Such counseling should include not only a blood test for venereal disease, a complete physical examination, and contraceptive advice, but also sound information about sex to overcome fears, consideration of the timing of the first child, child spacing. (Dr. Lief points out that children coming in quick succession can be emotionally and economically burdensome for the parents, leading to emotional problems in the children), and number of children.

Such counseling, the physician believes, will help reduce illigitimacy, abortion, individual and family breakdown — and will thus contribute to the health of the entire nation


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## FUTURE DATES

EASTER TEA AND SALE OF HOME COOKING

The Evening Unit of the U.C.W. will hold their Easter Tea and Sale of Home Cooking and Flowers on Saturday, April 9, in the the United Church Basement. Anyone wishing potted plants or lilies, please phone 662-4022 to order same. 27 to 32c-3181

## ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. G Richard Peck, of Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin, U.S.A., announce the engagement of their daughter, Diane Helen, to Gordon A. Booth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Booth of Ryley. Both are students at Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Michigan, U.S.A. A June wedding is being planned. 26c-3080

## CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere gratitude for the countless kindnesses received during Mother's illness and at the time of her death, and for the many memorials, flowers and donations. The loving thoughtfulness of friends made God's love most evident to us at this time.

Kindness and goodness may not be seen,
And yet how vast a part
They play in God's eternal plan
To soothe the troubled heart.

—The Goubault Families 26c-3200

We would like to thank all merchants who donated prizes for our Bingo, held February 26 and March 12.

—The Lindbrook Community Hall. 26c-3185

We wish to thank all those people who were so generous in donating clothing to the Marian Centre of Edmonton. May God reward you all for this.

—Knights of Columbus, Holden Sub-Council. 26c-3087

## CARDS OF THANKS

A very sincere "thanks" is extended to the Nurses and Staff of the Tofield Hospital, also to Dr. Freebury for the wonderful care I received during my stay there, and also for visitors and "get well" wishes. It was greatly appreciated.

—Sincerely, Mrs. Alma Fushung. 26p-3205

## Church notes

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, March 20th.
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service of Music and Message
Tuesday, 2:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnell, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, March 20th
10:00 a.m. -Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
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10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service
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10:15 a.m.—Sunday School
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Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ..... 11:00 a.m.
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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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Sunday, March 20th
HOLDEN—
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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School

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TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named must file with Collins and Braul, Barristers and Solicitors, Solicitors for the Executrix, by the 30th day of April, 1966, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

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## Vegreville man dies at 94 years

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The sympathy of friends in the district is extended to Mrs Steve Bilyk and family in the death of her father, Mr Nicholas Yakimets of Vegreville, who passed away Wednesday, March 9th, at the age of 94.

He is survived by one son, Mick, of Vegreville; three daughters, Mrs John Yakimets of Redwater, Mrs Katherine Chapelski of Vegreville and Mrs. Steve (Mary) Bilyk of Holden; 21 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Prayer service was held Friday evening at Park Memorial Chapel, Vegreville, and Requiem Mass on Saturday, March 12, at Holy Trinity Ukrainian Catholic Church, Vegreville, with Rev. A. Wynnyk, O.S.B.M., the celebrant. Interment was in the Holy Ascension Ukrainian Catholic cemetery, New Kiew.


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"The Marriage Chest" — Dorothy Eden

"But We Are Exiles"—Robert Kroetsch

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"This Half Of The Apple Is Mine"—Joyce Kissock Lubold

"The Double Image" — Helen MacInnes.

"Star Over Bethlehem"—Agatha C Mallowan

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"Ernest Owl Starts A School"—Jane Pilgrim

# Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. This is the same weather we had last week.
2. After having arrived, the people greeted each other enthusiastically
3. I tried an experiment and found the results were very wrong
4. This is a distinctive feature of the play
5. Many people died from the fever, and the condition of their affairs were deplorable
6. They have gone out west, and from thence they will travel southward.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Compilation. 10. Chaotic
8. Specie. 11. Enhance.
9. Garrulous. 12. Facile.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Tallaman, tangerine, tailess, tantamount, tamarack, despicable, despondancy, destructible, deprecate, deciduous, repress, supress, impressionable, impassionate, supremacy, evaperate, eventuality, exaggerate, ecstatic, euphemism, harmonious, hayday, harangue, harrassment, harbinger, consumable, consumptive, consumate, consonant, consensus.

**ANSWERS**

1 Say, "This is the same KIND OF weather we had last week". 2. Omit "after" and say, "Having arrived, the people greeted ONE ANOTHER" 3. Say, "I MADE an experiment", and omit "very". 4. Say, "This is a DISTINCT feature of the play". 5. Say, "Many people died OF the fever, and the condition of their affairs WAS deplorable". 6. Omit the words "out" and "from"

7 Pronounce kahm-pill-ai-shun, accent third syllable 8. Pronounce spee-shi, accent first syllable 9 Pronounce gair-yu-luss, accent first syllable 10 Pronounce kay-ott-ick, accent second syllable 11 Pronounce en-hahns accent on second syllable and not "en-haans" 12. Pronounce fass-ill, accent first syllable

13 Tailless, despondency, suppress, evaporate heyday, consummate

## 4-H Clubs work on Centennial project

The Ryley 4-H Clubs are devoting their efforts in the making of a history book of Ryley and the surrounding district

They would appreciate information or photographs that would benefit them in this Centennial project Please contact Mrs. W. Maaren, Mrs. Jerry Pepper, Mrs Gladys Annebo

The Ryley 4-H Clothing attended a meeting at Vegreville on March 10 at which they discussed a dress review which will be viewed on 4-H Club Time in the near future

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## Modern etiquette

Q. Just what should be done with the paper wrapper on a lump of sugar when dining in a restaurant? Do you place it on the tablecloth, in the saucer of your coffee cup, or in the ashtray?

A. There's really no rule for this. You may put it on the tablecloth for later clearing by the waiter with the crumbs. If you put it into the ashtray, there's danger of fire, and if put into the saucer you could cause the cup to tip over when replacing it on the saucer.

Q Should one always use the napkin on the lips before drinking from a glass of water at the dinner table?

A. Yes, and for a very practical reason. This prevents any chance of leaving an unsightly smudge of food on the rim of the glass

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were business visitors in Wainwright Wednesday of last week driving down from Viking with their son-in-law, Ernie Mertz, and were overnight visitors at Viking with their daughter and family, the Ernie Mertzs.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Keith are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, March 7th, in the Camrose Hospital. Mrs. Keith with Angus visited her daughter, Tuesday and met her new granddaughter. Miss Jessie looked after the children and home while their mother is in hospital.

Mr. Don Stambaugh of Edmonton, former Bruce resident, was a business caller in Holden Friday Don is scale inspector for the Department He was also calling on his brother and family, the Jack Stambaughs

George H Taylor was a business caller in Ryley Thursday [illegible]

Mr and Mrs Don Coutu are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, March 4th, at the Viking hospital

Mrs Helen Tiedemann was a recent visitor with Mrs Elna Parsons a resident in the Good Samaritan Nursing Home, Edmonton

Mr and Mrs T. A Liden were business visitors in Edmonton Wednesday of last week.

**John Boranick, who has been Firechief for the past two years, has resigned this position for health reasons, and Mr. Milton Malick is taking over the office.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Robinson of Edmonton were recent Sunday visitors at the Bert Appleby home, and they with Bert and son Douglas called on their father, Harry Appleby at Vialta Lodge, Viking.

Mr. Joe Hooper who has been a patient for the past four months in Tofield Hospital, was transferred to the Good Samaritan Nursing Home in Edmonton last Thursday. Mrs. Hooper and daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus accompanied Mr. Hooper to Edmonton. Mrs. Inda Mason was helping in the M & M store while Dorothy was away.

Marvin Giebelhaus spent a few days the end of last week with his family and at the store.

Mrs. Doris Story was helping at the Don McFayden home and looking after the children for several days the past two weeks, while Mrs. McFayden was teaching at Holden and Bruce schools for teachers absent with the 'flu.

Alan Tiedemann, who was employed at the Good Samaritan Nursing Home, Edmonton, during the past few months, left for Fort McMurray last month, and is employed in one of the hotels there.

Mr. Harry Black who was here for the funeral of his brother, Abe, spent several days visiting with his brother Sam and family before returning to Vancouver.

Annie Black of Edmonton was a visitor the end of last week with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black.

Mr. Walter Howrish of Spirit River visited with relations Saturday and was an overnight guest, leaving for Edmonton Sunday to enter the University hospital for tests and possible surgery.

Alan Tiedemann who was employed at the Good Samaritan Nursing Home in Edmonton during the past few months, left for Fort McMurray last month and is employed in one of the hotels there.

# Born in Belgium in '99 Mrs. E. Goubalt passes

On February 15th the Lindbrook district lost a long time resident when Mrs. Emile Goubault passed away in the Tofield Hospital. She had been in ill health for some time, but her sudden death came as a shock to family and friends.

Born in Belgium in 1899, Mrs. Goubault came to Edmonton in 1914 and lived there until her marriage, when she came to a farm north of Lindbrook, where she resided until last fall when she and Mr Goubault moved into Tofield Though she was not one of the earlier settlers in the district, she possessed the fine qualities of kindly hospitality and generosity and the ability of "making do", that meant as much in the '30's as in the earlier years, and she was a beloved member of the community. This fact was made very apparent when a large crowd of neighbors and friends honored Mr. and Mrs. Goubault last fall with a surprise picnic party at their farm home before their move to town

She is survived by her husband and six children, Mrs. Emil Tiedeman (Martha) of Tofield, Mrs. Cliff Gossell (Adele) of Edmonton, Robert of Drayton Valley, and Leon, Victor and Armand, all of Tofield.

Funeral services were held on February 18th from the United Church, Tofield, Rev McDonnold officiating. Pallbearers were John Dunn, Kenneth Vice, John Wood, Edward Ferguson, Jim Hooper and Bill Lancaster

## Bardo WCTU has annual meeting

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO — The annual meeting of the Bardo WCTU was held at the home of Mrs. Mary Finseth on Wednesday afternoon with 11 members present. The President, Mrs. Mary Finseth opened the meeting by reading a poem. Mrs. Mabel Johnson led in scripture reading and several of the members took part in a short prayer session. It was decided to have a speech contest some time in May. The serving of lunch at the Axel Kindley sale was discussed and Pauline Rude, Mabel Johnson and Norma Anderson were chosen to be in charge of lunch

Very fine reports were given by the different department secretaries. The next meeting will be held April 21 at the Arnold Johnson home.


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# Around the town

Captain Don Stinson flying for Air Canada, took the Toronto Maple Leaf Hockey Team to Boston after their game in Toronto Saturday March 5th, following which he continued his trip to New York, Montreal and Halifax, returning to Toronto Monday afternoon

**HUNTER'S COURSE**

The Tofield Gun Club will be starting a hunter training course soon All interested parties attend Tofield Gun Club on Monday March 21st, for registration, or contact a gun club member. Hunter training books are supplied free of charge, as well as the course itself.

**HERE FROM NORTH**

Out-of-town visitors with Mrs Tillie Yurkowski while she was in hospital, was her daughter, Lorraine Widynowski and Mrs Bill Litun both from Hillurd, her two son's, Gary and Adolph, Gary flew from Inuvik and Adolph from Rainbow Lake. Mrs Yurkowski returned home from hospital on Friday and Mrs. Obertus was a Friday afternoon guest with her.

Tom Chilcowich from Fort Saskatchewan visited on Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chilcowich.

Mr and Mrs. Pete Chilcowich and girls were Sunday visitors with relatives at Waskatenau and Warspite

Visitors at the J. F. Oslund home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Campbell and girls and Mr and Mrs. George Oslund and son, all from Edmonton.

There will be a bake sale in the Crown Lumber Store on Saturday, March 19, sponsored by the Anglican Church vestry, 2:00 p.m. to 5 00 p.m.


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# Tofield High news report

(Elaine Walker)

Last Thursday evening a large crowd enjoyed the junior and senior High School plays and the intermission entertainment.

The actors and all those who made these excellent productions possible, are to be commended along with those students who provided the fine intermission acts. The public is thanked for their fine support at these plays. Everyone is reminded of the Drama Festival to be held on March 18 in Vegreville. Tofield's play will be put on at 8 00 p.m. in the Peter Svarich High School. These plays are sure to provide wonderful entertainment for anyone who would like to attend.

On Saturday, April 2, four buses of Students from the Tofield School will travel to the Jubilee Auditorium in Edmonton. There they will be viewing a presentation of the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra.

On April 5, the second Parent-Teacher will be held in the Tofield School. Appointment forms will be sent out shortly.

On March 30 a Career Day will be held in the Tofield High School. There will be speakers from the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology, McTavish Business College, the Director of Nursing Recruitment, Professional Engineers of Alberta. Also there will be representatives from the University, the Apprenticeship Board, the AGT, the Ruby Sharon Hairdressing School and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

This project is sure to be of interest to all the students of Tofield High and is being greatly anticipated.

# News from Ministik and district

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

Church services were conducted Sunday by Mr. A. Latta of Edmonton, assisted by his son, Lawrence. Mr Latta will be taking the services again next Sunday.

**HAM BINGO**

The Ministik CWL have planned their annual Easter Ham Bingo for Friday, March 25th, at 8 30 p.m. Everyone is welcome and lunch will be served. This affair is again being held in Ministik Community Hall.

**ON SICK LIST**

Mrs. Annie Oliver returned to her home on Wednesday after a week's stay in Tofield Hospital. Continued good health is wished her from her friends and neighbors.

[illegible] was confined to his home for a few weeks with a severe attack of the flu.

Doris Davenport and Myron Bowerman were at home for some time with a throat infection. We hope these two youngsters will soon be well and active again.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Penrice of Ardrossan, Pat Penrice, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thor of Edmonton, Grant Penrice of Drayton Valley and Miss Gloria Smith of Fort Saskatchewan, were Sunday guests at the Alex Penrice home.

Miss Theresa Regier has recently purchased a 1966 model car.

George Sears, son of Mr and Mrs. Verden Sears is spending a few days at the Sears farm home.

Misses Anne and Linda Paterson were Sunday guests at the home of their Uncle and Aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson.

Members of the Ministik Community Club and some friends who love to curl, enjoyed the game at the Tofield Curling rink on Saturday evening.

**Keith Williams recently spent some time in the Peace River area doing some public relations work for Ducks Unlimited.**

**LADIES CLUB MEETS**

The Ministik Ladies Club held their March meeting at the Community Hall on Wednesday with roll call being answered by an Irish Song Title. A grocery bingo with funds to be for the summer picnic was planned for April 15th at the hall, with Mrs. Albert Herricks as convenor.

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. M. Taylor)

Mr. John Godbout was a visitor in Winnipeg for a few days the early part of the week, attending a hardware company convention.

Rev. and Mrs. Hessels of Edmonton were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce MacDonell and other friends around Holden Monday of last week.

Mrs. Clint Armstrong was a visitor Wednesday afternoon of last week with her daughter, Joan and family, the Irvin Babbitts of the Bruce district and helped one of the children celebrate their birthday.

Mr and Mrs. Marshall Slykwa of Sherwood Park were Saturday visitors with his mother, Mrs. William Slykwa.

Mr Harry Shibinski of Edmonton was visiting around Holden Saturday with friends and also tended to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kondrat left Friday for a holiday to various points in California and may also go on to Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Komarnisky returned home last week from a vacation in Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken MacLennan and son Jim were visitors with their brother, Christenson, Tuesday afternoon of last week, while he was a patient in the hospital with the flu. Mr Christenson was to return home Thursday afternoon.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alben Wanczura a week ago Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. Ring and family of the Camrose district.

Mr Alex Barlow of the Poe district was visiting in Holden Saturday afternoon and called on his brother, Percy and Mrs. [redacted]

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chrystian were shopping and business visitors in Edmonton a week ago.

John Baraniuk who has been a patient for the past three weeks in Vegreville hospital, had a relapse the early part of last week and is still confined to hospital.

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus left for Jasper Tuesday of last week to spend a few days visiting with her daughter, Edna, who is on the school staff there. Mrs. Giebelhaus returned home the end of the week with Mr. Giebelhaus.

Mr. J. Ruxton was ill and confined at home for several days last week and was unable to take the Services at Bruce, Holden and Ryley, Sunday March 6th. Mr. Earl Hardy, Mrs. N. L. Campbell and Mr. Don McFayden visited the various churches and took charge of the services. Mrs. Campbell delivering the addresses. Mrs. Earl Hardy also attended the service at Ryley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta and children of the Viking district were visitors and dinner guests with Beth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow Sunday of last week.

Mr. Dave Good and children of Edmonton were visitors with his mother, Mrs. Lars Ritland and Mr. Ritland, also with his brothers family, the Ernie Goods the weekend of March 6th.

# Bardo district news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, March 14 — Grandma Foshaug moved back to her home in Tofield on Friday, after spending several weeks at the Arnold Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rude were dinner guests in Wetaskiwin, Sunday, at the Raymond Brooks home.

Mr and Mrs. Ingolf Brekken and Donny visited at the Ingvold Ness home in Kingman Sunday afternoon to wish Mrs. Ness a Happy Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Anderson motored to Edmonton on Wednesday where they visited with Norma's sister, Mrs. Alice Solseth and children at the Bill Green home. Mrs. Solseth who lives in Saskatchewan had also been to LaGlace to visit with her parents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Krogen of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the Leif Foshaugs.


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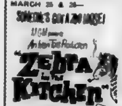


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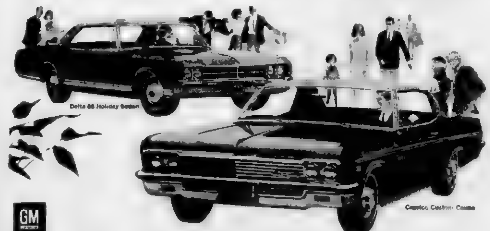


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port from the Police Department stating that the Police Department had processed files one third greater than the previous year which resulted in an increase of $382.00 in fines collected. Prosecutions under the Liquor Control Act had increased by seven totalling 33 in 1965, resulting in liquor fines being increased by $100.00.

Cons' J. Wall moved the adoption of the Police report.

Mayor Dr. W. H. Freebury wished to thank Mrs. Boyle, Mr. McFadzean, Mr. Stinson, Father Serivan, Mr. Watson and the Library Staff and the Volunteer Fire Department for the many hours of work donated for the welfare of the Town of Tofield. Dr. Freebury informed the ratepayers that the terms of Clr. Allan and Everitt, and his own as mayor, expire this fall. Turning to the Towns finances he noted that the surplus was due to a larger revenue as the expenses had remained almost identical to that of 1964. Although the Town ended the year with aproximately $9,000.00 cash assets plus $6,000.00 receivable from debenture funds it also carried a temporary loan of $12,500 so that the Town would be actually beginning the new year from scratch. Dr. Freebury hoped for an over all street improvement and curb and gutter program for 1966.

Dr. Freebury moved the adoption of the Mayor's report.

Clr. Allan, chairman of the fire and light committee, reported that new vapour lights had been installed in 1965 and the voluntary firemen were now covered by Workmen's Compensation. He hoped a new fire alarm system could be installed in 1966. Clr. Allan commended the fire department on the fine job done in 1965.

Clr. Allan moved the acceptance of his report.

Clr. W. A. Swift reported as Chairman of the Utility Department Committee, stating that almost 300 homes were now [illegible] viced in Tofield. Approximately 50,000 gallons of water was being used each day compared to approximately 85,000 gallons before metering. A new chlorine feeder had been ordered and a new pump would be installed this year. Clr. Swift informed the ratepayers that there was a good supply of water for the coming year but that consideration was being given to a larger reserve supply for the future.

Clr. Swift moved the adoption of the report.

Questions were directed to E. Watson regarding the construction of the Library Building. Mr. Watson informed the ratepayers that the Town Council had called for Centennial suggestions, but that the only application received was from the Library Board. Mr. Watson believed a three wall structure could be erected for the $8,500.00 which the Town was elligible for in grants including the Towns share of $2,000.00. A further grant would be applied for and with the hoped for aid from local organizations, the building could be furnished. Some of the ratepayers felt that the Town had enough public buildings now which were having difficulty operating.

Mr. J. E. Stinson commended the Town Council on their 1965 achievements especially concerning the installation of vapour lights, two blocks of sidewalks, street improvements and the construction of a new Cemetery gate.

The question of dogs running at large was discussed. The Council informed those present that the Dog Pound had been occupied steadily since last fall. Because of having to keep stray dogs for six days, it allowed others to run at large until there was room to impound them.

Unsightly grass and weeds on Town owned property was brought to Councils attention. Council replied by stating that an assistant maintenance man was being hired which would enable the Public Works Department to take care of this in the future.

A ratepayer inquired about the availability of trees and was informed that [illegible] as the owners in a block leveled their yards fronting on sidewalk to a standard, trees could be planted by the Town.

Mr. Watson asked Council to consider the possibility of a sidewalk past the play grounds on Main Street and Mr. Seller asked that a dust laying program on Main Street be implemented this year.

At 10.30, Clr. Allan adjourned the meeting.

# Agricultural committee notes

By Ron Boyles
Fieldman, County of Beaver

The Agricultural Committee of The County of Beaver will organize Brucellosis vaccination this Spring under the Voluntary Plan.

We will insert notices in all weekly newspapers circulating within the County to be returned to the Secretary of the Agricultural Committee before the time stipulated in the notice.

Notices will appear in the papers earlier this Spring in order to get calves done before they are removed to range.

It is important to have vaccinating done before the eight month age in order to comply with regulations. Calves that are in proper age group this Spring will be too old if left till fall.

Farmers who wish to have calves vaccinated before the Spring Campaign are requested to contact us well in advance and we will notify the veterinarian.

Late applications for trees will be accepted till we are notified of cut off dates. Trees still available are: Lodge Pole Pine, White Spruce, Siberian Larch, Caragana, Manitoba Maple, Russian Poplar, Dogwood, Chokecherry, American Elm, and Hawthorn.

If you are interested in getting any of these trees, your application should be in soon.

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## Ministik whist drive proves huge success

(Mrs. J. Reddicks)

The whist drive held at the hall on Friday evening was a huge success, with proceeds going toward the upkeep of the hall.

Mrs. A. Ferguson and Mrs. C. Leach as convenors wish to thank all who came to make this event the success it was.

Prize winners were, gents first Pat Paterson, 2nd Alex Boss, and consolation, Bill Davenport. Ladies first, Mrs. Baden Bowerman, 2nd Mrs. Ralph Leach, and consolation, Matthew Wilson playing as a lady.

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# The Mercury

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**Award for hunter training**

Premier E. C. Manning presents an award of merit to Hon. Henry Ruste, minister of lands and forests, on behalf of the National Rifle Association of America. This was the first year Alberta had entered the annual international competition for hunter training programs. The Alberta program was one of nine selected from 34 states and provinces for the award.

# East Central rural road study under way

Some months ago the provincial highways department came out with the idea of instituting a study of the road situation in Alberta with a view to developing a "secondary" system of quality roads to complement the present provincial primary highway system. It was felt that such a secondary system was needed to meet the growing demand for improved inter-centre industrial, agricultural and recreational requirements. In this connection the department extended an invitation to the various municipal districts and counties to take part in the study, the cost of which will be borne 50% by the government. Local municipalities and counties responded favorably to this request and as a result a meeting was called to formulate a working group.

**FOUR COUNCILS**

Late in January of this year representatives from the County of Beaver and the MDs of Provost, Wainwright and Flagstaff met in Sedgewick to investigate and study the proposition. Discussed was the cost of the operation, the ultimate results and the hiring of engineers to assist in the study. The municipalities concerned decided to go ahead with the scheme and form a study group. Each municipality was invited to send two representatives to a further meeting to be held in Flagstaff Board Room in February.

The East Central Rural Road Study Group No. 13 was born at this meeting involving the aforementioned municipalities. The County of Paintearth was invited to participate but declined on the grounds that they were carrying out their own study. Representing the County of Beaver on the study group are J. H. Roddick and W. Kropielnicki. MD of Provost representatives are W. J. Cromerty and J. Penman; MD of Wainwright, A. C. Archibald and D. Mills; MD of Flagstaff, G. Matthews and A. P. Blatz. Mr. Mills is chairman of the group.

**ENGINEERS**

The firm of Stewart, Weir, Stewart and Watson, surveyors, engineers and consultants were retained. Mr. Weir, who was present at the meeting, presented his company's proposals for conducting the study, distribution of work and responsibility, chart and cost estimates. The estimated costs of the study to the four contributing municipalities would be in the amount of $7,500 over and above the estimated cost of $4,500 to the planner and $13,000 to the consultants. These were estimated as maximum costs and could run slightly under. These costs are to be apportioned to the four municipalities on the basis of their 1963 financial reports. These costs will be cut in half as the government reimburses 50%.

Mr. Weir will meet with the councils of each participating municipality at their March meetings to finalize the agreements between the group and the government and the group and consulting engineers, allowing the business of the study to proceed with the least possible delay.

It is anticipated that the study will get underway early this spring.

## Holden drainage dist. holds annual meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Holden Drainage District No. 1 held its annual meeting March 10th, in the Gladstone Curling Rink. All Trustees, Oscar Afseth, Hans Huseby and Nick Laskoski with the secretary-treasurer, Ray Hovland, were present, and 16 other ratepayers attended.

Brush spraying and the beaver problem were discussed. Nick Laskoski gave the report of the trustees regarding the cost of cleaning ditches for the year, the total cost being $7,479.29, and also stated that for the past six to eight years approximately 80% of the total ditches had been cleaned.

A resolution was passed that the board forward a resolution to the minister of agriculture asking that the department look after the beaver problem when the water has receded from the spring run-off.

Nomination for one trustee was received for the ensuing three-year term. Oscar Afseth, whose term of office was finished, was re-nominated.

## Polska FUA hears talk on MSI

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—The Polska F.U.A. local held a meeting the early part of February, at which C. L. T. Fendall of Edmonton, supervisor of enrollment for M.S.I., was the guest speaker, giving information regarding the organization.

At a meeting held later in the month to discuss this business 94% of the local members joined the F.U.A. and M.S.I.

The next meeting will be held in May.

Officers elected to the local are: Peter Krynka, president, Harry Balko; and Stanley Wandio, secretary for M.S.I.

## Local woman attends mountain operetta

Mrs. J. W. Robinson visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. L. Smith in Edmonton last week, returning last Sunday by bus.

While in the city, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson attended the Allendale Junior High School Glee and Drama Club presentation of a Mountain Operetta, "Up On Old Smoky", which was based on folk songs and folk lore of the Southern Appalachians.

There was a rehearsal on Wednesday afternoon, and on the following Thursday and Friday evenings the school auditorium was crowded with patrons. It was an excellent performance, and the 23 members of the cast are to be congratulated, also the members of the orchestra and chorus and those responsible for the delightful scenery, including the back drop and the realistic cabin.

## Tofield Lions meet Tuesday evening

The regular supper meeting of Tofield Lions Club was held on Tuesday evening in the meeting room of the Tofield Community Centre. Reports were in hand from various activities, including power toboggan raffle, charter night dance, district meetings, curling, together with a slate of nominations for officers for the new year commencing July 1. Elections will be held at the next meeting.

## THE WEATHER ...

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## John Baergen at conference

J. Baergen of Tofield was at Winnipeg Monday to Wednesday this week to attend the annual conference for managers of consumer-owned retail co-operatives of the Prairie Provinces.

More than 300 persons attended the event arranged by Federated Co-operatives Limited, the wholesale owned by 500 retail co-ops.

Ways to render more economical services to consumers as recommended by a management consultant firm, and plans to form larger but fewer retail co-ops were main topics discussed, Mr. Baergen told The Mercury in a report from the convention.

It is proposed that the present 500 prairie retail co-ops be eventually cut to about 140. The larger associations would serve regions embracing several communities rather than individual communities. Such a plan had been approved in principle last month by delegates representing consumer-members at Federated's annual meeting, reports Mr. Baergen.

## 'Career Day' for students to be held here March 28

(Elaine Walker)

On Monday, March 28, the Tofield High School will hold a Career Day.

There will be representatives from many different fields to interest most of the high school students. The representatives will hold discussions in appointed classrooms. These discussions will be held in two shifts—one from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m., and the other from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

During the intermission coffee will be served. The students are looking forward to this event with great anticipation, and it is hoped that a Career Day will become an annual event in our school.

Also on March 28, a representative will be speaking to the student body on the possibilities of a career in the Armed Services.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

How blessed is he who counts
his wealth
In happy hours, in strength and
health,
Who knows that at each journey's end
He'll find the handshake of a
friend. (Anonymous.).

—J.W.R.

## Multiple whist drive in the Ross Creek area

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

ROSS CREEK. — Telephone whists were held in three homes in the district on Friday evening.

At the Pete Stadnick residence, Ross Cossey and Alexandra Stadnick took first prizes; while consolation prizes went to Ralph Cossey and Mary Malkewich.

Bill Eglinski and Clara Yurasvich placed first; while Gene Schacher and Irene Antoniuk received consolation prizes, at the Max Schacher home.

The third drive was at the Charlie Niemetz home, where Neil Bailey and Russel Ferguson tied for first for the men, with Russell Ferguson declared the winner in the tie-breaker. Ladies' high went to Barbara Geoghan; with consolation prizes going to Ida Niemetz and Joe McLachlan.

The same evening other whists were also held in Lamont, Chipman, Bruderheim and Smoky Lake. We hope to have the names of the final winners next week.

This is an annual event sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary of the Archer Memorial Hospital at Lamont. The proceeds this year will be used to purchase a portable fracture table, to be used to assist in setting fractures and putting on casts.

# Tofield Centennial project

It is unfortunate, indeed, that ill feeling may develop within the community over a project that should mark a most outstanding celebration — the Canadian Centennial. There seems to be a lot of misunderstanding regarding the proposed Tofield project, a Centennial library. We hope, in this column, to clear up a lot of the misunderstandings by a presentation of the facts as we have been able to uncover them.

First of all, let us point out with haste that the new library will not be a $24,000 project, but rather, one-third of that amount, of which the Town of Tofield will be contributing only $2,686 The insinuation from certain quarters that a local contractor may be promoting the project simply to gain a contract for his firm is sheer nonsense, for an $8,000 project, while it may sound like a lot of money to many of us, is actually peanuts to a contractor of any size. The margin of profit is very small, and even to take time to prepare estimates of the cost of such a project would likely eat up any profit that might be derived. Let's be realistic about this whole thing, and not too quick to condemn those who are showing their community spirit.

Here are some more facts, as we have been able to dig them out.

The Tofield Library Board submitted a proposal to the town council that a Centennial Library be built as a unit of the Municipal Building on Fourth Avenue. The proposal was that the building be an extension east of the present fire hall, using the east wall of the fire hall and completing the other three walls, the roof and floor, resulting in a library building 24 feet by 32 feet in dimension. This was the only proposal received by the town council and was accepted by the council providing it could be built within the amount of money available to the town from Centennial grants.

Council decided the matching grant of $2,696 from the town would be raised by the allotment of $800 in 1965, $943 in 1966, and $943 in 1967. A by-law was passed by the town council to this effect and submitted to the Provincial Centennial Committee for approval, and accepted.

On the basis of the 1966 assessment of $1,401,235, this represents a total of less than $2 per $1,000 assessment to be raised over a period of three years

At present the council is still awaiting final approval of the proposal from the provincial government, and when this is obtained, will obtain specifications for the building and a firm bid for completion.

As presented to council, the library board considers a new library necessary because: the present library room in the Community Centre is not adequate for the increasing number of volumes and book racks required for display and storage; area is needed for reading tables for children and adults, and for display racks for periodicals and magazines; library patronage is increasing each year and it is planned to open the library more than two afternoons which is now the case; the present volunteer librarian and the staff are handicapped by restricted space and working conditions; the library board plans to apply for a further grant available from the provincial government to assist in the furnishing of the new library building.

We cannot see where the proposed Centennial project will be much of a burden to the Tofield taxpayer, but we can visualize a building, library and Centennial monument, all wrapped up in one, of which local and district residents can be justifiably proud.

# By George!

GUEST ITEM FROM BEV [illegible]

Little Jack Horner sat in a corner not bothering to see what could be done. What happened to the good Samaritans? How easy it is to sit back and pass judgment. Our government is crooked, our politicians crazy, our . . . . Stop!

Who stands by and watches hoodlums beat up a policeman for fear of getting involved? Who keeps their noses out of city or public works till all is complete then complains that things are not the way they should be? Who doesn't bother to look into their government till some dirty scandal arises? Who condemns the Americans for their handling of the Negroes, overlooking our own problems of the Metis?

Shall I continue? What a treadmill our society has become as North Americans watch a human being fall by the wayside, not blinking an eyebrow till they are able to tear apart. Is no one responsible for anyone else? Is it indeed every man for himself?

Frightened of having to appear in court, of answering questions or missing some work and play we have acquired such puny social consciences that we just don't react.


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# Parental influence

Brian Ferguson

Do parents bestow too much pressure on the adolescents of this modern generation? In my opinion, some tend to hold with pain-gripping fear to the past and the days of their youth.

These days, cars and scooters have come into demand by the average youth, whereas in the days of our parents, youth cars were few, and if you did have one it was so rough-riding that you'd rather walk. For recreation, there was skiing and skating in the winter, and swimming and baseball in summer. Their dances were out of this world, though I'm not saying that the dances of today are particularly good.

The hours were set by their parents and if they weren't home, too bad for them. Here is where I think a slight change could be made. We, the younger generation, should be able to set our own hours for night-owling. I believe that any youth with a sense of reasoning can choose and fix his own hours very sensibly. But, there are always exceptions to the rules, and here lies the reason for the parents' arguments. On weekends I feel that if there is a dance, and the dance ends at twelve, you should be allowed to go to a place to eat and then take the girl home without too many questions asked. Is this too unreasonable for parents to allow?

There seems to be a communication barrier between the youth and their parents. This barrier sometimes leads to difficulty and quarrelsome problems. I believe that if the parents would trust their children more the child would then trust their parents. Furthermore, this relationship would draw unity between parents and the youth of today. If this unity was accomplished, the generation of this era and their parents would bring about greater understanding of the delinquency problems of today.

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# Local news from around town

Don't forget the turkey shoot at the Tofield gun club Saturday, March 26, at 7:00 p.m., with events for the entire family. Bring your own rifle if you wish, or use a club gun.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. E. English, of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon and supper guests at the B. A. Everitt home.

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A number of interested Tofield people attended a Musical Workshop at Camrose on Friday evening and all day Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Swift of Edmonton wer afternoon and supper visitors on Sunday at the W. A. Swift home.

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Sunday visitors at the T. Gray home were Evie and Alan Fair from Lacombe, Pat Gray and Ken Rabby from Brooks, Edna and Fred Johnson from Fort Saskatchewan, Dede and Robert Goubault and Judy from Drayton Valley and Peg and Bob Nahrebeski and family.

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SUCCESSFUL SALE

Mrs. Lena Yager held a successful sale of her personal effects and home property last Saturday afternoon. Her nephew, Geo. Pollock of Edmonton, was the auctioneer. She left Tofield on Tuesday to reside in Peace Hills Senior Citizens Home, Wetaskiwin.

Misses Shirley Stinson and Joan Newman, of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. John Wall and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Googlein, of Tofield were supper and evening guests at the Stinson home recently, helping Mrs. Stinson celebrate her birthday.

## Ladies' bowling ends season play

On Monday night, March 21, the Tofield Ladies' Bowling Club ended the season with a fried chicken supper, held in the Legion Hall. Emma Komar was the winner of the trophy, being highest single for the season, and Joan Ozubko, low. Dorothy Clark's team was high, and Alice Gould's was low.

The bowling season will start [illegible] after Easter.

## Dodds - Ryley

(Mrs. Oliver Lehman)

Sunday evening guests at the Ole Hjelter home were Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGinitie and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thompson and Doreen.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Phillips returned to their home on Thursday from Edmonton where they spent a week and a half visiting their son and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bauer had as their supper guests on Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Geo. Thompsons birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thompson, Doreen and Mrs. Ole Hjelter.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Simonson were Sunday afternoon guests with Mr. and Mrs. Roe Phillips and on Monday Mrs. Larson of Kingman was an overnight guest.

Tuesday afternoon guests at the Ole Hjelter home were Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lehman, Wallace and Harold.

Mrs. Reinold Grinde and children of Holden were Sunday afternoon visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter.


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# Ross Creek news

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Brock Snider brought honors to the area when he was named reserve champion showman of the Calgary Junior Stock Show. His steer also placed first in the Angus steer competition and third in the inter-breed competition.

BONSPIEL

Two teams of young curlers entered the Mundare Open Mixed High School Bonspiel on Saturday. Grand Challenge was won by the rink skipped by Monte Malcolm. His rink included Wayne Malkewich, Mavis Ferrel and Gary Kelyn. Gayle McLachlan's team with Francis Cholak, Dennis Woronchuk and Lorne Zallis won fourth in the first event.

Larry Schacher won the jackpot of $42 in Lowney's a-go-go contest, sponsored by a radio station.

Winnie McLachlan, Gertie Ferrel, Alice Cossey, Violet Bailey and Nellie Malcolm attended a St. Patrick's tea at the Mundare Recreation Centre on Saturday.

A number of fans attended the Bingo held at the Edmonton Gardens on Wednesday evening, but the only report of winners was the consolation won by Lorne Schacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schacher of Medicine Hat spent a few days visiting friends and relatives in the district.

HOSPITALIZED

Friends of Fred Antoniuk will be sorry to hear that he has been hospitalized with the 'flu.

According to latest reports, Mrs. Syd Cossey hopes to be able to leave the hospital about the first of April, after being there for more than three months.

Two local boys entered calves in the Hereford class of the junior feeders class, with both winning prize money. Grant Cossey placed eighth and Larry Schacher placed eleventh. This was in a class of 34.


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# Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Glade)

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Miller on the birth of a son. The new arrival is another grandson for Mr and Mrs. Tony Miller.

A good time was had by all who attended the Social Credit Whist held Saturday, March 19th. Winners were: ladies' high, Mrs. Joan Dunham; low, Frank Dunham (playing as a lady). Gent's high, R. M. Ferguson; low, Mr. McAffie. The next Whist Drive will be held April 2nd.

The Hall Board plan a Variety Bingo on Friday, April 1st, at which time the 50-50 Raffle will take place.

The Ladies' Club met at the home of Mrs. Fiege on Thursday, March 17. They plan a Parcel Post Sale and Whist Drive for Friday, April 22. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Glaude on Wednesday, April 20

MARRIED MARCH 19

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# The Ryley Times

*Alberta's Tammy*

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## Locals . . .

Mrs. J. Appleby accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Zeigler to Calgary on Wednesday. Mrs. Appleby visited with her sister, while Mr. and Mrs. Zeigler attended the stock show.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jelbert and family from Edmonton were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mitchell. Miss Louise Moore who was home for the weekend returned to Edmonton with them.

Mavis and Carl Jacobsen and girls were Sunday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Stanley and Lizzy Schacher.

## Ryley 4-H Club to sponsor

The monthly meeting of the Ryley 4-H Dairy Club was held on Thursday, March 17. As a fund raising project the club decided to sponsor a 20-game Easter ham bingo on Wednesday, March 30 in the Legion Hall in Ryley. Another item of business was the centennial project — a history of the Ryley district to be compiled by various organizations in Ryley. Also, members wishing to compete in 4-H public speaking competitions practised their speeches before the other members of the club.


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## Bardo Notes

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

The Leroy Finseth family were dinner guests at the Ken Hudson home in Edmonton on Saturday. They also visited Leroy's dad in the Good Samaritan Hospital. On Sunday the Finseths were at the home of Pastor and Mrs Carl Johnson for a family dinner which was to have been in honor of Mary's dad, Mr. Johnson, but unfortunately Mr. Johnson could not be present since he was a patient in St Mary's Hospital where he underwent major surgery earlier in the week. Mr Johnson who is 84 years old today (March 21) remains in critical condition.

The Harold Kindley family from Edmonton were Sunday evening callers at Axel Kindley's.

Mrs. Carl Nelson and Garry of Edmonton were Saturday overnight visitors with the Clarence Rudes. They stopped by to visit grandma Foshaug in Tofield on their way back to the city on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Jean Baptist of Edmonton spent the weekend with her brother-in-law and sister, Harry and Beatrice Mosby and family. On Sunday Dick Blakely from Tofield and the Phillip Anderson family were visitors.

NEW NEPHEW

Don and Patricia Litivin and Gregory visited Don's mother, in Tofield on Sunday. In the evening they visited at the Harold Litivin home acquainting themselves with their new nephew.

Maureen and Ed Wruer and Lori and Caroline Foshaug were out from Edmonton visiting their parents, the Ivan Foshaug's over the weekend.

Don Litivin in company with one of the men from Pringle Hatcheries visited hatcheries and poultry farms at Calgary and Red Deer leaving here on Monday and returning home Wednesday.


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# School committee meets March 8th

**Minutes of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee meeting, Tuesday, March 8th, 1966.**

In regards to the teacher recruitment the Committee was advised that all superintendents in Zone 3 had been contacted in this matter and that all School Authorities, except the Killam and Provost School Divisions, were prepared to take part in the teacher recruitment program.

Mr. G. M. Gault, Superintendent of the County of Minburn had indicated that he was prepared to head the recruitment program again but would of course have to have a release from the Dept of Education in order to do this. It had been suggested that two Superintendents should go but Mr Pike felt that he could better serve the purpose by staying at home and dealing with the recruitment program from this end. It would be a matter of direct recruiting with the Superintendent, interviewing the teachers, hiring them on the spot. It was also suggested that each School Authority taking part in the recruitment program should put up $100.00 for the incidental expenses.

Moved that the report be accepted. Cd

Moved that Mr G M Gault, Supt of the County of Minburn be authorized to hire teachers for the County of Beaver No. 9. Cd

Moved that we go on record as being in favour of the recruitment program with the cost of the program being shared on a per teacher basis and that a basic fee of $100.00 be paid to Mr [illegible] Perschbacher, Secretary-Treasurer for the A.S.T.A. Zone 3. Cd

In regards to the building program at Viking the Committee was informed that the block construction was being started today, that the County's own maintenance crew had started some of the conversion work last week and that this particular part should be completed sometime next week.

In regards to the bus tenders the Committee was advised that the members of the Court of Revision had dealt with this matter on February 17th, and that they had decided that the tenders, submitted by Pioneer Bus and Body Sales and Blue Bird Bus Sales (1964) Ltd., should be considered. Inasmuch as the Pioneer Bus and Bus and Body Sales had only started in business and was not fully established and as the Blue Bird Buses had proved satisfactory during the past three years, it was recommended that the tender submitted by Blue Bird Bus Sales (1964) Ltd. in the amount of $6,407 per bus be accepted and that the following extras be included: storm windows $84, right-hand heater $85, tow hooks $16, rear wheel-cover $10—total $6,702 per bus.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and that the recommendation to purchase the four buses from Blue Bird Bus Sales (1964) Ltd. be concurred in.

**Correspondence**

In regards to the increase in bus drivers wages, the secretary-treasurer referred to the Committee a letter signed by the bus drivers at Tofield requesting a basic wage of $8 per day plus additional mileage. The Committee was informed as to the wages earned by the various drivers and it was realized that as from July 1st an hourly rate of $1 per hour would be in effect.

It was also realized that most of the drivers had other employment or were self-employed, such as farmers, etc but that it was felt that this should not affect the right of the drivers to receive full pay for their services for the County. It was moved that the basic daily wage for the bus drivers in the County be $7.00 per day plus the 4 cents per mile in excess of 30 miles per day.

An amendment was moved that the basic rate of pay be $8.00 per day.

The amendment was carried with 7 members voting for the amendment and 3 against.

The amended motion calling for a basic daily rate of pay of $8.00 per day plus 4 cents per mile in excess of 30 miles per day was then put before the Committee and carried.

Referring to prior correspondence from the Deputy Minister of the Dept. of Education, concerning the County's request that it be given the additional $2.00 per square foot increase in construction cost as effective January 1st, 1966, a letter was now placed before the Committee. The request could not be acceded to as, in the opinion of the Dept., the date of the approval of the Minister was the date on which the Minister had given his approval of the Day-Labour Scheme which in this particular case had been prior to January 1st, 196[illegible].

Moved that the letter be received and filed. Cd

Letter from United Grain Grower's Insurance Agencies Ltd. suggested that the fire insurance on all buildings should be increased due to the rise in building costs in the past three years on account of the 11 per cent sales tax on building materials and the annual increases in wages and material. The letter indicated that the replacement costs of a school is $16.[illegible] per square foot, a rise of 18 to 19 percent over the past three years. It was recommended that the Council give serious consideration to a reappraisal of the value of the schools and other buildings on a replacement cost basis. The letter further indicated that if the County so wished the Insurance Agency would bind coverage for any increases that might be necessary. It was felt that it should not be necessary to have a new appraisal made, the last having been made in 1964, but that a blanket percentage increase would be sufficient. It was therefore moved that the insurance coverage on

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# School committee meets March 8th

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all school buildings be increased by 15 per cent. Cd.

Moved that letter from Golka Plumbing and Drilling concerning the Kinsella, Viking and Bruce schools in regards to what they felt was necessary to put the furnaces in these schools in top condition, be received and filed and that the suggested work be carried out. Cd.

Moved that Mrs. Grace A. Phillips of Tofield be permitted as per her written request, to live outside thee Tofield School District while teaching in the Tofield school. Cd.

Moved that a letter from the Secretary of the Annual Meeting of the St. Paul School District No. 2238, suggesting that Foundation Program Payments from the Provincial Government be requested to be made on a monthly basis, be received and filed. Cd.

It was felt that this request was not needed as far as the County was concerned.

A letter from Mrs. Martha Lillo, offering to sell approximately five acres of land that she owned immediately west of the Ryley school was referred to the Committee.

Moved that Mrs. Lillo be informed that the School Committee is not interested in the purchase of this land at the present time. Cd.

Moved that the Bus Supervisor's Report for the month of February be accepted and his account in the amount of $83.40 be approved and passed for payment. Cd.

Moved that Graham Allen of Tofield be appointed Spare Bus Driver with retainer. Cd.

The minutes of the Salary Negotiation Committee meeting held on February 24th were now read and it was moved that the minutes be accepted as read. Cd.

The Salary Grid as presented by the Teacher's Committee represented an average of 10 to 11 per cent increase exclusive of increments. The County's Committee presented a Salary Grid representing an average of 2½ per cent increase exclusive of [illegible]. This had not been [illegible] received by the Teacher's Committee, neither had their proposal been received with favour by the County's Committee. The Asst. Secretary-Treasurer had worked out a new grid representing four per cent increase exclusive of increments and this had been placed on the blackboard for the quest had also been for no ceil- Committees information. The reing on the Principal's allowance.

After some considerable discussion it was moved that:

1. The proposed salary grid, indicating a 4 per cent increase, be offered to the teachers.

2. That no increases in Principals' allowance be considered.

3. That the question of Secretarial help be considered later in the meeting.

4. That seven years training be not considered in the grid.

5. That Sabbatical Leave, as such, be not considered but that Leave of Absence with pay for specific purposes, such as additional training for Industrial Arts, Home Economics or Principalship, may be considered.

6. That some adjustment in the payment to substitute teachers, based on training only, may be considered.

7. That notice be served that the "pro rata" payment [illegible] apply to teachers taken on staff as of Sept. 1st, 1967 and that all "pro rata" pay be discontinued in 1970. Cd.

It was suggested that any apprentice with the County who was being paid a salary while attending the courses at the N.A.I.T., might be requested to sign an agreement to remain with the County for a period of time after having obtained his journeyman's papers and that if he wished to move to another area he would agree to repay a percentage of the salaries received on a pro rata basis.

Moved that the suggestion be approved and that a suitable type of agreement be prepared. Cd.

Moved that Gail Patricia Lyons, a grade 11 student at the Ryley school, and Carol Irene Burka, teacher at the Ryley school, be the representatives to the Girl's Leadership Workshop beginning Thursday, May 5th with expenses paid — including registrations and travelling maintenance expenses. Cd.

Mr. Lars Olson attended the meeting at this time and stated that he had written to Palm Dairies concerning the shortage of commission which had occured last year and which had been referred to the representative from the Palm Dairies at the December meeting of the School Committee. The [illegible] had been $15.37 at Holden and an unknown amount from Tofield. Mr Olson suggested that possibly a letter from the office might have the desired result.

Moved that a letter be forwarded from the County office to Palm Dairies requesting payment of these amounts. Cd.

Mr Olson stated that the service, otherwise, at the Holden school was very good with the milk being top grade and the supply quite sufficient. In this connection Mr Pike stated that a dealer had requested permission to install a soft drink vending machine at the school in Tofield and he asked what Mr Olson felt about this matter. Mr Olson stated that he did not feel that soft drink vending machines should be installed at any of the schools. The soft drinks were not the best for the students and that, if they needed something to drink, they should drink milk. The Committee agreed to this and it was moved that no permission be granted for the installation of soft drink vending machines in the schools in the County. Cd.

The Superintendent informed

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# Tofield Curling Club

The Curling Club executive, acting on the advice of many interested curlers, have decided to head a drive to sheet the inside of the curling rink with plywood and install heaters.

The accumulation of frost on the walls of the rink and subsequent drip on the two outside sheets of ice has been a source of annoyance and interference with good curling since the rink was opened.

Each member of the Tofield [illegible] club, mixed curling club and farmers' club, and anyone interested is asked to donate two sheets of plywood for the completion of the project during the first two weeks in April. The cost will be $5 each to cover the price of the two sheets of plywood and paint.

A committee has been set up, composed of Conrad Patterson, Jack Whyte, Andy Heiberg, Elmer Gorglein and George McFadzean, to head the project.

It is hoped everyone will get behind the proposal with all the help and enthusiasm possible.

## Mrs. Adeline Foss marks 80th birthday

(Mrs. Oliver Lehman)

On Saturday afternoon, March 12, a number of relatives and friends gathered at the Herman Tiedemann home to help Mrs Adeline Foss celebrate her 80th birthday. Mrs. Foss is in real good health and enjoyed the afternoon very much. She received many lovely gifts.

Mrs. Tiedemann served a delicious lunch including three beautiful birthday cakes. After lunch everyone joined in singing happy birthday and the song "Mother" was very nicely sung by her daughter, Mrs. Albert Sutton. Mrs. Foss thanked everyone for the lovely gifts and remembering her on her birthday. We wish Mrs. Foss many more birthdays.

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Lars Ritland was taken to Tofield hospital Tuesday morning of last week in the ambulance. Mrs. Ritland has been ill with the flu for the last two weeks and is having treatment for this.

Mrs. Mary James entered Tofield hospital the early part of last week for treatment on her eyes and she is also ill with an infection.

Rev William Beckstead of Edmonton, formerly minister of the United charge of Holden, Ryley and Bruce, was a visitor Thursday of last week with Mrs. N. L. Campbell and also calling on other friends in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were dinner guests and afternoon visitors with their sister, Mrs. Campbell a week ago Wednesday. Mrs. Barlow has been confined to home with a bad attack of the flu, but is now better.

Mr. Dave Good and children of Edmonton were visitors during the weekend with Mr Lars Ritland and his brother Ernie and family. Dave was also a visitor with his mother, Mrs. Lars Ritland at Tofield Hospital.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Mr. Chris Christonson returned home Saturday afternoon from Tofield hospital where he had [illegible] a patient for the [illegible] two weeks with a bad attack of the flu. Chris had been hoping to be home earlier in the week but had not been well enough to leave hospital.

[illegible] and Mrs. Alex Morrison of Edmonton were visitors and supper guests Tuesday of last week with Mr. Morrison's sister and family, the Henry Tiedemanns'.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka spent the weekend in Edmonton visiting with their daughters and on business.

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus, Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. G. H. Taylor attended the Lenten Service with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and sons, last week in the Bruce Lutheran Church.

Mrs. Mabel Sisor returned home the latter part of last week after spending over a week visiting with her daughter Gerene and family, the C. Hammers at Viking.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Voigt were business callers in Vegreville Friday evening, also hoping to visit Mr. Con Troudt a hospital patient, but were unable to do so as visitors are not allowed in the hospital due to the flu epidemic which is prevalent.

**BRIDGE PARTY**

A number of Holden ladies sponsored a bridge party, Saturday, evening, March 12th in the Holden Community Hall the proceeds of which were donated to the proposed Medical Centre Building Fund. Mr. Alfred Sorenson was the first prize winner and Mr. H. S. Beveridge being the second prize winner. Mrs. Earl Hardy was the winner of the door prize. Lunch was served at the conclusion of the evening.

Emmett Holowachuk who has been a patient for the past several months in an Edmonton hospital receiving treatment is now home again.

Mr and Mrs Koop Spannenburg and family of Edmonton were visitors over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Story.

The meeting of the Friendship Group which was to have been held Thursday at the home of Mrs. Lars Olson was postponed owing to several members being ill with the flu and the president Mrs. Mary James in hospital, also the weather being so stormy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Scharger were visitors in Wainwright a week ago Tuesday.

**NEW FIRE ENGINE**

Ray Hovland, village secretary and Roy Nichols were to Edmonton Wednesday afternoon to bring back a Fire Engine from the Civil Defence organization to have on hand while the village engine was being repaired and put in condition.

Hugh Clendenning was seen visiting around Holden Thursday afternoon. Hugh was formerly accountant at the Royal Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Voigt left by the CNR Continental from Viking Tuesday for Vancouver where they will spend a short holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta and family of the Viking district were visiting with Bethe parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow Thursday.

## Fake $20's

By Bev Simison

At RCMP headquarters in Ottawa the counterfeiting squad is worried that the worst is yet to come. A "series" of bad bills that first appeared two years ago and were judged to be the best ever produced in Canada is still flooding the urban areas.

The authorities say the fake $20's have improved with every reprinting. They are afraid that a master issue for these phony bills—perhaps worth more than $1,000,000 — will begin appearing for Expo 67, a counterfeiter's paradise.

The RCMP is busy working on a pamphlet that will help local police forces and the general public detect the fake currency. Meanwhile, they say, the best way to tell a counterfeit from a good bill is to examine the Queen's portrait. A messy hairdo or an unbecoming droop in the royal lip always betrays the phony bill.

## Points to ponder

Did you know that we eat over eight pounds of dirt a year?

A stop sign costs 18 dollars?

Statistics prove that trains are not afraid of automobiles.

Did you know that today's teenage fads and fashions are merely modifications of our grandparents' styles?

These days you can't judge women by their clothes, there isn't enough evidence.

A manhole cover costs 42 dollars.

It takes 10,000 frogs to make a ton.

Grass has no bones.

An adult movie is about grownups acting childish.

Did you know that Texas cattle are being fed popped milo maize (alias popcorn)?

Did you know an issue of new postage stamps on highway safety can be expected to enhance public awareness of the toll of human life on our highways?

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. Jim Reddish)

Church services were conducted Sunday by Mr. A. Lattu assisted by his son Lawrence. After an absence of several Sundays due to illness, Mr. A. McSporran was welcomed back to the services.

Congratulations were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach on the occasion of their 51st wedding anniversary, Sunday. It was also Mrs. Leach's birthday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Williams and family of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leach, Donna and Brian. Many more anniversaries are wished Mr. and Mrs. Leach.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and Archie Ferguson were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Morrow of Deville. They enjoyed many tapes of important events on the tape recorder after which a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Mrs. Alex McSporran was welcomed home by her family and friends Wednesday after a six week stay in Tofield Hospital. She is wished continued good health by all.

Don't forget the annual Easter Ham bingo sponsored by the CWL at Ministik Hall on Friday, March 25th. Everyone welcome and lunch will be served.

**FIDDLER'S CONTEST**

To those who are fond of old time fiddling the news is out about the annual Old Time Fiddlers Contest. It is being held at Lakeview Pavilion on Friday, April 29th and a good program is guaranteed once again with a dance following the contests.

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# CD rescue course is successful

Father J. L. Scriven told the February 21st meeting of the County of Beaver Emergency Measures that meeting the rescue course at Tofield was very good. Eight candidates had taken the course. However, he suggested the course should take five or six evenings instead of three as it is almost too condensed.

Father Scriven said that the matron of the Tofield Hospital had taken a nursing course in Edmonton. She said it was a good course and in future a nurses' aide could attend these courses. The hospital plan would be brought up to date when the new administrator was organized.

**INTEREST LACKING**

David Dorward said there was not much effort being put into organizing anything in Viking having to do with Emergency Measures. He said there did not seem to be any interest among the town officials.

Rex Boyles, who had been to a radiation defence course recently, outlined the plans that EMO headquarters had for this part of Alberta. He said he was prepared to give some courses in radiation monitoring but this would be up to the co-ordinators to organize.

## New stamps

The floral emblems and coats of arms of the Yukon and Northwest Territories are featured on two new stamps to be released March 23rd.

These are twelfth and thirteenth in a series initiated in May, 1964, honouring the various geographic regions in Canada as a prelude to Centennial celebrations in 1967. The final stamp in the series will be issued later this year.

Yukon's colourful fireweed emblem adopted in 1958 is pictured in tones of blue, red and green. Its companion issue will use shades of yellow, green and olive to illustrate the mountain avens, chosen as a symbol by the Northwest Territories in 1957.

# Release new varieties of seed stock

Seed of the new Harmon oat, Noralta flax and Galt feed barley is being released for sale to selected growers for multiplication this spring.

Seed will be made available to foundation seed growers selected and approved by the Provincial Seed Stock Committees. The move will provide maximum production of seed for further distribution in 1967.

Harmon, a high-yielding oat variety, and Noralta, an early flax variety with high yields, have been recommended for release in all western provinces. Galt barley, however, has proven superior only in some areas of Saskatchewan and Alberta and its release will be restricted to an area west of the third meridian.

## The Swingin' set

By FRANCES REDINGER

What is school spirit? Is it a few hard-working people who plan and take part in each and every school activity while a large majority sit back doing nothing? Students probably have many different ideas on this subject, but basically it is the working together of an entire student body to achieve a high standing for their school. It involves pride in one's school, and a willingness to work to show this pride.

How is school spirit shown? It can be shown in many different ways. Sports activities usually show us if a school has or has not got the "spirit". All students who take part in sports activities, either as a player or spectator, must remember that you are representing your school and everything you do reflects back on your school. All other extra-curricular activities also show the "spirit" by how successful they are. All that can be said here is that each student has certain talents and these talents should be used to show their pride in their school.

## Modern etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. Please comment on a girl's acceptance of gifts from a man.

A. Do not accept expensive or personal gifts — never any wearing apparel more intimate than gloves, scarves or handkerchiefs —never such things as dresses, nightgowns, slips or furs. Flowers, of course, are always acceptable. Gifts that are too expensive or too personal are compromising, and a man with good taste will not embarrass a girl by offering them.

Q. When eating prunes at the table, should the fruit be cut from the pit in the dish, or may the whole prune be taken into the mouth, and then the pit removed to the saucer with the spoon?

A. It is better to cut the prune in half, leaving the pit on the plate.

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Ellen Eaton)

Sympathy goes to Mrs. Verlyn (Ollie) Moos on the death of her sister, Mrs. Margaret Connell of Portland, Ore., who passed away on March 2nd.

Verlyn Moos attended the Calgary bull sale last week and this week both he and his son Bob, are attending the Spring Stock Show and sale and rodeo in Edmonton.

Mrs. Vivian Jones and sister, Janet Wickenberg, both of Edmonton were Saturday evening, overnight and Sunday visitors at the home of their parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Lloyd Herbert became a patient in the Tofield Hospital on Friday suffering with a kidney ailment. He was taken to a hospital in Edmonton on Saturday for treatment and is at present staying with his brother Roy and Nola Herbert in Edmonton before taking further x-ray and treatment. All wish him a speedy recovery.

Ralph Hopf, who is employed with Watson's Ltd., at Chauvin, was home with his wife, Mabel and family from Friday to Monday before returning to work.

George and Ida Niemetz were among several who attended a card party at the home of Geo. brother Charlie and Mickey Niemetz on Friday evening.

Grandma (Mrs. Lottie) Moos of the Good Samaritan Nursing home in Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Marguerite Myers.

**CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY**

Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of John and Mary Wood were their daughters Lorene and Jim Francis and children of Viking, their daughter Dede and Robert Gouthault and daughter Judy of Drayton Valley; and their son Johnny and Gloria and baby Cathy, also Gloria's parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and daughter Linda of Onoway. All were birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and daughter Linda of Onoway were Saturday, overnight and Sunday guests at the home of their daughter, sister, Gloria and Johnny Wood.

Johnny and Gloria Wood and Victor and Sylvia Rudzcki motored to Edmonton on Monday evening to attend the rodeo.

Geo. and Ida Niemetz motored to Edmonton on Sunday and were dinner guests at the home of Ida's sister Emma and Ed Schultz. They all visited Ida and Emma's mother in the hospital.

Mrs. Glen (Theone) Jones was hostess to 15 ladies on Thursday evening at a tea at her home, with Mrs. Allan Hulthome of Camrose demonstrating tupperware.

**LIVESTOCK SHOW AND SALE**

Several from the Tofield districts are attending the Edmonton spring livestock show and sale, also the rodeo in Edmonton Gardens. Those taking steers to the sale and show were Harold Weatherill and son Laurie, Donald Wood, and his sister Marg and Lorne Berrecloth.

Marjorie and Morley Jacobsen motored to Camrose on Thursday, March 17th and while there visited Lorne Nelson at the Bethany Nursing home.

Doug and Fran Baines and family were Saturday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Doug's sister, Mrs. Ethel Wood. Barb stayed over the weekend with her aunt going home Tuesday morning.

Congratulations to the five young people from the Tofield district who were in the judging classes at the spring livestock show as each were among the winners in their class. Congratulations also go to Laurie Weatherhill who won 3rd place with his 4-H calf.

## Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, March 21 — The Kingman Home and School will have their monthly meeting on April 6th at 8.00 p.m. at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Simonson, Brenda, and Robin attended open house Saturday at the Alberta Institute of Technology at Edmonton.

Mrs. Melvin Severson visited with the Ron Mariers at Heather Brae for three days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Swanson of Hay Lakes were Sunday visitors at the Ed Seljehaug home.

Donld Hele is away visiting with friends and relatives at New Westminster and Vancouver, B.C.

Kurt and Sonja Lyseng of Armena spent the weekend with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bjorgum.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Ness spent Sunday and Monday at Edmonton with the Mervyn Ness'.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Hele and Jeanette attended the reception at Town House in Calmar Saturday, for the newly weds, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Able (nee Borghild Landorff).

Melvin Hovelson had several of his school pals over on Wednesday afternoon to help him celebrate his 7th birthday. Several relatives and friends also called in the evening.

# Library Week opens Saturday

By Paulette Tomaszewski

"Reading—Key to a Changing World" is the theme of Canadian Library Week, March 26 - April 2, stressing the importance of libraries in Canadian life. Because this age demands so much knowledge and so many skills, Canada's future and indeed the very existence of the world depends on the degree to which its people form the habit of reading and learning new knowledge and skill. Being able to intelligently interpret and weigh ideas and reflect on the history and literature of past ages allows each individual to confidently face tomorrow with high and and active ambitions.

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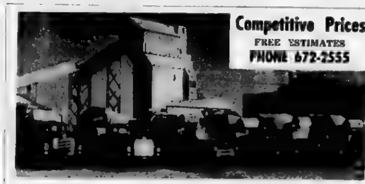
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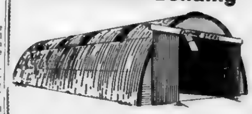
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## FUTURE DATES

**EASTER TEA AND SALE OF HOME COOKING**

The Evening Unit of the U.C.W. will hold their Easter Tea and Sale of Home Cooking and Flowers on Saturday, April 9, in the the - United Church Basement. Anyone wishing potted plants or lilies, please phone 662-4082 to order same 27 to 32c-3181

## IN MEMORIAM

HJELTER.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Harold Hjelter, who passed away March 22, 1962

The Golden Gates stood open
Four years ago today,
With farewells left unspoken
You gently slipped away;
You suffered much in silence,
Your spirit did not bend,
You faced your pain with courage
Until the very end.
You tried so hard to stay with us,
Your fight was all in vain,
God took you to his home above
And freed you from all pain.

—Ever remembered and sadly missed by Dad, Mother, Sisters and Brothers. 30p-3229

## CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to extend thanks to the many friends and neighbors for their concern; also the letters, cards and good wishes sent to me during my recent illness.
—Mrs. A. McSporran 30p-3234

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our relatives, friends and neighbors for the floral tributes, messages of sympathy and memorial donations, during our recent bereavement in the loss of our dear mother. Special thanks to Rev W. H. McDonnold, Mrs. J. E. Stinson, and to Keith Appleby for his beautiful solo, and to Andrews-McLaughlin Funeral Directors.
—The Whillans Family

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## LEGAL NOTICES

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TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named must file with the undersigned by the 25th day of April, 1966, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them

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# Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

John Baraniuk who was a patient in Vegreville hospital for three weeks was discharged the latter part of last week and is in Edmonton having therapy.

Henry Oberg was in Edmonton Saturday and Sunday of last week, to have another therapy treatment on his shoulder.

Mrs. Kathleen Hurum was confined to home and bed for a few days the early part of last week with the flu.

**ELKS MEET**

The Holden Lodge of the BPO Elks held their regular meeting March 14th. Regular business and reports were attended to and new members were initiated into the Order. A good number of members from Mundare BPOE visited and attended the meeting. At the conclusion of the evening a social hour was held.

Con Troudt who had been a patient in Vegreville hospital having treatment for asthma had to return to hospital last week with an attack of flu.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell entertained some of the church board members and their wives and other guests at a turkey dinner Sunday evening.

Robert Taylor of the Viking district was a Saturday afternoon caller at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor.

**INSPECTION**

Officials of the NADP Creamery were down from Edmonton on Saturday inspecting the plant. It is understood that Cecil Hooper, who has been working for the past few years with the NADP at Radway, and who was formerly an employee at the branch here was expected to be here the beginning of the week to start taking over the management of the creamery on the retirement of Nels Hvild in a few weeks. Mr. Hvild is planning an extended trip to Denmark after he retires.

Mrs. Oscar Ruskenveld who was a patient in Tofield hospital for a week and a half having tests returned home the end of the week. Mrs. Ruskenveld who is the good age of 82 has not been too well all winter and has had to enter hospital several times during the past few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Christianson and daughter of Edmonton were weekend visitors with her family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Balog. Dwayne also visited with his grandmother, Mrs. Laura Christianson, Sunday and she was pleased to hear that he and his family will be moving to Camrose in the near future where he will be employed with Crawford's Ltd.

Recent visitors for several days with Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Chetney were Mrs. Chetney's son Abner and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Senorlie were Sunday evening visitors with Mrs. Laura Christianson.

Mrs. Laura Christianson was pleasantly surprised Sunday afternoon when her son Ross and his wife Steena, their daughter Sandra and her friend of Edmonton visited with her for the afternoon.

# Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnold, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, March 27th
10:00 a.m. -Teen Church.
11:00 a.m. —Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. —Public Worship.
Topic "Surprised By Joy".
"It is a terrible mistake to treat Christianity as something you get for yourself and not something you give to God".

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, March 27th
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service of Music and Message.
Special Prairie Bible Institute vice.
Tuesday, 2:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, March 27th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. — Bible Study.
Everybody welcome.

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8:30 a.m. every Sunday—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m., 1st Sunday of month —Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sunday—Morning Prayer.
O Come Let Us Worship.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Winter Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 11:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 11:00 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:30 p.m.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, March 27th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
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# MINISTIK NEWS

Mrs. Jim Rodick

John Jones and Marvin Benson were Saturday visitors at the T. A. Jones home. On Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and boys, Oliver Jones and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and Sandra, Mrs. Benson and son Marvin.

Gordon Kilfoyle left Sunday for Calgary on a business trip for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Verne Monson of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman are enjoying a holiday in the mountains and at the west coast.

**WEDDING**

Wedding bells rang on Saturday for Miss Peggi Rowland and Brian Perusine who were united in marriage in Tofield with a wedding dance following in the Ritchie Community Hall in Edmonton. Best wishes are extended to them from all their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Monson, Vera and Danny and Margaret Roddick all of Edmonton were supper guests of the Jim Roddicks on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy is spending a few days in Edmonton at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Likness and family.

# School committee meets March 8th

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the Committee that on Saturday, April 2nd, the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Brian Priestman would present an Adventures in Music Concert for young people in the Northern Alberta Jubilee Auditorium. The Concert would commence at 1:15 p.m. The performance was being sponsored jointly by the Womens Institute of the Edmonton Symphony Society and the Recreation and Cultural Development Branch of the Provincial Secretary's Department. Admission to the Concert would be $1.00 for adults and 50 cents for students. The Superintendent felt that it would be a great experience for the students in the County to be able to attend this performance and he requested that the County supply the necessary buses for transportation to this performance.

Moved that the County supply the necessary transportation for students wishing to attend this performance. Cd.

Moved that the amended Probation Program for the County of Beaver as presented to the Committee at this time be accepted. Cd.

The Committee was informed that the Edmonton Audio Visual Association would hold a Conference on Educational Media, May 26th to 28th, 1966 in Edmonton and it was recommended that the Supervisor of Instruction, Mrs. Harriet Ruddy, and Mr. Dale Louber, Librarian at the Ryley school, be authorized to attend this Conference.

Moved that Mrs Harriet Ruddy and Mr. Dale Louber be authorized to atend the Alberta Conference on Educational Media May 26, 27, and 28, 1966, with expenses paid. Cd.

An application for a bursary submitted by Patricia Grace Coffin, of Irma was referred to the Committee and the circumstances of this application explained.

Moved that the application be approved Cd.

The matter of secretarial help for Principals was discussed and it was felt that the time had come when some secretarial assistance should be provided so that the Principals would be able to devote more time to their classroom visitation.

It was moved that an amount of $8,000.00 be provided in the budget for secretarial help for the schools at Tofield, Ryley, Holden and Viking for the current year. Cd.

Larry Benson, teacher at Holden, requested leave of absence for the 1966-67 school year and also leave of absence from June 27th to the end of the present school term.

Moved that the request be granted. Cd.

Moved that the registration of Mrs Madeline McCormack be accepted Cd.

The Financial Statement for the Touring Drama Prairie Productions at Tofield February 10th, was referred to the Committee indicating a surplus of $124.20.

Moved that the Financial Statement be accepted Cd.

Mr. Pike informed the Committee that the High School Drama Festival would be held this year at Vegreville and he requested that the usual grant of $25.00 be given to help to defray the expenses.

Moved that a grant of $25.00 be given towards the cost of the High School Drama Festival for 1966. Cd.

Moved that the request for leave of absence submitted by Dorothea Schwanke, Norma Zwierschke and Anne Appleby for further education be approved. Cd.

Mr. Olson referred to the unprecedented achievement by Roland and Steven Jakubow in their academic and military endeavour and he suggested that a letter of congratulations from the County would, no doubt, be much appreciated by the two young men.

Moved that a letter of congratulations be forwarded to the Jakubow Brothers. Cd.

Reference was made to the Annual Maintenance Inspection Tour and it was moved that the Maintenance Inspection Tour be held on May 16, 17 and 18th. Cd.

Moved that this meeting now adjourns at 4:30 p.m. Cd.

## Annual visitor here passes away in USA

Annie Hunley and boys were saddened by news received of the sudden passing of a life long friend, Edmund Gwiney, of Rapid City, South Dakota.

Edmund had visited in Tofield each summer for the past several years, and his visits and many acts of kindness and thoughtfulness will be greatly missed by the Hunley family. He originally came from Chicago where his father was a Captain in the police force.

Edmund had been employed with U.S.A.F. SAC, Ellsworth Air Force Base, South Dakota, but had retired and was living in Rapid City at the time of his passing.

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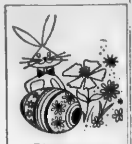

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# Cathy's Corner

by CATHY DUGGAN & NOLA DICK

***What's New***

The Mod look is the "innest" look. Paisley prints, crazy colors—just about anything goes. The wilder the better! To-days teens have a new look—the "total look". Mini-skirts, the above the knee fashion look best when worn with white lace stockings and a shell or a poor-boy sweater.

The shell, a sleeveless topper, designed as an all-round accessory, is typified by its versatility. Worn with anything from sports clothes to evening wear, it comes in a variety of color patterns, and materials.

A new material you'll be glad to hear about is "Koratron" which does not wrinkle and requires no ironing.

The most popular color this year, especially in dresses, is navy with pastel colors running a close second. Lace, which used to be worn only by grandmother-types is now the smartest thing in the "young look".

Sleeves aren't just plain sleeves anymore—they're fancy: belled, pouffed, flared, or cuffed. As far as waistlines go, they're either empire or hip sling, never at the waist. The three-piece granny co-ordinates, skirts, slacks and jackets in a flower print are the wackiest things to hit the fashion scene yet.

The London Look has even hit shoes. Ghillie ties, block or spanish heels and colors are "real boss" . . .Pigskin is the new material. Toes are rounder and less pointed. But don't call it a "round toe", girls; it's called "the new toe".

As just about everyone has noticed by now, bell-bottoms and bell-bottom surfers are "the thing" in sportswear. Denim, cords, suede and stretch fabrics seem to be the favorite materials as yet, but who knows what they'll think of next!

So you see, . . . fashions are getting wilder and kookier every year. Where will it all end?

# Former Tofield bank manager Dr. L. W. Smith, dies in city

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson and Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and daughter Edith attended the funeral of the late Dr. Lloyd Walker Smith, held in the Andrews-McLaughlin Funeral Chapel, Edmonton, on March 17, with Rev. Dr. L. E. Smith of Metropolitan United Church officiating. Burial was in the Evergreen Memorial Gardens.

L. W. Smith came to Edmonton in 1910 as a teller carrier for the Merchants Bank of Canada, which later amalgamated with the Bank of Montreal. He served as manager at Nanaimo, B.C., and at Tofield from 1929 - 1935, then went to Trochu, and retired in 1951 as manager of the Wainwright Branch of the Bank of Montreal.

Mr. Smith was a member of the United Church, and a Grand Master in the Masonic Lodge and Past-Principal in the Parklands Chapter of the Royal Arch Masons.

He is survived by his wife, Edith; three sons, Dr. H. Gordon Smith of Maple Creek, Sask., and Robert and Fred Smith of Edmonton; a daughter, Mrs. J. S. (Audrey) Harris, of Medicine Hat; 11 grandchildren, and one sister, Mrs. Russell (Myrtle) Metcalfe, of Portage La Prairie.

The pallbearers were six bank managers of various Alberta Bank of Montreal branches. Honorary pallbearers included J. W. Robinson of Tofield, W. C. Swift of Edmonton and Dr. J. G. Middlemass of Wainwright.

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## Locals . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson of Vernon, B.C., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Leslie Rogers. Mr. Rogers is Mrs. Wilson's brother.

*Bardo briefs . . .*

# Flu brings halt to city visit

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, March 21 — Due to quite a number of the LCW members being down with the 'flu the visit to Bethany Home in Camrose on Sunday was postponed to a later date. The Andy Heibergs went to visit Mrs. Ragna Heiberg and on Sunday Eystien Heiberg visited his mother.

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David Severson and his friend Miss Anne Thornton who are both University students spent Friday with David's folks, the Lester Seversons.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sitler at the Tofield Hospital on March 20, a son. Another grandson for Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sitler.

BIRTHDAYS

Mrs. Esther Brekken and Mrs. Pauline Rude celebrated their birthdays together at the Rude home on Friday when a house full of friends and relatives came to wish them both many happy returns.

Dale, and Arlene Rude and boys from Inland and Emil Rude were dinner guests at the Charles Rude home on Sunday, and later in the day at the Steppan home.

Mrs. Olaf Stokkan spent Saturday and Sunday at Fort Saskatchewan, babysitting at the Bob Hunter home while her daughter Marlene curled. Olaf Stokkan motored to the Fort to bring home his wife on Sunday and their little granddaughter returned home with them.

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# Oscar Afseth new trustee

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —The trustees of the Holden Drainage District held their regular monthly meeting on Friday evening, March 25, in the office of the Secretary, Ray Hovland. All trustees were present. As there had only been one nomination received for trustee, this being Oscar Afseth, he was declared elected to office of trustee for the next ensuing three years; this to be sent in for the Minister's approval.

The minutes of the annual meeting (in rough) were read and discussed. General business and accounts were attended to and approved.

The meeting in April will be the organization meeting, when the budget will be set.

**Choir here this Saturday**

The Berean Bible College Choir will be presenting a concert of sacred music in the Mennonite Brethren Church in Tofield this Saturday. The concert is being sponsored by the Tofield Baptist Church.

# Camrose Barbershoppers at Tofield Saturday

Tofielders will again have the privilege of enjoying a program of Barbershop singing featuring the Camrose Chorus and the Northernaires Quartet. This is one of the events sponsored by the Canadian Legion in aid of the Tofield Community League and one which by popular choice has been brought back to Tofield.

Many will remember the hit this group made in Tofield a few years ago and will be anxious to hear them again; and those not lucky enough to hear them then will have an opportunity to do so this Saturday evening in the Tofield Community Centre at 8:30. This will be one of their last engagements this season so don't miss it!

## Farmers' curling to wind-up Friday

The Tofield area farmers who began their curling activities last November will conclude their curling on Friday evening starting at 7:30 with the finals in all events of the closed bonspiel. Immediately after the curling all members and friends will retire to the Legion Hall for a banquet and presentations of the prizes.

The finalists in the first two events have already been decided, with Ingram playing Goubault in the first event and Wyllie and Walker tangling in the second event. The finalists in the other two events will be decided during the week.

Members of the Afternoon Curling Club are also reminded of the plans for improving the rink for next year; this will include the sheeting of the inside of the rink and installing of heaters. It is hoped that all members will contribute money and some volunteer help towards this project. Donations may be left with A. Heiberg, treasurer.

## District pioneer passes March 24th

(L. Van Buskirk)

Word has been received of the passing of another of that rapidly diminishing group of people who pioneered this area. John Sherlel passed away on March 24, at the age of 83 years. He settled in this area early in the 1900's and farmed here until he retired to Edmonton in 1956. He had been in ill health for a number of years, but he still enjoyed his yearly winter trip to Arizona.

## Students to attend Edmonton concert

In line with the modern educational policy of making cultural events available to students, the County of Beaver has [illegible] four buses to transport interested students from Grades IV to XII to the Jubilee Auditorium on April 2nd. Here they will attend the concert presented by the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra with Brian Priestman as director and commentator.

The program will consist of "Fingal's Cave Overture" by Mendelssohn, "The Sorcerer's Apprentice" by Dukas, "English Folk Song Suite" by Vaughan Williams, "Dances from the Three-Cornered Hat" by Falla, and "Polovtsian Dances" by Borodin.

*Survey shows public*

# Would drop voting age for minors, retain liquor age

By Paulette Tomaszewski

Much controversy has recently arisen pertaining to the present age limits on the federal voting and obtaining of alcoholic beverages in Canada. The government is serious considering lowering the age from 21 to 18 years.

A recent man-on-the-street survey taken in Camrose produced the following results when asked the following questions.

1. In your opinion, should the age for obtaining liquor be lowered from 21 to 18 years? No—70.4% Yes—29.6%.
2. In your opinion, should the Federal voting age be lowered from 21 to 18 years? No—40.1% Yes—63.9%.

A frequent statement voiced was that, if a boy can fight for his country when he is 18 years old, he should be allowed to vote. Then again, many considered this age too young and felt that the majority of would-be-voters are not mature enough to adequately handle this responsibility.

Concerning the purchasing of alcoholic beverages, the pros and cons were strongly argued. It was viewed that a great number of young adults were not yet ready to satisfactorily accept this proposed change. On the other hand, others commented that because teen-agers drink regardless of the laws, lowering the age would curb the novelty and eliminate much illegal accessability of liquor.

# New books here mark annual Library Week

Arriving in time for the annual Library Week, many new books are available at the Tofield Municipal Library for readers of all ages.

In the latest additions there is a great variety of subject material, ranging from children's stories to fantasies, to educational subjects; and for adults such fiction books as "The Big Sky", "Double Image", "Strictly a Loser", and non-fiction such as "Faces of India". For Canadians of any age there is a very complete history of Canada in three volumes, that is a "must" for getting a clear picture of early Canada, as our Centennial year approaches, in order to know more about our "first beginnings".

Prepare for many hours of delightful reading as you browse through these and other books at the library. The library will be closed April 8th, Good Friday, but will open to the public on Thursday, the 7th.

# Beaver ag. committee holds its first meet

The first meeting of the newly-formed agricultural committee of the County of Beaver was called to order by Secretary Olof Monson, March 3rd, with the following members present: Councillors Weatherill, Gibson, Roddick, Knudslien and Kropielnicki. Also present were Frank Kehoe, DA, and Rex Boyles, Fieldman.

The secretary called for nominations for chairman for this committee. Cr Kropielnicki was nominated by Cr Roddick, and with the motion that nominations cease, Cr Kropielnicki took the chair.

There was some discussion on a gully-filling demonstration on the S. 1/2 29-50-18-W4th.

It was the opinion of the committee that, as this gully was made by draining a large slough, it should not get involved until after it is certain there will be no legal consequences.

Mr Kehoe outlined the department of agriculture's thinking regarding the organization of the advisory committee. They feel this committee should cover all segments of agriculture and should include some w[illegible] he said.

Mr Boyles said he would like to have two weed inspectors this year so that weed inspection could be done earlier.

In addition to Charles Sears, he suggested Reginald Meeks of Bruce who had done work for PFA and was interested in this type of work. Committee members accepted the recommendation.

Mr Boyles said there are several places where gully-filling should be done. He suggested a

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## THE WEATHER . . .

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## MSI membership passes 60% in Tofield FUA

The FUA MSI drive this past week was highly successful and they passed the 60 per cent sign-up, adding some 20 new members to the group.

Anyone who was missed or was away when canvassers called, may still join by contacting Reg Crispin, secretary pro-tem until the next meeting, April 12, at 8.00

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## ORIGIN OF EASTER BUNNY UNCERTAIN

The Easter bunny may originally have been an Egyptian rabbit. In ancient Egypt the rabbit symbolized birth and new life, and some ancient peoples considered it a symbol of the moon. One encyclopedia says the rabbit may have become an Easter symbol because the moon determines the date of Easter.

## White spruce available at Oliver nursery

"We have received word that the Department of Agriculture Nursery at Oliver has a surplus of white spruce. These trees vary in size, but would average about three feet in height," Rex Boyles, Field Man for the County of Beaver, informed the Mercury early this week.

Ratepayers who wish to get these trees may pick them up direct from the Nursery after May 10th. An approved application must be obtained from the district agriculturist or county fieldman.

"I expect to pick up a supply of surplus trees and ornamentals after May 10th and will include white spruce for ratepayers who are unable to pick them up themselves", said Mr Boyles. "Ratepayers are asked to let us know as soon as possible if they are interested in getting these four-to-six-year-old white spruce".

## Parents and teachers to have conferences

On Tuesday, April 5th, the second parent-teacher conference of 1965-66 will be held in the school. The schedule is now complete and it is hoped that all parents will take advantage of this opportunity to confer with the teachers of their children regarding the progress of these [illegible]

# Paying can be fun

Organizations in Tofield this winter have proven beyond the shadow of a doubt that paying off an old debt can be fun if it is properly handled.

This may sound like a bold statement, but the fact of the matter is that some very entertaining concerts or programs have been staged in the Tofield Community Centre by various Tofield organizations for the sole purpose of lowering and eventually eliminating debt against the community centre building. Reports are the programs have been most enjoyable to date, and more are anxiously awaited.

This Saturday night another in the series will be a program presented by the Camrose Barbershoppers and the Northernaires Quartet — by no means strangers to the community since this will be the Barbershoppers' third show here in as many years. They are being sponsored locally by the Tofield Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion.

Legion members are hoping these shows will continue to get the fine support they have received to date. It offers Tofield residents not only an evening's entertainment at a reasonable price, but also an opportunity to help defray the expenses of the Community League which has provided this town with a lovely and most practical community hall.

# Vitamins for the mind

"The mind needs vitamins, too," we were told recently by a friend in the city who reads a great deal, and easily accepted the interesting statement. But the next comment brought us up short: ". . . and books are the vitamins for the mind."

Book readers can well understand the depth of meaning contained in this keenly perceptive statement. They will agree with us that newspapers are necessary to keep us up-to-date on what's going on in the world, that magazines provide a great deal more information in depth from time to time on a wide range of subjects, but most of the time neither cause any thought on the part of the reader.

Books, however, open the mind to entirely new horizons; bring us into touch with the minds of fascinating people, open the pages of history, and explore concepts totally new and unrelated to anything we have known before. Books can amuse, annoy, uplift and destroy. Books can set whole new trains of action into motion, damn the wrong, and point the way. Books may console the lonely, comfort the dispirited, inflame the excitable, incense the agitated, or kindle the passionate.

Emphasis this week on National Library Week focusses attention on the place of books in our world, and stresses their importance in the life of hundreds of our citizens right here in Tofield and district. But it's not just something for this week alone; it's for all year round.

Remember, "Books are the vitamins for the mind."

# Dancing, drinking, driving

It seems curious that a number of complaints of drinking and brawling at dances in certain district points should have come in all at one time this week, and the complaints are so widely scattered they couldn't all be referring to the same area.

It's too bad when adults have to upset such dances for their own flings, but it's a downright shame when school dances become problems for the staff putting them on; the result can easily be that it's such a problem and such a nuisance the teachers will just not have any programs in the school.

Undoubtedly stepped up activity of enforcement patrols is called for, and no doubt the police teams have their hands more than full in trying to cope with the problem, often in the face of hostile crowds. Those who approve and applaud their actions usually stay discreetly and quietly in the background, which may help maintain the peace, but doesn't do much for morale.

Naturally, one of the big questions readers should ask themselves it: "If your son (or daughter) is at the dance, or out in the car, how is he spending his time?"

It's been pointed out innumerable times that driving and drinking don't mix; has it reached the point that dancing and drinking won't mix, either?

# Production budget?

This is being run up too soon after news of the budget to be sure, but it seems Finance Minister Sharp is aiming to encourage greater production here, by eliminating the sales tax on production machinery. This, too, should help keep Canadian production competitive. That sales tax wasn't eliminated in the field of building materials seems sensible in light of the already incredible pressures on building forces within the country.

Income taxes have been dropped slightly on lower incomes, but statistics say this will not affect very many Canadians. On the other hand, incomes that are only modest will face sharply increased levies. Affecting thousands, this decidedly unpopular move seems designed to chop spending power and help curb inflation.

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# By George!

Here are a few tidbits that have accumulated in the past few months, some of them facts to ponder, and others thought-provoking comments.

Napolean hated and feared cats.

A general strike is a strike against the public, not a strike against an employer.

Compounds of silver are very poisonous.

In twenty years Canada has gained 2.5 million immigrants but lost one million emigrants.

The earth is the fifth largest planet.

For 220 million people, Russia produces only 165,000 cars a year, one-third of Canada's output.

A year is more than 31,000,000 seconds long.

Ten inches of snow equals about one inch of rain.

How to plug Canada's brain drain: lower income and estate taxes here than in the U.S.

Nobody's opinions are worthless. Even a stopped clock is right twice a day!

Two things are bad for the heart — running up stairs and running down people.

Proper name for the ordinary house cat is "Domestic Shorthair."

Astronomers estimate that there are at least 100 billion stars in the Milky Way system.

A day on the moon is 14 times as long as on the earth.

In this modern age men who die with their boots on usually have one of them on the accelerator.

# From the mail bag

Tofield Mercury,
Dear Editor

I have no voice in the spending of the suggested $40,000.00 Centennial Funds, but suggest that the best use would be into a covered skating rink or swimming pool for the youth of the town.

—Geo. G. Abernethy

Editor, The Mercury

It was with great interest I read in The Mercury of the meeting of the Tofield ratepayers—and the present financial report. It seems much better than in the Old Days, when I was on the council and mayor of Tofield. But I was pleased to hear that some of the old names are still interested in the affairs of the town—Dr. Freebury, Edwin Stinson, Geo. McFadzean, Arnold Swift, Graham Allan and Mrs. Rita Halverson.

As to the item under The Mail Bag by "Concerned" re. the suggested centennial project, a new public library, this in my opinion could be quite feasible in say some 25 years from now, but at the present time, with the Community and Legion Halls, the town needs this about as much as I need a hole in my head.

Got a kick about the native son, my nephew, Dr. Max Rogers. We did have a few other Tofield boys who made good in the big towns—"Bill" Swift, A. B. Everson, "Bill" McCauley, and my old friend and protege, Horace McHeffey.

As a social item, Bert and Mrs. Calvert and myself drove out to Whiterock, B.C., and had a lovely visit with old time friends, Burt and Louise Lovell.

See you all at Sports Day, July 1st, 1966.

—A. B. "Abe" Clutterham,
1310 West 13th Ave.,
"The Chateau",
Vancouver 9, B.C.

# MacDuff Ottawa report

**FRENCH WITHOUT TEARS**

OTTAWA—Prime Minister Pearson wants to make the civil service bilingual. But he wants to do it without hurting anyone. This is a typically paradoxical position, not only for the Prime Minister, but for Canada itself. Mr. Pearson's policy on bilingualism makes sense only in the way that Canada makes sense. In other words, given a country that is part American part English, part French, part federal and part provincial, and government itself becomes a many-textured thing.

In the area of bilingualism, for example, one side of Canadian logic says that it's more efficient to carry on government in one language rather than two. But another side of logic says that all citizens should have the right to speak to their government and to be answered in either one of the two official languages. The logic of efficiency doesn't work because it doesn't meet the Canadian situation.

**100 YEAR SITUATION**

Being basically unilingual in English, the government can't effectively serve the 30 per cent of Canadians whose mother tongue is French. That's a situation that has prevailed since Confederation. The only wonder is that French Canadians in great numbers have continued to consider that the federal government is their government as well as the government of English-Canadians.

Now, however, French-Canadians want a change. They want the public service to be bilingual where it counts. They want to be able to serve Canada even though their first language is French. Like all French-English questions, this one of bi[illegible] in the public service is explosive.

That explains why Mr. Pearson is feeling his way cautiously, one might say timidly. It's more than a year now since he outlined the Government's [illegible] to bring a greater de[illegible] of bilingualism to the pub[illegible] service. Nothing has been de[illegible] at least nothing definite[illegible] Mr. Pearson recog[illegible] that bilingualism in the [illegible] service was his Government[illegible] objective. But he cautioned[illegible] that it was "an objective [illegible] ... objective only". He quo[illegible] words from a year ago [illegible] working toward that [illegible] services of government [illegible] available in both languages [illegible] both English and French speaking employees". He [illegible], "we must guard against [illegible] prejudicing the position of people [illegible] already in the public service".

**HAS TO HURT SOME**

That, of course, wa[illegible] best track if he can do it. A p[illegible]y of bilingualism can hardly be effective if it doesn't put a p[illegible] on bilingualism and if it doesn't downgrade the unilingual [illegible]. Bilingualism has to be case,

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## MacDuff Ottawa report

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or the strains on Confederation will become intolerable. The main job will be to minimize, as much as possible, the effects of this on unilinguals.

While it may be too gradual for some French-Canadians, the moderate approach seems the only one possible. An interdepartmental committee has been at work on the question for a year and has prepared an exhaustive report.

There are indications of what the report contains. The limited objective will be to make the civil service bilingual, over a period of years, in Ottawa and in areas where a large number of people speak the two official languages.

**JUST RIGHT SIZE BONUS**

There will also be an effort to find qualified bilingual persons to fill posts in the higher levels of departments, and government agencies. A "bonus", of perhaps $800 a year, will be paid to civil servants with demonstrated proficiency in both languages. On civil service examinations for recruitment or promotion, a bonus of ten percentage points will be given to those contestants who are bilingual. At the same time the bonus factor is rather small, not so large that bilingualism in itself would over-ride the merit system.

Even these small steps, however, have brought violent response. Some warn that it is not enough. Others that it is far too much. Old familiar, blind reactions are being heard—French-Canadian persecution by the English on the one side, concessions to Quebec on the other.

**BALANCING ACT**

Mr. Pearson will move far enough to satisfy his Quebec supporters but not too far to inspire the wrath of his English-speaking supporters. It's the same old Canadian dilemma.

The danger here is that these small and useful steps may prompt an exaggerated response which could do more damage to French-English relations. As the argument develops, Canadians would do well to remember what is being proposed, and to keep it in perspective. No one is trying to force French down anyone's throat. No one is saying that the army should be completely bilingual. No one is suggesting that the clerks in the Vancouver Post Office need to be bilingual. It will probably not even be possible for many years, at least, to make bilingualism a condition of employment in areas where both languages are spoken, or even to ensure that top-ranking officials are bilingual. There are simply not enough bilingual persons of quality available.

All that is asked at the moment is that when a French-speaking person wants to address his federal government, there will be someone there to understand him, and to answer him in words he will understand.

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# County council meets March 10th

**Regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9 Thursday, March 10th, 1966.**

Mr. C. H. Weir of the firm of Stewart, Weir, Stewart and Watson, Surveyors and Engineers, was present at this time to discuss with the Council further developments on the Rural Road Study. The minutes of the February 11th meeting of the East Central Rural Road Study Area No. 13 was read. It was moved that the minutes be accepted and the actions taken at this meeting be concurred in. Cd.

The agreement between the County and the Province of Alberta concerning the operation and procedure of the Rural Road Study was now read to the Council and it was moved that the agreement be acepted and signed by the Reeve. Cd.

A letter constituting a contract between the County and the firm of Stewart, Weir, Stewart and Watson in the carrying out of the professional work in connection with the Rural Road Study was now read and it was moved that the letter be accepted, the agreement as outlined in the letter be adopted and that it be signed by the Reeve and Secretary-treasurer. Cd.

Mr. Weir then explained the road assessment work sheet and how he wished to have the work sheet completed by the Councillors, each for his own division. He requested that these work sheets be completed by the end of March or early April. Mr. Weir then retired.

**Business arising from the minutes:**

In regards to the Centennial Grants the Secretary-treasurer referred to the Council correspondence from the Centennial Officer advising that the Centennial projects for the Hamlets of Bruce and Kinsella had been approved by the Centennial Officers of the Government of Alberta and Canada. He also referred to the Council a letter from Mr. A. W. Gordey, MLA, advising that the Catholic Parish of Borshtchow had decided to go on their own in erection

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# Small turnout at ham 'shoot'

A rather disappointing turnout of shooters competed for their Easter Hams at the shoot held by the Tofield Gun Club on Saturday, March 26th.

Two competitors from out of town, Arnold Bugge of Ryley and Paul Fung of Edmonton, each picked up the limit of two hams while two local men, Bill Friesen and Larry Willson, each won a single.

A father and son team of George and Dale Thiessen each won a ham on the "luck" targets, to ensure a bountiful Easter dinner at the Thiessen household.

The next public function of the Gun Club will be their third annual Black Powder Shoot to be held on June 26th this year. This shoot is becoming quite well known throughout Alberta, and this year promises to be bigger and better than ever.

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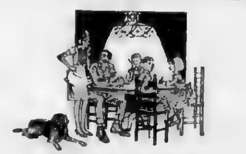

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# The Ryley Times

**Students hook rugs**

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## Tofield high school news

(Elain Walker)

On March 18 and 19 the annual Drama Festival was held in Vegreville. The best play award was won by Lloydminster, along with the best actor and best supporting actor awards. Second in the plays was won by Wetaskiwin, which also took the best actress and best supporting actress awards. Tofield took third place in the plays with an honorable mention for supporting actress. The Tofield students wish to thank the drama students for the hours of time and effort to produce this fine play which represented our play so well.

CAREER DAY

The Career Day held on March 28th in the Tofield High School was very successful. The students are all pleased at this fine opportunity to discuss their future plans with people occupied in that field. It is hoped that a Career Day will become an annual event in our school

CURLING TROPHIES

The High School Afternoon curling was completed on Tuesday, March 29. The George Arnett Trophy was awarded to the team of Brian McFadzean, Doug Everitt, Bernie Wilkie, June Christensen and Marilyn Schacker. Second place was won by Allan Everitt, Clarice Jacobsen, Ken Dodds, Shirley Swift, Dianne Ferguson, Robert Dickson and Jim Allan. Individual trophies were presented to all winners. The skunk prizes for last place wer awarded to Lynn Dunlop, Bruce Bowick, Phyllis Rose, Rita Glover, Jackie Hunter and Johnny Sears. Congratulations to all the winners!

## Ryley news

Mrs. Westmancoat is much improved and we hope she will be home very soon. Her daughter, Barbara is still home and never missed a day visiting her mother

Mrs. W. Magneson is a patient at Tofield hospital. Wylda and Randi stayed with the Vasburgs while their mother is away.

Norman Patersen is making speedy recovery after surgery in Tofield hospital

Marva and Vanesa Maaren spent a week with the Bugges while their mother was in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Booth and Mr. and Mrs. L. Pepper motored to Flatbush on Sunday to visit the Loftus Booths.

Larry Booth, John Booth and Jim Martindale from Lacombe college spent the weekend with relatives.

Miss Florence Petersen from Iron River was a weekend guest at the Maaren home.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Munkadal were confirmed into the Lutheran Church at Ryley on Sunday morning.

**Lyle Hegh, Richard Mathews and Gordon Kirkland are home after finishing the winter terms at Vermilion Agricultural College.**

Many of the 4-H members enjoyed the Rodeo last Wednesday when a bus load went to Edmonton.

Mrs. Gladys Annebo is feeling much better and she will soon be back in her class room.

Miss Fay Olesenberg spent two weeks in Winnipeg visiting her sister, Mrs. Penner. Little David came home with his aunt to holiday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Olesenberg.

## Father and son bonspiel sparks keen interest

No small amount of interest is being created as the Ryley Father and Son Bonspiel progresses this week. The 30 rinks entered in the 'spiel attended a banquet on Wednesday evening, when over 30 pounds of meat were made into gallons of stew by chef Ernie Brown.

Proud and often amused parents and friends watch as fathers and sons, ranging in age from 7 to 77, take part. The rules are simple: two sons per rink, one of whom must play third; all sons must be under 14 (sons can be "borrowed" if fathers happen to be blessed with a family of daughters only), and rules for delivery are forgotten for any son under 10.

Drawmaster Daryl Albrecht reports the telephone rang for over 30 minutes on Monday (right after school) to find out times of draws and "who do we play?"

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| NESTLE'S QUIK | lb. tin 49c |
| SODAS—Paulin's, Plain or Salted | 1 lb. pkg. 35c |
| PERFEX BLEACH | 64 oz. bottle 49c |
| INSTANT COFFEE Coffee Break | 8 oz. jar 99c |
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## County council meets March 10th

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of a monument that initially they had endeavoured to obtain a centennial grant on. Under the circumstances the Secretary-Treasurer had waived $300.00 to the Town of Tofield and $300.00 to the Village of Holden.

Moved that the report be accepted and the Secretary Treasurer's action concurred in. Cd.

In regards to Mr. Elmer Sitler's lease on N.W. 23-49-20-W 4th, Cr. Knudslien advised that he had interviewed Mr. Sitler. Mr. Sitler stated that he was trying to obtain permission from the County of Camrose to install Texas Gates. If he was not able to obtain this permission he would fence the land at his own expense. Moved that the report be accepted. Cd.

In regards to the Welfare meeting in Vegreville on Monday, February 14th, a report from the Assistant Secretary-Treasurer on this meeting was referred to the Council.

Moved that the report be accepted. Cd.

In regards to the advice to the Alberta Government Telephones concerning road work south of Sec. 1 and 2 in 46-13-W 4th, a letter from the A.G.T. was read to the Council. The letter suggested that the Councillor in the area concerned arrange for a meeting with a representative from A.G.T. when road conditions permit a thorough inspection. It was therefore, moved that the correspondence be filed and presented again at the next meeting of the Council. Cd.

A letter from the Acting Chief Maintenance Engineer advising that District Engineer's Office was being established in the Town of Vermilion and that as from April 1st, 1966 Mr. D. J. Bussard, District Engineer, and Mr. J. Haz, Asst. District Engineer, would be located at Vermilion and that all correspondence directed to the District Engineer should be sent to Vermilion. Moved that the information be accepted and the correspondence be received and filed. Cd.

In regards to the 1966 Contingency Application a letter from the Dept. of Highways was referred to the Council. The letter indicated that the road allowance east of N. E. 15-49-16-W.4th was actually within the boundaries of the Village of Holden. The letter suggested that the County should approach the Village of Holden regarding this matter and ask them to submit a request to the Dept. that this road be handled under the 1966 Contingency Grant.

Moved that the suggestion be referred to the Village of Holden. Cd.

A letter from the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation advising of the Annual Meeting to be held on Monday, April 4th, 1966 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 220, Highways Building, Edmonton, Alberta was referred to the Council

Moved that Cr. J. H. Roddick be appointed as representative from the County of Beaver No. 9 to attend the Annual Meeting of the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation on Monday, April 4th 1966, with authority to cast votes for a director in the Class "B" category. Cd.

A copy of the letter from the Village of Holden to the Chairman of the Hutterite Investigation Committee containing a resolution from the Council of the Village of Holden objecting to the establishment of a Hutterite Colony in the vicinity of the Village

Moved that a letter be forwarded to the Chairman of the Hutterite Investigation Commit-

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## Bardo Notes

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, March 29 — The LCW will meet at the home of Mrs. Gladys Severson on Wednesday afternoon, April 6 at 2 o'clock

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mosby and family of Ryley were Sunday dinner guests at the Harry Mosby home. Barry Mosby spent the weekend in Edmonton with his Aunt, Miss Jean Baptist.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stokkan and Emil and Gene Rude motored to Spruce Grove on Sunday to a Co-op Curlafest in which Olaf took part. Mrs. Stokkan also visited with her sister and family the Nick Runkas.

Dinner guests at the Andy Helberg home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jacobson from Tofield and the Leroy Finseth family

Albert and Agnes Haukedal spent the weekend in Edson visiting at the Jack Innis home.

Miss Linda Erickson who is employed in Camrose spent the weekend with her parents and on Sunday Eisten Helberg was a dinner guest at the Erickson home.

The Glenn Francis family visited relatives in Edmonton on Sunday, also celebrating Curtis Bjornson's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingvold Ness from Kingman were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Don Litwin home.

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## MSI membership .

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Also, at the Tuesday, April 12, meeting, Mr. Gordey, MLA, will be in attendance at the Legion Hall, at 8.00 p.m.

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## Ross Creek district news briefs

(L. Van Buskirk)

Services will be held in the Ross Creek United Church every 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month at 2.00 p.m. Watch for further announcement next week regarding services for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hopf were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McLachlan.

Fred Antoniuk expects to be out of the hospital this weekend.

Mrs. Margaret Herndon, June and Tom and a friend all of Edmonton spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Comey and boys.

Vivian Antoniuk flew by plane to Hawaii to spend a two-week vacation there.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hauser were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dominchuk of Edmonton, last Thursday.

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## Lukeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Jimmy and Donna MacDonald of Okotoks were Friday night and Saturday morning guests at the home of Jimmy's aunt, Mary and John Wood on their way home from a visit to their farm near Bonnyville. They plan to move to their farm near the first of May.

Jean and Russel Jones and children Kenny, Debbie and Cindy of Czar arrived Tuesday afternoon at the home of Russel's parents, Joe and Ellenor Jones. They were Tuesday overnight guests there. The children spent Wednesday there while Russel and Jean attended the Spring Stock Show. On Wednesday afternoon the children visited their Aunt and Russel's sister, Marjorie and Morley Jacobsen and family. Russel and Jean and children were also Wednesday overnight guests there. They all left for Edmonton Thursday morning to attend the Stock Sale and Rodeo before returning to Czar.

Mrs. Ethel Wood motored to Forestburg on Saturday where she was a Saturday visitor and overnight guest at the home of her friend Mrs. Walter (Sally) Henderson, returning home Sunday.

Gail Niemetz and Bob Orubko arrived Saturday afternoon at the home of Gail's parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz where they were guests until Monday afternoon.

Margaret Baerg of Tofield was a weekend guest of Clarice Jacobsen at the home of her parents, Carl and Mavis Jacobsen helping Clarice celebrate her birthday.

Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton were Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of their son, Carl and Mavis Jacobsen. Mavis's father, Julius Jacobsen also of Edmonton arrival Sunday afternoon and is spending a few days there.

Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and Mavis's father Julius Jacobsen motored to Camrose on Monday afternoon and were afternoon coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Nettie Moen.

Geo. and Ida Niemetz were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Marjorie and Morley Jacobsen. Also there Sunday for supper and staying overnight were Morley's parents, Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Sunday visitors with Lelia and Milton Ray were their son, Eldon and wife Bernice and children of Alix, Louise Ray and children Charlie and Jean Ray and children of Edmonton.

Gladys and Ewalt Gaberts and children of Edmonton spent Sunday with Chester and Ron Coombes and family.

Mr and Mrs. Bill Paul of Didsbury were Thursday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Froese.

HERE FROM B.C.

Annie McGinitie called on Mrs. Hugh Bruce of Lindbrook on Thursday afternoon to visit with Mr and Mrs Earl Wilson of Vernon, B.C. who are visiting in the district. The Wilson's were formerly of the Ketchamoot district. Later Annie called on Mr. and Mrs Tom Bererton just south of Lindbrook.

On Sunday Mr and Mrs. Gordon Kyle entertained Mr. and Mrs. Bill Landcaster and Mrs. Gould Sr., of Tofield.

Viola Norton of Tofield spent the weekend with Margaret and Harry Kyle.

Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell were Mavis and Charlie McLeod and two children, and Gail and Armond Gaubault all of Lindbrook.

Roy and Dorothy Whillans and their boys motored to Edmonton for Sunday dinner with Frank and Marguerite Thomas and family.

Recently Mrs. Ellen Sears took up residence at the River Crest Nursing Home at Fort Saskatchewan. Her son Pat, and Jeannie visited with her on Saturday and say that she is happy and enjoys her new home.

Ivan Mitchell and Mrs. Charlie McLeod and the girls motored to the International Airport at Nisku on Wednesday evening to meet the plane when Judy Mitchell arrived home from three weeks vacation in California.

On Friday Mr. and Mrs Geo. Thompson and Agnes McGinitie visited with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ferguson and the new baby. Later Agnes joined the ladies at a birthday party for Mrs. Sidar in Tofield, it being her 71st birthday.

Pauline and Harvey McGinitie and children were Sunday visitors with Henry and Agnes McGinitie.

On Tuesday afternoon a prayer meeting was held at the home of Agnes McGinitie with 14 members present.

## Locals around the town

On April 1, Friday, the RCMP will be showing films to Grade I to VI pupils in the Tofield School.

Mr and Mrs. Earl Wilson of Vernon, B.C. were Wednesday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Gill, and also called on other friends in the district. They spent a few days in Edmonton with relatives before returning home.

Betty Pilger, Darlene and Lynn Ann Dunlop spent the weekend at Cadomin with [illegible] Lynn's parents, Mildred and Findley Dunlop.

71st BIRTHDAY

Several ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. Annie Sirdar last Friday afternoon to celebrate her 71st birthday. An enjoyable afternoon was spent, highlighted with a delicious lunch. She received many lovely gifts. Last Sunday Mrs. Annie Sirdar had her family home for dinner to celebrate her birthday, and [illegible] with them to spend a week with her son [illegible] in Red Deer.

SEWING CLASS

Mrs. Durie's first sewing class will commence on Monday, April 4th and the second class on Tuesday, April 5th in the Tofield United Church.

On Friday night a farewell party was held at the home of Jean and Alan Warner, in honor of Jack and Gloria Graser who will be moving to Edmonton the first part of April.

FIRE DESTROYS

Last Thursday a fire destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weis in the Lindbrook district.

On April 6, buses will take the Grade V and VI students of the Tofield School to Holden in order that they may see a special arrangement and demonstration of the parts and instruments of the symphony orchestra.


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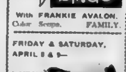


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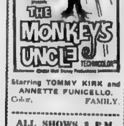


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ton advising that the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9 is opposed to the establishment of the proposed Hutterite Colony in the vicinity of the Village of Holden Cd.

The matter of the Rural Road Inventory and Future Road Needs was again brought up.

By-law No. 206, authorizing the making of an agreement with the Dept. of Highways and the Councils of the County of Beaver No. 9, the M.D. of Flagstaff No. 62, the M.D. of Provost No. 52 and the M.D. of Wainwright No. 61, was now referred to the Council Cd.

In regards to the Municipal Development and Loan Act and the proposed sewage system for the Hamlet of Kinsella the Secretary-Treasurer informed the Council that the 25 per cent forgiveness on loans aproved by the Board would be extended by six months to September 30th, 1966 on project costs incurred up to and including that day. The extension would only apply to loans which were approved by the Municipal Development and Loan Act Board up to and including March 31st, 1966. This information had been received from the Deputy Provincial Treasurer who had also suggested that any applications should be in his office no later than March 15th in order to obtain approval by March 31st. In view of this the Secretary-Treasurer had contacted the Associated Engineering Services Ltd and they were going ahead with the preparation of the necessary plans and the Secretary-Treasurer would, upon the matter being approved by the Council, forward the documents required from the County office to the Engineering Firm who would then present it to the proper authorities.

One prerequisite was a motion from the Council to authorize the submission of the application for the loan. The report was accepted and it was moved that the Secretary-Treasurer be and hereby, is authorized to submit on behalf of the County of Beaver No. 9, the application for loan in connection with the proposed sewerage system in the Hamlet of Kinsella. Cd.

A report from the Board of Review of the PFA of its meeting held on February 15th, 1966 was referred to the Council. The report indicated that the following Townships were ineligible for assistance: 48-13-W.4th; 48-14-W.4th; 49-13-W.4th; 49-14-W.4th.

Inspection of these townships had been requested in October of 1965.

Moved that the report be received and filed Cd.

The Secretary-Treasurer reported that the Equalized Assessment for the County for the year 1966 had been established in the amount of $12,806,163.00. He also informed the Council that the requisition [illegible] the School Foundation Program Fund had been received in the amount of $358,908.00, an increase from 1965 of $32,367.00.

Moved that the information in regards to the Equalized Assessment and the requisition under the School Foundation Program Fund be accepted and that payments to the School Foundation Program Fund be made as required. Cd.

Notice of the Annual Meeting of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 to be held in the Gladstone Curling Rink at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 16th was referred to the Council as was the Statement of Receipts and Payments for the year ended December 31, 1965.

Moved that the Statement be accepted and that Cr. Gibson be appointed to attend this meeting on behalf of the County. Cd.

Moved at 5:40 p.m. that this meeting now adjourns to Thursday, March 7th, 1966.

**The Council reconvened in regular meeting on Thursday, March 17, 1966.**

The Secretary-Treasurer stated that he had given permission for the Northwestern Utilities Ltd. to cross the road allowance W. of N.W. 13-52-19-W.4th with a gas line to some of their gas wells in the area.

Moved that the Secretary-Treasurer's actions be approved. Cd.

A plan showing the buried distribution cable in the vicinity fo Ryley was referred to the Council at this time. The proposed distribution area concerned parts of Divisions 4, 5 and 6 and it was moved that Crs. Gibson, Knudslien and Kropielnicki study the proposed plan and if necessary arrange a meeting with the Engineer from AGT to clarify any items that may need clarification. Cd.

Reference was made to a decision made by the School Committee to increase the fire insurance on the buildings by 15 per cent and in order that the same increase might apply to the Municipal buildings it was moved that a flat increase of 15 per cent be provided for on all Municipal buildings. Cd.

The Secretary-Treasurer informed the Council that during the months of January and February and up to March 4th arrears of taxes in the amount of $286,785.00 had been collected. This represents 57 per cent of the arrears outsanding as at December 31st, 1965, leaving arrears outstanding as of March 4th of $216,243.61. This, in the opinion of the Secretary-Treasurer was a very good record.

Moved that the report be accepted Cd.

The question of damage caused by beavers was discussed and particularly Crs. Johnston and Roddick appeared to have this problem. It was pointed out that any request for permission to remove the beavers would have to go through the Game Conservation Officers at Vegreville and Vermilion.

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## Ministik news items

(Mrs. J. Reddish)

We are sorry to hear that the Hastings Lake correspondent, Mrs. Albert Gladue, is in Tofield Hospital. A speedy recovery is wished her from all her friends.

Saturday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Jones were Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and Sandra. They, along with Mr. and Mrs. Jones, motored to Tofield. Saturday afternoon visitors were Oliver Jones and son Tommy. Sunday callers were Mrs. R. G. McCaig (Mrs. Jones' sister) and sons Ron and Don, and Mrs. Hazel Thomson and family of Edmonton. Mrs. Milton Brooks of Winnipeg was also a visitor. She is here to visit her father, R. G. McCaig, who is seriously ill in Col Mewburn Hospital, Edmonton. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Messerschmidt and family were also Sunday afternoon visitors.


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Firstly, the relatives and friends should plan their visits and come in groups of two or three, as an excessive number of people in the room will tire the patient. They should only stay for 15 minutes to half an hour at a time. Consideration can be shown by not smoking or causing undue noise, because the hospital is a place of rest, not a recreation hall.

The hospital staff keep their uniforms immaculately clean to protect the patient from germs. Visitors should not put coats on or sit on the patient's bed as this puts [illegible] with germs. Also, any person with a cold or cough should not come to visit, as this is detrimental to their friend's or relative's health.

Gifts should be chosen with care for the patients. Before buying a gift of food, an inquiry should be made as to whether the patient's diet will permit this

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## Beaver Ag. committee . . .

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demonstration to show the proper way to fill these gulleys, and it was moved and carried that two gully-filling demonstrations be carried out, one at each end of the County.

Mr Boyles noted the pocket gopher was getting to be a bad pest in some areas. He suggested a demonstration using a machine which makes artificial burrows and deposits poison in them. This machine apparently works quite well Mr Kehoe said it is used quite extensively in the Lacombe area. The committee agreed to investigate the price of this machine and that this matter be tabled to the next meeting.

The sum of $30 was budgeted for 1000 coyote bait for this year.

The brucellosis program was discussed and the committee was pleased with the results of the voluntary vaccination Mr Boyles said the captains had spent a lot of time talking to farmers and explaining the scheme However, he said, they felt they were not being paid enough for this work, and it was agreed $1.30 per hour and 12 cents per mile be paid for organizing the brucellosis campaign

Because of difficulty in seeding some backslopes, particularly on the 100 foot road allowance, it was moved and carried that Rex Boyles be authorized to equip the sprayer unit for hydro seeding.

[illegible] of selling weed chemicals was brought up. It was noted that some of the agents were giving chemicals out on time and were very late in turning in their accounts, so it was moved and carried the committee continue to sell weed chemicals and the agents be notified it is on a cash basis.

It was agreed the tree planter will only be available to those persons who intend to plant trees 60 feet or more inside the property line.

## Skudesnes Church being renovated

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER, EARLING — The interior of the Skudesnes Lutheran Church is being renovated.

Work commenced Monday, headed by the carpenter, Thomas Hendrickson of Bawlf and assisted by the men of the congregation. Supplies have been purchased from Bawlf.

The church was built in 1916 by our pioneer fathers and in May the congregation will observe its 50th anniversary.

## Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

FARM IS SOLD

Harry Johnson has sold his farm to Clarence Helleckson and son Earl of Camrose. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Helleckson and their son will soon be moving onto the farm. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson, daughter Valerie and son Rodney will be residing in Camrose, where they purchased a house, and Harry will be employed at one of the greenhouses.

Mrs. Alfred Sorensen and David were business visitors in Edmonton last Friday, where David was getting new eye glasses.

**Mrs. Marilyn Shykora is a patient in Tofield Hospital after having undergone surgery.**

Rev. and Mrs. Becher returned home the end of last week from a month's holiday at Vancouver, B.C.

Mrs. Francis Shand, of Edmonton, was a Friday visitor with her mother, Mrs. R. Loney, and they visited with Mr. Loney at Vegreville.

Roy Nichols motored to Edmonton Thursday afternoon, taking back the fire engine which had been on loan to the Village, while the Village engine was being repaired. Mr. Hovland and Mrs. Nichols drove there to bring Ray home.

Chris Hovland and sons Reuben and Ray were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Forre.

Mrs. Olaf Chetney and Mrs. Hans Brekstad were visitors with Mrs. Mary Andrews, a patient in Tofield Hospital, the beginning of the week.

Alan Tiedemann spent three days the early part of last week visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, and brothers. Alan has been employed in the kitchen at the hotel in Fort McMurray since the beginning of February.


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## MINISTIK NEWS

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

HERE FROM MANITOBA

Mr and Mrs. George Armstrong of Snow Lake, Manitoba, arrived late Friday afternoon to spend the weekend at the W. F. Davenport home. They also visited the Joe Davenports and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leach and family, and visited with Mr. Davenport on Saturday in a Camrose hospital Sunday afternoon they were coffee guests along with Mr. and Mrs. Walter George at the Jim Roddick home. They left Monday morning for North Surrey, B.C., where they plan to make their home.

Don't forget the grocery bingo sponsored by the Ladies' Club, to aid the summer picnic fund, to be held at Ministik Hall on April 8th. Everyone is welcome and lunch will be served.

Leona Roddick spent a few days in Tofield Hospital with severe nosebleeds. She returned home on Thursday and is feeling much better again.

[illegible] Kilfoyle will be employed by Alberta Pacific Grain Co for the spring and summer season, doing elevator repair work.


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## Modern etiquette

Q Is it permissible at the table to cut a croquette with the knife?

A. No. The fork should be used to break it up and then, with the tines up, use the fork to convey the food to the mouth.

Q Isn't a guest at a cocktail party privileged to arrive and depart at whatever time he wishes?

A Yes—within the prescribed time limits of the party.

Q. Is the bride really obligated to give gifts to each of her attendants?

A. This is not so much a matter of "obligation". It is a long-standing custom, and therefore accepted as good form.

Q. When attending a very large dinner, should a guest wait until all the other guests have been served before he begins to eat?

A. No.


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## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

Church services were conducted Sunday by Mr. Jim Alatti of Edmonton, who is a layman of the Avonmore United Church.

C.W.L. BINGO

The C.W.L. were delighted with the successful Easter ham bingo they sponsored on Friday evening. Bingo players came from districts as far away as Ryley, and one ham winner was a guest from Snow Lake, Manitoba. The club wishes to [illegible] all who attended. A home baking sale was held immediately following the bingo, and a delicious lunch served.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ridsdale are the proud parents of a son born March 18th, just [illegible]ing St. Patrick's Day.

**A helicopter doing [illegible] work in this area set down at Mac's service station on Wednesday to re-fuel.**

Mrs. Margaret Paterson and Anne and Linda were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson. Mr. and Mrs. Randy Daryk and Donna, of Edmonton, were also visitors. Randy is one of Gary's [illegible] chums.

Little Beverly Stevens of Edmonton is a guest this week at the home of her grandparents, Mr and Mrs. Alphonse Loch.


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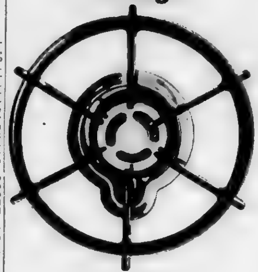

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## FUTURE DATES

**EASTER TEA AND SALE OF HOME COOKING**
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## Modern Etiquette

Q. Isn't it all right, when introducing a man to a woman, merely to say the names, as, "Miss Forbes, Mr Kenton"?

A. Yes—with a slight pause between the names

Q. Don't you think it's rude and ill-bred of a bride who waits until she has returned from her month's honeymoon before acknowledging her wedding gifts?

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# Church services

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, April 3rd
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic. "What To Do About Jesus?"
Good Friday—11:00 a.m.
"It is the colossal separation between the acceptance of religion as a creed and the rejection of it as a way of life that defines the nature of modern cannibalism".
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**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, April 3rd
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service of Music and Message.
Special Feature—Berean Bible College Choir presents concert of Sacred Music, Saturday, April 2, at 8:00 p.m., at Mennonite Brethren Church. Everyone welcome.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, April 3rd
Palm Sunday
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
Wednesday, April 6th, 7:30 p.m. —Whikler Bible School Choirsters to sing.
Good Friday, 10:30 a.m.—Public Service.
"It is always springtime in the heart tha loves God".
—Vigney.
Everybody welcome.

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Sunday Services
8:30 a.m. every Sunday—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m., 1st Sunday of month —Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sunday—Morning Prayer.
O Come Let Us Worship.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Winter Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 11:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sundays of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 11:00 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:30 p.m.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, April 3rd
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

**KINGMAN LUTHERAN PARISH**
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Sunday, April 3rd
10:15 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School.

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I—16, 25, 18, 28, 27, 20, 29
N—31, 42, 43, 40, 37, 32, 38, 34, 44, 45
G—60, 54, 46, 50, 55, 48, 51, 47, 49, 46
O—74, 63, 75, 71, 66, 61, 68, 73, 70, 72, 69, 64
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I—28, 25, 18, 21, 17
N—34, 30, 38, 42, 36, 37, 40, 41, 35, 45, 33, 35, 40
G—55, 50, 57, 52, 56, 53, 51, 47
O—66, 72, 73, 61, 70, 68, 74, 67, 65
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## Ross Creek news

(L. Van Buskirk)

**HIGH SCHOOL BONSPIEL**
The Lamont High School held their mixed bonspiel last weekend. The team Maureen McLachlan was on won the Grand Challenge, while the rink skipped by Grant Comey placed 2nd in the 1st event; Scott Malcolm's rink placed 1st in the 2nd event; while Stewart Saider's rink was 1st in the 3rd event.

**BINGO AND SOCIAL**
April 2nd, is the date set for the cash bingo and pie social sponsored by the Ross Creek Athletic Club, and held in the Community Centre. The draw will also be made on the raffle, with the prizes being 1st, a transistor radio; 2nd, pole lamp; 3rd T.V. trays, and stand. All proceeds are to be used to further improve the skating and curling rinks, so come out for an evening of fun and help a worthwhile cause.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey and family spent Sunday with Neil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bailey at Golden Spike.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Schacher of Tofield and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schacher of Medicine Hat were Thursday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Van Buskirk

## On the Provincial Scene

By JOHN WARREN

Legislation making major changes in hospital and medical care in Alberta was introduced on the final day of a busy week of budget debate.

Among other things, the legislation will make it more expensive to get hospital care after July 1 and will extend the range of services covered by the province's health insurance plan.

On that day Alberta residents will begin paying a deterrent fee of $2.50 a day in all active treatment hospitals. They will also have to pay a charge of $5.00 on entering hospital. Health Minister [illegible] said the fee was being increased to bring the patients' portion of hospital expenses more into line with spiralling costs. Present fees range from $1.50 to $2.00 daily.

The revised insurance plan will make prescription drugs, artificial limbs, rental of hospital appliances and the services of optometrists, physiotherapists and psychologists insurable. These would be separate from the comprehensive physicians' services now covered by the plan and might involve a small deductable charge for benefits.

Dr. Ross also outlined a change in government subsidies for people with low incomes. And he said he thinks the proposed new plan will result in medical insurance for about 90 per cent of Alberta's population within a year.

## Modern Etiquette

Q. I have just received an invitation to a shower on a girl whom I scarcely know. Am I really obligated to attend or to send a gift?

A. You are obligated neither to attend nor to respond with a gift. The person who issued your invitation failed to remember that showers are only for CLOSE and GOOD friends of the bride.

Q. Is it proper to say "thank you" to a waiter and, if so, when?

A. Certainly—for any courtesies you may think "above and beyond the call of duty" It is not necessary to thank him simply for the proffering of any dishes, however.

## Thoughtfulness . .

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gifts are always appreciated, type of food. Useful and practical such as a radio or reading material. Other useful items are thank-you cards and stamps. Of course, flowers are always welcome.

If children are brought along, they should be under supervision so they will not create any disturbance. The hospital rules stipulate that the minimum age for visitor admittance is 16 years.

If out of town people are unable to make the specified time for visiting, they will not be denied the visit, providing the patient is free. Co-operation, courtesy and a pleasant attitude are appreciated by both the hospital staff and the patients.


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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden, with Mrs. N. L. Campbell, were visiting at the Tofield Hospital Monday afternoon of last week, calling on Mrs. Lars Ritland and Mrs. Mary James.

Mrs. Mary Andrews, who has been a patient in Tofield Hospital since early in December, is still a patient, having further tests and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow have been visiting this past week at Viking with their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas returning home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. T. A. Liden left for Edmonton Friday morning on her way to Calgary, where she will visit for a while with her sister and other relatives

**TO PEACE RIVER**

Barry Christianson, grandson of Mrs. Laura Christianson, has been promoted with the Universal Construction Co with whom he is employed, and has been moved to the Peace River on a one-year contract

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Peterson and family, of Manning, were recent weekend visitors with Karl's parents, Mr. and Mrs Lars Peterson.

Mrs. Sam Black, who has been a patient in the University Hospital, Edmonton, for the past week having tests and a check-up, returned home Friday evening

Mrs. T A. Liden was a coffee guest and afternoon visitor with Mrs Laura Christianson on Tuesday afternoon of last week.

**NATIONAL GRAIN SHOW**

The National Grain Co. Ltd. held open house Thursday afternoon, March 24th, at a showing of films and a program in the Holden Community Hall for the opening of their Feed Mill. Approximately 200 attended the show. Mike Chupka was the lucky winner of a purebred heifer which was the door prize. Free coffee and doughnuts were served to all at the conclusion of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shebinski, of Edmonton, were visitors over the weekend, returning home Sunday.

Mr. Davis, of Bruce, was visiting here Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Dutka and children, of Vegreville, were visitors last week with Mrs. Dutka's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong

**70TH BIRTHDAY FOR TWINS**

Mr. and Mrs. Trumbull with Mr. and Mrs Earling Henderson, from Taber, motored to Bruce on Saturday evening, March 19, to attend the 70th Birthday party given for Bud Sizer and his twin sister, Mrs. Alice Olberg of Edmonton. They were overnight guests with Mrs Henderson's sister and family, the C. Hammers, at Viking. On Sunday they were dinner guests with Mrs. Mabel Sizer, Mrs Henderson's mother, leaving in the afternoon for Edmonton, where they visited with Mr and Mrs. Henderson's daughters, Lois and Donna. Bud Sizer and Mrs. Olberg are uncle and aunt of Mrs Henderson

Johnny Nordstrom, is a patient in the University hospital, after having undergone surgery recently, and is beginning to make satisfactory progress. Mrs. Nordstrom went to Edmonton Saturday to spend a few days with her husband, and was staying with her son and family while in the city

Mrs. Ida Mason was a visitor for a few days the end of last week at Wetaskiwin with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs Ralph Mason Jr., helping them to move into new living quarters

Mrs. N. L. Campbell left for Edmonton Monday morning, driving there with Mr. Ruxton to visit overnight with Mrs. Mamie MacAfee, then going on to Leduc to visit for two weeks with her daughter Marjorie and family, the Ken Campbells.

Miss June Clark and her brother Lloyd were Saturday morning visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kondrat of Edmonton, former Holden district residents, were visiting with the former's father, Albert Kondrat, and calling on friends, the end of last week

Mrs Donnie Manchur and small son Grant, and her mother, Mrs. R Gares of Viking, were visiting a week ago Sunday with Mrs. L. V. Richards at Wetaskiwin

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## NADP manager leaves Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN—There was a large attendance at the smoker held by the curling club in the curling rink Saturday evening to honor Nels Hvid, who is leaving as manager of the N A D P Creamery the end of the month. A gift of some fishing equipment was presented to him. Mr. and Mrs. Hvid are leaving Holden the end of the week, and will be residing in Alix for the present, where Mrs. Hvid will stay while Nels takes a trip to Denmark

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hooper and family will be moving into the house vacated by the Hvids, which has been purchased by the N A D P

A very good crowd of ladies from Holden and district met on Saturday evening in the parlors of the United Church, as a farewell to Mrs. Hvid. On entering the room, which was nicely decorated, a lovely corsage was pinned on the guest of honor by Mrs. Pearl Allan. The evening was spent with some of the ladies offering a skit and a history of Mrs Hvid's life. Her daughter, Maxine, from Edmonton, was also home for the occasion. A purse of money was presented to Mrs. Hvid. At the conclusion of the evening lunch was served by the hostesses.

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# Hgwy. 13-14 group meets next week

The question of whether the Highway 13-14 Association has justification for further existence will be decided a week from tomorrow at a general meeting of the association to be held in the Rose Grill Banquet Room.

The Highway 13-14 Association was organized about five years ago when residents of Camrose, Viking and Wainwright, and their districts, decided some action should be taken to urge the provincial government to consider making the correction line road between Camrose and Kinsella a provincial highway linking Highways 13 and 14. C. W. "Rusty" Campbell of Camrose was the association's first president, and the reins were later handed over to Ormond Koehli of Daysland. At last year's annual association meeting, Bill Ritson of Camrose was elected president.

**[illegible]**

Reason for some members to question the justification for the association continuing is the proposed secondary paved highways network for Alberta, as outlined some months ago by Highways Minister Gordon E. Taylor. Groups of counties and municipalities throughout the province are currently meeting to draft plans for the proposed secondary highways

According to a map published in The Canadian earlier this year, the counties involved have suggested the correction line road east of Camrose to Kinsella as part of the network. If this is found acceptable to the counties or municipalities involved, as well as to the provincial highways department, the correction line road will be improved and paved according to highways department standards, to become part of the secondary highways program. Rumors are that the program will be well under way inside of five years, and that the correction line road will be one of the first to be considered. It has also been assumed in some quarters that the provincial government will be picking up the tab for the construction, or at least the major part of it.

**MET WITH TAYLOR**

Representatives of the Highway 13-14 Association, including Mr. Ritson, Russell F. Roose and Secretary-Treasurer Geo. Meyer of Camrose, and Past President Koehli, along with MLA's Chester Sayers of Meeting Creek and

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**A tall mama, but she'll do**

These baby pigs, and six others like them on the farm of Louie Rosser near Farintosh, have found a new snack bar when mama isn't handy. Mr. Rosser says two of his cows seem to have no objection to the eight piglets helping themselves to warm milk. Photo by Ray Gregory.

## Barbershoppers planning 'all Alberta' program

The Camrose Chapter of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America is planning an "All-Alberta" show for their annual Harmony Night to be held April 30th.

The only choruses on the program will be the Camrose and Wetaskiwin groups.

Those who attended the show last year will be pleased to know the Calgary quartet which proved so popular last year, the Rolling Tones, will be on stage again. Two others returning will be the ever-popular Northernaires of Camrose and the Unbalanced Four of Edmonton

Newcomers on the scene this year will be two more quartets from Edmonton, the Solfamors and the Nuggetones. A member of the latter quartet is John Marken of Camrose, a well-known member of a Camrose singing group of a couple of years ago known as the Trillas

Harmony Night chairman is Bob Reid

## Tofield Town Council reviews insurance rate

The meeting of Council of the Town of Tofield was held Monday, April 4th, with Mayor Dr. W. H. Freebury and Councillors Allan, Boese, Everitt, Herndon, Patterson and Swift present

D. Zarski was present and complained about a balance of taxes owing on the property he had purchased in August 1965. Mr. Zarski was informed that the Council could do nothing for him, that this was a matter to be settled between the previous owner and himself

**INSURANCE**

G. T. Squire and E. Regehr, representing Royal Globe Insurance Company, explained the insurance policies presently carried by the Town, and proposed a package deal insurance plan. Mr. Squire recommended that a "Replacement Cost Value" be carried instead of the "Actual Cash Value" policy now carried. Also, the proposed deal would permit an annual payment in place of a number of due dates and amounts.

The secretary-treasurer was instructed to notify Royal Globe Insurance to reduce the grader value from $8,000 to $4,000 and to include the Library Books for the estimated value of $5,000

Correspondence was read from the UGG Insurance Co., stating that a survey would be completed soon and forwarded to the Town

A Bulletin from the Union of Alberta Municipalities was read, stating that information regarding a Group Municipal Insurance Plan would soon be distributed. It was moved and carried that a decision on the renewal of Royal Globe Insurance be tabled until information from UGG Insurance and from the Union of Alberta Municipalities is received

**CLEAN-UP WEEK**

Date for a Clean-Up Week is to be decided on by the Fire Department and then advertised by the Town. The Council requested the Public Works Department to clean up and burn all weeds and grass on Town-owned lots as soon as possible. The Town Property Committee volunteered to look into the matter of tree planting

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**THE WEATHER . . .**

| Apr. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 7 | 40 | 21 | 27 86 | ——— |
| 8 | 41 | 21 | 27 85 | ——— |
| 9 | 50 | 21 | 27 30 | .04" prec |
| 10 | 22 | 15 | 27 41 | ——— |
| 11 | 34 | 19 | 27 44 | ——— |
| 12 | 30 | 21 | 27 44 | ——— |
| 13 | — | — | —— | ——— |

## Money-Back Guarantee

The Edmonton Better Business Bureau in its March Bulletin tells of a customer who bought on a "Your money back if not completely satisfactory" guarantee. Later the article proved anything but satisfactory and the customer asked for his money back. He received the reply, "Sorry no refund, we find your money quite satisfactory".

## Gas rates reduced for some points in area

Natural gas rates will be reduced May 1 for residents of Chipman and Hilliard, Northwestern Utilities, Limited, has announced

In making the announcement, Murray E. Stewart, president of Northwestern Utilities, said the communities were two of 21 served by the company in which rate reductions will apply.

Cost of the first 20 therms, or less, per month will remain at $2 but the rate for all additional therms in these two communities will be reduced from eight cents per therm to 7.5 cents

A customer who uses 2,000 therms a year—like residents of a modern five-room bungalow—may expect annual savings of approximately $8 a year in these two communities

The rate reduction results from a company study of all communities it serves. Rates for natural gas service, which are regulated by the Public Utilities Board, are based upon the cost of providing service in the various parts of the company's system

The study involved an analysis of the company's investment in transmission lines, distribution mains, equipment and facilities to serve customers in each area, and the level of sales in these areas

Other communities in which rate reductions will apply are:

Bentley, Breton, Bruderheim, Buck Creek, Caroline, Innisfree, Islay, Josephburg, Lamont, Lavoy, Minburn, Mundare, Peers, Ranfurly, Rimbey, Rocky Mountain House, Sunnybrook, Thorsby and Warburg

Rate reductions will also apply to large volume users in the four areas affected

These reductions are in no way related to income tax refunds which have been the subject of discussion in the Alberta legislature recently. Such refunds are still awaiting further action from Ottawa.

### From the Scrap Book

"To live to oneself is to grow a crust like weathered bronze. But to love others and be even touched by their lives is to gleam like gold" —Anon

—J W.R.

# Real Albertan

Speaking of museums reminds us we ran short of space recently without commenting on the extremely generous gift of Eric Harvie of Calgary, who has given the province his exceptional collection of early Albertianna, valued at well over a million dollars, coupled with a cash grant of five million more to help establish and maintain as complete as possible a provincial museum.

Well known lawyer and philanthropist, Mr. Harvie's gift betokens his appreciation for the province which made him so wealthy, through its oil resources, but also betokens a generous and far-sighted type of citizen. There is no compulsion forcing this kind of donation, and indeed, many of us would want to collect and maintain this sort of material as our own personal . . . strictly private . . . collection.

That Mr. Harvie is willing to share with his fellow citizens makes him that much more of a MAN.

# Hard selling job

Premier Manning may have a hard selling job ahead in his suggestion to eliminate succession duties in the province, but we think he's on the right track. And he'll have support from thousands of citizens very quickly as the discussion moves ahead.

In the first place, we thoroughly agree with his premise that Alberta could become a haven for wealthy Canadians. And the importing of their money here could probably do far more for the development of the province than the four or five million dollars presently collected through this medium does. Right now these people move to places like Bermuda, with tremendous effects on their economy, while Canada lags behind for want of development capital. (Alberta's weather these days might convince anyone they still should move to Bermuda, but that's another question.)

Of course, it may be said that if Alberta started this, other provinces would follow, and then we'd be no better off. This is not true, if only because all of Canada would prosper with more development capital available. After all, one of the big reasons we have to import capital from the States is that Canadians are moving their money out of their own country to avoid taxation. It may not be patriotic, but money never was known for its attachment to any country.

Two factors we suspect may influence the decision are pensions and inflation. The impression is pretty general that only the "rich" pay estate tax, and a few years ago $50,000 or $60,000 was pretty big money. But inflation has moved this down within the range of a pretty broad cross-section of citizens: inflation, insurance and pensions.

Today, it's not uncommon for insurance agents to write policies with family benefits which in the early years are worth considerably more than the exemptions if the breadwinner suddenly dies. Today, it's not at all uncommon for the man building up a pension which transfers in whole or in part to his wife, plus a bit of life insurance, a home, and other savings for old age, to leave an estate that falls well into the tax bracket . . . and if she's a bit younger than he, the widow will need it all.

Today, it doesn't take a farmer on a very big scale to build up an estate of $50,000.

Often, though not by any means always, these estates are built up of savings from earnings on which taxes have already been paid. Surely it's not fair to tax them twice. If the earnings had been spent as earned, there'd be no estate to tax, nor would they have helped provide the capital to develop our province and provide jobs.

We like Mr. Manning's idea best, but if we can't eliminate the tax completely let's adjust our thinking in line with what inflation has done, and get back to the "soak the rich" principle. It's the small businesses which are being so seriously crippled, and which we so badly need to be sustained.

# Light from New York

Well known for its staid and starched approach to divorce for many years, New York State has raised many eyebrows with its recent move to adopt a far more liberal attitude in this controversial field.

Far from letting down the barriers completely, New York is saying in effect, there may be far worse sins and far more serious strains against a marriage than isolated or infrequent instances of infidelity. New York is also saying it's time to recognize that their failure to acknowledge this earlier has led to a situation which may be worse than relaxing divorce laws will bring. They are recognizing that quickie divorces from the divorce mills (even though not legal in New York) are so far pervading the population as to breed complete disrespect for law and morality and public mores.

Proposed regulations are still pretty stringent, but far more realistic. Let's hope that staid old Canada may yet have a chance to imitate staid old New York, and not hide behind legislation which has been outdated for decades.

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# By George!

A few more accumulated facts and comments:

Promissory note: political promises to provide more are also promises to tax more.

The first wagon road through the Alps was begun in 1338 and led through the Septimer pass.

The printed word is more reliable than the spoken word and it cannot be refuted because it is easily available for re-checking. More accurate information is obtained by reading than listening.

Steady work and stable prices are real "social security".

Appearances deceive: a dollar bill still looks like it did fifteen years ago.

Cider is the fermented juice of the apple, while fermented pear juice is called perry.

Circular masonry towers were built where native stone was too hard to be squared for corner construction.

Milk is pasteurized by heating to 140 degrees or more, then cooling very quickly.

Priests and witch doctors of many primitive people burned sulphur as a sort of reverse incense to drive away evil spirits.

Taxation that limits savings increases Canada's dependence on foreign capital.

Three limestone blocks 63x13x10 feet in the Temple of Jupiter—built in A.D. 150 at Baalbek near Damascus—are the largest ever used in building.

Remember when income tax was paid only by people who could afford it?

How long the giant Galapagos tortoise lives is uncertain, but scientists estimate from growth rings around the plates on their backs that some are over 150 years of age.

# MacDuff Ottawa report

**MR. GORDON RETURNS**

OTTAWA.—Walter Gordon, the former Minister of Finance, who resigned from the Cabinet after the last general election, remains politically ambitious. There are persistent reports that he is planning to make a run for the national leadership of the Liberal party.

If he does, and there is reason to believe he will, he will give a good account of himself because there is still a segment of the Party that leans towards Mr. Gordon and the policies he espouses.

Meantime there is no vacancy. Prime Minister L. B. Pearson made it clear recently at the Quebec City founding convention of the Federal Quebec Liberal Federation, that he is prepared to carry on as leader of the party. He said he was resolved to continue his work, to carry on for as long as he has strength and vigor and the Party wants him.

That seemed to pretty effectively rule out any early leadership convention. There is a minority group within the Party that would like to see Mr. Pearson step down this summer turning the October conference of the Party into a leadership convention. But it is a small minority. By far the great majority wants him to continue at the helm throughout the centennial year.

There is a possibility that he might indicate in the summer of 1967 that he had decided the time had come to go into retirement. That would mean a leadership convention in the Fall of the next year or the Spring of 1968.

Four of his cabinet colleagues, aware that Mr. Pearson has no intention of carrying on for another four or five years, have quietly let it be known that "Barkis is willin'." They include External Affairs Minister Paul Martin, Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp, Trade and Commerce Minister Robert Winters and Defence Minister Paul Hellyer.

All four were seriously considering making the trip to Quebec City for the founding convention of the new federal section of the Party. Then plans became public knowledge and at a caucus of the Liberal M.P.'s just ahead of the Quebec meeting, there was a protest raised. The Liberal back benchers suggested it was embarrassing to Mr. Pearson and presumptuous of the aspirants to be appearing to set off a pre-leadership convention campaign in Quebec.

The four members of the cabinet took the hint and dropped plans to make the trip to the French speaking capital. Mr. Pearson went alone and got a [illegible] at the [illegible] meeting he addressed when he said he had no intention of stepping down for some time to come. He joked with the press about the noticeable absence of the more ambitious members of the Cabinet.

But overlooked in the speculative stories that appeared as a result was the name of Mr. Gordon. He is planning his return to power within the Liberal party carefully.

He has written another book. It is to be entitled "The Choice for Canada—Independence of Colonial Status". It will be on the bookstands in May. Mr. Gordon hopes it will stir up a controversy in the country and particularly within the ranks of the Liberal party over what policy that Party should follow in the years ahead. The book presumably will have a strong appeal to the left wing elements within the Liberal party and to nationalists. Mr. Gordon more than once in recent times has expressed concern to a few of his former colleagues that he is afraid the Liberal party is reverting to its more moderate or middle of the road position.

Using his book as a springboard and capitalizing on the debate that is expected to stir up within the Liberal party, Mr. Gordon will undoubtedly take a leading role in the discussions on policy at the Liberal conference. That conference has been called for October 9th to 12th in Ottawa. It is expected to be attended by two thousand delegates from all across Canada.

Mr. Gordon, according to close associates, hopes to be in a position to exert a strong influence on the policy discussions in that conference. He precipitated the controversy in February within the Liberal caucus at Ottawa over the question of whether to lift the six per cent interest ceiling on chartered bank lending.

The former finance minister spoke out at the caucus against any proposal to lift the six per cent limit. In this position he had the support of a large group within the caucus who are worried that if the Party agrees to the removal of the six per cent limit it will be immediately labelled the party of "big business" by the Conservatives and the New Democratic Party.

A cabinet committee is hoping to work out a compromise. The solution it hopes to come up with [illegible] the bank [illegible] flexible [illegible] without removing the ceiling [illegible].

Mr. Gordon's ability to exercise influence within the Party has not been destroyed by his departure from the Cabinet late last year. He was one of Mr.

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## MacDuff Ottawa report

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Pearson's closest friends and presented his resignation to the Prime Minister on the grounds that he had given the party [illegible] er bad advice in persuading Mr. Pearson that the time was ripe to hold a federal election. There have been suggestions that Mr. [illegible] surprised to find that his offer to resign was taken up by the Prime Minister.

Should Mr. Gordon this Fall make a determined drive to re-establish himself in a position of power and influence within the Liberal party it could bring on a crisis that might seriously divide the Party. He managed and controlled the Ontario wing of the Liberals for some time. There are several in that Province who would rally around him. But whether he could win support elsewhere in the country is doubtful.

If the party—when Mr. Pearson finally decided to step down—picked Mr. Gordon as leader, there are many within the present cabinet who would also quit politics. It could so seriously split the Party that it would probably go down to [illegible] in the next general election and it might take it years to return from the wilderness of opposition.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

A surprise birthday party of ladies, namely Mrs. Irlene Sieb, Mrs. Barbara Geoglein, Mrs. Doris Schacher, Mrs. Lil Van Buskirk, Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen and Mrs. Sam Miskew arrived at the home of Mrs. Miskew's daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Schacher on Friday afternoon to help her celebrate her birthday with a birthday luncheon and good wishes from all.

Good Friday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Leroy and Shirley Eaton and children in Holden were Shirley's mother and two children, Mrs. Vera Raper, Allan and Edith and Bill MacCutcheon of Lavoy and Leroy's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton and Mervin Ross of Lakeshore.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg, Mrs. Ellen Eaton and Mervin Ross were April 7th afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Roe and Bertha Phillips in Tofield helping them celebrate their 47th wedding anniversary and Bertha's birthday.

Don and Deanna Niemetz and Sheldon of Vauxhall arrived on Good Friday and were guests at the home of Don's parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz until Sunday evening when they left to return home. Gail Niemetz of Edmonton was also home Good Friday and Saturday and Bob Ozubko of Edmonton spent Good Friday and part of Saturday visiting there.

Donald Jones is spending his Easter holidays in Edmonton with his parents, Vivian and Norman Jones. On Saturday afternoon Norman, Vivian and Donald visited with Vivian's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg for a short time.

## George Edwards, Tofield oldtimer, passes Mar. 3

On March 3rd, George Edwards, an old-time resident of Tofield, passed away at the age of 85. He is survived by four sons, Charles and Donald of Fort Saskatchewan and Eric and Dennis of Edmonton, 17 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren, a sister in Australia and a brother in England.

Funeral services were held on Monday, March 7, from the Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Tofield, with Rev. Walter Hammett officiating. Interment was in the Tofield Cemetery. Pallbearers were Arnold Swift, Jack Whyte, Edward Hicks, Graham Allan, Norman Anderson, Herbert McAdoo.

**Floral Tributes**

Charles, Eric, Dennis and Donald, Shirritt Gordon Mines, John and May; The Lyons Families; Officers and Members of Victoria Lodge, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Teare; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lundin, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Knudslien; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davick; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Gudmundson, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Strilchuk; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davick, Mrs. Margaret Caney, Betty and Janice Davick.

**Memorials**

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson; Laura and Sharon Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kallal, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Macihorski, Mrs. F. S. Garford, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Everitt, Carl and Dolina Blake, Edna Bosick and Family; Mrs. E. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stinson, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Grover; Horace Soller; Gas Company Employees; Jack, Inga and Donald Hardy; Dick Mutlow, Mrs. Chas. Kallal Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thorsley; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lyons, Norman, Esther and Joy Lyons, Norman, Esther and Joyce Anderson.

**Card of Thanks**

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all our friends and relatives for their many acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy, floral tributes and memorial donations extended to us in the loss of our father. A special thanks to Rev. Walter Hammett and the staff of the Jubilee Lodge, Edmonton.

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## Impressions on a UNESCO tour

Last month Ken Patrige of The Camrose Canadian joined a group of other Canadian weekly newspaper representatives. Accompanied by Mrs. Patrige, they toured several European cities where they saw and heard reports of UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization) in action. A partial report of Mrs. Patrige's impressions of the tour follows:

As I have just returned from this wonderful trip to Montreal, Paris, Geneva and Rome, will give you the highlights as seen from a "woman's point of view"

First, we were introduced to a branch of the U.N. in Montreal called IAO (International Aviation Organization). We met on the 10th floor of IAO edifice on March 7th at 10:00 a.m., and were taken to a conference room. This was a large room, with an immense circular table used for desks with chairs for each one of our group. The desks being equipped with individual headphones for interpretation purposes, we could listen in to speeches, if not in our own language, by pressing our own mother tongue button and receive immediate translation as the speaker spoke on. We were told that we were an "easy group" for we required only two interpreters—French and English. Our group consisted of 24 in all — three French papers from Quebec and their two wives, one leader from UN in Ottawa, and a government agriculturist reporter speaking four different languages, our leader, King Gordon, from the U of A. teaching staff, and representatives of two Montreal papers, two couples from Ontario papers, one Manitoba paper, three papers from Saskatchewan, two papers from British Columbia, one from Fort Nelson, one from Nova Scotia, and Ken and I from Alberta. A real good group.

To tell you a bit about the IAO and what it means and does

They have a meeting once every two years in Montreal, where they draw up the air routes, regulate rules—this I had often wondered about—how it was determined where planes would fly and not run into each other? When you fly in jets it isn't long before you are soaring along at over 300 miles per hour and 20,000-30,000 feet up. This year we could see [illegible] along with us in this glorious realm of sunshine, above the clouds.

At this meeting the various countries join together and decide which lanes and routes the various lines will follow (the regulations are very stiff). They determine the number of planes to fly similar adjoining courses, the types of loads, the costs and rates, also what each company can pay beneficiaries, etc. All very interesting, and before we realized it, it was 1.00 o'clock, and we went for lunch at the "Queen Elizabeth"

During the luncheon we were briefed on our trip, and given our tickets, labels and tags. We had sent in our money before we left, thus all were bought for the group together. We were now free until 6:00 p.m., when we were to meet at the "Queen Elizabeth" and have our luggage all tagged and ready to be checked through to Paris. We all took off in an airport bus for Dorval in a group. Our flight was two hours late, being via "Air France"—I can tell you a happy group yet, some trying not to think about the two air crashes that had just occurred in Japan. The time went quite quickly, and being in a large group we were photographed. There were also other groups on the same plane, one being a clique of skiers going to ski in the Alps. Their outfits, I must admit, were very smart. I kept wondering how on earth could they carry all their gear, as well as luggage? They did, and they, too, were all enraptured with their plans—singing and laughing. Thus, what a merry send-off, when we at last went through the last gates to board and be on our various ways

The plane had come in from Chicago. It was a large plane and a very nice one. You are hardly seated before hard candy drops are passed to suck on, as you are gliding upwards. I must say the crew are very clever about keeping you occupied while soaring up through the clouds which you seem to do very quickly. There is no smoking allowed during this period, and you are fastened in your seats with seat belts. As soon as you are settled down, sucking your sweets, the hostesses are giving demonstrations on how to don the "Mae Wests", inflate them—also, if you require air masks, where to find and how to use it; next, magazines and papers of your choice are passed around. By this time you are "airborne" and the captain is sending his greetings and telling you of the route he is taking, the cruising speed and altitude the trip is to make. By this time, coffee, milk or tea and biscuits are being served

After the coffee, you realize you are quite tired, so settle down to doze in the beauty of the sky above the clouds, with the moon and stars shining at you as you sail off to dreamland—always a thrill for me. We had been out a little over two hours when the lights went on and we were quickly told to fasten our seat belts, as it was going to get rough. Music was played and some more coffee was served (the hostesses certainly are kept busy and I think earn their money). It's surprising how quickly they can serve a big crowd like that, for they had a full load on board that

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## Kingman news items

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, April 11 — Salem LCW will meet at the church basement on Thursday evening, April 14th at 8:00 p.m. Hostesses will be Mrs. Torkel Omoen and Mrs. L. Bjorgum.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Tosko of Moose Jaw, Sask., were Saturday visitors at the T. Omoen and T. Bjorgum homes. Mrs. Tosko is the former Theresa Lowrey.

**HOME FROM ONTARIO**

Mrs. Emma Schmidt returned home last Monday from Hamilton, Ontario were she spent four months with her daughter, Mrs. Bill McDonald.

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## Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**HOLIDAY TRIP**

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Voight returned home last week from a two week holiday visiting in Vancouver, four days in Sacremento, and visiting at Reno, Virginia City and Seattle, U.S.A. Herman said they also saw "Ponderosa Ranch", and had a wonderful holiday with very good weather during their travels.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adams of Edson, former Holden residents, were visiting in Holden on Saturday and were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Voight.

Mrs. Francis Shand, of Edmonton, was a Saturday visitor with her mother, Mrs. R. Loney.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shtokal and children, of Vegreville, were holiday weekend visitors with Mrs. Shtokal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Johnson and children were visitors on Good Friday with Mr. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, and spent the Easter holiday with Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bugge, and family at Ryley. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson also had their son Oran, his wife and children, of Edmonton, as Easter Sunday visitors. Oran and [illegible] were Saturday visitors and overnight guests with his grandmother in Ryley

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gorrie and children, of Lac La Biche, were visitors for the Easter holiday weekend with Mr. Gorrie's mother, Mrs. Roy Nichols, and Mr. Nichols. They also visited with other friends in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. John Semotuik and children were Easter Sunday visitors with relatives in Vegreville and district.

Mr. and Mrs. Riel and children of the Ryley district, Douglas Hardy of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason Jr. and children of Wetaskiwin were Easter Sunday visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl [illegible]. Ralph and family also visited with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shebinski of Edmonton were holiday weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Shebinski and family, also calling at the Chris Hovland home.

*Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus left the end of last week for Vancouver, and also to visit with their daughter and her husband in California, U.S.A.*

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hovland and children of Hillsdown were Easter Sunday visitors at the home of Glen's father, Chris Hovland, and brothers Reuben and Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harrison and family of Moose Jaw, Sask., were recent visitors with Lila's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Story.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story visited on two afternoons recently with Arthur's mother, Mrs. John Story, in Edmonton. Grandma Story, who is a resident at Westhaven Nursing Home, is keeping well

**HOLIDAY IN BRITAIN**

While Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story were in Edmonton a week ago they met Mrs. Story's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore, of Harrison Hot Springs, who were on their way to spend a holiday in Scotland and England. They were flying from Nisku airport.

Adam Giebelhaus and children of Fort St. John, B.C., were visiting with relatives and friends for the holiday weekend. Marvin Giebelhaus was also home for the holiday, visiting with his family.

## Lions donate $250 to the Curling Club

The regular April meeting of Tofield Lions Club was held in the Community League meeting room last Tuesday, with president Paege in the chair.

An important decision at the meeting was a donation of $250.00 to the Tofield Curling Club to assist them in boarding up the inside of the curling rink in an effort to reduce water dripping on the ice during a change of weather.

Olof Monson and Jack Stumbo of the Ryley Club were present as visitors and Mr. Monson expressed pleasure at being invited and for the good meal. An invitation was given to return the visit very soon.

Reports were in hand from the Power Toboggan committee and of the financial standing of the Club. Lion Peter Nickel announced more "sick" names for members with an explanation for the reason for choice of same.

The slate of new officers for next year was also read by the Secretary, Father Scriven

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# Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Hayworth and family from New Brigden spent the holidays with Mrs. Hayworth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tastenen.

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Jack and Carine Innes and family from Edson spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. Innes and Mr. and Mrs. A. Hemhedal.

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Jack and Inga Hardy and Marion and Don spent Easter Sunday with Inga's mother, Mrs. M. Syvrud in Camrose.

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Easter Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Schacher were Joyce and Art Hardy and family, and Lorne and Virginia Schacher and Bradley.

Garry and Adriane Francis from Calgary spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis.

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Joan Warner and children spent the Easter week with relatives in Edmonton.

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Elenor and Merlin Ytiri from Camrose were Good Friday visitors at the T. Gray home.

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**MOTHER PASSES**

Sympathy of the Town and district is extended to the Don Hardy family in the death of Ella's mother, Mrs. Johnson in Edmonton.

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Kenny and Myrtle Donaldson and family from Swift Current, Sask., spent a week visiting with Myrtle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. LaRacque and other relatives and friends.

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Arnie and Hilda Klassen, Gwen and Kathy, left on Saturday for Oshawa, Ontario where they will visit with friends, and pick up a new car and drive back through parts of the States.

Wayne and Sharon [illegible] baby Valerie from [illegible] spent from Thursday [illegible] day with Mrs. Mary [illegible]

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Glen Moore and Miss [illegible] spent Sunday with the Moore families.

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Ella and Graham Allan and family spent Easter Sunday with Graham's mother, Mrs. D. E. Allan at Westlock.

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Mrs. Martin is spending a few days in Edmonton with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Worton and family.

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Most of the local University students spent the weekend with their parents here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kindley and family from Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lional Ferguson.

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Mrs. Paddick (nee Betty Ferguson) and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lional Ferguson for a few days last week.

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# Regional HSA conference slated for Wetaskiwin

Home and School representatives from several points will meet in Wetaskiwin Saturday, April 23rd, for a one-day area convention. Registration starts at 9:00 a.m., and the meeting will conclude before 5:00 p.m.

Plans for the meeting are being arranged by Mrs. Cliff Hilgartner of Camrose, with a committee of workers from each of the county areas in the region.

Featured at the day-long program will be a guest speaker discussing the implications of the Downey Report on the Small High School, while other sessions will deal with revised Home and School structure, new financial bases for the group, and program planning.

Resolutions offered by some of the groups will also be discussed, and if accepted, will be forwarded to the provincial convention in June.

Counties included in the area are Camrose, Wetaskiwin, Leduc, Beaver and Ponoka. Area chairmen, such as Mrs. Hilgartner, have in the past been appointed at the provincial level. However, elections will be held in future to decide these questions, and Mrs. Hilgartner's successor is to be elected at this meeting.

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FOR PLAYGIRLS. The accent is on bright colors and dramatic designs in women's playsuits this year. Typical are these two outfits for beach or playground, with a lurex trouser suit in stripes at left, and right, a black and white op-art beach set.—TNS Photo

# Jackpot replaces former Jamboree $25 draw

Members of the Camrose Chamber of Commerce at their meeting April 5th agreed to abandon the $25 draw on each night of this year's edition of the Jaywalkers Jamboree in favor of a new idea which it is hoped will generate more interest.

In a new scheme to be known as "Jaywalkers Jamboree Jackpot", patrons will be able to purchase tickets at the central booth at five cents each, or 25 for $1. These tickets will then be filled out at any number of the Main Street booths and deposited in a container. A number of merchants will be asked to have one prize each in their booths. Thus patrons will be able to deposit as many tickets as they wish on the prize or prizes of their choice. There will be a draw in each booth participating starting at 5:00 p.m. on the Saturday night of Jaywalkers Jamboree.

"This will not be a money-making scheme by any means", commented Jamboree Chairman Andy Taschuk. "The prizes will be purchased by the committee from the merchants involved. Prizes will be valued at about $5 each".

## Kingman news

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

Herb Sware and children Mr and Mrs Adolf Tollefson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hovelson and girls and Mrs. Ingrid Hovelson were among the many other dinner guests at the Hjalmer Sware home Camrose, on Good Friday.

Ken Johnson, Marvin Adamson and Jeanette Caouette spent the Easter weekend at Grande Prairie and LaGlace.

Mrs. Fred Andiel and children Harry Wruck, Katherine and Harry of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ording of Saskatoon were Friday guests at the Erick Wruck home. The Ordings stayed till Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Louis Erga were Friday supper guests at the Arvin Magneson home in Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Erga of Lacombe and Mr and Mrs. Lyle Erga of Meeting Creek and the Arvin Magnesons of Camrose were visitors during Easter at the Louis Erga home.

Oscar Simonson spent Easter in Edmonton at the C. Gawlicki and Ed Glassman homes.

Mr and Mrs. Ken Louch and boys of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with the Gordon Simonsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coykendall and family and Mrs. Annie Coykendall were Sunday dinner guests at the Bob Ellis home in Edmonton.

The Well Baby and Pre-school Clinic will be held at the school Wednesday afternoon, April 20th.

## Twin boys baptized on Palm Sunday

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER, EARLING — The twin sons of Mr and Mrs Eddie Knudson, Lance and Larry were baptized on Palm Sunday at the Zion Lutheran Church by Pastor Palmer Olson. Sponsors were Grandma Knudson and Grandma Bergman, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Carlson of Camrose North. The Zion and Skudesnes ladies group each rendered an Easter hymn and Mr. and Mrs. Theol Watland of Camrose sang a duet. Following the services the Zion LCW served lunch to all present.

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# UNESCO tour . . .

(Continued from Page Four)

night, every seat taken. We soon again settled back to nap again. The next awakening was the sun coming up. This is a most inspiring display to see the sun rise in the heavens. As you are sitting there enchanted with this spectacle, you see another large "bird of the sky" going your way, not too far from you. The breakfast is being served — a full course meal—juice, cereals if you so desire, scrambled eggs and bacon, fancy rolls, toast, jam and coffee. As there was a can of water on the tray and neither Ken nor I drank ours, I decided to take both and put in my purse, we had been warned that we were not to drink the water in France and Italy—we could buy bottles of dehydrated or mineral water.

No sooner the meal was over, we were fastening our seat belts to come in for a landing . . . and "Paris". One thing about travelling in a group, our leader collected our passports, and when an officer from "Air France" met us, he took the passports and had them checked and stamped, so the usual long wait to go through immigration and customs was taken care of. On coming down, the first sign we sighted was a large "Esso" and it had a tiger in the tank—then, the "Orly Hilton". I must say these airports are very well organized—not the long "walks" one gets in Canadian airports. Their's are servicing planes from all over the world. We happened to land close to the "in" door, so not much of a walk in the lovely sunshine. We had to wait for our luggage and then get a cart, similar to ones at supermarkets, load our luggage and take it out to an "Air France" bus, which we had all to ourselves. When all was loaded, which took a while, we had our ride into the City of Paris. It was so nice to see green grass and flowers blooming — the forsythea and plum trees were just out—a lovely 20-mile drive. Everything looked so clean — the trees, a species of sycamore, attracted our attention, with no bark, yet a pretty shaped tree—the leaves were just starting to show green. The buildings are of a yellow sandstone which really shows up, with green palms, green grass, flowers and blue sky—they are built mostly of the same architecture, which lends a pleasing appearance.

There being a mix-up in our hotels, after our leaders contacted the Canadian Embassy we were at last delivered to our hotel about 3:00 p.m. You see there is eight hours time change, European time and Mountain Standard. Our hotel, the "Claridge" on the Champs Elysees, is an old established one, but very nice and comfortable.

When we got dressed we decided to have dinner. We met our friend, Eric Dunning from B.C., and decided to go out and see the sights and eat. Eric has been in Paris several times before, so knew the ropes. The crowds of people out walking, the cars on the streets—this was our introduction to Paris at night. It was a lovely spring night; we walked down the Avenue with the rest of the crowd—the expensive shops along this avenue—so me, had to glance in the windows as we went along—What a place! We finally came to this restaurant. I said "let's sit out on the sidewalk and eat", but Eric said "No, we don't at night, we go inside". The place seemed to be filled — the first floor, by the window, wasn't for us — we went two tiers up — but could easily see the sights below and outside. Eric said "there is class distinction here". Then, after asking for an English waiter, we ordered. We weren't too keen on the meat, but the rest was nice, quite different to Canadian cooking. We were then broken into the wine list to drink with our meal—the coffee last, we didn't find to our fancy. After this repast we walked for awhile, then turned in for the night.

*Mrs. Patrige's report will continue in next issue.*

## The Recipe Box

A special occasion warrants a special dinner, and Spring Roast of Lamb is ideal for such days.

Whether it's a family party or whether you plan to entertain company, this recipe, developed by the New Zealand Lamb Information Centre, adds a festive air. Just before serving, the roast platter is garnished with colorful crabapples and fresh mint, watercress or parsley.

It's a gala roast which requires only a minimum of preparation.

**Spring Roast of Lamb**

- 6 pound leg of New Zealand Spring Lamb
- ½ teaspoon dried sweet basil
- ½ teaspoon ground ginger
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ⅛ teaspoon pepper
- ½ cup apple jelly
- 1 jar spiced crab apples

Make several slits in the top fat of lamb; sprinkle with sweet basil and ginger; place, fat side up, on a rack in a shallow open roasting pan. Roast in a pre-heated 325° F. oven. Allow 25 to 35 minutes per pound depending on how well cooked you like lamb. If using a meat thermometer it should register 175° for medium and 180° for well done. Season half way through roasting time.

About half an hour before end of roasting beat jelly with a fork and spread on top of roast. Baste well a few times. Allow roast to rest in a warm place for about 15 minutes before carving.

At serving time, drain crabapples and use to garnish meat platter along with sprigs of fresh mint, watercress or parsley.

Makes about 10 servings.

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## Around the Town

Edith and Ed Regehr and family spent the weekend with Ed's sister, Alice and Erwin Unrau and family at Milo.

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Easter dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Otto were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Don Otto, Joanne and Stanley, Mr and Mrs. Gordon Holnes, Ricky and Vaughn all of Viking, Kathy and Bill Woodward, friends from Edmonton.

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Mrs. Les Young was the winner of the Community League $100.00 for March and Ray Pittet was the winner of the Tofield Legion arf and arf $50.00.

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Zip and Tod Gray and Betty and Laura Tiedemann spent Easter Sunday with Evie and Alan Fair at Lacombe. Betty and Laura stayed there for the holidays.

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A family birthday party in honor of the 80th birthday of Mrs. Sears was held at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs. H. Dyer in Edmonton. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Stanleye and family, Albert, Mr. and Mrs. Chas Sears and family, Mrs. Bessie Creasy, Mr. and Mrs. McGrannis.

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Floyd and Nettie Kendall and Kenny from Edmonton were Saturday supper guests of Floyd's mother, Mrs. Edna Kendall.

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Morley Sirdar of Red Deer is spending the Easter holidays with his grandmother, Mrs. Ann Sirdar.

**BOWLING BEGINS**

The Ladies' bowling league will start on April 18th. Anyone wishing to bowl please contact Alice Gould at 662-3106 or Ruby Hunka at 662-3236 before April 18th.

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Mrs. Ron Otto spent Easter Monday in Viking visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Armstrong.

## Tofield girl wins first in speech contest

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN – The County of Beaver 4-H Public Speaking Competitions were held at the Viking Lutheran Church on April 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Barry Grayowen and Mr. Melbourne of Camrose, toastmasters, judged the competitions.

Colleen Wyllie of the Tofield Beef Club, whose topic was "A Tribute to Pioneers", placed first. Eileen Stuart of the Holden Beef Club, whose topic was "A Food Crisis Ahead?", placed second, and Evelyn Kozak of the Ryley Clothing Club, speaking on "Farm Accidents", placed third.

Colleen was presented with the Harvey Western Loans and Savings trophy. Colleen and Eileen will be speaking at Wainwright on April 22nd in the Regional Finals.

The E. M. Hardy Trophy for Efficiency was presented to the Holden Beef Club, and the presentation was made by Mr. Wyllie of Tofield.

A general meeting of the Beaver 4-H County Council followed the contest, when members discussed the possibility of taking a trip to southern Alberta in the near future, possibly during the summer.

The Viking Beef and Dairy Clubs served lunch at the conclusion of the meeting.

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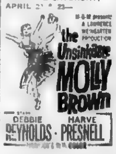


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MISCELLANEOUS: 30-ft. Endless Belt; Wall Drill; Post Auger; Fence Charger; Vise; Bench Vise; Saw; Screw Jack; Emery Stones; Roll Roofing; Gas Pump; Harness; Potato Digger; Truck Tarp; Tractor Chains, like new; New Lathe; Electric Motor; Saw Horses; 8-in. Beaver Saw; Sledge Hammers; Small R.T. Wheelbarrow (new); Wood & Propane Cook Stove; Heater; Propane Bottle; Forks; Shovels; Chains; Tools; Tons of good Welding Iron; Tons of good Cast Iron; Fresno Scraper; Portable Grain Auger; 16 gauge Shotgun; .22 Rifle, etc.

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# Tofield Town Council . . .

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and to instruct the secretary-treasurer accordingly. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to draft a bylaw regulating untidy and unsightly premises.

Vacated houses without water and sewer services was discussed. It was Council's unanimous decision along with that of the Health Inspector to condemn such dwellings until they are brought up to standard. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to notify the owners of several residences in town of the decision.

Assessment Equalization Board set the figure for 1966 of $1,270,-587.00 for the Town of Tofield an increase of $37,830.00 over 1965 equalized assessment. Department of Education foundation [illegible] tion for 1966 is set at $33,269.00, increased by $1,225.00 over 1965.

Council approved application from Darlene Dunlop to operate a Beauty Parlor on Lots 5 and 6, Block 15, Plan 9280 S.

**BUS SERVICE**

The secretary-treasurer reported that Sunburst Bus Lines had been contacted by telephone to inquire as to why the Bus route into Town has been discontinued. The reason given was that the previous agency had been unsatisfactory and other places of business had been approached but no one was interested in the agency. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to ask J. Lukesiewich if he would be interested and, if so to draft a letter to Sunburst Bus Lines requesting that they consider extending the bus route into Tofield.

Coun. Wall informed Council that he was prepared to carry out the Dog Bylaw, which meant the prosecution of anyone who has not purchased a Dog License for their dog. He stated that in some instances he made as many as five calls on dog owners before selling a dog tag.

**MAINTENANCE MAN**

The question of enough work to merit the hiring of an assistant maintenance man was discussed. Council felt that an assistant was needed, and that Emil Halverson be hired at $310 per month beginning April 1, 1966. Clr. Swift requested that the Public Works Department supply one man for fire duty when necessary.

Meeting adjourned.

# MINISTIK NEWS

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Easter Sunday church services were conducted at both United and St. Jude's churches, with fair [illegible]ances at both [illegible] of worship. The weatherman did not contribute pleasant weather for the holiday, as residents woke up Easter morning to see an inch of snow on the ground.

**OLDTIMER PASSES**

Another link with the past has been broken with the passing on Saturday evening of Alex Boss. Mr. Boss came to this community in 1904 and homesteaded the farm where he lived until his death. He leaves to mourn: two sons, Archie of Calgary and Alex of Ministik, one daughter, Bella, at home, and three grandchildren. Funeral services were held Wednesday at 3:30 p.m., at Hainstock's Funeral Home, with interment at South Cooking Lake cemetery.

**Miss Bella Boss is a patient in Tofield Hospital, being treated for a severe burn on her leg.**

A family gathering was held at the home of Mrs. W. C. Barnes on Easter Sunday, when Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bloxham and family were there from Kelowna, B.C., and Mr and Mrs. Archie Clarke and family, Mr and Mrs. Archie McLean and Neil and Mrs. Steve Dunn and Brett of Calgary.

Mr and Mrs Andrew Ferguson were Easter dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. Dick Wilson and Mat[illegible]

Mr and Mrs Baden Bowerman and boys returned Saturday from a three week motor trip through the mountains to Vancouver, Vancouver Island and other west coast points.

**HOME FROM TRIP**

Mrs. S. George returned home Wednesday after a three month's vacation to Victoria, Duncan, Vancouver and North Surrey, B.C., and Aberdeen, Tacoma and Hadlock, Washington.

Donald Grummett of Calgary spent Easter weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Les Whitford.

Misses Margaret and Edna Roddick, Mrs. S. George and Mrs. Walter George and Melvin were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Dolly and Jim Roddick.

The 'flu has been making the rounds here, and latest victims are Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth, Albert Horricks and Bill Roddick.

EVANGELIST PHILIP HANSON

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8:00 p.m.

The Public is Invited

# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Boten)

Mrs. Lil Ball of Edmonton was a visitor at the home of her sister, Vi and Elmer Geoglein from Thursday to Sunday.

On Easter Sunday Roy and Bertha Phillips celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary of April 7th when their two sons and three daughters and their families arrived with a pot luck wedding dinner. There were over 30 members of the family present including one great-grandchild to help them celebrate and wish them happiness and many more anniversaries to come.

Easter Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of George and Ida Niemetz (beside [illegible] son [illegible] and family who were visiting there) Ida's two sisters and their families, namely Emma and Ed Schultz, their daughter and son-in-law, Elaine and Ken Larson and girl Tracy; and Ruth and Carmen Fuller and two boys, all of Edmonton.

Mrs. Bertha Seale of Edmonton arrived at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein on Sunday evening for a few days visit.

Donna and Frank Edwards of Elk Point arrived at the home of Donna's parents, Mae and Howard Ferguson Easter Monday evening for a visit before returning home.

Mrs. Loretta Weir of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of Loretta's parents, Mae and Howard Ferguson.

Mrs. Mary Wood and Mrs. Ethel Wood were Easter Monday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Vi Geoglein.

Mary Tiedemann and Marjorie Ferguson are spending part of their Easter holidays at the home of Mary's sister, Yvonne and Peter Brown at Ketchamoot.

On Friday Martha [illegible] Emil Tiedemann visited at the home of Emil's brother, Fred and Anna Tiedemann also at the home of Fred's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tiedemann. During the afternoon Fred's daughter Bertha and Eric Sorrell also visited Bertha's parents and all were afternoon coffee guests at Fred's and Anna's along with Emil's and Fred's cousin Karl and Marvel Rosse of Edmonton who were visiting at Freds.

Alvin and Ellen Steen of Calgary arrived Thursday at the home of Ellen's mother, Mrs. Ila Walker to spend Easter and the Easter holidays. Also there over Easter Sunday were Mrs. Walker's daughter Jean and Richard Jenkins and daughter, also Jean's sons and family of Grassland.

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# Dodds - Ryley

(Mrs. Oliver Lehman)

DODDS-RYLEY, April 4th. – Lena Stauffer passed away on Friday in Duchess, and funeral services are being held in the Salem Mennonite Church Tuesday afternoon, April 5th.

Mrs. Alma Steffen and Edof Wikhun were Friday afternoon guests at the Walter Wikhun home in Tofield.

**Mr. and Mrs. Richard Foshaug have announced the arrival of a daughter on March 28th.**

Miss Dolores Roth was an overnight guest with Lorna Lehman on March 29. Other guests at the Lehman home to help Lorna celebrate her 12th birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Sarasin and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sitler, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sitler, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard King and family of Edmonton were guests at the Melvin Lehman home on March 27, to help Grace celebrate her birthday.

Sunday guests at the Oliver Lehman home were Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Lysle, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Olstad and Lynn of Edmonton, Hjalmer Hjelter and Helma and Ole Hjelter. Dinner guests were Misses Evelyn Yoder and Doreen Lehman.

SHOULD THE HIGHWAY 13-14 ASS'N CONTINUE TO FUNCTION?

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**General Meeting**

of the Association

to be held in the

**ROSE GRILL BANQUET ROOM**

Camrose

**THURSDAY, APRIL 21**

at 2:00 p.m.

All directors and others interested urged to attend.

—WM. RITSON, President.

# Pioneer couple dies in city nursing home

A couple who were to celebrate their 73rd wedding anniversary this July, died within hours of each other Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, of the Good Samaritan Nursing Home in Edmonton, were pioneers of Alberta, living here since they were married at Clover Bar in 1893.

Mr. Taylor was to be 98 in May and Mrs. Taylor (Cristabelle) was 92.

Shortly after their marriage they moved to Whitford and later homesteaded near Kaleland in the Two Hills district. They retired from farming in 1943.

Mr. Taylor was born at Winnipeg and later worked as a cow hand in Saskatchewan and then in Alberta.

They are survived by five daughters, Mrs. Eva Simpson, Mrs. Robert (Nettie) Hellerud, Mrs. Pearl Bourgette, Mrs. Harold (Edith) Morgensen, all of Edmonton, Mrs. Albert (Mary) Nelson of St. Paul, two sons, Glenn of Edmonton, Tom of Tofield, 40 grandchildren, 115 great-grandchildren and 11 great-great-grandchildren.

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## CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to all my friends for their many acts of kindness with visits, cards, flowers and gifts, shown me during my long stay in the Tofield Hospital. Special thanks is extended to Dr. Price and the Hospital Staff.
—Mrs. Marjorie Westmancoat, Ryley —33 nc-3012

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The balance of the purchase price shall be paid into Court within 30 days after acceptance of tender. If the successful tenderer does not complete the purchase after acceptance of his tender, the deposit shall be forfeited. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them.

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# Church services

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McConnold, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, April 17th
10.00 a.m. -Teen Church.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Public Worship. "The Lord's Supper"
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Summer Schedule
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First, Third and Fourth Sunday of every month ..........10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month .......... 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fourth Sundays of every month .......... 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ..........10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
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Rev Art Dahlen, Pastor
[redacted]
Sunday, April 17th
10:15 a.m.—Worship Service
11 15 a.m.—Sunday School

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, April 17th
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
8.00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 3 30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, April 17th
HOLDEN—
10:30 a.m.—Divine Service.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Divine Service.
Sunday, April 24th—Evangelist Philip Hanson will be guest speaker at the Morning Service, 11:30 a.m., with a Youth Rally at 3:00 p.m.

### Modern etiquette
By Roberta Lee

Q. If all the other guests at a dinner table have refused a second helping of some dish, and then you are asked, is it all right to accept?
A. Under these circumstances, it would probably be better if you refused, too. If you were the only guest to accept, you might be delaying the serving of the next course—and a well-bred person is always considerate of others.

Q. When a girl is walking along the street with a man, and he speaks to someone whom she doesn't know, should she speak also?
A. She should smile and nod her head. And this likewise holds true for the man, should she speak to an acquaintance.

Q. What is the really proper order in which the engagement ring and the wedding ring are worn on the third finger, left hand?
A. The wedding ring first, the engagement ring on top of it.

Q. When you have entertained an out-of-town guest and have received a "bread-and-butter" letter from her, is it necessary to reply to this letter?
A. This would be far better than ignoring the letter. Your guest will certainly appreciate that you, too, enjoyed her visit, and that you are looking forward to seeing her again.

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## Highway 13-14 . . .

(Continued from Page One)

Ashley Cooper of Vermilion, and Lands and Forests Minister Henry Ruste of Wainwright, met with Highways Minister Taylor about a year ago to ask him to once again consider making the road a provincial highway, whether or not it be paved. The minister's reply was to the effect that "you're not asking for pavement now, but I know you'll want it as soon as the road is made a highway", and he went on to say paving of the road could not be considered for some time to come since preference would be given to other areas. He said, too, that the program at that time would take at least three years to complete.

At that time, however, no definite plans for the paved secondary highways network had been formulated.

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## The Swingin' set

By Janice Sich

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ONE PARCEL OF LIGHT HEIFERS sold at $25.00 cwt., while Common to Medium classes were selling at $21.00 - $23.00 cwt.

STOCK COWS sold up to $230.00 each.

KILLING COWS sold up to $18.50 cwt.

### At Our Saturday Sale on April 9th—

BABY CALVES sold from $22.00 to $49.00. Stock Calves sold up to $27.00 cwt. Heavier grades were selling as high as $25.00 cwt.

STOCK COWS with Calves sold up to $210.00.

DAIRY COWS were selling up to $217.50.

BULLS sold up to $270 00.

WEANER PIGS held steady from $12.00 to $19.00 each.

FEEDER PIGS brought up to $36.00; Gilts $72.50, Boars from $35.00 to $60.00. No Sows on hand.

### SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, April 16:

A general run of Miscellaneous Items — Furniture & Household Goods, PLUS: Hay, Straw, 1400 good Willow Posts.

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### Sale Dates to Remember

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APRIL 20—Farm Sale for Emil Johnson of New Norway.

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## Palmer - Earling news items

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER, EARLING, April 9 — The trustees of the Holden Drainage District held their regular monthly meeting, March 28 in the office of the secretary, Raymond Hovland. All trustees were present. As there had only been one nomination received for trustee, this being Oscar Alseth, he was declared elected to office of trustee for the next ensuing years.

**Funeral service for the late Mrs. Fred (Mae) Hirsch was held Monday at the Baptist Church in Camrose. She was a former resident in the Lindbrook district and at that time a president of the Sundmore LCW.**

Lloyd Johnson and Gustav Bruce, Edmonton spent Sunday with the Bruce Bros.

Mrs. Lehman, Helmuth Lehman and Collette all of Edmonton were visitors with the Gordon Teskes on Sunday

**The Alvin and Keith Bratruds have gotten 1,000 turkey poults and 700 baby chicks.**

**GOES TO B.C.**

Mrs. Muriel Bergman who spent the fall and winter at the Ed Knudson home has gone to Vancouver, B.C. to be with her daughter. Mrs. Joyce Miller and family

## Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

**EASTER GUESTS**

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Holte, Shelley and Lynn of Grande Prairie and Mrs. M. Sorgaard of LaGlace spent the Easter weekend with Milo's mother, Mrs. J. A. Holte. Other Good Friday dinner guests with Mrs. Holte were Mrs. Lillie Grosland, Lyle Grosland and girls, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sorenson and David all of Holden, Mrs. Alma Adams of Ryley, Mrs. Mary Erickson and Donald of Camrose and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Grosland and girls of Edmonton.

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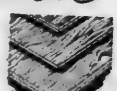

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Ludwig Sandbeck who returned home from Vialta Lodge, Viking, about two weeks ago, was taken to Viking Hospital last week, where he is a patient.

Mrs Lyle Grosland spent several days last week visiting with her mother in Calgary, who had not been well after a serious case of the 'flu.

Mr and Mrs. Mike Sarbera and children were visiting in Calgary for a few days during the Easter holiday.

Bill Litun, former Holden resident, was visiting with friends here this past week.

Mr and Mrs. Eddie Dutka and children, of Vegreville, were visitors for two days the end of last week with Ardith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong. Also visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong during the Easter holiday were their daughter, Ardenne, and family, the Bruce Armitages from Mannine.

Mr and Mrs A. Bratrud were recent visitors for a short holiday, at Valhalla Center, where they visited with Mr. and Mrs Henry Gunderson and family. They also visited with relatives, Pastor and Mrs. A Tysseland, at Dawson Creek, B.C.

Joe Alexander left, after delivering the rural mail, Saturday for Moose Lake for a weekend of fishing, accompanied by Henry [illegible].

Mr and Mrs. John Lemko and children left Friday morning to spend the Easter holiday visiting with Mrs Lemko's parents and family at Hafford, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Arne Nelson of Edmonton were recent weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong were visitors April 3rd with their daughter Diane and family, the Bill Sawers, at Vermilion.

Mrs. Arthur Story spent several days last week in Edmonton with her daughter and family, the Koop Spannenbergs. Doris was helping at their home, her daughter Florence having had a relapse after being ill with the 'flu.

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion held their monthly meeting April 4th in the Legion Hall. Regular business was attended to and tentative plans were discussed regarding holding a dance later in the year. Lunch hostess was Mrs. Stella Komarnisky. The next meeting will be held May 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly and children and Mrs Nordstrom were visiting at Stony Plain on Good Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Williams and small daughter, Carla, and Mr and Mrs. Ronald Salk, all of Edmonton, visited with the girls' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McLeod, Sunday, April 3rd.

Chris Christenson was visiting with his sister, Mrs. Elna Parsons, at the Good Samaritan Home, Edmonton, on Tuesday of last week. We were pleased to hear that she is feeling much improved.

Glen Hovland of Hillsdown, and a friend from Delburne, were visitors Tuesday evening of last week with Glen's father, Chris Hovland, and brothers, Ray and [illegible].

HOSPITAL NEWS

Pat Komarnisky has returned to her home in Holden after being a patient for some time in the Viking Hospital.

Lloyd Bell is a patient in the University Hospital, Edmonton, having tests and a check-up. A relief agent from Viking is looking after the elevator during Lloyd's absence.

Mrs. Mary James returned home Thursday evening after spending four days in Tofield Hospital having further tests.

Freddie Dorm of Camrose was a business caller in Holden on Thursday afternoon of last week.

David Good and children were visitors with Mr Good's mother, Mrs. Lars Ritland, and Mr Ritland, during the Easter holiday. He also visited with his brother Ernie and family.

Mr and Mrs. Gary Sorensen of Oroville, Washington, were visitors for several days this past week with Gary's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen, and brother David, leaving for home Thursday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs. Geo H. Taylor were Easter Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors with their son Robert and family, in the Viking district.

## Bird house contest held by 5th Grade

A Bird House contest was held in the Tofield School on April 6 in the 5A room. The judge of this event was Mr. Eastlick.

The prize list is as follows: Class A — Rustic, 1st Douglas Jones, 2nd Cheryl Francis.

Class B — Carpenter-type, 1st Edwin Penner, 2nd Louise Shewchuk.

Honorable mention — Bird house, Lowel Hostetler; Bird feeder, Kenneth Thiessen.

Both grade 5 classes enjoyed this contest very much and are hoping that birds will come and nest in their bird houses.


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## Chamber studies plans for medical centre here

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—The regular monthly meeting of the Holden Chamber of Commerce was held Tuesday, April 5th. Guests present were Herb Hunter, Calgary Power manager, from Camrose, the Mayor of Alliance and Ben Samuels and Don Ferrier of Associated Engineers Ltd., Edmonton.

Bruce MacDonell gave a report on the doctor situation and proposed Medical Centre, to date. Members are planning a one-day canvass in the district, on Wednesday, May 4th, for the purpose of seeking donations towards the building of the proposed Medical Centre.

Mr. Samuels and Mr. Ferrier spoke on street and sidewalk improvements they had been in charge of at various villages, etc., and the Mayor of Alliance spoke at length on the Medical Centre which had been built in his home town, giving pertinent information regarding the cost of same. Alliance had acquired the services of a doctor for the Village, their nearest hospital being at Galahad, approximately 12 miles distant. After building the Medical Centre and then obtaining a doctor, they had built living quarters for him, onto the building.

Various other reports were also given during the business session.

## Holden pioneer celebrates his 82nd birthday

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—On Sunday, April 3, Harry Appleby of Vialta Lodge, Viking, one of the Holden district pioneers, celebrated his 82nd birthday. Members of his family called at the Lodge to wish him a happy birthday.

Seated at the head table with the guest of honor were Mr. and Mrs Ernest Brown and daughter Patricia of Ryley, Mr. and Mrs Bert Appleby and daughters Ann and Colleen, Mr and Mrs. Ted Appleby and Sharon, all of Holden, and Mr and Mrs. Ronnie Robinson and Kathy, Wendy and Brian of Edmonton. A beautiful birthday cake centred the tea-table and a delicious lunch, brought by the family, was served to Mr Appleby's friends and family. Residents and friends of the district hope he may have many more happy years.

Harry Appleby spent the Easter holiday weekend visiting with his families in Holden.


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## Tofield students tour Tech

32 Tofield High School students recently visited the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology during Open House activities. Above, Edward Koop, Joyce Baergen, Jacob Poettcker, Elma Baergen and Clarice Jacobsen examine a model of a plank and beam summer home designed and built by Architectural technology students at N.A.I.T. The out-of-town students were invited to tour the three-year-old Institute, and ask questions about technical education from staff and students. The $20 million Institute also had two new buildings on display the 5-storey Tower Building and the Industrial Annex, boosting the accommodation capacity to 5,000 students at any one time. At present there are 2,800 students enrolled in the day-time program and 3,000 in the evening program. Students from outside Edmonton account for over half of the day-time enrolment in Apprenticeship, Business and Technology programs.

## 'Little Ol' Opry' coming to Tofield

"Little Ol' Opry", featuring such well known country and western celebrities as the Rogers Brothers, Jimmy Orgde, Roy Adolf, Gene Gebiou, Rusty Campbell's Band, Shirley West, Hank Smith and the Country Rhythm Sweethearts, will be coming to Tofield next week.

Sponsored by the Tofield Community League, the show will be held in the Community Centre a week from today.

## Masons honor ladies

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—The Holden Masonic Lodge held their Annual Ladies' Night April 1st, treating the ladies to a sumptuous chicken supper, which was catered to by the Holden O.O.R.P. Lodge. William Kelly was in charge of the evening's activities and called on Wor. Bro. H. S. Beveridge to propose a toast to the Ladies. Mrs. Don Allan replied, giving a few highlights of previous "Ladies Nights".

The evening was spent playing various games, directed by Mrs. Dennis Cooper. Winners of the different events were awarded Easter Bunnies. At the conclusion of a very enjoyable evening lunch was served by the hosts.

## John Baraniuk passes at 50 yrs.

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — Friends and residents of the district were saddened and shocked to receive the news last week that John Baraniuk had passed away very suddenly in an Edmonton hospital on Tuesday, March 29th, at the age of 50 years and eight months. Mr. Baraniuk had been in poor health for the past year or more and a hospital patient for the past three months.

He leaves to mourn his loss: his wife Annie of Holden, one son Richard, also at home, two daughters, Margie (Mrs. Mike Lucas) of Edmonton and Eleanor (Mrs. John Ognoski) of Mundare, two brothers and six sisters, Peter of Calgary, Bill of Vermilion, Mrs. Lena Ogrodnick of Haight, Mrs. John Kastik of Calgary, Mrs. Mary Mochanski of Wetaskiwin, Mrs. Dmytro Hrabec of Holden, Mrs. Harry Hrabec, also of Holden, and Mrs. Harry Dackiw of Edmonton.

Prayer services were held Friday evening, April 1, at the Ukrainian Catholic Church, Holden, and Requiem Mass was held Saturday, April 2, at 10:00 a.m. in the Ukrainian Catholic Church, Holden, with Rev. B. Lozynsky the celebrant. Interment followed in the Holden cemetery.

## Teachers to attend ATA meeting

Three district teachers will attend the 49th Annual Representative Assembly of their professional organization at the Palliser Hotel in Calgary on April 11th to 13th. Those attending will include L. Cribb from Tofield.

Sixty-seven resolutions will be considered at this Assembly. The president's report will be the first one to be submitted on Monday, April 11th.

"This annual meeting will be the largest in the history of the ATA", Mr. M. W. McDonnell of Camrose, provincial president, announced, "with 383 representatives in attendance.

"Among the resolutions to be debated are a number reflecting anticipated expansion of service to our members and the assumption by the Association of new responsibilities".

## Boys earn trip in Talent Show

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—Mrs. Campbell, who is visiting with her family at Leduc, sends the following news:

"A week's trip through Alberta and Saskatchewan and a feature presentation on TV—this is what four local youths, Jim Campbell, Greg Pyrex, Ken Richard and Ron May, won for themselves March 25th. They came through the district finals of the Annual Co-op Talent Show which was held in Our Lady of Charity School, Edmonton, and consisted of regional finals from all over northern Alberta. The four boys will join three other winners from various points on an all-expense paid tour through the Prairie Provinces. They will visit all major cities in Alberta and Saskatchewan, viewing the various points of interest. In Medicine Hat they will take part in an hour-long television program displaying the talent which earned them the trip. Jim Campbell has been seen twice this season on Harry Farmer's TV program".

## The weather

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## War on the drip

The campaign to buy material to sheet the inside of the curling rink is progressing. Anyone not yet contributing may see any one of the committee, C. Patterson, E. Goeglein, J. Whyte, A. Heiberg or G. McFadzean.

Curling came to an end for the season with the afternoon club completing their competitions and a pot luck supper last Friday night. The mixed bonspiel finished Wednesday night with the John Wall rink taking the first event.

The final wind-up is to take place in the curling rink in the form of a pot luck supper followed by teh annual meeting of the club and the shareholders, and the election of officers for the coming season. Trophies will be presented to the winning rinks for club competitions. All curlers are invited to this affair on April 22nd including those from the mens club, mixed club and afternoon clubs.

A NATION WONDERS. Canada as a whole is looking back seven years to when Steven Truscott, above, was found guilty in Clinton, Ont., in the sex killing of a 12-year-old girl. A Toronto writer, Isabel LeBourdais in her book The Trial of Steven Truscott has asked Canadians to review the evidence, claiming Truscott is innocent of the crime he is paying for. Truscott, at 14, was sentenced to death, but this was commuted to life imprisonment. Canadians now wonder whether he has not spent a third of his life in jail for a crime he did not commit.

## Nonsense

What's all this nonsense about the possibility of an election in Alberta this year?

What possible set of events could justify Mr Manning in going to the people, with all the consequent expense involved? Does anyone really think the Opposition might muster a serious vote of confidence? Does anyone seriously think the government might be returned with more strength? Could even the probability of several provincial bye-elections justify the calling of a general provincial vote?

There's nonsense enough in Ottawa. Let's forget all this tilting at the windmills and get down to business. The government has a whopping big majority, and two full years more to run. There can be no excuse whatever for going to the people in the near future, except to lick the Conservatives and Liberals before Peter Lougheed and Adrian Berry have a chance to put them on their feet.

## Death penalty stays

Visibly unhappy with the result of yesterday's Commons vote on capital punishment, Canada's solicitor general said later he could accept it only as a directive from the House of Commons that the law is unchanged.

This will pose a most distressing situation for him and the cabinet, since almost every death sentence in recent years has been stayed and reduced to life imprisonment. Possibly now the cabinet must review their decisions in the light of this mandate from Parliament.

Result of the vote is quite interesting, showing clearly that nobody was interested in any partial measures. Indeed, the vote on partial abolition resulted in only 74 voting for change with 179 against, whereas 112 favored complete abolition, with only 143 opposed. Interestingly, only one more vote could be summoned for a five-year trial.

The vote must have been exceedingly hard on individual members, released from the ties of party discipline, and forced to make up their own minds on the subject ... something many of them are not at all used to. One observation we would make is that probably the vote pretty well reflects the feelings of the nation generally. The move towards abolition is no doubt growing, but we doubt that the majority of Canadians are yet ready to accept the proposition ... regardless of the established records of other countries, in many of which it has been abolished for years.

## Still working on it

A [illegible] must be dismayed to find again this year the fire warning that [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] felt that the [illegible] [illegible] Hon. A. [illegible]

[illegible]

The answer has to be that the government is [illegible] with the [illegible]

We don't know if [illegible] this fashion can ever be justified, but surely it can't be if we're facing [illegible] hard times ahead.

For years ratepayers have received little notices, along with their taxes, which said in effect "The provincial government has been pleased to give [illegible]

[illegible]

Premier Manning has for years [illegible] the [illegible] of this province and warned of the dangers of exceeding this limit. Has he been talking to the wrong people?"

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## By George!

When your children search for colored eggs this Easter, they'll be renewing a custom far older than Christianity.

Eggs represent the new life that returns to earth every spring—around the time of Easter. The custom of exchanging eggs as part of the celebration began in ancient times. The ancient Persians often dyed eggs in the colors of spring and gave them to their friends as gifts. Some early peoples believed that the earth had hatched from a giant egg.

World Book Encyclopedia says the early Christians of Asia and other lands exchanged eggs at Easter. They colored the eggs red.

Elaborate decoration became the rule in some eastern European lands. The Ukrainians are famous for their beautifully decorated Easter eggs. Each village makes its own design—fir trees, horses, priests' robes, flowers, bell towers, crosses, chapels, etc. Residents of Czechoslovakia, Poland, Lithuania, and other lands also are known for their highly decorated Easter eggs.

In England, friends often exchanged eggs at Easter, although nowadays these usually are chocolate eggs. The Irish break the long Lenten fast by eating eggs at dawn on Easter.

Germans color eggs green on "Green Thursday"—the Thursday before Easter—and carry the eggs all day for good luck. On Easter Monday the young people have an egg-rolling contest.

In Italy, a priest blesses the eggs on Easter. The eggs occupy the center of the breakfast table, with other dishes arranged around them.

In the Netherlands, children go from door to door during Holy Week, collecting Easter eggs. Young and old alike play games involving eggs on Easter Monday.

In Greece, World Book notes, people tap red eggs together as a greeting when they meet on Easter. The first person says, "Christ is risen", and the second replies, "He is truly risen".

In Bulgaria on Easter Saturday, people exchange eggs and baked almond cakes. In Hungary, boys sprinkle girls with water on Easter Monday and receive Easter eggs in reward.

Customs vary from land to land, but colored eggs have been associated with springtime since the dawn of history.

## MacDuff Ottawa report

### FORCED SAVING

OTTAWA—Everyone knew the [illegible] Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp [illegible]

[illegible]

### BOOKKEEPING

[illegible]

[illegible] mid-year is published. Today corporations across Canada will be taking a second look at their [illegible] in the light of Mr. Sharp's [illegible]. The [illegible]

### WON'T LIKELY HIT DIVIDENDS

[illegible]

[illegible] affect the [illegible] program.

### REVERSING GORDON

Mr. Sharp [illegible] Walter [illegible]

[illegible] He has explained that his measures are designed only to take out inflationary pressures within the country, that he cannot insulate Canada from any general price rise that may occur in the United States.

(Continued on Page Nine)



# News from Ministik and district

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

Several people from the district attended the variety bingo at Hastings Lake hall on Friday evening. It being April fool's day, it was appropriate that there should be a power failure for over an hour in which a sing-song took place until the lights came on again.

Glenn Ferguson was the winner of the "half and half" raffle.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Jones over the weekend were: on Saturday Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and Sandra. All spent the afternoon in Tofield shopping after which Rosemary and Bernice Stephanow and Mr. Jones visited the doctor. He was ill with a very severe cold. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Harmond Jones and boys, and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones and family, Robert Jones and two McKenna boys.

### TRANSFERRED

Grant Pearice has been transferred from Drayton Valley to Edmonton and is now staying with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Pearice. He commutes daily to work with Glenn Ferguson.

Guests at the Pearice home Sunday were daughter, Pat and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thor and family.

Mrs. Sarah Waters of Edmonton was a weekend guest of her sister, Mrs. Russell Rowland, also attending the shower for her niece Peggi.

# Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The FWUA will meet at the home of Mrs. Earl Rose on Thursday afternoon, April 14th, at 2.30 p.m. All visitors welcome.

Sandy and Irene Scott and daughter Betty Ann of Lindbrook, Yvonne and Peter Brown and Pat McAdoo of Ketchamoot, Bill and Mary Tiedemann of Deville and their daughter Sharron and her friend Jean Perry of Edmonton, Victor Gouhault of Lindbrook, Mabel and Russell Ferguson and their son and daughter-in-law Willard and Ruth Ferguson, were all visitors at the home of Yvonne's parents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann, recently. A very pleasant social evening was spent playing games and visiting, followed by a delicious lunch and coffee served by the hostess.

The Lakeshore UCW will hold their April meeting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. McDannold in Tofield on Tuesday, April 12, at 2:00 p.m. All members please try to attend, and visitors are also welcome.

Don't forget the FUA meeting at the Legion Hall in Tofield on Tuesday, April 12th, at 8.00 p.m. Mr. Gordie, MLA, of Vegreville, will be guest speaker. A secretary for the MSI will also be chosen.

Ellen Eaton was a Saturday afternoon visitor and supper guest at the home of Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg.

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## Around the Town

### TO TORONTO

Mr and Mrs John Chubaty left on Monday of this week, travelling by CNR, to visit some members of their family in Toronto. They plan to be away about 10 days.

Lorraine Allan, nursing at the University Hospital, and Marian Hardy and Betsy Ann Schultz, attending the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology, spent the weekend here with their respective parents.

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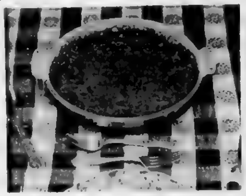
## The Recipe Box



The superb skill of a chef who really knows his job is all that's needed to turn a very simple recipe into a gourmet's delight. Much of this skill can be learned by the average housewife who's willing to follow the directions given by any well-known chef.

One of the most popular chefs in Alberta, ready to share a few of his cooking secrets, is Henry Bachman, the highly skilled Chef de Cuisine at the Macdonald Hotel in Edmonton.

A favorite recipe of Chef Bachman, for example, calls for a beef and rice dish that's extremely easy and economical to prepare. It's also a taste treat so deliciously blended that your entire family is likely to insist that you serve it many times again. Why not try it today?

**Beef 'n Rice Ingredients**

1 medium size onion, diced
3 tablespoons butter or margarine
2 cups cubed beef (½-inch cubes of top sirloin or round)
2 cups rice, long grain variety
6 cups boiling water
6 beef bouillon cubes
1 bay leaf
Salt and pepper

**Method**

Fry onions and beef until lightly browned. Add raw rice and stir for one minute. Dilute Oxo cubes in boiling water and add to the above. Add bay leaf, salt and pepper to taste. Bring to a boil and place in oven 375° F with cover on top. Bake for 20 minutes or until liquid has been

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## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, April 1 — Mr and Mrs. Albert Spalding and Mr and Mrs. Daniel Reum and children motored to the Three Hills Prairie Bible Institute last weekend to attend special services and also visited with Mrs. Lillie Bjerkseth and missionary Olive Bjerkseth there.

Ed and Rose Christian of Edberg were Sunday dinner guests at the Sam Olsen home.

The Henry Aasruds and Albert Spauldings were Monday callers in Edmonton to visit the Wm. Jeracks.

Chris and Reuben Hovland of Holden, Mr. and Mrs. R. McKee of Wetaskiwin and Mrs. Malinda Roth, Camrose, were Sunday guests at the John Bruce and Lewis Forre homes.

Pastor Lars Knudson of Elbow, Sask., is visiting a few days with relatives in Camrose and district.

Wednesday, March 30, the Skudesnes LCW met at the home of Mrs. Karen Pederson. The president, lead the third lesson of the Bible study and several Easter hymns were practised. The work at the Skudesnes Church is progressing nicely and volunteer workers have responded well. The LCW meets April 27 at the home of Mrs. Joe Knudson.

## Lakeshore - MacKenzie

(Ellen Eaton)

Marg and Lorne Berrecloth and little son David motored to Stettler on Sunday to visit with Marg's grandmother, Mrs. (Granny) Baines, who is a resident in the Senior Citizens Home there.

**FAMILY GET-TOGETHER**

Mrs. Ellen Eaton and Mervin Ross motored to Lavoy on Sunday afternoon, where they were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Ellen's brother-in-law and his son Guy and Cecil Weetman. Also there were Guy's three daughters and their families, Vera Roper and two children and Bill MacCutcheon, Sadie Rattray and five children, Grace and Floyd Hubbard and their two sons and Ellen's son Leroy and Shirley Eaton and two children of Holden. A very enjoyable afternoon of visiting was spent with this get-together of the family.

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## Ross Creek news

(L. Van Buskirk)

A Parent Cadet evening was held on March 29, at the Lamont High School Auditorium. A very interesting film on gliding was shown, and was enjoyed by both cadets and parents.

Mrs. L. Rustand of Breton, formerly of Ross Creek is recuperating following surgery in the Lamont Hospital.

The Ross Creek Athletic Club report a very successful bingo and pie social. Winner of the raffle for the transistor radio was Mrs. W. Ulan; the pole lamp, Eileen Ludwig of Lamont; and TV trays, Robin Olsen of Edmonton. Peter Piche ably auctioneered pies with the highest price paid being $8.00.

**UCW MEETS**

The UCW held their monthly meeting at the home of Violet Bailey with 15 members present. Gertie Ferrell led a devotional with an Easter reading. Clara Yursavich led an open discussion on whether the age for voting and liquor licenses should be lowered to 18 years. This proved both entertaining and educational. Two new members joined the group, namely, Mrs. Jan Mariar and Mrs. Shirley Ford. Nel Malcolm won the birthday gift donated by Wilma Odlorne.

Plans were made to take the UCW program held in Chipman a few weeks ago to Partridge Hills Hall on April 19th, Ardrossan Hall on April 22nd and Lamont on April 23rd. Anyone missing the entertainment these ladies put on would certainly enjoy an evening of amateur music and plays at any of these places. Proceeds go to the Ross Creek United Church Building Fund.

An Easter thank offering was taken at the meeting. A delicious lunch was served by Alice Cossey and Violet Bailey.

**Remember the special Easter service on Sunday at the Ross Creek United Church at 2 p.m. Rev. Birske officiating.**

Mrs. Lorne Schacher had a party in honor of her son Bradley's birthday on Sunday, April 3, with 10 little guests helping him celebrate.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Wm Eglinski were Olga's parents, Mr and Mrs. Kropko of Two Hills and Judy and her fiance of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Odlorne motored to Ranfurly on Sunday where they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Malcolm visited Mr. and Mrs. John Sprakmann in Edmonton recently.

## The Swingin' set

By Janice Sich

### Question anyone?

How should you act with your boy friend in school?

The most important rule to remember, is not to show affection in any public place. This will show lack of taste and, also, it may prove embarrassing for those around you. Be friendly and natural when you see him. Stop and talk. He wants to be with the boys some time, so don't be possessive.

My guy and I are always quarrelling . . . why?

One reason could be that you both have different personalities. Date other boys to find someone more compatible. Another reason for your arguments could be because of immaturity. Don't jump to conclusions and get hot-tempered. Look at his side of the argument. Be sensible and sincere.

Want the family car?

Show your mom and dad how well you really can drive. Offer to drive your mom to bridge club; dad to golf. Once they know that you are a capable driver, a polite request may prove to be successful for you.

How do I get the attention of the new boy in school?

Don't ever chase him. Boys hate possessive girls and clinging vines. Be friendly when you see him, but don't put on a big show. If he is an avid basketball fan on your school cheering squad, try your hand at cheering, too. If he works at a certain grocery store, make it a point to do your mother's shopping there. When he realizes that you both have the same interests, he might start noticing you.

The Mayans invented their calendar about 300 B.C.

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## Bardo Notes

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, March 28th. —Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sitler entertained at dinner on Sunday in honor of Wilfred and William Simonson's birthdays when guests were, Grandma Simonson and the Wilfred Simonsons from Camrose; Mr. and Mrs. William Simonson and Lois; Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Olsonburg from Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cinnamon; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sitler and son and Mrs. John Sirois and boys.

The Lawrence Anderson family from Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests with Lawrence's parents, the Olaf Anderson's on Sunday. In the afternoon the Edwin Klein family from Viking were visitors there.

## Modern etiquette

Q When someone phones our home and asks for a member of our family who is not home, should I ask who is calling?

A. If the caller does not identify himself, rather than ask, "Who is calling", it is much better to ask, "May I tell him who called", or, "Would you care to leave your number?"

Q Does a woman ever take the aisle seat when she is attending the theatre with a man?

A. No. She enters the row first, and her escort takes the aisle seat.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

The Spring is here, 'tis goodbye to all snow,
The birds have come back to tell me so.

This is Easter, and as I work around our flower beds in the garden, I see the little green shoots of the perennials coming through the ground.

"God in nature reveals to us the resurrection, and the meaning of Easter.

Easter brings us new hope for another year. Death has no sting, the grave no victory, for where there is life there is death, and where death there is life.

Happy Easter! —J.W.R.

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# Bridal showers held Saturday

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

A miscellaneous shower was held at Ministik Hall on Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Brian Perleini, (nee Peggi Rowland) when hostesses were Mrs. Alma Holmes, Mrs. James Holmes, Mrs. Barbara Horricks and Mrs. Keith Williams. The hall was gaily decorated with mauve and white streamers and white bells.

The head table was centered with lovely daffodils with vases of pussy willows adorning each window sill. The bride was assisted in unwrapping her gifts by her sisters, Mrs. Tom Collingwood and Miss Joan Rowland, and Miss Maureen Perleini, sister of the groom.

Serviteurs were the Misses Delores and Linda Holmes, Beverly Loch, Christine Jeske, and Ginnie Ristdale. Keith Horricks, Patricia Holmes and Marie Williams assisted with showing the gifts.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Agnes and Henry McGinitie were Sunday visitors with their daughter Alice and Eric Munkedahl of Ryley.

Rhonda Coombes arrived home Tuesday after spending a week with her aunt, Gladys Gaberts in Edmonton, while her mother was a patient in the hospital.

88TH BIRTHDAY

The Sears families of Tofield gathered at the home of Mrs. Henry Dyers in Edmonton on Sunday to celebrate Mrs. Ellen Sears' 88th birthday. Present were Albert Sears, Charlie and Ruby Sears and family, and Stanley and Jeanie Sears and family, and Gail and Lawrence McGinnis of Edmonton.


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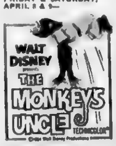


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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Ellen Eaton)

Janet Wickenberg of Edmonton was a Sunday visitor and dinner and supper guest at the home of her parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg, in Tofield. During the afternoon Janet took her parents for a drive in the country.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton accompanied George and Ida Niemets when they motored to Edmonton on Monday afternoon. All were supper guests at the home of George and Ida's daughter, Gail Niemets, in Edmonton before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Madge Jacobs and Mr. and Mrs. Burchard, all of Tofield, were Sunday afternoon luncheon and evening visitors at the home of Vi and Elmer Gouglein.

Howard and Mae Ferguson, their son Nelson, their granddaughter Wanda, Mae's mother, Mrs. Roberts, and Howard's sister, Mrs. Mabel Bailey, both of Tofield, motored to Edmonton to the home of Mabel's son, Don and Marguerite Bailey, on Wednesday evening last week. They later attended the confirmation of Don and Marguerite's son Brent at the Anglican Church, and were luncheon guests at the home of Don and Marguerite before the rest returned to their homes in Tofield and district.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and Mrs. Ellen Eaton were Friday afternoon visitors and coffee guests a the home of Roe and Bertha Phillips.

Sympathy of the district goes to Roe and Emery Phillips and their families, and all other relatives in the passing of their sister, Mrs. Lillie Olstead, in Vancouver at the weekend, especially her three daughters and their families.

Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen and Dixie Jacobsen, and Morley's parents, Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton, were Saturday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Martha's sister, Bertha and Roe Phillips, in Tofield.

Mrs. Marjorie Jacobsen was hostess to twenty or more ladies at a Tupperware demonstration and tea on Friday evening. After an evening spent visiting and having a contest, the demonstrator displayed her stock of Tupperware and spoke on its merits, following which the hostess served a very delicious luncheon to her guests.


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## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Tuesday visitors with Chester Coombes and Harold were his daughter Ethel McCall and Gladys Gaberts of Edmonton.

Mrs. Stanley Brown returned home from the Tofield Hospital where she was a patient for several weeks.

The Ketchamoot group of the United Church Women met last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Martin Lawson. Following the meeting the ladies made a quilt to be donated to some charity.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wanger are building a new home this spring. The basement is being dug now.

Harry Mistowich is a patient in the Tofield Municipal Hospital.

IT'S A GIRL!

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Coombes a daughter, Kathi Ida on Thursday, March 31st at the Tofield Hospital.

Mrs. Don Carlisle was in the hospital for a check-up on Monday.

Agnes McGinitie was pleasantly surprised on Thursday afternoon by visitors Mrs. Thelma Black of Salema, Oregon and Mrs. Annie Chelkowich.


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## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

TEACHERS MEET

The Holden - Bruce Sub-local of A.T.A. met March 28, when Mrs. Grace Appleby gave her monthly report from the local. Mr. Ness reported the teachers' bonspiel held in Tofield on March 19th was a success. The winning teams were Earl Hardy and Lars Olson of Holden and Ellen Duris of Bruce. Mrs. Pearl Allan reported on the Convention which will be held in February, 1967, the theme to be a "Centennial" one. The remainder of the meeting was devoted to resolutions which will be voted on at the ARA in Calgary to be held during Easter week.

Norman Parsons of Edmonton motored here a week ago Sunday and brought his mother, Mrs. Elna Parsons, with him to visit for the day with her brother, Chris Christenson.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell, who visited for two days with Mrs. Mamie MacAfee in Edmonton, on her way to Leduc to visit her daughter and family, the Ken Campbells, made a call with Mrs. MacAfee, to the Good Samaritan Home on Tuesday afternoon, March 29th, and visited with Mrs. Elna Parsons, who is looking much improved. Mrs. Campbell also visited with Joe Hooper the same afternoon.
to be a "Centennial" one.

Harry Appleby has returned to Vialta Lodge, Viking, after spending a few days recently visiting with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Siser, with Mrs. Mabel Siser and her daughter Gurene (Mrs. C. Hammer), of Viking, were visitors with friends at Vialta Lodge on Sunday of last week.

## Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

BAPTISM

Glenn Robert, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bjorgum was baptized at the evening service at the Salem Lutheran Church on March 27th. Sponsors were Elaine and Alice Bjorgum. Guests after the service at the W. Bjorgum home were Pastor and Mrs. G. Ostrem of Camrose, Pastor and Mrs. Art Dohlen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ovil Bjorgum, Beth and Enid, Mrs. Helga Evenson and Fred and Mr. and Mrs. Torkel Osness and Darrel.

Anyone wishing to participate in the Variety program to be held at the Kingman Hall on April 23rd, is asked to contact the program Committee, consisting of Mrs. A. Cumberland, Mrs. Ross Flemming, Mrs. A. Anderson, Randy Anderson, Garnet Ferguson or John Van Rell.

Miss Mabel Simonson and Mrs. J. A. Holte were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Quong Mah in Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Esten Stirrett and Donna of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the Wilfred Johnson home.

## Bardo news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

AT BRIDAL SHOWER

Grandma Foshaug, Gladys Severson, Norma Anderson, Olive, Evelyn and Phyllys Foshaug and Gladys and Borghild Rude attended a shower for Miss Sandra Stimson given by Caroline Foshaug at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wesner in Edmonton a Sunday afternoon. Philip Anderson and children visited at the Bill Green home and in the evening the Seversons visited with their son David and other relations. Gladys and Borghild Rude were evening visitors at the Carl Nelson home and the passenegrs in the Ivan Foshaug car remained at the Wesner home for the evening. Miss Stimson will be married to Neil Foshaug who is a second cousin of the group attending the shower.


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# Modern etiquette

Q. How much jewelry should a bride wear?

A. This should be limited either to that which is functional, such as a pin needed to hold the dress together, to a strand of pearls, perhaps small gold or pearl earrings. A watch or bracelet should not to be worn. The engagement ring must be worn on the RIGHT, or left at home until after the ceremony.

Q. Is it considered proper to use a "pusher" at the dinner table—a bread crust or the knife, to help push food onto your fork?

A. Yes, and there is no better "pusher" than a piece of bread. Lacking this, you may use the tip of your knife to guide or push a morsel of food onto your fork.

Q. When writing a thank-you note to a relative for a check received as a birthday or wedding gift, is one required to mention how the money will be used?

A. While this is not exactly required, it still is a nice thing to do and seems to indicate a more genuine pleasure over the gift.

Q. How do bridesmaids carry their sheaves of flowers?

A. If they are walking two-by-two, those on the right hold their flowers on their right arms, the stems pointing downwards to the left—and those on the left hold them in their left arms, stems pointing downward to the right. Bouquets or baskets, however, are held in the front.

Q. At the end of a restaurant meal, when a boy and girl are dining together, which one indicates that it's time to leave?

A. Usually the girl. She places her napkin at the left of her plate, looks questioningly at her escort, and prepares to rise. If he suggests that they linger on, she may do so if she wishes.


**FUA MEETING NOTICE**
Don't forget the FUA meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock p.m. April 12th in the Legion Hall.
SPEAKER: Mr. Gordey, your MLA
Appointment of secretary for the MSI



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**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13th, 1966**

COMMENCING AT 1:30 P.M. Lunch by Bardo WCTU

**MACHINERY:** 1948 IHC Farmall "H" Tractor, good running order; John Deere 4½' Tiller; Cockshutt 20-run Single Disc Drill; 8' Tandem Disc; John Deere Spring Tooth Cultivator; Allis-Chalmers Baler; Allis-Chalmers Rake; IHC 7' Power Mower; Viking Fanning Mill, 4 roller; Rack and Skids; 2-wheeled Trailer; Wagon & Box, Cable; Large Separator, De Laval No. 15; Small Separator, Vega, pipe to tank; 2 Barrels; Spades and miscellaneous items.

**CATTLE:** All cows A-I bred to Aberdeen-Angus. Comprising: Holstein Cow, 10 yrs. old, to freshen Apr. 21; Holstein Cow, about 8 yrs. old, to freshen before sale; Holstein-Hereford Cow, 7 yrs. old, to freshen before sale; Holstein-Hereford Cow, 6 yrs. old, to freshen before sale; Heifer, 1½ yrs. old, from real good milker; 2 yearling Cross-bred Heifers.

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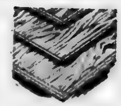

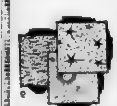

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# Locals

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Mr and Mrs Ed Lockhart, of Saskatoon, visited with Mr and Mrs. Jerry Wiens and Mrs. Knudsen at Lindbrook.

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Over the weekend Geo Abernethy attended the convention of the Provincial New Democratic Party in Edmonton. He reports an attendance of from 900 to 1,000 to hear the national deputy leader David Lewis, at Saturday night's banquet.

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Mr and Mrs. Jake J. King have just returned from a motor trip to the United States, where they visited friends and relatives.

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Tuesday was Parent - Teacher Day in Tofield School, and was attended by parents on the same scale as usual.

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**CHORUS HERE**

The Camrose Chorus played to a small but appreciative audience last Saturday evening in the Community Hall. Arne Dahl was master of ceremonies and George Meyer was jokemaster. Pie and coffee was served under the supervision of Mrs. Norman Glover and Mrs. Chas. Nolan.

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Stan Glover is making a brief visit to Tofield.

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Monday afternoon coffee guests with Pete and Olivia Erickson, to help Mr. Erickson celebrate his birthday, were Rudolph and Louisa Undin and children, Alan and Dorothy Reger and children and Emma Reger. Parnell Lee was an evening visitor.

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Mr R. Wilson's niece, Thelma Baker, from Oregon, is spending some time with him, and visiting other relatives and friends.

**CURLING IN B.C.**

Art and Irma Francis left last Wednesday night for Penticton, B.C., to visit Muriel and Bill Finn, and to curl in the mixed bonspiel there.

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Mrs. Ray Henriksen and children are visiting with Mrs. Henriksen's mother, Mrs. LeClair, at Hanna.

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Betty Swanson and Lee left on Monday for Vancouver, B.C., where they will visit with relatives for 10 days.

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Patty Roberge, of Edmonton, spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr and Mrs. C Roberge.

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Mrs. Jim Campbell is spending a few days with her daughter and son-in-law, Ella and Harvey Young and family, at Camrose.

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**TO ENGLAND**

Miss Margaret Chapin left on Saturday for Toronto, from where she will sail on Thursday for England to spend several months visiting with relatives.

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Jean and Francis Campbell and girls and Carol and George Oslund and son, all from Edmonton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oslund.

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## Stockmen purchase purebred Herefords

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, April 1 — Sam Olsen and sons attended the Canadian Western Stock Show in Edmonton and purchased seven head of purebred polled Hereford cattle, four females from the John Moore farm at Tofield and two females from the Steve Doktor farm at Vilna.

At the Arnold Milsap and son farm at Lamont, they purchased a bull. Sam Olsen and sons plan to go entirely into polled Hereford in the future.

## Spilstead news

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

On Sunday afternoon eight curlers went into Tofield to have some fun, and to see just what this game of curling was all about.

The winning rink was skipped by George Lee. In his rink were Irene Scott, Sandy Scott, and Ken Oliver. The losing rink by one point was skipped by Jim Ingram, and teamates were Marlene Mackels, Margaret Adams and Gus Schmidt.

## Bardo news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, April 4 — The Parish Choir will present an Easter Cantata at the Trondjem Lutheran Church on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

On Easter Sunday morning the Parish Luther League are having a pancake breakfast at the Bardo Community Centre at 8 a.m. Services will be at the usual hour of 10:15 and Sunday School at 11:15 a.m.

Mrs. Ragna Heiberg has returned home after spending two months at Bethany Home in Camrose, where she received treatments for arthritis.

Douglas Finseth accompanied his cousin Purvis Paalgard to Provost after the funeral of his grandpa Johnson at Viking on Friday returning home with his uncle Elmer Johnson on Saturday.


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## MacDuff Ottawa report

(Continued from Page Two)

If his calculations are correct and his anti-inflationary measures successful the $150 million forecast will be realized. Perhaps for the first time in history a finance minister is going to find it disturbing if his revenue and expenditure position at March 31, 1967, is better than he has forecast.

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**BUDGET CAPSULES**

Finance Minister Sharp has reversed the action of his predecessor removing in two stages the sales tax on production machinery which Mr. Gordon imposed in three stages. Dies, jigs, fixtures and moulds and tools for use in production machinery will be exempt immediately from the entire 11 per cent tax. This is important to the auto parts industry. Production machinery will be subject to a six per cent tax from April 1, 1967, to April 1, 1968, and after that will again be exempt.

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Churches, like all other charitable institutions, will have to register with the Department of National Revenue and give a simple accounting of money collected and spent if contributors are to be allowed deductions from taxable income for this purpose.

## Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, April 4 — Mrs. J. A. Holte attended the Camrose Junior College Commencement Exercises Sunday, when her nephew Paul Holte was one of 71 students who received diplomas. She was a supper guest at the Clarence Holte home at Bittern Lake following the Commencement.

Several people from Kingman and district attended the Silver Wedding 'open house' anniversary held for Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Solholt at Messiah Lutheran Church in Camrose Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coykendall and family were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Tilda Christensen in Camrose.

## Bardo news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

Merlin Rude who spent three months at High Level, working with a seismograph outfit returned home on Sunday.

Axel and Nita Kindley were supper guests at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, the Earl Kindleys of Viking on Wednesday evening. The occasion was in honor of Earl's birthday.

Arnold and Mabel Johnson drove to Calgary on Saturday to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Stan and Bertha Ramstad and Darren, returning home on Monday.

The Charles Rude family motored to Two Hills on Sunday to visit at the home of Pauline's cousin and family, the Sam Shirallenkos.

Mr and Mrs. Marvin Moen and boys and Lyle Hoffman from Camrose were Sunday visitors at Leonard Stauffers. on April 10.

**Richard and Beatrice Fosheng of Camrose have announced the birth of a daughter on March 28. Ivan and Olive Fosheng are the proud grandparents.**

Donny Brekkan who spent several days in the Tofield hospital returned home on Sunday. Mrs. Harold Sitler and baby son also returned home from hospital on Sunday.


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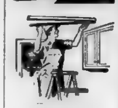

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## CARDS OF THANKS

May we at this time express our sincere "thank you" to Dr Freebury, and the Nurses and all Hospital Staff for the excellent care received during our stay there, also to our many friends and relatives for visits, cards and gifts. All were greatly appreciated.

—Mildred and Baby Kevin Litwin. 32p-3241

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**Easter Sunday, April 10th**
10 00 a m.—Morning Worship
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10:15 a.m.—Easter Service.
11.15 a.m.—Sunday School.



# Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. Van Boekirk)

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reinhardt attended a wedding at Breton on Saturday. Shirley and Douglas McDonald of Edmonton spent Sunday at the home of Shirley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Ferrel. Another daughter Joan and her husband Bob Huddleston of Fairview are spending a few days visiting.

W. Odiorn had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Art Ferrel on Thursday. Mr. Odiorne is being welcomed back after spending much of the winter in the hospital in Edmonton. He spent a few weeks visiting relatives at Red Deer and Okanagan Falls, B.C.

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# Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. Arthur Ham, of Strome, attended the Holden Masonic Ladies' Night on Friday.

Mrs. George P Albrecht is up and around after being confined to the house for a week with an attack of the 'flu.

**DIES SUDDENLY**

Mr and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann received the sad news March 26 that Henry's brother-in-law, Theodor Wanck, 65, of Claresholm, had passed away very suddenly from a heart attack while at his work at the creamery. He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife, one daughter and two sons. The sympathy of friends is extended to Mr and Mrs Tiedemann.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Stambaugh of Edmonton, former Bruce residents, were Friday evening visitors in Holden to attend the Masonic Lodge Ladies' Night. They were also calling on friends, and the Ken Stambaughs in Bruce.

Mr and Mrs. Sam Black were business and shopping visitors in Edmonton on Thursday of last week, and met Sam's brother George, who was en route home to Vancouver from Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Crawford of the Peace River district were visitors at the home of Chris Hovland on March 30th, renewing an old friendship. Mr. and Mrs. Crawford were residents and neighbors at Atlee when the Hovlands lived there, and had not seen them for over 30 years. Atlee is approximately 40 miles north of Medicine Hat.

Ludwig Sandbeck, who has been a guest at Vialta Lodge, Viking, during the winter months, has returned to his home on the farm. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stenerud and family motored to Viking to bring him home.

The ladies of the United Church U C W. are sponsoring a cooking school to be held in the Holden Community Hall on April 19th. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

# 4-H Club corner

On March 22 the girls of the Ryley and Vegreville 4-H Clothing Clubs motored to Edmonton to the CFRN TV Station to tape a spring fashion show. This fashion show will be presented on 4-H Club Time on Saturday morning, April 9th.

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs Jack Keith were pleasantly surprised when their daughter Loretta (Mrs Larry Thygesen), of Calgary, came to visit for four days a week ago. She returned home March 25th.

Mr and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children, of the Viking district, were visitors Tuesday of last week with Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs Geo. H. Taylor.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Lars Ritland returned home from Tofield Hospital a week ago Sunday afternoon, and although somewhat improved she is not yet feeling very well.

Mrs Helen Tiedemann and Mr. Oleh Shykora visited with Mrs. Shykora at Tofield Hospital on Thursday evening. Marilyn returned home from hospital Friday afternoon after being a patient for a week undergoing surgery, and is now feeling much improved.

George Albrecht has returned home from hospital after his recent attack of the 'flu, and is feeling much better.

Mrs. Mary James, who was a patient in Tofield Hospital for several days having a check-up and tests, left there Tuesday of last week for Edmonton, where she stayed for three days to have tests on her eyes, coming home Friday evening. She is feeling some better, but had to return to Tofield Hospital for further tests.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann was a business visitor in Edmonton on Monday of last week, driving there with the McDonnels.

Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus was an Edmonton visitor a week ago Monday, going with Mrs. Ernie Good, and visited with her father, Joe Hooper, a patient in the Good Samaritan Nursing Home. Mrs. Gene Bilyk also drove into the city with Mrs. Good for shopping.

Mrs. T A Liden returned home Tuesday evening of last week, after visiting for a few days with her sister and family in Calgary.

Mrs. Irving Bablitz, of the Bruce district, was a visitor with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Clint Armstrong, Friday afternoon.

**IT'S A GIRL!**

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Coombs (nee Kay Olson) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Kathy Ida, at Tofield Hospital on March 31st. Grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson were visitors Saturday evening with their new granddaughter in the hospital.

## OORP rummage sale April 16th

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —The Holden Lodge O O R P. is holding a Rummage and White Elephant Sale on Saturday, April 16, in the Masonic Hall. They will be pleased to receive any kind of goods that is of no further further use to you, and when doing your spring cleaning keep this date in mind. Articles can be left with Mrs Taylor at the Village office or with Mrs. Otto Hurum. Articles not sold will be given to the Salvation Army.

As the Holden O O R P Lodge will be attending the district meeting on the regular Lodge night, April 12th, they held their meeting Tuesday, March 29th, in order to discuss business pertaining to the district meeting. One new member was initiated into the Lodge.

The O O R P is again sponsoring the Annual Cancer Campaign for Holden and district, and will appreciate your donation to this worthwhile cause. Lady Bertha Sanderson is in charge of this.

Lunch hostesses were Lady Hazel Armstrong and Lady Helen Bilyk. The next meeting will be held May 10th.

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Palm Sunday services were conducted by Mr A Laita and his son Lawrence. They will be taking charge of services at South Cooking Lake on Good Friday at 8 p.m. to which everyone is cordially invited. They will also conduct Easter Sunday services and it is hoped the Church seats will be all filled that day, as all are welcome to attend.

Mr and Mrs. Mac McIntyre enjoyed a brief holiday last week when they visted Mrs. McIntyre's mother in Turner Valley, Mac's father in Calgary and their son Jerry and family in Westward Ho.

Brenda Roddick was a Wednesday overnight guest of Theresa Rowland.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy returned home Friday afternoon after spending almost two weeks at the Irving Liknes home in charge of the children while their parents enjoyed a short vacation at the west coast.

Archie Ferguson was an Edmonton shopper on Thursday going there and returning with his nephew Glenn.

Several pupils from the district attended the Edmonton symphony concert at the Jubilee Auditorium on Saturday afternoon.

Little Beverly Stevens returned to her home in Edmonton Sunday after spending two weeks with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch.

**FASHION SHOW**

Mrs. Pat Paterson and Anne and Mrs. Bill Roddick attended the fashion show at Ardrossan on Friday evening. The girls were modelling clothing that they had made in sewing classes. Anne modelled a jumper.

Don't froget the date for the grocery bingo in aid of the picnic fund is Friday April 15 at 8.30 p.m.


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*Will it survive?*

This is part of the Tofield Golf Course with the Town of Tofield in the background. The golfers' paradise may have a short future and is presently under heavy questioning. However, it could survive if golfers and residents have enough interest to keep it alive. For more details see article elsewhere in this issue. Photo by Peter Nickel

# Future of golf course at stake

(By Peter Nickel)

It's a matter of life or death for the Tofield Golf Course which is at the present hanging by the neck. Can the rope be cut? This depends on the golfers and local citizens. Have they enough interest to keep this recreational facility alive, or will they pass on the death sentence?

This interesting case was brought about by a change of ownership recently and the new owner, Wm. Davidson will not have time to keep up the operation of the course. However, if the public desires to keep it, he is prepared to give them this opportunity. On the other hand, the previous owner, C. F. Kallal, has had several offers for purchase of the machinery and club house but he, too, will await the verdict of the public.

Should the sentence be death, the result will be a herd of cattle on the course (pasture) or it may be plowed up leaving only history of the earnest efforts and many long hours of labor put into this dream of Charlie Kallal's, and the golfers' opportunity will be lost.

Recently, many of the golfers have been contacted and asked for their opinions, and all wished to see the course stay and were willing to back this up by purchasing shares.

MEETING CALLED

To find out what the verdict will be, a meeting has been called for next Tuesday evening at 8:15, in the meeting room of the Tofield Community Hall. At this meeting both Mr. Kallal and Mr. Davidson will offer their propositions and a final step can be taken from there to arrive at a decision. The meeting is open not only to golfers, but to all those interested including residents of Ryley and Holden who wish to see the golf course remain.

This is the last chance. What will the sentence be, life or death?

# Honored by NU

C. T. HALLETT

C. T. (Charles) Hallett, senior gas utility man and compressor station operator with Northwestern Utilities Limited in Tofield, was honored at the company's annual awards dinner held in Edmonton last Friday.

Mr. Hallett was presented with his 20-year award by company president Murray E. Stewart when 41 employees were honored for long service with the company.

This is the largest number of awards to be presented by Northwestern in any one year and reflects the accelerated growth of the company in the period immediately following the Second World War.

The annual dinner also marked Northwestern Utilities' 43rd year of service to north - central Alberta.

# Agricultural advisory committee appointed

The April 6th meeting of the Agricultural Committee of the County of Beaver, held in the council chambers, Ryley, named the following as members of the Agricultural Advisory Committee: Lief Osback, Mrs. Glen Welch, James Ruzicka, Stuart McMullen, Victor Romaniuk, Mrs. Paul Schwanke, Daniel Manderson, Glen Olson, Vernon Walker, Russel Dennett, George Robinson, Leo Maruszczaki, Mrs. Stuart McMullen, Nick Laskoski, Donald Campbell, Mrs Daniel Manderson, Stanley Brown and Mrs. Irene Warner.

As requested at the meeting of March 3rd, Rex Boyles submitted prices on a pocket gopher poisoning machine. For a three - point hitch machine, the cost would be $220, and for a pull-type machine, $338. Both machines are less hydraulic cylinder and f.o.b. Winnipeg, said Mr Boyles. He said he had tried to make arrangements to convert the tree planter but could not get the necessary attachments before three or four weeks. It was agreed a pull-type pocket gopher poisoning machine be ordered from Elston Industries Ltd at a cost of $338, f.o.b. Winnipeg.

It was also agreed the County of Beaver supply poison bait for pocket gophers at cost, and that Rex Boyles make arrangements to procure the necessary bait.

The advisability of paying a bounty on magpie feet was discussed. Mr. Boyles estimated that it would not cost much more, if any, than to build traps and the mileage to run around collecting and delivering them, and it was agreed the County pay a bounty of five cents per pair of magpie feet and that this be under Mr Boyle's supervision.

Tree planting was discussed. It was noted that, under the Department of Agriculture grant regulations, payments could be made for cultivation of trees provided they were planted not less than

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## THE WEATHER...

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# Edmonton district WCTU has 54th annual meet

Two Camrose young people achieved noteworthy recognition Saturday evening, April 16th, at St Stephen's United Church, Edmonton, when the Women's Christian Temperance Union held their 54th annual convention. Bernell Odegard was awarded a gold medal, and Miss Pamela Lundberg a grand gold medal, for public speaking. The contest was sponsored by the Edmonton District WCTU.

Dr. Harry Denman of Nashville, Tennessee, en route to Korea on an evangelical mission, also addressed the public gathering. Dr. Denman has been for many years honored for his outstanding contribution to the work of Temperance, Evangelism and Social action. His message to the convention urged each hearer to befriend the unfortunate, to realize that although a person may be down, he may not be out. "Let us search for the spark of divinity beneath the seemingly dirty crust", said Dr Denman, "for God's love can feed that spark until it becomes a bright flame". Dr. Denman urged his audience to make sacrifices for, and give love to any and all, who need a friend.

District officers for the ensuing year are: Mrs. A. Olafson, Armena, district president; Mrs. A. Robb, 1st vice - president; Mrs. Carl Nelson, Edmonton, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. R. Lyseng, Camrose, treasurer; Mrs. L. Finseth, Tofield, recording secretary; Mrs. O Broen, Camrose, corresponding secretary.

## From the Scrap Book

A garden is a haven where one can leave behind the worries of a troubled world, and discover peace of mind.

—J.W.R.

GUEST EDITORIAL—

# The Community League Centennial Project

BY MAYOR W. H. FREEBURY OF TOFIELD

The Tofield Community League has embarked on its own Centennial project, that of paying off the outstanding loan on the Community Centre by July 1967.

The first Community Hall was started in 1946 by a group of public minded citizens, who scrounged the necessary materials and wherewithal here, there and wherever they could find them, and then under Ag. Dodds as foreman, [illegible] and put up the building by volunteer labor. Tofield at that time had a population of about 560 people, and the only building that could possibly be used as a meeting place or community centre previously was the old Variety Theatre, which shortly before had been taken over by Mr. Worton for his Tofield Mercury and printing shop.

In the hall built in 1946, the Legion had their room in the upstairs back, and this being right after the close of the war, was well used, and the scene of many, most enjoyable social evenings of the veterans and their families. The main part of the building was used for the twice weekly shows, besides teas, dances, social events, school activities, gym classes, badminton, etc. While I was not personally one of the group that built this outstanding example of community effort, it was in the lobby of this hall that I established my first doctor's office, when I came to Tofield in 1947.

Unfortunately, disaster struck the community in 1955. The hall burned down. However community spirit was still strong in the district and using the fire insurance of $40,000.00 as a base, and with an additional $37,000.00 borrowed from people of the district on promissory notes bearing 4% interest, a bigger and better Community Centre was erected. Again, by putting on Friday and Saturday night movies the Theatre Committee was able to make money. This was the source of income which served to pay the yearly interest charges and retire some of the principal debt each year. Other income from hall rentals, part of July sports and other events went towards the operating expenses and upkeep of the building.

Since the new building was erected in 1955, $17,000.00 of the debt has been paid off, and interest charges have been fully met. Unfortunately due to the competition of television, profit from the theatre is now practically nil. For this reason the League is embarking on an all-out effort to retire the balance of the debt by 1967. Without the need for paying interest and capital charges each year, the Community Centre will be able to operate on the income from rents from the hall and meeting room. The League Executive are planning a series of special events and attractions for which they invite your utmost support.

The population of Tofield is now over 1,000. Many residents were not here when the original hall or the present Community Centre were built, and thus had no opportunity to donate either time, work or money. I am sure they will be glad of the chance to help with this community effort. The League invites your help by attendance at its various entertainment attractions, or by donations to its Centennial Project of debt refunding by 1967.

Incidentally, the Community League is registered under the Societies Act as charitable community organization, and donations are deductible from taxable income.

The Community Centre is something of which we can all be proud and thankful to have in our town. Its being there for everyone to use is of inestimable importance to each of us in the district and in the town. I hope everyone will get behind the League with all possible help and encouragement.

# This Hour Has Seven Days

CBC director J. Alphonse Ouimet seems to have a remarkable talent for stirring up tempests and [illegible] in the middle of a real one over his summary dismissal of two of the stars of the increasingly popular program "This Hour Has Seven Days".

At the moment, it really doesn't matter much whether Mr. Watson and Mr. LaPierre were disloyal [illegible]. If they were, they were entitled to this feeling, but the CBC was also entitled to expect them to obey the rules of the organization. What [illegible] matters is Mr. Ouimet's singular lack of public relations in cutting them both off at the same time and in bypassing his own staff structure to do so. Had they been dropped one at a time at decent intervals there would undoubtedly have been murmurs, but probably not the same outrage from one end of the country to the other.

Following so closely on the dismissal of Juliette it gives rise to questions of Mr. Ouimet's [illegible] and objectives. As the far recently commented, her program wasn't particularly outstanding, but it was a good clean wholesome family show. The Board of Broadcast Governors wants more Canadian content, so what does Ouimet do? [illegible] in the States.

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# By George!

It seems the jokes on the various ethnic groups have begun to wane. I must admit I really enjoyed them. A friend of mine of Ukrainian descent especially enjoyed the Ukrainian jokes just as I enjoyed the few jokes I heard on Germans.

I can't understand those who say they think these Ukrainian, Italian, German and Jewish jokes are "just awful things". The people who bear the brunt of the jokes all seem to enjoy them. Yet other [illegible] of British descent, feel this was a [illegible] and terrible way to treat the ethnic groups.

I certainly don't agree. Consider how many years the poor [illegible] have been the target of the jokemakers. And no one—including the English, Irish and Scotch—minded hearing them or repeating them.

Prior to the jokes on the ethnic groups, what was it that made the rounds? Oh yes, the elephant jokes. And before that? The [illegible] jokes and long before that the one "knock knock" and "what's this?" jokes. Kinda makes one wonder what will be making the rounds next to keep the people of our part of the world laughing.

And I wonder too what stories are making the rounds behind the Iron Curtain these days, or are such things allowed?

What a dull life it would be in this country if we didn't have jokes to circulate!

# MacDuff Ottawa report

WELCOME MATS

OTTAWA — After 99 years of standing mostly on the sidelines, the federal government is taking an increasing interest in Canada's school system.

A Federal Department of Education may even be possible in the future as Ottawa and the provinces get deeper into a partnership forced by ever increasing school costs.

When the British North America Act—Canada's constitution—was written and passed nearly 100 years ago, education was a matter for local school boards. The cost was met by taxes on property.

There were sharp differences between the school systems in various provinces and there wasn't much movement of people from one province to another.

STRICTLY PROVINCIAL

So the provinces were put firmly in charge of schools and since then they have kept [illegible] "no trespassing" signs posted against federal intrusion — especially Quebec.

But the cost of running schools long ago outran the revenue which could be squeezed out of the property tax and provinces have had to meet the difference with grants.

This [illegible] kept [illegible] put heavy pressure on provincial tax resources. Education is the major item of expenditure in the provincial budget. In Manitoba, for example, the provincial government will spend more on education this year than it spent on everything 30 years ago.

There have been increasing demands on Ottawa to help share the cost. Last year's Bladen Commission report on higher education recommended a [illegible] expansion of federal aid. The response of the Pearson government has been to propose a federal-provincial conference and at the [illegible] increase federal aid to [illegible] per head [illegible].

Later [illegible] the provinces will be seeking to have the operating costs of [illegible] a year made permanent and [illegible] the [illegible] in the [illegible] report.

But this is only part of the story. Only 13 out of every 100 young Canadians get to university at all. Some of the other 87 drop out before high school graduation but most of them complete their secondary schooling. If federal help is confined to higher education, only a minority will benefit.

The Economic Council of Canada [illegible] Canada [illegible] for a greater [illegible] on the education front. [illegible] the [illegible] would mean great economic benefits [illegible] the benefits to the human value and [illegible]

If investment in education gets "the very highest rank in the scale of priorities" as the Council recommended, it seems almost certain to involve federal participation. And as Ottawa gets deeper into the education field, it finds the climate is changing. The provincial "no trespassing" signs are being replaced by welcome mats.

The change is most striking in Quebec where until recent years, just the very idea of a Federal Department of Education was regarded with [illegible] horror. There's still a good deal of that attitude but there are French-Canadian voices urging a Federal Education Department as a positive advantage for Quebec.

Such a department might help to advance education in French for the minorities in the other provinces. And this in turn could aid the [illegible] sought by Ottawa by making French-Canadians less likely to resist transfer to the other provinces.

In the English-speaking provinces—especially in such organizations as the Canadian Teachers' Federation—there are hopes that a federal education department might bring faster action towards standardization of curricula. This would ease the [illegible] felt by pupils moving from one province to another.

A federal education department may [illegible] the future—Ottawa hasn't even an official with the job of following education trends as carried in the federal government of provincial [illegible].

But there may be an omen for the future in the recent statement by Prime Minister Pearson on bilingualism in the federal civil service.

He said the federal government would talk with Ontario and Quebec about the early establishment in Ottawa of a high school where the language of instruction would be French to provide for the needs of parents who want their children taught in that language.

Ottawa, in spite of the fact that it is the national capital, is firmly located in Ontario and and subject to all other laws and policies of the provincial government at Queen's Park. This small intrusion of the federal government in the education field may be a portent of things to come.

## And we quote

I [illegible] what will happen to our way of life if we do not face realistically the population [illegible]. —Senator Joseph Tydings, Maryland



# Cut speed at weigh scales

A restricted speed zone is in effect on Highway No. 2 at the Nisku weigh scale, 4½ miles south of Edmonton, when the scale is in operation.

The speed zone is 30 miles per hour and the limits of the zone are marked by internally illuminated signs. When the scale is closed the signs are turned off, the messages are not visible and the normal speed limit applies.

Highways Minister Gordon Taylor stated this measure was due to high volumes of traffic which add to the normal hazard involved in trucks turning into and out of the weigh scale. The signs have been in operation for a trial period and motorists seem to be accustomed to them since speed studies have indicated that most vehicles are observing the reduced speed limit.

# Agricultural advisory . . .

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100 feet from the property line, and it was decided the motion passed at the meeting of March 3rd, stating the tree planter could be used only if trees were planted at least 60 feet from the property line., be amended to read at least 100 feet from the property line.

ROADSIDE SEEDING

In his report, Mr. Boyles noted 1,200 pounds of grass and legume seed had been applied for and approved by the Field Crops Branch for roadside seeding. Equipment and costs have been checked for hydro seeding conversion and locations of backslopes to be seeded recorded.

BRUCELLOSIS VACCINATION

A total of 33 applications have been received to date for Spring Vaccination. "Due to the early Spring, we expect to vaccinate around May 1st", said Mr. Boyles.

To date, 25 applications have been received for four- to six-year-old White Spruce. These trees are still available from Oliver, Mr. Boyles said.

The 1966-67 Tentative Agreement showed expenditures could be shared as follows: County of Beaver, $17,176, provincial government, $8,875; dominion government, $1,275, farmer, $2,304, for a total of $29,610.

Rex Boyles presented a letter from the field crops branch regarding a home study course, through the extension department of the University of Alberta, in the use of pesticides. Mr. Lobay said that after April 1st, commercial applicators of pesticides are to be licenced. In order to obtain this licence they must have a certain amount of knowledge about the products they are using. This is the reason for the course. He said they have not decided whether municipal employees would have to be licenced but remcommended they take advantage of this course.

The committee asked Mr. Boyles to take the home study course in the use of pesticides, with the county to pay the registration fee of $18.30.

# Hastings Lake news items

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

The Social Credit whist drive on April 2nd was very well attended. Winners — ladies high, Ralph Dunham (playing as a lady) and low Ray Peterson, also playing a lady; gents high, Glen Ferguson and J. Hawkins low.

The Hall board met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunham on April 6th. Plans are made for work parties at the hall in the near future.

Glen Ferguson was the lucky ticket holder of the 50-50 raffle which was drawn at the Variety Bingo held April 1st. The hall board would like to thank everyone that donated prizes, and that attended the bingo, making it such a success.

The Ladies Club have made final plans for the parcel post sale, whist drive, sale of home baking to be held at the hall Friday, April 22nd. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

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# Locals . . .

EASTER TRIP

Pete and Loolah Lerbekmo, Bert and Florence Forseth and Petra Stauffer motored to Saskatchewan to spend Easter holidays with their uncle, P. P. Haugen, in Lisieux, who celebrated his 92nd birthday. They also visited with their nephew, W/Cmdr. Stanley Yoder, and his wife at the RCAF station at Moose Jaw, helping them celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary.

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and Edith Mary visited for a few days during Easter week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

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NEW GRANDSON

The Noland and McFadzean families are receiving congratulations on the birth of a grandson. David Bruce was born on Saturday, April 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McFadzean of Edmonton.

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Easter Sunday visitors with Pete and Josie Ozubko were Marlene and Jim McKay and daughter Michelle, Pat and Calvin Gill and family of Edmonton, Sharon and Larry Yoder and David, and Mrs. Georgia McKay. Brian and Susan Gill stayed with their grandparents for a few days.

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# The Ryley Times

## Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Weather has been quite cold the past week with freezing temperatures and strong winds, making it quite unpleasant for those working outdoors; also for the stock, and especially the young spring calves.

Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg motored to Edmonton with her daughter Janet Wickenberg of Edmonton on Friday, and at time of writing is still away. She has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Vivian Jones, and also with her three sisters of Lacombe and Alix, who were in the city over the weekend.

Jack Johnston returned to his home on the farm on Sunday, after having spent the winter in [illegible] with his daughters, Mrs. Beulah Gimmell and Mrs. Lila Rodway, and their families.

HOME FROM HOLIDAY

Emil Goubault returned home Saturday evening, after being away for two weeks. The first week he spent in Edmonton with his daughter, Adele and Cliff Gossell, after which he spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Ferguson (former Lakeshore residents) on a visit to their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferguson at Lethbridge. On his return home Saturday evening Mr. Goubault was a supper guest at the home of his daughter, Martha and Emil Tiedemann and family.

Mrs. Mary Wood attended the funeral of Mrs. Anna Johnson in Edmonton on Saturday. Mrs. Johnson was a former Tofield resident and mother of Mary's sister-in-law, Mrs. Agnes Bethel.

Mrs. Clara Rogers and Al and Susie Innes of Tofield were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of John and Mary Wood. Also visiting there Sunday afternoon was Mary's nephew, Harold Bethel, of Edmonton.

Harold Bethel of Edmonton was a caller at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald on Tuesday of last week. He also called at the home of his aunt, Mary and John Wood.

Mrs. Ella Eaton and Mervin Ross were Monday afternoon coffee guests at the home of Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen.

FARMS CHANGE HANDS

Stanley and Lizzie Schacher, having sold their farm in the McKenzie district, moved into Tofield on Saturday. Stanley purchased a farm just north of town, formerly owned by Mrs. "Grandma" Warner, now deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whiting, of Calgary, were visitors at the home of their daughter, Eva and Joe McLennan, over the Easter weekend.

Mrs. Arnold (Edna) Jones and three youngest children visited her parents in Saskatchewan during the Easter holidays.

Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen and children visited Mary's brother and family, Russell and Jean Jones, at Czar on Tuesday, April 12th, returning home the same night.

Mrs. Ethel Wood was a Sunday afternoon visitor and coffee guest at the home of Doris and Howard Brown and young son David, at Lindbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Porter of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ila Walker and son Ronnie. Mrs. Porter is the former Virginia Ball, daughter of Frank and Pearl Ball, and a niece of Mrs. Walker. The Balls were former Tofield residents several years ago.

VISITORS HERE

Mrs. Miriam Roberts and three girls and Mrs. Myrtle Seale of Edmonton were Thursday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein. Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen was also a guest there, visiting with Miriam. They have been friends since childhood days. Mrs. Bertha Seale, who had been a guest at Vi's from Sunday to Thursday, returned home with her daughter Miriam. Bertha and Miriam and Mrs. Myrtle Seale all were former residents of the Lakeshore district before moving to Edmonton.

**The Lakeshore ladies who have been in the sewing class taking lessons under Mrs. Davis, the district home economist of Vegreville, are finishing their third and final course this week. The courses have been held in the Tofield United Church basement.**

### Mrs. Anna Johnson dies in Edmonton

Mrs. Anna Johnson of 11106 77 Avenue, Edmonton, passed away on April 12, at the age of 75 years.

A resident of Tofield for many years prior to moving to Edmonton, Mrs Johnson is survived by one son, Harold, of Haney, B.C., and four daughter, Mrs. M. (Agnes) Bethel and Mrs. H. (Ann) Bethel, both of Vancouver, B.C., Mrs. D. (Ella) Hardy of Tofield and Mrs. F. (Esther) Godwin of Edmonton.

Funeral services were held on April 15th at the South Side Memorial Chapel, with Pastor H. O. Olson officiating. Interment was in Beechmount Cemetery.

### Bridal shower fetes Diane Campbell

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER EARLING — A bridal shower was held at the Zion Lutheran Church parlors Tuesday evening to honor the April bride-elect, Miss Diane Campbell. Her marriage to Keith Bratrud is an event of April 23 at the Bawlf Lutheran Church.

Mrs. George Mosby was the master of ceremonies for an amusing program, followed by two contests. Mrs. Larry Johnson and Mrs. Lyle Bratrud assisted in unwrapping the many nice gifts.

Diane and Keith expressed their appreciation before lunch was served. An interesting bride's book compiled by Keith's aunt, Mrs. George Mosby, caused much merriment.

On Saturday a miscellaneous shower was held at the Shaw Community Centre for Diane Campbell, in her home district.

## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Reddish)

Services at the United Church were conducted Sunday by Jim Alatti who will also take the services next Sunday. Commencing May 1, Mr Tom Stephens, student minister will be on the field for the summer months.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Annie Oliver who had been a patient in Tofield Hospital for several weeks returned to her home last Wednesday and all her friends wish her continued good health.

**Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Grummett are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby daughter, Sunday, April 10.**

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch and Beverly spent five days of their Easter holiday visiting Mr and Mrs. Raymond Loch and family and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Antoniuk and family in Kamloops, B.C. Mr. Antoniuk returned with them to visit other relatives in the Bonnyville area.


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## News items from Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Bonnie and Lyle Coombes of Edmonton were Friday visitors with Chester and Harold Coombes.

On Thursday afternoon Ruth and Willard Ferguson were callers at the home of Isabel and Harold Sutton.

Mrs. McCrea of Camrose is spending a few days with her daughter Jennie Sears, Pat and the family.

Hazel and Henry Dwyer of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Jennie and Pat Sears and family.

BIRTHDAY GATHERING

A family gathering was held on Good Friday in honor of the occasion of Nola Williams' birthday at her home. A pot luck supper was held and the following were the guests: Nola, [illegible] and Kai; Eileen and [illegible] Edmonton, Jean and Eddie and children, Noreen, Corky, and children, Darlene, Lawrence and baby from Tofield; Selfried and Jim, Rena and George, Grandma Williams and Arthur.

Donald Kyle of Kelowna, B.C. is visiting this week with his son, Gordon, Louise and family.

On Easter Sunday Isabel and Harold Sutton motored to Lamont to visit Russell Ferguson, who is a patient in the Archer Memorial Hospital. Mabel Ferguson accompanied them there.

Lelia Sutton returned home on Sunday from Tofield Hospital where she was a patient for a few days.

Home for the Easter holidays with their respective parents were Patsy and Dwayne Sears and Herb Davison from Calgary; Louise Jazen, Waldo and Ronald Ducek from Rosthern, Sask., Raymond McGinitie, Betsy Ann Schultz, Eileen Lawson and Judy Mitchell from Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olsen of Holden visited on Sunday with their daughter and son-in-law, Kay and Ron [illegible] and family.

[illegible] Coombes is a patient in the Tofield Hospital, as of Friday.

Jennie Sears entertained several local ladies at a tea party at her home on Friday afternoon.

Francis Schultz spent a few days in Edmonton with her sister Betsy-Ann and Marian Hardy last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ketchum and family of Rocky Mountain House spent the weekend at the Harold Coombes home.

Sunday visitors at the Martin Lawson home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harboway, Mrs. Sam Harboway and Mrs. John Harboway and son from Edmonton.

HERE FROM WINNIPEG

Mrs. Bob Tippes and children of Winnipeg spent the Easter holidays with her mother, Annie McGinitie, and Edith Turner. Mr. and Mrs. Buck Goodwin and children of Olds were weekend guests there also.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Coombes and family were Saturday visitors with the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wick at Beaumont. Darryl Wick returned home after spending the Easter holiday with the Coombes.

Greg and Danny McLeod of Lindbrook returned home on Sunday after spending the holiday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whillans were Mr. and Mrs. Ken Ovelson and family; Jim Common, Mr and Mrs. F. Thomas and family and Judy Searle, all of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Whillans and family and Mrs Kittlitz and Beatrice of New Sarepta.

Agnes and Henry McGinitie had the pleasure of the company of their grandchildren on Saturday, while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McGinitie of Viking were in Edmonton.

Sunday visitors with Kletha and Stanley Brown were Gordon and Mildred Ray and family of Edmonton, Mrs. Annie Lee of Tofield and Irene and Sandy Scott and family of Lindbrook.

B.C. HOLIDAY

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee and Phyllis returned home after holidaying with friends and relatives in Kelowna, Salmon Arm and Canoe, B.C. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunham, formerly of Ketchamoot at their new home at Canoe.

Bill Nachman and Raymond McGinitie of Edmonton were Saturday guests of the latter's parents, Agnes and Henry McGinitie.

Brian [illegible] spent several days last week with his cousins the Runkes in Edmonton.

### Ladies attend OORP meeting at Kinsella

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—On Tuesday, April 12th, 13 ladies from Holden Lodge O. O. R. P. accompanied H.R.L. Mason to Kinsella, where they attended the meeting of District No. 4, the ladies taking part in exemplifying Lodge work.

Also attending the meeting were P.S.H.R.L. Phoebe McCullough of Edmonton, Sup. Lec. Lady Irene Francoeur of Camrose and Sup. Hist. Lady Vivian Gares of Viking. Approximately 90 ladies were in attendance and all reported a very successful and enjoyable meeting. Ladies Ida Mason, Kathleen Hurum and Helen Bilyk took their cars, and the only unpleasant event was being caught in the blizzard on the way home, but none had any serious trouble.

## Bardo Notes

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

WCTU CONVENTION

Mrs. Jim Francis, Mrs. Robert Berecloth, Mrs. A. Kindley, Mrs. L. Finseth and Mrs. C. Rude represented the Bardo union at the Edmonton District WCTU convention at St. Stevens United Church in Edmonton on Friday. Mrs. Finseth replaced Mrs. G. Francis on the executive as recording secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Forseth of Beer Lake were Friday night visitors with Mrs. P. Stauffer and also visited Grandma Fuehung.

## Spilstead news items

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Winder and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Winder and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Raine and family were recent visitors at Mrs. L. Winder's home. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Rogge and family also visited there.

Easter Sunday visitors with the Ernest Fairbrother family were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Dirk de Fresne and Murray Boisseau.

TO LAC LA BICHE

Mrs. Elaine de Fresne is staying for a visit for a week with her parents before moving to Lac La Biche where Dirk has been transferred as bank manager to the Treasury Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. T .W. Fairbrother, Ruth, Eileen and Marilyn accompanied Mrs. J. C. Bertsch and Elaine Sorell to the Open House at Vermilion Agricultural and Vocational College recently.

A number of friends called at the T. W. Fairbrother home on April 8th to surprise Ruth on her birthday. Mrs. Barnhard and Mrs. Paulson sent her a lovely birthday cake and she received many lovely gifts. Those present besides the T. W. Fairbrother family were Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Fairbrother and Dwayne and Mrs. J. C. Bertsch.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Valantine and Patricia and Nina, and Lloyd Barnhard were Good Friday visitors at the T. W. Fairbrother home.


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# Lakeshore -

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Marjorie Jacobsen and daughter Gwendolyn and Marj's mother, Mrs. Ellenor Jones, attended the Tupperware demonstration and tea at the home of Mrs. Pearl Kuhn on Sunday afternoon.

Morley and Marj Jacobsen and Joe and Ellenor Jones attended the cottonball dance at Mundare on Saturday evening.

Helen and Joe Murray and their daughter, Joan and Alan Warner and children were Easter Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of their daughter and Joan's sister, Jean and Arnie Binder, in Edmonton.

Charlie and Mickey Niemetz and sons and daughter Mrs. Patsy Loxton and baby Cheryl were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Charlie's sister, Iriene and Harold Sieb [illegible] Saturday overn[illegible] and Sunday guests there were Harold's sister, Eleanor and Ernie Runzer, of Edmonton. Afternoon visitors and supper guests were Charlie and Iriene's sister Erma and Fred Onychuk and daughter Debbie, of Edmonton. All were helping Iriene and Harold celebrate their 18th wedding anniversary.

**25 YEARS' SERVICE**

On Friday afternoon, George Abernethy brought a number of boys out from Tofield for an afternoon, playing ball on the baseball diamond on the Dutchy Gosbault farm. George deserves a vote of thanks from both the town and community for his help in finding entertainment for the youth of our town and country points. George has been doing this work for several years, beginning with the boys of the Lakeshore School over 25 years ago.


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# Ministik news items

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

**ALEX BOSS FUNERAL**

Several neighbors and friends attended the military graveside service at South Cooking Lake cemetery of Alex Boss on Wednesday afternoon, April 13th. Some from the district and former residents who now reside in Edmonton attended the funeral services at Hainstock's Funeral home.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Boss and family of Calgary spent a few days in Edmonton and Ministik while they were here for Archie's father's funeral. They were afternoon guests of the Jim Roddicks on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Allen of Chilliwack, B.C. made a hasty trip here to visit Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horricks recently, when they came to [illegible] funeral in Edmonton of Butch Paul, popular hockey player who was killed in a car accident.

**DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY**

Mrs. T. A. Jones, Chris Jones and Jimmie Stepanow and Mrs. Otto Messerschmidt and girls of Edmonton went by train to spend the weekend in Wilkie, Sask., helping to celebrate the Diamond Wedding Anniversary of Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Smith. Miss Helen Jones of Vancouver and Mr. Oliver Jones of Edmonton motored here for the occasion. They all returned by car on Sunday. Miss Jones is spending a few days with her parents before her return to Vancouver.

**TO MANITOBA**

On a vacation to Dauphin, Man., Mrs. Les Whitford was a travelling companion of Mrs. T. A. Jones as far as Unity, Sask. Mrs. Whitford plans to be [illegible] from two to three [illegible].

Friends [illegible] sorry to hear that Madame Martha Reujler fell and injured her knee quite badly.

A fair sum was realized for the summer picnic fund at the grocery bingo held at the hall on Friday night. Mrs. Albert Horricks was convenor with Mrs. Frank and Ronald Swabey being lunch conveners.

Mrs. George Horricks of Namao has been staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McSporran until Mrs. McSporran is able to take over the daily household duties.

Easter Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Helen Hennessy were Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Liknuss and family of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas George of Edmonton and Bruce George of Calgary were Sunday guests of their mother, Mrs. S. George.

Little Kelly McIntyre of Westward Ho returned to her home recently after a two week stay with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mac McIntyre.

Don't forget the dance held by the Community Club at the hall on Saturday, April 23rd, and the annual Fiddlers contest at Lakeview Pavilion on April 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Loch took Mr. Max Loch of Vancouver to Halkirk on Sunday where he will be employed with an elevator crew of which Goron Kilfoyle is the foreman.

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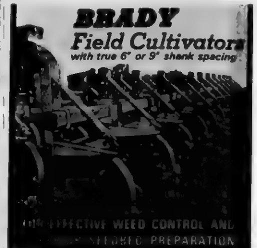


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# Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lindberg and family were visiting for several days during the Easter vacation with relatives at North Battleford, Sask. and were Edmonton visitors later in the week.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell returned home Tuesday afternoon of last week, after spending two weeks visiting with her daughter and family, the Ken Campbells at Leduc. Ken and Marjorie took her mother home.

Mrs. Sophie Chaplin spent the Easter holiday weekend on the fly, Mr. and Mrs. Chorney.

Mrs. M. James returned home from Tofield hospital Tuesday of last week and is feeling some improvement.

**INJURED IN FALL**

While Mr. and Mrs. Don Manchur and small son were Easter holiday visitors with Don's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Manchur and family in Edmonton, Beverly had the misfortune when leaving the house of having a fall and injuring herself badly.

**EASTER RAFFLE**

The Easter dinner hamper which was raffled by the Guide and Brownie Mother's Association was won by Mrs. Melvin Carlson. The ladies, Guides and Brownies wish to thank all those who helped to make this a success, the proceeds which will be used for Guide and Brownie projects.

**ELKS MEETING**

Wednesday, April 13th, seven members of the Holden Lodge BPO Elks attended the District meeting of District No. 14 which was held at Wainwright. Those attending report a very instructive and enjoyable meeting. PER Lyle Grosland was appointed the DDGE. Ruler for the ensuing year for District 14. The district meeting will be held in Holden in 1967.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Grosland and children of Sherwood Park were visiting with their families during the Easter holiday weekend and with the Lyle Grosland family. Mrs. Lillie Grosland and the Alfred Sorenson family were dinner guests with Mrs. Holte of Kingman on Good Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Bell of Edmonton, who have been in Eastern Canada for the past several months where Lorne was on business, returned home about a month ago and were recent visitors in Holden with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bell.

**OORP SALE**

The Holden Lodge OORP held a very successful rummage sale and tea, Saturday in the Holden Masonic Hall. They wish to thank all those who helped to make this endeavour a success by their donations of goods and their patronage. The ladies are hoping to hold another rummage sale in the fall. Three large boxes of clothing, etc., not sold were sent to the Salvation Army for use in their Welfare work.

**POSTER CONTEST**

In the recent poster contest, sponsored by the Canadian Cancer Society, Steven Koppel of Bruce, a student of Holden Junior High School, was awarded the first prize for grades IX and X in the Edmonton and District Division. Steven is a pupil of Mr. Oleh Shykora.

Posters are judged on a regional basis first and then sent to the Provincial office for judging on the that basis. Steven will be receiving his certificate and prize in the near future.

Mrs. H. Tiedemann, sons David and Robert, David Sorenson and Mrs. G. H. Taylor motored to Edmonton early Thursday evening. The boys stayed there planning to see a show and visit with Mrs. Tiedemann's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Morrison, while Mrs. Tiedemann and Mrs. Taylor drove on to Leduc where Mrs. Tiedemann attended a meeting and Mrs. Taylor spent the evening visiting with friends and old time Pioneer residents of Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Emond and daughter Dorothy. Mr. Emond was the editor and publisher of the Holden Herald for many years before they left to reside in Edmonton in the early 1940's.

## Locals . . .

Josie [illegible] visited in Edmonton for a few days last week.

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and Edith spent the weekend at the J. W. Robinson home. Mrs. Robinson returned with them to attend the annual W.A. Convention, held at All Saints Cathedral from April 18th to 20th.

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Cindy Diadick has returned from Winnipeg, where she spent the Easter holidays with relatives.

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Peg and Bob Nahrebeski and family and Zep Gray spent Sunday with Evie and Alan Fair at Lacombe. Betty Gray and Laura Tiedemann returned with them, after spending the Easter holidays there.

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Mrs. O. Hjelter has been visiting with relatives in Calgary for the past three weeks, and plans to be away another week.

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**CURLING CLUB MEETING**

A pot-luck supper will be held at the Tofield Curling Rink on Friday, April 22, at 6:30 p.m. All members of men's, mixed and afternoon clubs are invited. A general and shareholders meeting will follow the supper.

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# Ross Creek news

(L. Van Buskirk)

Mrs. I. Malcolm had her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. Hooker from B.C. visiting her on Good Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferrel and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. McKeller of Sherwood Park were Good Friday guests at Mr. and Mrs. Howard Malcolms.

**FAREWELL PARTY**

A farewell party was held at Bruderheim on Thursday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong. Mr. Armstrong was the Head Warden at Elk Island Park and they are moving back to Riding Mountain, Man.

The Malcavich family spent Easter weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. Rosney at Selmo, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Snider [illegible] Easter with Alma's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hening at Andrew.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ferrel and family visited relatives near Grande Prairie over the weekend but cut their holiday short because of poor road conditions.

Mrs. L. Rustand came to her son Eddie's on Sunday, after spending two weeks in the Lamont hospital. Her daughter took her back to her home at Breton the same day.

Mrs. Syd Cossey came home from the hospital on Monday and is able to get around without the aid of crutches.

The Air Cadets went to Namao Airport on an industrial tour. They were to have an airplane ride, but this may have been cancelled because of the poor weather.

# Oscar Fjellstrom dies suddenly at Vancouver

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Oscar Fjellstrom, one of the district old timers, passed away suddenly at Vancouver at the age of 76 years. Mr. and Mrs. Fjellstrom had arrived there only a short time before Mr. Fjellstrom was stricken with a heart attack on April 8th.

He leaves to mourn his loss: his wife, Lena; four sons, Clarence and Gordon of Edmonton, Lorne and Alfred of Vancouver, B.C.; one daughter, Mrs. John (Harriet) Sue of Holden; nine grandchildren, and two sisters, Miss Mary Fjellstrom of Holden and Miss Alma Fjellstrom of Claresholm, Alberta.

The funeral service was held Thursday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. in the Holden Lutheran Church, with Pastor S. Rude officiating, and interment was in the Holden cemetery. The sympathy of all in the district is extended to the bereaved family.


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# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, April 13 — A large crowd enjoyed the pancake breakfast served by the Parish Luther League at the Centre on Sunday morning. Many extra chairs had to be brought in to seat the large crowd present for the Sunday morning worship services.

The Glenn Francis family were in Edmonton at the Peter Bjornson home for Easter Sunday dinner.

Stan and Bertha Ramstad and Darren arrived at the Arnold Johnson home on Friday and left for their home at Calgary again. On Sunday Grandma Foshaug was also a Sunday dinner guest with the Johnsons.

Ed and Maureen Weener and Lori, Mervin and Diane Krogen and Caroline Foshaug all from Edmonton were visitors at the Ivan Foshaug home for Easter. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bangen from Grande Prairie were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors were Richard and Beatrice Foshaug and daughter from Camrose, Leif and Evelyn Foshaug and boys and Grandma Foshaug.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Rude and family, the L. Rudes and Emil and Gene Rude were at Viking for a family dinner on Easter Sunday at the Edwin Klein home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed [illegible] and girls from Camrose were visitors at the Harry Mosby home.

Glenda, Donna and Ivy Mosby spent the weekend in Edmonton with their aunt Jean Baptist.

The Leonard Stauffer family were visitors in Camrose at the Marvin Moen home for Easter Sunday dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bangen were Sunday overnight guests at the Stauffer home.

Visitors at the Rude home on Sunday to celebrate Clarence's birthday were Olaf and Nora Anderson, Ingolf, Esther and Don Brekkan and the Lars Rude family. The Raymond Brooks family from Wetaskiwin spent Friday and Saturday with Betty's parents and the Carl Nelsons from Edmonton were also home on Saturday. Garry is spending the holidays at the Lars Rude home while Monica and Anita Rude are in Edmonton with the Nelsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Severson had Easter Sunday dinner in Edmonton with their son David. Later in the day they visited at the Walter Scott home.

Don, Patricia and Gregory Litwin [illegible] guests at the Art Layfield home in Edmonton on Sunday evening, later visiting Patricia's uncle and aunt the Garth Evans.

Easter Sunday dinner guests at the Mikall Erickson home were Mr. and Mrs. Milo Holte and children from Grande Prairie, Mrs. Minnie Sorgaard from LaGlace and Mr. and Mrs. B. Erickson and children from Edson.

The Leroy Finseth family visited Leroy's father in Edmonton on Sunday afternoon, later visiting with other relatives there.

Mrs. Van Carr from Camrose, Glenn and Edith Sitler and family and Ed and Gail Look and children from Edmonton, and Harold and Betty Ann Sitler and son spent Easter Sunday at the Elmer Sitler home.

Harold and Audry Kindley and children from Edmonton were dinner guests at the Axel Kindley home on Easter Sunday.

# Kingman news briefs

Mr. and Mrs. I. Ness took their granddaughters, Cheryl and Janet back to Edmonton Thursday and spent the weekend with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Gibson of Viking were Sunday evening visitors at the F. Coykendall home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Liddell and family of Irma were Sunday visitors with the W. Johnsons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawson and boys of Calgary were weekend visitors at the A. Asp home. Mrs. Asp, who spent last week in Calgary, came home with them.

Mrs. Alex Asp, Gertrude and David were Sunday visitors with Miss Carolyn Asp in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Giles and Mrs. F. Giles all of Camrose were Sunday visitors at the W. Bjorgum home, and visited later in the afternoon at the Evenson home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Erga spent Sunday afternoon at Meeting Creek with the Lyle Erga family.

SEARCH FOR TALENT

Those from here attending the Search for Talent semi-finals at Chipman on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson and Randy, Mrs. Ingrid Hovelson, Bobby and Vernon Pederson, John Van Reil, Reg Thompson and Carol Skalin. Randy Anderson and Vernon Pederson were second place winners in showmanship.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Storvick and girls of Camrose were Friday evening visitors with the John Johnsons.

Miss Juliet [illegible]gseth who is manager of the Co-op store at Busby, and her brother Morley were visitors with the Phillip Andersons on Friday. The Bill Green family of Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests with Debby remainin to spend the holidays. Fay went back to Edmonton with the Greens to visit there.


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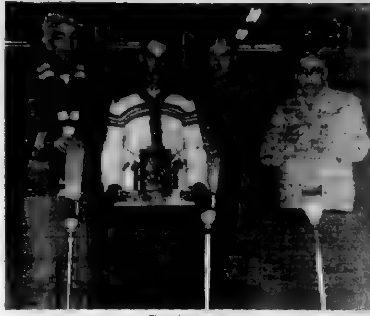

Winning farmers

These tired but smiling men struggled to the top at the recent Tofield Farmers' Bonspiel, and proudly accepted the Palm Dairies trophy from H. Paege, Tofield Manager. On the rink and shown above are A. Oeubault, R. Ferguson, Don Hole and Lorn Lee. - Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Spilstead news briefs

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbother)

The regular meeting of the Spilstead Ladies Society was held at the home of Mrs. Josephine Paulson on April 6th. A very busy afternoon was spent in carding wool for a quilt. The next meeting to be held in May at Mrs. Hazel Ray's home.

Saturday night guests at the C. A. Barnhard home were Miss Bernice Barnhard and Joe Miller and Ted Barnhard and children. On Sunday Edward Barnhard, Miss Gladys and her father, and sister, also Allen and Dorothy visited the Barnhard family. In the evening Wallace Lee and also Mrs. Florence Cornelius visited there.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Olson and son visited Mrs. Marion Fairbrother recently. Darlene went back with them for a visit to Alix. Darrel Marchuk was also a visitor with Mrs. Marion Fairbrother.

Recent visitors at the Floyd Erickson home were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nelson and family, and Rodney and Dianne Dahl. Mr. and Mrs. F. Erickson and girls attended the birthday party for Dean and Blair Wiens at Tofield.

Jeanne, Dianne and Sandy Schwyll were recent visitors at the Ernest Belcourt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Heflin were to Forestburg recently to visit Mrs. Heflin's father, A. Brown who has been ill.


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# Ross Creek news

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hauer spent the Easter weekend visiting relatives in Medicine Hat.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Schacher and Mr. and Mrs. M. Schacher and family spent Easter with Gene and Max's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Schacher in Edmonton.

Easter visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Van Buskirk were Mr. and Mrs. G. Carlisle and family and Marilyn Schacher of Ketchamoot and Allen Franklin of Bruderheim.

Irlene Seib, Barbara Geogiels, Mrs. Miskew, Mavis Jacobsen, Doris Schacher and Lil Van Buskirk called on Lizzie Schacher on Friday afternoon to wish her a happy birthday.

**Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sharun on the birth of twin boys, Brian and Brent, at Mundare Hospital, April 4th.**


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## 'My Bank' directors to hold meetings in Calgary, Edmonton

The directors of the Bank of Montreal will visit Edmonton and Calgary for board meetings on consecutive days at the end of May, Horace Sellar, manager at the Tofield B of M branch, has announced.

The two-cities program is believed to be the first of its kind held anywhere by the board of a Canadian chartered bank.

Mr. Sellar said the bank's directors from many parts of Canada and from abroad will gather first in Edmonton and then will move to Calgary.

The Alberta meetings are the latest in a series away from the head office and are designed to give the bank's directors the broadest possible knowledge of regional conditions in various parts of the country, Mr. Sellar said.

Alberta representatives on the Bank of Montreal board are Gordon H. Allen, Q.C., partner, Messrs. Allen, MacKimmie, Matthews, Wood, Phillips and Smith of Calgary, and H. J. S. Pearson, president, Prairie Pacific Distributors Limited of Edmonton.

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## FUTURE DATES

**LAKESHORE - McKENZIE RESIDENTS MEETING**

Residents of Lakeshore and McKenzie are urged to attend a meeting in the Town Hall on Saturday, April 30th, at 8.00 p.m. 34-35c-3254

## ENGAGEMENTS

Mr and Mrs Emil Pilger are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty Nelly, to Mr Lyle Grant Sundberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edna Sundberg and the late Mr Carl Sundberg of Calgary, Alberta. The wedding will take place June 4th, 1966, in the United Church, Camrose, Alberta. 34p-3251

Mrs Annie Hunley wishes to announce the forthcoming marriage of her son, Frederick James Hunley, to Margaret Rose Heitman. The wedding will take place on May 20th, 1966, at 5 00 p m., in the Tofield Catholic Church. 34p-3230

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## LEGAL NOTICES

### FOR SALE BY TENDER

**ESTATE OF GEORGE WASHINGTON ROTH, Deceased**

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Offers for all or any part of the said lands will be subject to a lease expiring December 31, 1966, and to approval by the Supreme Court of Alberta.

Sealed bids for the purchase of the above property, stating whether terms or cash, to be submitted to the Public Trustee, 10405 - 100 Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta, up to 2 00 o'clock in the afternoon on the 11th day of May, A.D. 1966. Term offers to specify the nature of terms desired, including the rate of interest.

Tenders should be forwarded in a sealed envelope and marked, "Tender, Roth Estate" and a certified cheque for Ten per cent (10%) of the offer must accompany same.

The highest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

Deposits will be returned to unsuccessful Tenderers.

PUBLIC TRUSTEE,
10405 - 100 Avenue,
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## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE To Creditors and Claimants

**IN THE ESTATE OF NORMAN JACOB GUNTHER, late of Tofield, who died on the 6th day of October, 1965.**

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the "above" named must file with THE UNDERSIGNED by the 2nd day of June, 1966, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

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**W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister**
**Sunday, April 24th**
10:00 a.m. -Teen Church.
11 00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "The Power of Resurrection".

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First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ......... 9:00 a m.
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**Sunday, April 24th**
10 15 a.m.—Worship Service.
11 15 a.m.—Sunday School

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
**Sunday, April 24th**
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages.
11 00 a.m.—Worship Service.
8 00 p.m.—Young People present Program. Topic: "Ye Shall Be My Witness". Film. "The Big Blast".
Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. — Bible Study for the entire family.
Friday, 8:00 p.m.—Ladies' Mission Program.
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**Pastor Don McLean**
**Sunday, April 24th**
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8 00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 2 30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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**Sunday, April 24th**
HOLDEN—
10 00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11 00 a m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10 00 a m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a m.—Divine Service.

## Ross Creek district news briefs

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Reinhardt celebrated their 24th anniversary and a silver wedding anniversary party was held for Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bomarsin in the Hilliard hall. Best wishes for many more happy years to both couples.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Malcolm visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Alton after the program put on by the Ladies Aid at Partridge Hills on Saturday evening. The ladies report a very successful evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kwasnechi in Edmonton.

A liquid embroidery demonstration was held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Eileen Reinhardt with approximately 15 guests present. Mrs. Stannard and Mrs. H. Ferrel of Sherwood Park did the demonstrating. Each lady was given a quilt block to embroider which was handed in to the UCW sewing committee.

Mrs. Marie Henry and children of Red Deer and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stadnick were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. Malcolm.

Mr and Mrs Raymond McLachlan were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs Geo. McLachlan on Monday evening.

Blair and Cameron Malcolm attended Kids Bids at CFRN-TV on Friday.

**"DOWN UNDER" PICTURES**

Everyone is invited to attend a program of slides on Australia, at the Ross Creek Community Hall on April 29th, when Judy Eglinski will be showing the pictures she took on her year's [illegible] of the land Down Under. Silver collection will be taken.

Mrs. [illegible] Ferrel and [illegible] and children had coffee with Mrs. Mary Ferrel on Friday afternoon.

The Sidowski girls of Lindbrook spent the Easter vacation with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford.

Mrs Wilfred Ford had her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Holtz of Beaverlodge, visiting her over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Van Buskirk and boys attended the "Little Ole Opry" show starring the Rodgers Brothers in Tofield on Thursday evening.

Maureen McLachlan was an overnight guest of Judy Van Buskirk Thursday.

Mrs. Margaret Herndon, June and Tom visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Comey on Sunday.

The Air Cadets were unable to have a plane ride on Tuesday because of the weather so they returned on Friday and had a flight over Lamont, Chipman and Ross Creek. This was a memorable event for the first year Cadets.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ulan and Mr. and Mrs. Graham Snider attended the Cotton Ball in Mundare on Saturday evening.

Maxine Schacher spent her Easter holidays with her aunt, Mrs. Doug Dann in Tofield.

The Jack Ferrel family had supper with the Sniders on Friday evening.

**Stewart Snider is in Lamont Hospital after having the misfortune of fracturing his ankle when the horse he was riding threw him on Sunday evening.**

Delores Schacher holidayed with her aunt, Mrs. Gene Schacher.

Mrs. Lorraine Barrow and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Barron of Edmonton visited the Maurice Van Buskirks on Thursday

## Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, April 18 — The Kingman Variety Program will be held at the hall on Saturday, April 23rd at 8 p.m.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. May on April 10th at St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose, a daughter.**

Mr and Mrs. G. Paulgaard and Mr and Mrs N. Spilde, all of Provost were Friday visitors with Mr and Mrs E. Setjehaug.

Alvin and Ronnie Pederson of New Westminster, B.C. spent Thursday to Monday with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. Pederson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Ovelson, Peggy and Beverly spent Sunday in Edmonton with relatives.


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We will have three demonstrations within the County and interested farmers are urged to attend the demonstration in their area.

Watch for posters in towns throughout the County.

The Agricultural Committee will pay a 5 (five) cent Bounty on Magpies killed within the County of Beaver. Magpie feet must be treated with formalin or salt brine, thoroughly dried and submitted to the ASB office on the last day of the month.

Rex Boyles
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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. L. Benson were Edmonton visitors during the Easter holiday, returning home on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. O. Augustine of Edmonton, former Holden district resident, was a recent visitor with several friends, staying with the Hans Brekstads, Mrs. Mabel Sizer and calling on the Ruskenvolds.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer with her daughter, Gurene and family, the C. Hammers of Viking spent the Easter holiday weekend visiting with Mrs. Sizer's daughter and Gurene's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earling Henderson. Mrs. Sizer reported lovely warm weather with farmers seeding the crop.

Jack Keith was a business visitor in Edmonton Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Barlow, with their daughter Beth, Ernie and children, were Easter weekend visitors in Calgary with their daughter Muriel and family, the Ted Andersons. Three of the Merta children stayed to visit with their aunt and uncle and three of the Anderson children returned home with the Mertas to visit for the week.

HOLIDAY AT COAST

Pete Jakobow, daughter Elizabeth and small son were visiting with friends for several days during the Easter holiday, at Vancouver returning home on Wednesday afternoon.

Oscar Ruskenvold was a hospital patient in Tofield for a few days last week having treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Barlow were business visitors in Viking last Thursday afternoon and called on their daughter and family, the Ernie Mertas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Thygeson and family of Calgary were visitors for a few days during the Easter holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keith, and with the Ralph Keiths.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce [illegible] and children of Manning, who spent a week during the Easter holiday with Mrs. Armitage's parent's, the Clint Armstrongs, were business visitors in Edmonton Tuesday of last week, returning home the end of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Albrecht and family were visitors during the Easter holiday weekend with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. R. Laskoski and family of Leduc.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Slywka of Sherwood Park were visitors Friday with the former's mother, Mrs. Wm. Slywka.

Mrs. T. A. Liden has been staying several days the past week at the home of her son, and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. Liden, Edmonton, supervising the children while their parents were away.

HOME FROM U.S.A.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kondrat returned home Thursday of last week from a five week trip to various points in the United States. We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Kondrat are leaving the farm and intend going to Edmonton to make their home.

**Mrs. Mary Andrews returned home from Tofield hospital over a week ago after being a patient there since the beginning of December.**

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell of Viking (nee Carol Hurum) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Tuesday, April 12th, at Viking hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hurum were visitors Wednesday with their daughter seeing their new grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson were Sunday visitors at the home of their daughter, Kay and family, the Coombes in the Tofield area, seeing their new grandaughter.

Lloyd Bell has returned home from the University hospital where he was a patient for several days.

Miss Marian Michlich of Edmonton was a visitor with her father, Harry Michlich Wednesday also calling on other relatives here. She was on her way home from her vacation.

TO MANITOBA

Mr. and Mrs. L. Olson, with Miss Margaret Robertson, motored to Roblin, Man., Wednesday of last week to visit with Miss Robertson's parents. They returned to Holden the following Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Barlow were Sunday visitors and dinner guests with their daughter Beth and family in the Viking district. Also visiting with the Mertas for the weekend were her sister Muriel and family, the Ted Andersons, of Calgary.

## Pre-nuptial shower honors Carol Sizer

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Ladies of Holden and district met the evening of April 13th in the Legion Hall to honor Miss Carol Sizer, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer, prior to her marriage to Alvin Chomick in Edmonton on Saturday, April 16th.

The guest of honor and her mother were presented with lovely corsages which were pinned on them by Mrs. Ethel Brekstad and Mrs. Don MacGregor. The evening was spent in playing a number of contests in charge of Mesdames Ida Mason, Ethel Brekstad and Mrs. MacGregor, which all the ladies enjoyed. The head table was centred with a beautiful cake, made and decorated by Mrs. Betty MacGregor, who also made the presentation to Carol of many lovely and useful gifts and the good wishes of those present. Carol then thanked all very graciously for their kindness and good wishes for her future happiness.

A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses.

## Mission is grateful for cancelled stamps

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Members of the Pioneer Group are in receipt of "thank you" from the Leprosy Mission for the recent parcel of used stamps which they sent.

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**New unit**

Fire Chief Neil Reid and his crew of 14 volunteer firemen pose proudly with the new fire engine to serve Ryley and district. The new unit has a 500-gallon-per-minute pump with a 700-gallon water tank. The Fire Chief received the keys for the truck which arrived on March 21st from Mayor A. R. Cross. To date the only times the engine has been used was for burning grass as a precautionary measure. The brigade holds twice-monthly practices. The Ryley Fire Department intends to form a rural fire protection association for fire protection to surrounding farmers and sell shares at $50 each. The old unit was kept so that at no time would the village be without fire-fighting equipment, even if a village and a rural alarm were sounded at the same time. Mercury Photo

## Beef club discusses its achievement day

(Grant Cossey)

The Tofield 4-H Beef Club held their monthly meeting on April 21st. Discussions were held regarding the Achievement Day, to be held on June 8th. A final judging competition will take place at the Donald Wood's farm on May 23rd.

Plans were completed for the yearly tour of all the 4-H farms, held Saturday.

It was decided to hold the annual Tofield 4-H Day this Saturday. Both groups will take part in this event. The Peewee group will shine shoes and sell pop-corn, while the older group will wash cars and hold a bake sale. Tickets were given out for a raffle to be held later. The prize is half a beef, cut, wrapped and frozen.

Laurie Weatherill demonstrated the slow moving vehicle signs, which are going to be sold by the club.

After the meeting, Mr. Night, the Alberta Wheat Pool fieldman for this district, showed a very interesting film on the Calgary Stampede.

## County of Beaver honors Lars Olsons on retirement

The School Committee of the County of Beaver honored Lars and Blanche Olson at a retirement ceremony held in Ryley on April 22nd.

Lars Olson will be retiring from the teaching profession on June 30th of this year. His many years with the Holden School Division and the County of Beaver were repaid in part by tokens and words of esteem from School Committee members, County office staff, maintenance workers and administrative personnel.

More than 33 people sat down to a banquet, catered to by the Rebekah ladies of Ryley. Following the banquet, a short program was presented under the chairmanship of Mr. Olson's friend and co-worker, H. A. Pike Chairman of the School Committee. Jack Roddick spoke of Lars' service to this area, and presented him with a pullman case, wishing him a happy journey into retirement. Mr. Olson replied in an appropriate manner, describing all the humorous details of teaching in the past and at present. Walter Kropielnicki presented Mrs. Olson with an overnight case, and in his remarks paid tribute to her for her many years of effort in helping Lars make a successful career of teaching. She replied by remarking the case would be packed, ready to accompany Lars anywhere he chooses to go.

On behalf of the Alberta Teachers' Association, Bill Ogrodnick, principal designate of the Holden school, paid additional tribute to Lars for his work for the teachers of Alberta.

The gathering was pleased and privileged to be entertained by Larry Benson, who presented two number, the first being a parody on the tune "Camelot", poking a bit of fun at Lars' career at the Holden school. The rest of the evening was spent in visiting with Blanche and Lars, and an impromptu sing-song.

Guests attending the affair were the guests of honor, Mr. and Mrs. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Olof Monsson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cross, Mrs. Harriett Ruddy, Miss Arlene Dorin, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stinson, Harold Weatherill, Carl Nord, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kropielnicki, Mr. and Mrs. Geo Knudslien, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Josey, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Shibinski, Mr. and Mrs. William Ogrodnick, Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Semotiuk, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Benson, Mr. and Mrs. William Dorin, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roddick, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pike, and John Knudslien.

## Mass choir to bring 'Song Fest' to Tofield

A Song Fest will be conducted at the Tofield Mennonite Brethren Church this Sunday. There will be a number of selections sung by a massed choir under the direction of John A. Pauls, AMM, BMeD, MMeD, presently instructor of music at Victoria Composite High School, Edmonton. He is a graduate in music of Mennonite Brethren Bible College, Winnipeg, Tabor College of Hillsboro, Kansas, and Wichita State College, Kansas, U.S.A.

[illegible] are gathering here from Grande Prairie district in the north to Bassano district to the south. Some 80 to 90 singers are expected to participate in the Song Fest. Guest speaker at the occasion will be the Rev. Peter Rempel of Edmonton.

The Song Fest will begin at 2:00 p.m. Sunday, and is sponsored by the Provincial Youth and Music Committee of Mennonite Brethren Churches.

The regular morning worship service will be somewhat different than usual. There will be no Sunday School for children and the five, or so, individual choirs will be singing at that time.

The public is cordially invited to hear the singing and share in the blessings at these church functions. Time: Morning Service, 10:00; Song Fest, 2:00 p.m.

## Tofield student honored

Sydney Taekema was recognized for his outstanding academic performance winter term by being named to the Honor Roll at Cascade College in Portland, Oregon.

Syd graduated from Tofield High School in 1961. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Taekema, reside in Tofield.

## Junior Hi-Lites

(Joy Warkentin)

The Junior High School is planning its annual Grade IX farewell banquet. The Grade VIII's are in charge of decorations and will be aided by the Grade VII's. A dance is being planned for later. Both events will be held in May.

Junior High class pictures were taken on April 4th. The results have come and are available to the Junior High students.

## THE WEATHER . . .

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| 23 | 57 | 35 | 27.67 | —— |
| 24 | 36 | 30 | 27.85 | —— |
| 25 | 46 | 33 | [illegible] | 14" snow |
| 26 | 42 | 30 | — | 1" snow |
| 27 | — | 13 | 27.98 | snow |

## Curling club names four new directors

The Tofield Curling Club ended the season with a pot-luck supper on Friday night, with about 40 people present. The financial statements and other reports were presented, followed by the elections.

New members elected to the board of directors were, E. Geogelein, G. Pettit, Mrs. I. V. Francis and Mrs. R. Sears. The first meeting for the new board of directors will be held Saturday, April 30th, in the curling rink, at which time the new executive for the coming year will be appointed.

The "War on the Drip" project received a good boost financially at the gathering, and any member who has not contributed is asked to see Jack Whyte.

## 4-H Day in Tofield Sat. April 30th

# Plaudits for Legion

Meeting in annual convention recently, the Royal Canadian Legion reversed its stand of two years ago and adopted the maple leaf as the official flag of the Legion, rather than the Red Ensign.

Whatever feelings the Ensign may stir up, we cannot but applaud the Legion for publicly moving into step with the times. The red maple leaf flag is Canada's official flag, and nothing short of an Act of Parliament can change that. The warm affection and sentiment attached to the Ensign on historical grounds cannot be denied, but the official flag of a group is a matter of law and not of sentiment. And while many members of the Legion may think of themselves occasionally as a "lawless" bunch, the fact is, the group was founded on the determination of men and women to maintain our way of life.

Over the years many regiments and squadrons have laid away "colors" which are no longer in current use, in ceremonies replete with pomp and dignity. The same honor should be accorded now to the much-loved Red Ensign.

# Witching or watching

Generations of rural people have come to realize how important is the person who can "witch" for water, that is, find underground water by bent hazel sticks or other means. Very often, the existence of whole communities depended on the uncanny skill of some "dowser" or "witcher" for water.

But in the generations yet to come, the existence of Canadian communities probably will depend on the way we watch our water here in Canada. In many parts of the country we are talking about exporting our water to the United States since there seems to be a surplus, without realizing that we cannot just turn off the water when it suits our purpose. Water, gas and power are utilities which require continuous supply once they're committed, and are not at all like wheat or cattle or hardware or radios, which can be cut off at a moment's notice for any consideration.

One of the great assets Canada has at present, which promises to contribute handsomely to her development, is her immense store of water resources. Surely it would be the height of folly to turn it over to the United States for a few paltry dollars, and in return lose the opportunity for development within our own country which these resources would generate.

We agree entirely with General A. G. L. McNaughton who has for years resisted any encroachment against Canadian waters, and who has many times warned Canadian politicians that they tend to underestimate the importance of the factors involved.

There is still no demonstrable shortage of water in the country to our south. But there is a demonstrable shortsightedness and arrogant wastefulness in their use of the water they have. If their present water resources were properly utilized, there is every reason to believe there would be no need for our most precious resource.

# Revolt in Ottawa

One of Canada's best known political commentators, Blair Fraser suggests these days there is a revolt brewing in Ottawa, with the younger generation, in all parties, anxious to overthrow the "old guard".

Only one of many young firebrands, thirty-four year old Conservative Pat Nowlan recently told a student group "The trouble with Parliament is that the men who dominate it are representatives of a minority generation. Parliament is still shackled by the disputes of 30 years ago."

"Who cares who insulted whom in 1962?" demands another.

There's a tremendous amount of claptrack talked these days about the minority older generation, and the majority younger generation. Personally, we see ourselves as roughly half way between the two (which probably means we're over the hill already.) But the Ontario Society on Aging points out "Of all people who have ever reached the age of 65 since the dawn of mankind, 25 per cent are alive today."

There is no question whatever that the world's total store of knowledge is increasing with incredible speed, doubling at ever reducing periods. Yet the simple fact, ignored by the rebel generation, is that nearly all of this vast increase in knowledge lies in the fields of the sciences. Little has been added in the field of humanities and virtually nothing in the area of moralities is new in the past two thousand years.

For our own part, these are the emphases we want to see from our government. We'll agree it's not the most efficient, but anytime the voters want it, they can have a government which will develop the utmost in efficiency, the utmost in control of the individual, the highest level of computerization, and so on. We could have it. But we don't think we'd want it.

And we don't think the young rebels really want it, either.


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# By George!

Friends of Tony Cox, former news director for the Camrose radio station teased him on more than one occasion for his Australian accent which came to light quite often during his newscasts. Many was the time he spoke of "Alberter" and "Armener", but needless to say listeners missed his golden tones and the familiar accent after he decided about six months ago to return to his native "Australier".

Since returning "down under" Tony has been engaged in radio of course, but oddly enough, not in broadcasting. Friends in the area will get a chuckle from the following excerpt from a letter I received from Tony Monday.

"I am at Radio Station 2GB. For most of the time I work, I re-write newspaper copy for radio. Can you imagine? The management does not allow me to go near a microphone for broadcasting, because of my alien 'Canadian' accent. I have taped myself and there is rather a difference. However, on Sunday an awkward situation for them arose. Because of a mistake in drawing up the roster, I was the duty journalist and the only person at the station that had ever been on the air before. The other announcer was a woman and an even more rigid station policy is never to allow women to do newscasts. So before I had finished my 15 minutes on the air the telephone began to buzz wanting to know who the new voice was, where did he come from and what the h--- was an un-Australian voice doing on 2GB. One character said, and I quote 'Get that blank-blank Yankee off the air'. Others, however were a little more polite and wanted some information on Canada. Needless to say, I haven't been back on the air."

It seems Tony's Canadian accent is now more pronounced than is his Australian.

# From the mail bag

### WHY BANFF LOST THE 1972 WINTER OLYMPICS

Camrose, April 27, 1966

Dear Sir:

Most people will blame the group of people who said the games would hurt the Wildlife in the park. Perhaps this group had a little to do with it.

However, the reason, I am sure is because the men in charge in Calgary thought more of the commercial value to them and their business friends, then in the value of a good Amateur Olympic Sport Spectacle.

The Olympic Games are a meeting place of people from all nations and of all classes rich and poor. This goes for both competitors and spectators.

Why did not the people in charge when they were sent to the World Champion Ski Meet in Oslo Norway observe and learn from what they saw — namely 35,000 people watching the tournament with the King and family mixing with the crowd. Everybody was willing to help, to see that the tournament would be a success. No organized business for a few to make money.

A National Park and the facilities in the Park like motels, hotels, ski-lifts, rivers, hills, etc. should be run or at least controlled, by the Government, so anybody could afford to enjoy a holiday or take in the Olympic Games without leaving a year's savings to a few business concerns. The Park belongs to the people, and so does the Olympic Games.

Mr Brundage, being the man in the group who selects the site for the Olympic, easily could see through our Calgary and our other delegates in Rome.

Yours sincerely,

One for Amateur and Not Commercial Sport

# MacDuff Ottawa report

### CHOICE OF SOVEREIGNTIES

OTTAWA — The Quebec election of June 5 should be of far more than passing interest to the rest of Canada. There has seldom been an election with more significance for the future shape not only of Quebec, but of Canada itself.

What the voters of Quebec are being asked to decide, in general terms, is just how much autonomy their province should have. The choices being offered them range from a stronger Quebec within Confederation to outright independence.

In these terms therefore the "moderate" approach is that of Premier Lesage and his Liberals though moderation is perhaps the last thing Mr Lesage might be accused of by many English speaking Canadians.

In calling the election Mr. Lesage said he wanted a renewed mandate for participation in the federal - provincial tax sharing negotiations, which will be the most important political event of the fall and winter.

Quebec's success in these negotiations will determine more than any other factor how much fiscal autonomy the province shall obtain and therefore how much political autonomy.

### POINTING THE WAY

In other words, what is being negotiated in these federal - provincial conferences is a new kind of Canada, a Canada in which the provinces and the federal authority will stand in a different relationship to each other, in which the relationships between French and English-speaking elements will be changed.

No election ever produces unequivocal answers to pressing questions, but it can frequently clarify issues and attitude. If the Quebec election does that, it will indeed perform a great service.

Quebec's drive for autonomy and self-expression has produced many extreme side effects and much confusion within and without the province. No major political party, not even the governing Liberals, has been able to give clear expression to its political goals, or to its concept of Quebec's place in Confederation.

Even the Separatists who one might think would be united in the simple desire to secede from Canada have split into rival groups.

### NO COMFORT FOR REST OF CANADA

Out of the confusion, however is emerging some kind of consensus which is probably best expressed by the Liberals, who had a large majority in the last legislature and seem destined to win another victory.

The approach of Mr. Lesage is a pragmatic one but it is based on a concern for a strong Quebec,

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## MacDuff Ottawa report

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with a strong Canada necessarily taking second place in his scheme of things.

**In other words, there is little comfort anywhere for those who wishfully expect that Quebec might somehow forget its aspirations and settle down to behave like a good and obedient little province.**

That kind of comfort, perhaps fortunately, is not to be found anywhere in modern Quebec.

The one common ingredient of all major parties in the election is a desire for more sovereignty for the province.

The Liberals, perhaps purposely, do not try to express this in concrete terms, but seek it in concrete action. Mr. Lesage contents himself with promoting "a strong Quebec, stronger than ever", and has been avoiding his recent flirtations with ambiguous political concepts such as a "particular status" for Quebec.

There are at least five other parties fighting this election. With the exception of the rather odd Quebec Conservative party, which purports to represent English-speaking Quebec, they all seek greater autonomy than the Liberals do.

### MANY-SIDED

Next in importance to the Liberals is the National Union Party which held 28 of the 95 seats in the last Legislature (The Liberals held 63, there was one independent, and three vacancies on dissolution).

Changes in the electoral law have increased the number of seats in the Legislature, and there may be as many as 500 candidates seeking election.

The National Union, under Daniel Johnson, will have a full slate of candidates. After flirting with separatism, Mr Johnson finally rejected it in favor of "more sovereignty" for Quebec. This appears to mean a form of associate state which would be independent in everything but name, and perhaps eventually in that, too.

One other party is expected to field a nearly complete slate. It is le Ralliement National, a merger of right wing separatists and of the provincial wing of the Social Credit Rally.

Le Ralliement National, while not advocating separatism, does advocate associate statehood, which must be deemed to be just about the same thing.

This strange marriage will try to capitalize on rural and labour unrest, hoping to regain some of the fire lit by Real Caouette's Creditistes in recent Federal elections.

The Province's largest separatist organization Le Rassemblement pour l'Independence Nationale (RIN) is expected to have about 50 candidates. It will also have the purest program—independence, complete and final, for Quebec.

RIN President Pierre Bourgault, who will be a candidate in the new Duplessis riding, doesn't expect to win any seats. He expects a large Liberal majority, with resulting governmental errors and arrogance.

And that, he says, "will set us up" for the election of 1970. That seems an optimistic view. If the RIN fails to win any seats this time, it must be interpreted as a severe setback for the whole movement. It can only mean that the people of Quebec prefer the less drastic reforms represented by the older parties.

**The RIN will likely never get a better chance than it has this time. The voting age has been lowered to 18, and if it is true that the separatist appeal is greatest to the young, these thousands of new voters should make their influence felt.**

The Quebec Socialist Party, finally, with only a handful of candidates, will try to appeal to labour groups with a mixture of social reform and a large measure of independence for Quebec.

What is clear from all this is that Quebec voters on June 5 are being asked to choose among various forms of sovereignty for Quebec. Some of these forms may be compatible with a united, if different, Canada. Others are definitely incompatible with that.

At the moment it appears that the only compatible form is that offered by the Liberals. A victory for Premier Lesage, as thorny and determined as he is, will unquestionably therefore be in the best interests of Canada.

# Locals . . .

**NEW ADDRESS**

Mrs. Bessie Pederson, Ross Creek news correspondent for many years, has written The Mercury, asking us to publish her new address for the convenience of her friends in the area. It is Rosslyn Lodge, 10820 - 133A, Ave., Edmonton. Bessie sends greetings to all, and says she enjoys her new position as housekeeper at the Lodge.

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Mr and Mrs. Jim Johnson of Williams Lake, B.C. visited last week with Mr. and Mrs Leslie Rogers. Mrs. Johnson is Leslie's sister.

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## Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Ellen Eaton)

Ervie and Vic Halwa and two sons were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Evie's parents, John and Mary Wood.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton and [illegible] Ross motored to [illegible] Sunday and [illegible] visitors and [illegible] guests at the home of [illegible] son Leroy and Shirley Eaton. Also Sunday [illegible] and dinner guests there were Shirley's mother, Mrs. Vera Raper and family, Brenda, [illegible] and Edith [illegible] and [illegible] McCutcheon all of Lavoy. [illegible] remained with her sister Shirley and Leroy and family for a few days visit.

### BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED

Emil and Martha Tiedemann of Lakeshore and Martha's father, Emil Goubault of Tofield were among 40 guests who gathered at the home of Sandy and Irene Scott at Lindbrook to help them celebrate their daughter, Betty-Ann's and Delph Campion's birthdays on Sunday afternoon. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent visiting followed by a birthday luncheon.

Mrs. Marilyn Langille and sons Greg and Trev of [illegible] arrived Thursday evening at the home of her parents, Ollie and Verlyn Moos. They motored from Calgary with Marilyn's cousin, [illegible] and [illegible], of Tofield who were returning home from a holiday trip to the U.S.A.

Miss Loretta Ross of St Albert, Mrs. Emily Carlisle of Edmonton and Mrs. Pat Glover of Tofield were Saturday afternoon visitors and tea guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood.

Mrs. Marilyn Langille and boys were Saturday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the [illegible] of her friends, Diane and [illegible] Riel.

Johnny and Gloria Wood and baby Cathy motored to Onoway on Sunday to visit Gloria's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller. Johnny returned home Sunday night and Gloria and Cathy [illegible] to [illegible] a week with her parents.

Mrs. Ollie Moos, and [illegible]ter, Mrs. Marilyn Langille and two boys of Calgary were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Marilyn's friend, Doris and Howard Brown of Lindbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fox and family of Edmonton were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Howard and Mae F[illegible] on April 15th. Mrs. Loretta Weir of Edmonton also spent the weekend at the home of her parents.

Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton were Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of their son Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen.

On Monday Mrs. Ollie Moos and daughter Mrs. Marilyn Langille and sons were early afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood, and later they were afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs Mavis Jacobsen.

**All those residents of the Lakeshore-McKenzie district interested in the disposal of the Community Hall are urged to attend a meeting in the Town Hall on Saturday, April 30th at 8 p.m.**

Elmer and Vivian Geoglein and children of Ardrossan were Monday evening visitors at the home of their parents, Elmer and Vi Geoglein, Sr.

### WINNERS AT AMATEUR HOUR

Among those from the Lakeshore district who attended the Amateur Hour at Ryley on Saturday evening were Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen and family and the Arnold Jones family. Lyle Jacobsen won second place in the 9 to 13 year class, with his accordian solo.

Arnold Jones, his son, Wayne and their cousin, Lyle Johnson won first place as a trio in the Adult Class; Arnold with the violin, Wayne with the guitar and Lyle with the accordian.

On Sunday, Mrs. Margurete Myers accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Garford to Edmonton where they picked up Margurete's mother, Mrs. (Gram) Moos, Sr., from a nursing home and all motored to the home of Margurete's son, Bud and Joan Myers at Ardrossan where they were dinner guests and afternoon visitors. Margurete's daughter, Vivian and Doug Murray and two children of Tofield were also dinner guests and afternoon visitors at Vivian's brother's home. Later all returned to Tofield where Gram Moos was an overnight guest of her daughter. They took her back to her home in Edmonton on Monday.

Hans and Rosel Jessen and family of Tofield were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein.

Miss Peggy Taylor and a friend of Edmonton were Saturday visitors at the home of her aunt, Vi and Elmer Geoglein.

John and Lena Baergen were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of George and Ida Niemetz. Gail Niemetz and Bob Osubke of Edmonton were also home over the weekend.

George Abernathy motored to Edmonton and took six boys from Tofield to the Victoria swimming pool on Friday for an evening of swimming.

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The Mercury

# School committee meets April 12th

Following are the minutes, in part, of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee meeting, held Tuesday, April 12.

**Business Arising [illegible]**

In regards to the Janitors' Agreements, the Committee was advised that the Agreements had been duly signed by the janitors, by the Reeve and the Secretary-Treasurer and had been forwarded to the Chief Inspector of the Board of Industrial Relations.

It was moved and carried that the report be accepted.

**Teacher Recruitment**

In regards to the Teacher Recruitment, Mr Pike reported that the County of Wetaskiwin, by special permission, had been allowed to combine with Zone 3 in the Teacher Recruitment Program. He stated that G. M. Gault was now travelling in Eastern Canada but that it would be difficult to hire teachers on the spot. There was, Mr Pike stated, too many recruitment programs going on. He stated that he had two or three teachers coming for interviews. He had one teacher hired for Grade 7 at Bruce.

In regards to the situation in the County's schools, Mr Pike reported on the teacher supply. He stated that Mr and Mrs. Syrotchen of Viking had resigned, but that it had been possible to obtain substitute teachers to take care of the situation until the end of the school year. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Kniss were leaving but, in this case also, replacements had been obtained.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the Building Program at Viking, Mr Pike stated that the work was coming along very well. The roofers and sheet metal workers were to start work on Wednesday, April 13th, the cement block work was practically completed, plumbing and electrical work was progressing on time.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the milk dispensers, motion 114/66, the Committee was advised that the outstanding accounts at Tofield and Holden had been paid by Palm Dairies.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra, the Committee was informed by the Superintendent that the attendance at the performance at Edmonton on April 2 had been very well attended, with a large number of buses going from the various points in the County.

He also stated that 14 members of the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra had travelled to Holden and grades 5 and 6, from the County schools, had been invited to attend a session where they were shown the use of the various instruments. There had been a very good attendance. Mr. Pike requested permission to, on behalf of the Committee, express appreciation to Brian Priestman and Mrs. Helen Sinclair.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and that a letter of appreciation be forwarded.

In regards to Secretarial help for Principals, Mr Pike reported that Mrs. Faye Dodds had been employed on a part-time basis at the Ryley school. Holden and Viking schools have no assistance lined up at the present time. The Secretaries were being paid at the rate of $1.25 per hour. This, of course, might have to be adjusted later on when it is definitely ascertained what assistance is actually forthcoming for the Principals.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

The Reeve brought up the matter of the increase in bus drivers' pay, and he referred to the fact that it had not been stated in the minutes when this increase would become effective. It was stated that the date of March 1st had been mentioned during the March meeting, and for record purposes it was [illegible] carried that the increase in bus drivers' pay be effective as from March 1, 1966.

**Correspondence**

A letter from the High School Editor of the Tofield school, requesting that the County sponsor a page in the Tofield Yearbook at a cost of $10, was referred to the Committee.

Moved and carried that the County does sponsor a page in the Tofield Yearbook at a cost of $10.

A letter from J. W. McKay, Director of Safety Division, Highway Traffic Board, in regards to the possibility of establishing driver training in the High Schools was now read to the Committee. The letter indicated that a member of the Staff of the Safety [illegible] would be pleased to attend a meeting and fully discuss the matter. The pros and cons were discussed to some extent, and it was finally moved and carried that an invitation be extended to the Safety Division of the Highway Traffic Board to have one of their members attend a School Committee meeting.

A letter from Alberta School Trustees' [illegible] 3 concerning the 1966 Dues, in the amount of $10, was referred to the Committee.

Moved and carried that the Dues be paid.

A letter from the Accountant of the Field Administration Office of the Dept. of Education, in regards to issuing debentures when day labor scheme was involved, was referred to the Committee. The letter indicated [illegible] day labor was used only 50% of the debenture would be issued in the beginning, the [illegible] the completion of the project.

[illegible] that the information be [illegible] and accepted and the correspondence filed.

Correspondence from Sigurd Lefsrud, Barrister of Viking, in connection with the closing of 50th Avenue, between 50th and 51st Street, was referred to the

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

**FAMILY GET-TO-GETHER**

Ruth Wickenberg returned home on Saturday from Edmonton where she had been staying with her daughter, Mrs. Vivian Jones for the past week. Also staying there over the weekend were her three sisters and one niece, Mrs. Sybil Nelson and Mrs Nettie Thomas, both of Lacombe and Mrs Ada Keeton and daughter, Christine of Alix. All were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of another sister Alice and Lou Primus. Ada and Christine left for Alix after supper and Sybil left for her home on Tuesday, while Nettie stayed for the week and went home Saturday noon. While in the city Ruth's son and wife, Lyall and Thelma Wickenberg also visited with her at Vivian's home.

John and Lizzie Koop were Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of George and Ida Niemetz.

Sympathy goes to Mrs. Ellen Dunn and family of Deville and other members of the Morrow family on the recent death of their father, John Morrow, a former resident of Deville.

Sympathy of the community goes to all members of the Coombes family on the death of their father, Chester Coombes of Ketchamoot at the Tofield Hospital on Monday evening, April 25th. Chester was another of the old time residents of the Ketchamoot district and well known throughout Tofield and surrounding districts and will be sadly [illegible] neighbors.


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# Former pioneer couple marks 50th anniversary

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

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Many cards and messages of congratulations were received by the guests of honor from out of town friends and also from Prime Minister Lester B. Pearson, Hon. John Diefenbaker, Gov.-General G. Vanier, Premier E. C. Manning and Lt. Gov. Grant MacEwan.

Mr. and Mrs. Emond were the recipients of many lovely gifts, one being a lovely gold and white cake plate from the ladies group of the United Church L.W., with whom Mrs. Emond works. A "Money Tree" was also presented to them from their relations and friends and several beautiful bouquets of flowers were received. The co-hostesses served refreshments during the afternoon, assisted by some of the grand-daughters.

The guests of honor graciously thanked their many friends and relatives for their kindness, good wishes and gifts.

Mrs Emond's family were one of the original pioneer families (the Baddie Mansfields) arriving from Ontario in January 1908. There being no railroad at that time, they travelled 30 odd miles by team and sleigh to Holden. Mr. Emond arrived in Holden after the railway came through in 1910 and was the first jeweller and optometrist in Holden, coming from Scotland.

He also assisted the owner and publisher of the Holden Herald, Mr. Mewhart, in printing the paper, later taking it over when Mr Mewhart left Holden, and continued to publish it until the early 1940's when they left to reside in Edmonton, later moving to Leduc.

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**M. V. Ruskenveld**
PHONE 32 HOLDEN




# School committee meets April 12th

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Committee. An application would have to be presented to the Local Authorities Board and the application was attached to the letter.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and that the application be signed by the Secretary and returned to Mr Lefsrud for his further attention.

It was moved and carried that the Bus Supervisor's Report for the month of March be accepted and that his expense account in the amount of $38.92 be passed for payment.

**Salary Negotiations**

In regards to the Salary Negotiations, the Chairman referred to the minutes of the March 17th meeting with the Salary Negotiation Committees, and he stated that the teachers still appear to be holding out for a very substantial increase in the salary grid. They were also quite concerned with the sabbatical leave, insisting that this should be part of the agreement. They were also insisting upon additional allowance for supervision as well as the idea of having seven years of training included in the salary grid. As far as the School Committee was concerned they were of the opinion that no consideration should be given to an increase in the Principal's Allowance, neither should seven years of training be considered, nor sabbatical leave at the present time. In regards to the "pro rata", it was suggested that the County should hold the line at the present time in accordance with the suggestions made earlier in the year. Mr. Pike suggested that the grid should receive primary consideration and that, if the grid was settled, the rest of the items should not be too [illegible]cult to settle. It was stated [illegible] the County might have to consider an increase of, possibly, 6% plus the 2 1/2% increment increase, making an overall in[illegible] of some 8%. A meeting [illegible] scheduled for Wednesday, April 20, at 7.30 p.m., with the Teachers Negotiation Com[illegible].

It was moved and carried that A. Bornas and Bert Hammermaster be appointed permanent school bus drivers and that Ernest Hammermaster and Stanley Housome be appointed spare bus drivers, Mr. Housome with retainer.

Neil Reid attended the meeting at this time and discussed with the Committee the disposition of a number of old school buses—buses Nos. 6, 14, 18, 21, 27 and the old bus, T5, that [illegible] janitor had used as a delivery vehicle. He stated that the Public Works Foreman was interested in obtaining bus No. 6 for a road camp and that Russ Hansen was interested in obtaining the old Ford bus that was now used as a road camp and a price of $250 to $300 was set for this vehicle. Mr. Reid [illegible] stated that Henry [illegible] like to purchase [illegible] 14.

It was decided to advertise some of these buses for sale, and it was moved and carried that [illegible] 14, 18, 21 and the old T5 be advertised for sale, as well as the two old sheds located by the Bus Garage at Ryley.

The secretary-treasurer reported that he [illegible] purchased one small adding machine for the Superintendent's office, 4 filing cabinets for the Libraries and a dozen steno chairs to be used at various locations in the schools and in the office. The reason for this purchase having been made before referring to the Committee was that he had been able to purchase them on a "special" at a reduced price.

Moved and carried that the purchases be approved.

Mr Pike referred to the fencing of Block 41 and that portion of 50th Avenue north of the school at Viking which was to [illegible] included in the school yard. He stated [illegible] he had obtained quotations [illegible] Frost Steel and Wire Co Ltd and from A.I.M. Steel Limited. There were 1,780 lineal feet involved, gates, posts, etc, and [illegible] cost quoted by Frost Steel and Wire Co. Ltd. was $4,012; A.I.M. Steel Ltd. quotation was $3,780.

The Committee was also advised that arrangements had been made by the Council for the fence at the Bus Shop at Ryley and the quotations submitted by A.I.M. Steel in the amount of $975 for the dismantling of 140 lineal feet of existing fence, supplying of 240 lineal feet of new fence and to install 385 lineal feet of complete fence, in the amount of $975.00. This offer had been accepted.

It was moved and carried that the report be accepted and that the tender from A.I.M. Steel for the fencing at the Viking school in the amount of $3,780 be accepted.

It was moved and carried that Miss Gerry Hardy of Tofield be appointed to attend the Drumheller Drama Seminar in July, and that a grant of $80 be given to Miss Hardy in this connection.

Mr. Pike referred to a Chemistry Seminar, July 25 to August 12, to be conducted at the Uni-

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# Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Borstad and Lone spent Saturday with Doreen's brother Graham Snider, Alma and boys. Craig Snider accompanied them to Calgary on Sunday where they will spend a few days visiting and sightseeing.

Debbie and Gary Kwasnecki of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of their uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kwasnecki came for Sunday and spent the day visiting here.

Bob Antoniuk spent a week assisting his dad on the farm.

Dianne Sadoway spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C[illegible]ney.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Van Buskirk entertained about 28 guests on Saturday evening. The evening was spent visiting and watching home movies which included a film Herb Niemetz of Ontario, had taken on his trip to Jamaica.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Odiorne and family visited the Ralph Coseys on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Von Gaza entertained about 20 guests at a house party at their home on Saturday evening.

**NOTE**

The Australian slides will be shown on Friday, April 29th, not April 20th as it appeared in the news last week. Lunch will be served, with proceeds for this event to go to UCW.

# Farewell party honors the Harry Johnsons

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — A farewell party was held Saturday evening, April 2nd, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson who have left the farm to make their home in Camrose. The Johnson family were one of the pioneer families in the Earling district.

Mrs. Geo. Mosby was in charge of the program for the evening. Mrs. Lyle Bratrud, president of the Zion LCW presented the guests of honor with a wall plaque and on behalf of the community, Alvin Bratrud presented them with a purse of money and the good wishes of all for their future happiness in their new home. Mr and Mrs Johnson graciously thanked all for their kindness and good wishes and hoped their many friends would visit them in Camrose.


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# TCL Centennial aim to wipe out debt

Reducing the hall debt, and July 1st Sports will be the main items dealt with in Tuesday's Tofield Community League meeting. As a Centennial project the T.C.L., with the aid of Tofield and district citizens, are endeavoring to wipe off the Hall debt.

Mr. Seller, who has agreed to handle this for the T.C.L. executive, reports that to date $450.00 has already been donated, which makes a good start on this "Centennial birthday" project.

At a recent executive meeting, several new ideas for July 1st were brought forth and will come under discussion at the Tuesday, May [illegible], meeting.

# Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

On Sunday afternoon, over 30 relatives gathered at the home of Ivan Mitchell to help celebrate his birthday. A picnic lunch, birthday cake and ice cream was enjoyed by all.

Mr and Mrs. Jim Johnson of Williams Lake, B.C. were calling on friends in this district [illegible] week. The Johnsons were at [illegible] time residents in the Ketchamoot district.

Louise Kyle accompanied her brother Ray and wife Alice to Edmonton on Sunday where they visited with Mrs. Gould, who is a patient in University Hospital.

# Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. J. Muir on the birth of a son, on Good Friday, April 8th.

Also, congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Grummet on the birth of a daughter, another granddaughter for Mrs. Gladue.

Not many people attended the Social Credit whist drive of April 16th, but a good time was enjoyed by those who were there. Winners were ladies' high, Barbara Locktie, low, Bob Scott (playing as lady); gents high, Ron Ferguson and low Mr. Campion. The next Whist Drive will be Saturday, April 30th.

The Ladies Club would like to thank everyone that made the [illegible] sale and [illegible] drive on Friday, April 22nd such a success. Winners at the whist [illegible] were, ladies' high, Mrs. J. Dunham, low, Mrs. Philpuis; Gents high, Frank Dunham, low Mr. Paege.

The Ladies Club met at the home of Mrs. A. Gladue April 20th. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. M. Gladue on May 18th, where plans will be made for the Strawberry Tea to be held May 21st.

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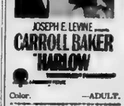


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# School committee meets April 12th

(Continued from Page Seven)

versity of Alberta, and he stated that Lloyd Cribb had agreed to attend this study seminar in connection with Chemistry 30. The tuition would be approximately $100, which Mr. Pike requested the School Committee to pay.

Moved and carried that Lloyd Cribb be authorized to attend the Chemistry Seminar, July 25 to August 12, with a tuition of approximately $100 paid by the County.

It was moved and carried that the following transfers be approved: Mrs. Beatrice Fredericks to Holden, David Boeckman to Holden; Mrs. Carol Burka to Tofield.

Moved and carried that the following appointments be approved: Mrs. Helen Tiedemann, Tofield, Ben Lutz, Viking; Robert Wiley, Viking, Howard Meger, Tofield, Robert Christie, Viking.

Moved and carried that the following resignations be accepted: Edward Syrotchen, Ellen Syrotchen, Robert Knisa and Virginia Knisa, effective immediately; LaVerne Noble, Kay Fraser, Gladys Fee, Stephania Komarnisky, Vivian Ogrodnick and Lars Olson, effective June 30th.

Mr. Pike referred to the Committee a letter from Mr. Hillsker, Band Master at Viking in connection with the purchase of two mellophones for a price of $100 each from an Edmonton band.

Moved and carried that the instruments be purchased.

Mr. Pike informed the Committee that [illegible] Nor[illegible] would like to take one more year at the University before starting his teaching career, and that David Dalby and Lary Benson would like to go back to the University for another year's study, and all three were requesting a bursary from the County.

Moved and carried that the $400 bursary be granted to Fred Nordstrom, David Dalby and Lary Benson.

The Committee was advised that by Order-in-Council, Friday, June 10th, had been declared as Farmer's Day.

Moved and carried that the information be accepted.

Mr. Pike advised that he had received three applications for the Vice-Principalship at Holden. Applications having been submitted by Earl Hardy, Oleh Zhykora and Halvar Jonson.

After some discussion it was moved and carried that Earl Hardy be appointed Vice-Principal at the Holden school as from September 1, 1966.

Mr. Pike reported that due to the resignation of four teachers at Viking, effective immediately, it had been necessary to make some temporary appointments for the balance of the school year.

It was moved and carried that Jean McInroy, Joyce Naslund, Darlene Overbo, Harold Ferguson and Dick Thiessen be appointed teachers at the Viking school up to June 30, 1966.

The Committee was informed that Randy Ness and Dave Dalby, teachers in the County, wished leave of absence for a year to go back to the University of Alberta, and that Earl Kindley requested leave of absence from June 20 to June 30 to attend University in the United States.

Moved and carried that the requests for leave of absence be granted.

Reference was made to motion 50.66 in regards to the disposition of two of the one-room school buildings on the Viking school site. The two grade one rooms were located on one basement and, if the Town of Viking was to remove the one room as suggested in motion 50.66, it would be necessary for the County to block the basement to the other room and to fill in the basement on which this one room was located. It was suggested that, with proper supervision, it would be feasible to leave the building on its present location to be used by the Scouts and the Cub organizations in the Town of Viking. The building then could not be donated to the Town, the ownership would have to remain with the County and the County would have to maintain fire insurance on the building.

This proposal appeared quite feasible, and it was moved and carried that motion 50.66 be rescinded and that the Town of Viking be advised that the one-room school may remain on the school site and be used by the Scouts and Cubs, but that the old Home Economics building will have to be removed from the school site if the Town wishes to obtain this building.

The Chairman referred to the agreement with the Town of Viking t[illegible] the County was to open up 7th Avenue between 50th and 51st Street and put it in the same condition as 6th Avenue which is being closed for the benefit of the County. Mr. Haddick stated that it appeared that 7th Avenue would be paved and he felt that it would be far better to have the contractor doing all the work on this piece of road as anything that the County might do would have to be redone by the contractor. This was agreed to by the Committee with the understanding that a portion of the work might be charged to the county.

In regards to the proposed paving, the Secretary-Treasurer mentioned that the County would be responsible for approximately 50% of the cost of this paving program and the owner of the nursing home located north of 7th Avenue would be responsible for the other approximately 30 per cent.

Cr. Johnston wondered if Grade 8 at Kinsella would be brought back into Kinsella at the beginning of the 1966-67 school term and it was suggested that it depended whether or not a teacher would be available. Also the fact that if four teachers had to be employed to teach 60 students it would be a pretty costly undertaking. It appeared that some of the people in Kinsella were quite satisfied to have grade 8 transported to Viking whereas some were opposed to it. No decision, of course was made at this time.

Some discussion took place in regards to the school grounds at Ryley, Tofield and Bruce and it was decided to try to get the [illegible] equipment to do some levelling at [illegible] places before the construction season started.

# Mrs. Lars Olson hosts friendship group meet

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Friendship Group met at the home of Mrs. Lars Olson, Thursday, April 21st with 11 ladies present.

The president, Mrs. Mary James opened the meeting and the devotions were taken by Mrs. Lutz. The ladies were advised that a large parcel of quilts and children's clothing had been sent to the little boy, who is their protege, for his education and clothing.

A short reading was given "Could You Have Loved So Much". A delicious lunch was served by the hostess. The ladies were pleased to have Mrs. Oscar Ruskenveld at the meeting, as she had not been well enough to attend for some months.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. R. Lutz, May 19th.

# Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Kathy and John Nickerson of Edmonton visited with relatives in the district on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Arnston and baby son of Hay Lakes were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingram and family.

**C. COOMBES DIES**

Chester Coombes, an old-timer of the Ketchamoot district passed away on Monday, April 25th in the Tofield Municipal Hospital. He is survived by three sons and three daughters.

**21ST BIRTHDAY**

A birthday party was held on April 17th in honor of Sharon Strong on her 21st birthday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingram. The following were her guests: her husband Richard; Mr. and Mrs. Don Gardner and son Duff of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brown and her parents and sisters.

Gail Halwa of Edmonton spent the weekend with Beth Ingram.

# Local young people win scholarships

Lena Schroeder, Ann Wall, Dona Schmidt and Elaine Baergen attended the Music Festival held in Lloydminster last week. Dona Schmidt won a $30.00 scholarship, Lena Schroeder a $25.00 scholarship and Elaine Baergen a $25.00 scholarship.


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# Edmonton Diocesan has 52nd annual meeting

Mrs. J. W. Robinson attended all sessions of the 52nd annual meeting of [illegible] Diocesan Board of [illegible] Auxiliary of the Anglican Church of Canada held in All Saints Cathedral and Parish Hall from April 18th to 20th. Rt. Rev. W. Gerald Burch Bishop of Edmonton was the celebrant at Holy Com[illegible] and [illegible] Very Rev. R. F. Shepherd, Dean of Edmonton, was the preacher on [illegible] morning.

Visiting guest speakers were the Rev. Bruce Mutch of Nagoya, Diocese of Mid Japan, and the Rev. Maxwell Parker of the Anglican Church Centre, Toronto.

The Rev. Bruce Mutch who comes from Manitoba, is director of the Nagoya Student Centre in Japan. This centre, which was founded and is supported by the Anglican Church of Canada, ministers to hundreds of young people attending the national University of Nagoya. It provides them with a chance to come to know about Christianity through a program of fellowship, study, retreat, conferences, and lectures. It now caters to professors, clergy and laymen as well. Mr. Mutch says there are tremendous opportunities for committed young people to serve in churches in Japan.

The Rev. Maxwell Parker is the director of literature for the Anglican Church of Canada. Literature is one of the few tools left today for evangelism he told the delegates, but it is a very, very powe[illegible]l tool.

Mrs. Robinson with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. L. Smith attended the joint banquet of WA delegates and delegates to the Synod on April 20th at 7:00 p.m. held at the Macdonald Hotel when over 65 people were in attendance. The principle visiting speaker was the Rt. Rev. Chandler W. Sterling, a [illegible] professional jazz musician who now is Bishop of Montana, Episcopalian Diocese. Under his leadership, church giving in Montana has increased 113 per cent and the number of active church members has increased six per cent. The 55 year old Bishop is married, with six children and wants [illegible] to become witnesses.

Among others attending the Diocesan WA annual [illegible] at All Saints Cathedral and Parish Hall for some sessions were Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Hammett, Mrs. Frank Dunham, Mrs. W. H. Freebury and Mrs. M. Howarth. Rev. and Mrs. L. Hammett also attended the banquet at the Macdonald.

# ATA plans farewell for retiring teacher

At the regular April meeting of the Tofield sub-local of the Alberta Teachers' Association, Lloyd Cribb gave his most interesting and informative report on the issues dealt with at the 1966 general session of the ARA in Calgary.

With the unanimous consent of the sub-local members, it was decided to hold a tea in the school gymnasium on June 5th in honor of Mrs. Madeleine McCormick, a member of the staff of the Tofield School, who is retiring in June this year.

Mrs. Mollie Conn, president of the Tofield sub-local, issues a cordial invitation to all who are interested to attend this affair. Former pupils of Mrs. McCormick, parents of those pupils, and all friends of Mrs. McCormick are urged to keep June 5 (3:00 - 5:00 p.m.) free, so that they may be present at this farewell for her.

# Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, April 25 — Phillip Fleming returned home from Kansas City, Miss., where he successfully completed an airline training course and received his "wings".

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Myhre and family of Calgary were recent overnight guests at the Ray Ovelson home.

Mrs. Alex Asp and David went to Calgary for the weekend where David will have medical attention.

The Kingman Hall Variety Program held on Friday evening was very well attended and enjoyed by all.

**HOME FROM ONTARIO**

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schmidt and Denise returned on April 17th from a 13-day holiday to Hamilton, Ont., where they visited Homer's sister, Ammie and also visited with Mrs. William Wen at Toronto. Mrs. Wen, the former Fong Mah of Kingman sent greetings to all her friends here. The Schmidts visited with relatives in Minnesota on their way home.

**FAMILY RE-UNION**

Guests at the Ken Winder home recently for a Winder family reunion and dinner were the Bob Swinburn family of Kelowna, B.C.; the Lloyd Rains family of Calgary; the Doug Switzer family of Sundre; the C. Winder family of Edson; Mrs. Louise Winder, Larry, Brian and Glen of Tofield and Mr. and Mrs. Don Rosen of Ryley.

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Wruck and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brandly at Josephburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Starvick, Cathy and Rachel of Camrose were Sunday guests at the Homer Schmidt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Asp and Larry were Sunday visitors with Rev. and Mrs. Don McLean of Tofield.

# Locals . . .

**AT GRADUATION**

On Tuesday last, Inga Hardy and Elizabeth Davison motored to Calgary to attend the graduation exercises held in the Jubilee Auditorium, when Herb Davison graduated in power plant engineering. Hon. E. C. Manning was guest speaker to the students, and a tea was held in the auditorium after the graduation exercises.

While in Calgary Elizabeth visited with her brother and sister-in-law, Ray and Murial Findley and family, while Inga visited with the McCreary and Reines families, daughters of Mrs. Myrtle Imler. They returned home on Thursday.

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Rev. W. F. Hammett of Tofield attended the 31st Synod of the Edmonton Diocese held at Lister Hall, University Campus in Edmonton, on April 21st and 22nd. Mrs. G. Kyle and Mr. J. W. Robinson also attended the April 22nd session.

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Charles W. Briston of West Vancouver, [illegible] of Vegreville, visited Elizabeth and Bill Davison on Tuesday.

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Susan Young of Camrose spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Campbell.

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Mildred and Ed Watson went to Boston, Mass., to attend the wedding of Mildred's nephew then to parts of Eastern Canada. They plan to be away three weeks.

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Emily Carlisle of Edmonton and Lorette Ross of St. Albert were weekend guests of Pat and Norman Glover and visited many of their friends here also.

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Myrtle Imler of Calgary spent last week visiting with friends in town.

# Tofield Lions have their April meeting

Tofield Lions held their last meeting of April in the Tofield Community League meeting room, with president, Henry Paege in the chair. Two visitors were present from Lamont.

A report was in hand from the power toboggan committee to the effect that a good profit had been realized from that project. Playground equipment to the extent of $304.00 has been ordered from Medicine Hat and will be placed on the children's playground in the near future. It was decided to have a work bee to burn off grass on the ground.

Charter night's invitations were talked over, and officers leadership course were to be attended. A duplicate basketball trophy has been ordered and will be presented to Bruce School for winning the championship in 1965 and 1966.

An invitation has been received from Holden Chamber of Commerce to enter a float for their Sports Day on June 10th., and will be considered later. Lions Blacklock and Henriksen were given appreciation for the time they spent in selling hockey pool tickets, even though a lot of the tickets were "duds."

# Young Tofield musicians win honors at Festival

Congratulations are in order for a group of Tofield's talented [illegible] musicians who participated in the Lloydminster Musical Festival during the week of April 19-23. This annual event was held in the High School Auditorium and the Andrew Walker Memorial wing of the Presbyterian Church, and was sponsored by the Lloydminster Musical Festival Association.

The adjudicators were Mrs. Mossie Hancock, Regina, (piano); Edgar Higgin, Calgary, (vocal), and Dale McIntosh, Rosetown, (instrumental).

The Tofield entrants in the festival were all pupils of Mr. Brodeur, Edmonton, who for several years gave piano lessons in Tofield. The Misses Elaine Baergen, Lena Schroeder, Donna Schmidt and Anna Wall, all of Tofield, were awarded outstanding marks.

Elaine Baergen was first in one class with a mark of 85, second in another class (duet with Lena Schroeder) with 85, and in other classes obtained marks of 81, 81 and 80.

Lena Schroeder was first in one class with a mark of 86, second in her duet with Elaine, with 85, first with 83 in another class, and in her remaining classes obtained marks of 83 and 79.

Donna Schmidt obtained two firsts with 83 and 81, and 78 in her other classes.

Anna Wall was awarded marks of 80, 80 and 79 in her various classes.


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G—60, 54, 58, 50, 55, 48, 51, 47, 49, 46, 52, 59

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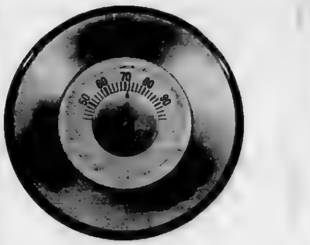

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## FUTURE DATES

**LAKESHORE - McKENZIE RESIDENTS MEETING**

Residents of Lakeshore and McKenzie are urged to attend a meeting in the Town Hall on Saturday, April 30th, at 8 00 p m. 34-35c-3354

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## IN MEMORIAM

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ANNEBO. — In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Roy (Tom) Annebo, who passed away April 27, 1964:

It's a lonely life without you
And sad has been our way,
For life is not the same, dear,
Since you were called away;
Every dawning day has thoughts of you,
Each eventide a prayer,
And in the hearts that loved you
You always will be there;
A cluster of fondest memories
Sprayed with a million tears,
Wishing God had spared you
For just a few more years.

—Lovingly remembered and sadly missed by his wife, Gladys, and sons, Tommy and Kenneth. 33c-2722

## CARDS OF THANKS

Mrs. Ellen Sears would like to thank her many friends for the letters, cards and acts of thoughtfulness for her birthday and during her stay in hospital. Her thoughts and memories are with you all, and she would dearly love to have you visit her at the lovely Rivercrest Lodge, Fort Saskatchewan. May God be with each and every one of you, my dear friends. 35c-2723

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## LEGAL NOTICES

### FOR SALE BY TENDER

**ESTATE OF GEORGE WASHINGTON ROTH, Deceased**

**The Public Trustee Offers For Sale by Tender**

**The North half and the South East quarter of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Forty-nine, (49), Range Eighteen (18), West of the Fourth Meridian in the Province of Alberta, containing Four Hundred and Eighty (480) acres more or less.**

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Offers for all or any part of the said lands will be subject to a lease expiring December 31, 1966, and to approval by the Supreme Court of Alberta.

Sealed bids for the purchase of the above property, stating whether terms or cash, to be submitted to the Public Trustee, 10405 - 100 Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta, up to 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon on the 11th day of May, A.D. 1966. Term offers to specify the nature of terms desired, including the rate of interest.

Tenders should be forwarded in a sealed envelope and marked, "Tender, Roth Estate" and a certified cheque for Ten per cent (10%) of the offer must accompany same.

The highest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

Deposits will be returned to unsuccessful Tenderers.

PUBLIC TRUSTEE,
10405 - 100 Avenue,
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34-35c

### NOTICE To Creditors and Claimants

**IN THE ESTATE OF NORMAN JACOB GUNTHER, late of Tofield, who died on the 6th day of October, 1965.**

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the "above" named must file with THE UNDERSIGNED by the 2nd day of June, 1966, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

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Administrator of the estate of NORMAN JACOB GUNTHER, Deceased.
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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

A number of former neighbors and friends visited with Mr and Mrs Lars Ritland Monday evening, April 18th to offer their best wishes and congratulations to Mrs. Ritland who was celebrating her birthday the following day. A pleasant evening was spent talking over old-times and the ladies present served lunch at the conclusion of a very enjoyable evening.

**HOME FROM HOLIDAY**

Mrs Olaf Chetney returned home Wednesday of last week from a ten day Easter holiday trip, travelling by train and visiting Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle and other points in the U.S. She reported a very enjoyable holiday.

Ray Hovland left for Banff Friday morning and will spend about two weeks there attending the Medical Center, having therapy treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann attended the "potluck supper" and social evening with several other members of the Bruce Immanuel Lutheran Church which was held April 15th with members of St John's Church, Vegreville.

**FARM IS SOLD**

Leo Hladilo has sold his farm this past week to Maurice Rustenvel and Mr and Mrs. Hladilo, their son and daughter will be leaving Edmonton where they have been residing for the past several months to make their future home in B.C. Leo and family have not yet decided just where they will be settling.

Bruce Appleby of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby.

Lars Ritland visited his sister Mrs Hanson at Vialta Lodge in Viking last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus returned home Friday from their three week trip, during which they visited with their daughter Lorraine and her husband in Nevada, and the Gordon Hafsos' in California and other friends there. They returned to Edmonton Wednesday, visiting with their daughter Millie and husband, the Lorne Bells, and then with their son Rueben and family at Stony Plain.

## Fred Grinde dies at 82

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

A long time resident of Holden district, Fred Grinde passed away April 17th at the age of 82 years. Mr. Grinde, who had been in poor health for some time, was a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton. He was predeceased by his first wife, Pauline from which union he leaves two daughters, Mrs. Wilfred (Tonie) Pennell and Mrs Stanley (Augusta) George, both of Aldergrove, B.C. In 1934 he was predeceased by his second wife, Olga, and from that union he leaves four sons and four daughters, Reinhold, Arthur, Reuben and Edward all of Holden; Miss Claire Grinde of San Francisco, Mrs. Ruby (Gertrude) Mizera of Ryley; Mrs. Allan (Evelyn) Davies of North Burnaby, B.C.; Mrs. Leonard (Helen) Smith of Holden; 33 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held, April 20th in the United Church Holden with Rev. Barkwell of Viking officiating and internment was in the family plot in Holden Cemetery.

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# Church services

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
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**Sunday, May 1st**

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11 00 a m —Sunday School.
11 00 a m —Public Worship.
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11 00 a m 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sunday—Morning Prayer.
O Come Let Us Worship

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
**Summer Schedule**

TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ........ 9.00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 9.00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12.00 noon.

**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**Rev Art Dahlen, Pastor**
**Phone 672-4223**
**Sunday, May 1st**

10 15 a m —Worship Service.
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**Ryley, Alberta**
**Pastor Stanley Rude**
**Sunday, May 1st**

HOLDEN—
10.00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a m. Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a m —Sunday School.
11 00 a m —Divine Service.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
**Sunday, May 1st**

10 00 a m —Prayer Service
11 00 a m —Worship Service.
2 00 p m —Song Fest
Mass Choir to Sing.
Guest speaker Rev. P. Rempel.
8 00 p m —Bible Study.
"Sing forth the Honour of His Name"—Ps. 66 2
Everybody welcome

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Pastor Don McLean**
**Sunday, May 1st**

10 00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8 00 p m —Evening Service
Tuesday, 2 30 p m — Prayer Meeting

## Modern Etiquette

Q. I have just received an invitation to a shower on a girl whom I scarcely know. Am I obligated to attend or to send a gift?

A. You are obligated neither to attend nor to send a gift. The person who issued your invitation failed to take into consideration the fact that showers are only for close and intimate friends of the bride.

## Palmer - Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, April 22. —A large crowd of friends and relatives assembled at the Shaw Centre on Saturday night to honor Miss Diane Campbell, bride-elect. Eddie Chappell was master of ceremonies for an amusing program, followed by exciting contests. Mrs Lewis Stefura, Mrs. Art Hodge, Mrs. Walter Stensrud and Mrs. George Campbell dressed as four farmerettes, brought in the box of lovely gifts. Diane and her fiance, Keith Bratrud, both expressed their appreciation for the gifts and party.

**BAWLF CHORUS SINGS**

The Bawlf Male Chorus of 14 voices rendered a fine program in song at the Ryley Lutheran Church on Sunday evening. Arvin Magneson directed the chorus and also rendered a musical selection on the flute. Pastor Olson's three daughters, Beverly, Grace and Gloria, sang a trio. In closing, the Ryley L.C.W. served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson and Rodney spent the weekend in Mayerthorpe with her parents, the Mathew Fischers.

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# Mrs. G. Swenson, 85, passes away in Iowa

Mrs Goodman Swenson a resident of Ellsworth, Iowa, passed away suddenly on Wednesday, March 23, at a hospital in Ames, Iowa, where she had been a patient for two days

Betsey Erickson Swenson was born September 21, 1881, near Roland Iowa, and was baptized as an infant there. She moved with her parents to a farm near Radcliffe Iowa, where she grew to womanhood. She was confirmed by Rev. C. C. Holter in 1896.

On July 27, 1901, she was united in marriage to Goodman Swenson at the Zion Lutheran Church, near Radcliffe in Hardin County, by Rev J N Sandven.

In 1903 they moved to South Dakota, and in 1911 they moved to Tofield, where they lived for three years; later moving to Minnesota, and in 1934 back to Iowa to live.

Mr and Mrs Swenson had the privilege of observing their golden wedding anniversary in 1951, and would have observed their 65th anniversary in July. Mrs Swenson was one of a five generation group for twelve years.

Mrs Swenson leaves to mourn her passing her husband, two sons Lloyd and Elmer Swenson of Ellsworth three daughters Mrs Nora Tinkham of Fisher Minnesota and Bessie and Grace Swenson of Ellsworth, four grandchildren seven great grandchildren two sisters Mrs Edith Lura of Garden City, Iowa, and Mrs Lollie Holt of Alpha Minn and three brothers Isaac Erickson of Jackson, Minn Arthur Erickson of Phoenix, Arizona, and Kurnel Erickson of Minneapolis, Minn. Her parents, one brother and three sisters predeceased her.

Her four grandsons, Arthur Tinkham Earl Tinkham Alton Tinkham and Lester Samuelson, and two nephews Earl Erickson and Jerry Christian were pallbearers. She was laid to rest in the Homewood cemetery at Ellsworth, Iowa.

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# Peter Fediuk passes April 13

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs Nick Fediuk of Calgary, former farm residents of south Holden district were visitors during the weekend of April 6th with Mr and Mrs George Hunchak. They had been in Edmonton to attend the funeral of Nick's brother, Peter Fediuk, who passed away April 13th, at the age of 66. Besides his wife he leaves to mourn his loss two daughters, Ivy and Eileen both at home four brothers and four sisters.

Prayer service was held Friday evening April 15th and the funeral was held Saturday, April 16th at St. Michael's Ukrainian Orthodox Church with Very Rev H O Wasylin officiating and interment was in the church cemetery.

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# Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy attended the Concert of Sacred music, April 17th which was given by the Edmonton Concordia Chapel choir on the Campus in Edmonton.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Laura Christianson has returned home from Tofield hospital after being a patient for over two weeks

Mrs. May Giebelhaus of Edmonton has been visiting with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keith for the past two weeks, returning home Thursday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Keith also had their daughter Mavis and family visiting with them during the Easter holiday

Melanie and Richard Hammer of Viking spent several days during Easter visiting with their grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Sizer

Albert Pederson of Camrose, former Holden resident, was a business caller in Holden and district last Wednesday

BAPTISMS

Rev. and Mrs. C. K. Hessels of Edmonton, former minister of the United Church charge of Bruce Holden and Ryley was assisting at the Service in Holden Sunday April 17th, when he baptized the infant sons of Mr and Mrs. Bruce MacDonnell and Mr. and Mrs. J Ruxton. Rev and Mrs Hessels were dinner guests with Mr and Mrs. MacDonnell and also visited during the afternoon with several of their friends around Holden

Douglas Hardy of Edmonton was a visitor in Holden recently evening calling on his parents Mr and Mrs Earl Hardy

Mr and Mrs Jack Stambaugh and son Kevin were Easter Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Stambaugh's sister and family, the Gordon Teskes

Mrs Mary James received word from her son Arthur and family of Vancouver that they had spent the Easter holiday visiting at Los Angeles and other points in the U S They travelled the coast route there and returning on the Inland route stopping for a day at Reno, Nevada

Mr and Mrs Roy Nichols were recent visitors with Mr and Mrs Ed Knudson and family

Chris Christenson was visiting with his sister, Mrs. Elna Parsons at the Good Samaritan Home, Edmonton, Tuesday of last week

Mrs Joe Hooper and Mrs Mabel Sizer were visitors in Edmonton Thursday visiting with Mr Hooper and Mrs Elna Parsons [illegible] are patients in the Good Samaritan Nursing Home They were pleased to see that Mrs Parsons is looking well and able to get around much better

Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow were visiting with their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas in the Viking district returning home Thursday.

Mr and Mrs T A Liden were Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests with Mr and Mrs. Lars Ritland.

Mr. and Mrs. William B McLennan and family of Vancouver, B.C. were visiting from April 15th until the following Tuesday with his parents Mr. and Mrs Kennie MacLennan and brother Jim in the Poe district

Mrs Francis Shand of Edmonton was a Friday visitor with her mother, Mrs R. Loney and took her by car to Vegreville to visit with Mr Loney, in the Minburn Nursing Home Mrs. Loney has not been well the past few days and her daughter was also taking her to the doctor for a check-up.

BIRTHDAY OBSERVED

Mesdames T. A. Liden, Mabel Sizer, Hooper Carrie Olson and Campbell were April 19th afternoon visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. Lars Ritland, helping her to celebrate her birthday Mrs. Olive Good, helped to serve lunch in the afternoon.

Mrs. Mary James was a Friday afternoon visitor and coffee guest with Mrs Ritland

50th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H Taylor were visitors during the weekend with friends Mr. and Mrs J. H. Mair of Edmonton, and motored to Leduc Sunday afternoon with them to attend the 50th wedding anniversary of friends and Mrs. Mair's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Emond, Sr.

## John Morrow passes away in Edmonton

On April 24, John Morrow 85, of 9805 - 77th Ave., formerly of North Cooking Lake, passed away He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. J (Ellen) Dunn, Deville, Mrs. R (Peggy) Cook, Snyder New York, Mrs. L (Jean) Faulkner Edmonton brother James Morrow, Edmonton and sister Mrs Susan Morrow in Ireland, and 10 grand children He was predeceased by his wife Jessie, Feb 9th this year

Funeral services were held on Wednesday at Hamstock's Chapel with the Rev A. E. Morrison officiating Interment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery

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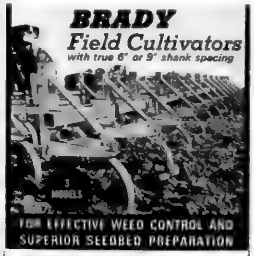


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# 28-block paving job gets council okay

## . . . cost $200 per block

Regular meeting of Council of the Town of Tofield was held Monday, May 2, with Mayor Dr. W. H. Freebury and Councillors Allan, Boese, Everitt, Herndon, Patterson and Swift present

Clrs. Herndon and Patterson reported to Council on their meeting in the afternoon with V Walls from Border Paving of Red Deer. Mr. Walls stated that the streets needed only to be bladed to be ready for M C 2 Asphalt, and he recommended a thin covering of sand after the application. He quoted a price of approximately $200 per block. After much discussion it was decided that the dust-laying project be undertaken immediately on a 60-40% local improvement basis, and would include five blocks on Main Street and 23 residential blocks, namely Second Avenue, 2 blocks east and 2 blocks west of Main Street, Third Avenue 2 blocks east and 1 blocks west of Main Street, Fourth Avenue 2 blocks east of Main Street, Fifth Avenue, 2 blocks east and 2 blocks west of Main Street: Sixth Avenue, 1 block east of Main Street, Seventh Avenue, 1 block east of Main Street, and King Street, 6 blocks north of Second Avenue.

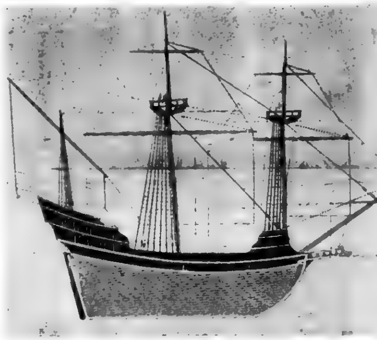
Correspondence was read recommending changes and replacement of signs and the painting of curbs to prevent traffic blocking intersections, and it was decided that the Police Committee survey the town regarding Traffic signs and be authorized to replace and erect signs where necessary and to have the curbs painted as recommended

NUISANCE GROUNDS

Clr Boese presented costs of fencing the nuisance grounds. It was decided to use four strands of barbed wire and have the Public Works Department do the fencing The Town Property Committee will be authorized to prepare the grounds for use and to dispose of the old site as they see fit

Application to purchase Lot 11, Block 33, Plan 5457AH was received from D Murray. After discussion, it was Council's decision not to approve the sale

Emil Tiedemann asked if it was permissible to raise pigs on Pt. NW 26-50-19-W4, this being zoned agricultural. Council granted approval, but Mr Tiedemann was instructed to confer with the Health Department (On May 3, the Health Inspector visited Tofield and stated that under no circumstances would they permit anyone within the Town Limits to raise pigs).



**Historic ship for Expo**

An historically exact, full-sized replica of Jacques Cartier's ship "Grande Hermine" will be moored in the La Ronde lagoon of Expo 67. The Hon. Arthur Laing, minister responsible for the Canadian historic parks system, has announced the ship will be over 78 feet long, with a displacement of about 120 tons. Estimated cost is $279,500. "The 'Grande Hermine' will be a major historical contribution to Expo 67," Mr. Laing said. "It will be comparable in significance to the reconstruction of part of the fortress of Louisbourg on Cape Breton Island will be a proud addition to the various sites and structures administered by the Canadian Historic Sites Division throughout the country." After Expo 67, the "Grande Hermine" will be floated to Cartier-Brebeuf National Historic Park at Quebec City, where it will be on permanent display as the focal attraction of the park. The park was established by the Federal Government in 1958 to commemmorate the spot, near the junction of the Lairet and St. Charles rivers, where Cartier wintered in 1535-36 during his second voyage of exploration to Canada.

## Man killed in truck accident

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

MINISTIK, May 4 Sympathy is extended to Mrs Sarah Waters and her family of Edmonton in the tragic loss of her youngest son, Reginald, who was killed in a truck accident near Whitecourt

Reg was born here, went to school a few years and spent much of his time in the district

Mr. and Mrs Russell Rowland and family and Mr. and Mrs Michael Naschuk attended the funeral on Friday afternoon at Andrews' Funeral Home in Edmonton

## Calgary Power cooking school was a success

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The B's and Bouquet cooking school sponsored by the Holden U C W in the Community Hall April 19th was very well attended This is a service of the Calgary Power Ltd. Home Service Department

Mrs. Audrey Giebelhaus was the accompanist for an enjoyable sing-song during the show. Those holding lucky tickets for prizes of food were Mrs. Olive Good Debbie Koetke, Mrs. Helen Tiedemann, Chester Wright, Mrs Don Allan, Mrs. Betty Christianson and Robert Pooke. Winers of the two food hampers were Mrs John Semotiuk and Laura Wright, and the winner of the electric clock, donated by the ladies of the U.C.W., was Mrs. Bill Kelly. Mrs John Macabonu won the electric fry-pan

During the show, bonus prizes of oven mitts, aprons, pot holders etc., were tossed among the audience The enjoyable evening was brought to a close with the serving of coffee and doughnuts

## Watson (Tofield) wins AGT contract

Watson (Tofield) Ltd. have been awarded the contract by Alberta Government Telephones in Edmonton for construction of a masonry building. Their bid of $31,405 was the lowest of four tenders, the others ranging in price up to $37,312

The successful bidders were notified of the award April 19th, and work on the AGT building has already begun

Plans call for completion of the structure by July 21 1966.

## J. Ruxton is ordained in Edmonton ceremony

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — On Tuesday evening, April 26th, Mr and Mrs J Lindberg motored to Edmonton taking with them Don Allan, Mrs Campbell, Mrs Melvin Carlson and Mrs. Ernie Good to attend the graduation exercises at Convocation Hall, when J. Ruxton was ordained, and given the title of Rev. Ruxton Rev. Ruxton received two awards, the St. Stephen's Old Boys' prize for high standing in the entire course in Theology, and the Marian Welbourn Wood prize in church history.

A carload of church members from Ryley congregation also attended the Convocation, as well as a number of friends of Rev.

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## Wilber Gallinger passes April 28

On April 28 Wilber Gallinger of Tofield passed away at the age of 56 years He is survived by his loving wife, Dorothy, two sons, Claude and Michael of Tofield and a sister, Margaret, of Edmonton

Funeral services were held on Monday, May 2, from the Andrews - McLaughlin Chapel, with Rev. W H McDannold and Dr E. J. White officiating.

# Loopholes or injustice

The MacDuff Report on this page this week recounts a most dismaying development in the field of resale price maintenance, a battle which has been fought in several countries with varying results. A few years ago Canada felt it had fought and won the war against the "right" of manufacturers to dictate at what price levels their products could be sold, and consumers across the entire breadth of the country were delighted to know that dealers could not legally be denied supplies simply because they bargain-priced these items.

However, it seems the Sunbeam corporation may have found a loophole in the wording actually written by the government lawmakers.

From time to time we run into accounts of trials where the judge takes into account the actual intent of the law as well as what it actually seems to say. What passes our understanding is why this sort of intent cannot be written as a general preface to the law, guiding any trial judge to a greater or lesser extent, and giving him some extra support for his judgment.

Everyone knows, whether he'll admit it or not, that the intent of the law on resale price maintenance was to protect the public against the desire of the manufacturer . . . for some unknown reason . . . to keep up the price of his products by denying them to merchants who would not "co-operate". Why must we get tripped up all the time over unintended slips, or loopholes, when all the time, the intent of the law is so clear.

It's justice, not law, which is supposed to be blind. The law is only considered . . . at least by one noted English writer . . . to be an ass.

# Shoddy performance

Prime Minister Pearson survived a vote of confidence last night over the Munsinger case, because the Social Crediters and the Creditistes together supported him against the Conservatives and the NDP. However, our guess is their support was based not so much on their confidence in him as their feeling this was not yet grounds for dissolving Parliament.

Despite the vote of confidence, Mr. Pearson shows up in ever more dismaying and disturbing aspects. His explanation of his concern as the Rivard case burst and his request to the RCMP for files which went back throughout the entire Conservative administration and into the Liberal government of St. Laurent would be convincing if his later behavior supported it.

How ever, had he found anything in this search to support the feeling that security had been betrayed, or that unfair advantage had been taken of government position, surely it was his duty to bring the matter up more or less immediately. Seemingly, he returned all files except the Munsinger file to the RCMP and this he seems to have retained for some sixteen months.

It is practically impossible, notwithstanding Mr. Pearson's protestations, not to believe the only reason he could have retained this file was for partisan political advantage. Especially when you recall the manner in which the story broke, through Minister of Justice Cardin, who could only have seen the file or heard the story from Mr. Pearson, the motives would appear much baser than would have been ascribed to Mr. Pearson only a few months ago. Canadians will lament the loss in stature of this much-admired statesman turned politician.

# Confusing the issue

Alberta treasurer Hon. A. O. Aalborg has been struggling for some time with legislation attempted and sidestepped by his predecessors in office: the much discussed interest disclosure legislation.

Also discussed in many other areas, of course, in Canada and beyond, the discussion always provokes a good deal of heat from several of the finance companies, who often manage not to throw too much light on the subject.

Pointing out the subject has been discussed for more than 30 years in the United States, without solution one company publication this month declares: "There is no reason to believe that we in Canada will be able to overcome all the difficulties and advantages and find a quick solution."

How ridiculous! Should we stop trying to find a cure for cancer simply because none has ever been found? Should we stop trying to reach the moon because no-one has yet made it?

The same company points out some buyers, and some credit agencies want only to state the total cost in dollars, since this is most meaningful to most buyers. A few on both sides would prefer the opposite lines and want to know the cost in percentage. How could these two widely divergent points of view be reconciled, asks the article, suggesting the legislation should be forgotten forever.

Would it be too impossible for really smart financial giants like the finance companies profess to be to figure the cost both ways, so the customer could choose whichever method he like best? All that's asked is that the customer know what the price of credit is. Few of them would be happy to be thought such morons they couldn't really understand one or the other simple explanation of what they're paying


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# By George!

"Contrary to the assumption that children gain satisfaction from 'acting out' impulsively, children become less satisfied and more impulsive when permissive, loosely structured conditions prevail".

This, says a release from the United Church of Canada information office, is the conclusion or one of hundreds of authorities on the questions of the problems of children. The conclusion is typical of the studies being reported in the professional journals of psychiatry, psychology, social work, and teaching. The recurring theme in these articles sounds like this: Children need limits and controls, as ordered day means stability and safety for the child. To develop the control of their own behavior, children needs controls set by adults.

In today's professional emphasis on what children need, is a decided shift in emphasis from an earlier period. Not long ago, and perhaps even yet, the psychologist was seen as the professional advocating freedom of expression for children. The writings of John Dewey influenced a whole generation in the approach to child - rearing and teaching. Dewey's contribution was a valuable reaction to Victorian rigidity towards children. Now the problem is the reverse. A whole generation of parents and teachers must learn how to set firm but not punitive controls on children. These adults need help in learning this as they are the products of "permissiveness".

There is mounting evidence that the problems of delinquency and disturbance we now face in our society result from a misuse of the concept of freedom for children. Our task now is to re-establish adult authority starting with the nursery, the kindergarten, and the playroom

# MacDuff Ottawa report

"LOOPHOLE BUSTED"

OTTAWA—In spite of legislation prohibiting it, which a Parliamentary Committee laboured over for months before it was included in Canada's Combines Law, manufacturers may yet be able to force retailers to charge the price they fix for their products.

Sunbeam Corporation (Canada) Ltd, believes it has found a loophole in the resale price maintenance of the Act and it is probably ready to fight for it all the way to the Supreme Court of Canada. The Restrictive Trade Practices Commission is equally determined that no such loophole exists and would also like a Supreme Court ruling to confirm it.

At the moment Sunbeam, Canadian subsidiary of the U.S. manufacturer of shavers and other electrical appliances, stands convicted of breaking the law by attempting to induce two retailers, Shaver Bros. of St. Catherines, Ontario, and New Era Home Appliances in Toronto, to sell shavers and floor conditioners at or above the price set by the company. It has appealed both convictions to the Ontario Court of Appeals The Crown has appealed two acquittals and has now entered a third appeal against the judge's refusal to grant a prohibitory order against the company which involves the key point of law over which the whole fight is being waged. It is a safe bet that whoever loses in the Ontario Court of Appeals will seek leave to appeal to the Supreme Court

**DOOR OPENED BY GOVERNMENT**

The device used by Sunbeam is the result of an amendment to the resale price maintenance prohibition section which Parliament added to the law in 1960. The practice known as "loss leading" or selling a product at less than the retailer paid for it in order to attract customers to his store has been frowned on by several parliamentary committees over the years but they have never brought themselves to recommend its prohibition though two provinces, Manitoba and British Columbia, do so Instead Parliament finally compromised by getting the manufacturer to do the job for them. If a manufacturer believes his product is being sold below cost he is, in effect allowed to cut off supplies in spite of the prohibition against maintaining a minimum selling price He does not have to prove "loss leading"

Sunbeam argues through its counsel, J J Robinette, Q C , of Toronto, that if the law allows this, the law must also allow the manufacturer to warn the retailers of the minimum price below which they must not go without running the risk of being refused the product. It sent all retailers a price list fo rshavers, floor conditioners and other appliances which it described as the "minimum profitable resale price", explaining that these prices had been set after investigation of retailing costs and were at levels below which, in the company's opinion, no retailer could make a profit. Any sales at cheaper prices, it warned, would be investigated.

**WITHIN THE LAW**

Officials administering the Combines Law admit that if Sunbeam had not delivered this warning in advance but had cut off the supply of any retailer who sold below these prices they would probably have been within the law. No supplies were cut off. Retailers took the warning and sold at prices at or above those "suggested"

While the trial judge, Mr Justice Grant, has registered two convictions and has imposed very nominal fines, he has refused a court order prohibiting the company from issuing further action.

**Thus the Commission's whole case collapses. If the judge is upheld by the higher courts it becomes impossible to prevent manufacturers from fixing minimum resale prices.**

They need only issue price lists as the minimum at which they consider a profit can be made and threaten to stop supplying the retailer who sells below this profit. If this is the final verdict the law will have to be changed by Parliament or prohibition of re-sale price maintenance dropped

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**CAPITAL HILL CAPSULES**

With Speaker, Munsinger, Seven Days et al running weeks of delay, members of Parliament may find themselves working all or most of the summer The government so far is not announcing all the legislation that it intends to throw at the MP's this session. The list, so far, contains 56 items though less than half of these have been announced to date The government will have to choose between paring down its list or paring down the summer holiday

Canada is to have a new Transportation Authority taking over

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# County Council meets

**Minutes of the regular meeting of the County of Beaver No. 9, Thursday, April 14th, 1966.**

**Business arising from the minutes**

In regards to the Rural Road Study, the Sec.-Treas. advised the Council that the agreement between the Department of Highways and the County in regards to Provincial Assistance in Rural Road Studies had now been completed.

Moved that the report be accepted. Cd.

In regards to the Annual meeting of the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation the Reeve, who had attended the meeting reported that the tight money situation would in all likelihood effect the availability of money through the Corporation. It would appear that any non-essential borrowing would be curtailed to a great extent. The School Authorities presented a motion wanting to have a director on the A.M.F.C. However, this motion had been defeated, it being felt that the School Authorities were given every consideration under the present set-up.

In this connection it was noted that borrowing for school building purposes could be in excess of $16.00 per sq. ft. as long as the borrowing was within the approval of the School Building Board.

Mr. C. P. Hays of Strome had been reelected as a Director for Class "B" shares and he was also the Chairman of the A.M.F.C. Moved that the report be accepted. Cd.

In regards to the Public Works tour it was moved that this tour be made on April 18, 19 and 20th, that it start in Division No. 7 and that the Councillors meet at 9:30 at Charlie's Place at Tofield and that the Public Works Foreman be asked to accompany the Councillors on this tour. Cd.

In regards to the proposed assessment map the Sec.-Treas. reported that, as near as he had been able to find out, the cost for a map of this type would be somewhere between $300.00 to $400.00 plus the extra amount of work in the office. He suggested however, that any decision on this matter might be deferred until he had an opportunity to discuss the matter with Commercial Printers in Edmonton who apparently, had made up the map for the County of Camrose No. 22. It was felt that as the map had not been available prior to the Court of Revision it would be in order to, if a map was decided upon, have this available before the end of the year so that the ratepayers could make use of it for the annual Appeal in January 1967. It was moved that the question of the assessment map be deferred until the Sec.-Treas. has some definite information on it. Cd.

**Correspondence**

A letter from the Farmer's Union of Alberta requesting a contribution to the Pincher Creek Air Pollution Fund was referred to the Council.

Moved that no contribution be made from the County, that contributions be made on individual basis and that the Farmer's Union of Alberta be so advised. Cd.

A letter of Appreciation for the snow plowing to approach roads at the Pool Elevator at Bardo signed by the Agent and Superintendent was referred to the Council.

Moved that the letter be received and filed. Cd.

A letter from the Village of Ryley requesting that the Council of the County gives its approval to annexation to the Village of the property on the north side on Highway 14 west from the Village property to the road allowance on the west side on N.E. 4-50-17-W 4th and north to the present Village property was referred to the Council. A small commercial development was being established on the south side of the CNR tracks west of the Alberta Pool Elevator and the Village had been asked to supply fire and police protection as well as a road to this development.

Moved that the request be approved. Cd.

A letter from R. E. Giebelhaus concerning flooding of his farm yard on the north west corner of the S.W. 10-50-15-W 4th was referred to the Council. The Sec.-Treas. stated that he had by telephone referred this matter to Cr. Kropielnicki on receipt of the letter. Cr. Kropielnicki stated that he had investigated the situation and that it appeared that some work was required to alleviate this situation in coming years.

Moved that the letter be received and filed, the report ac-

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## Local woman wins 'Society' contest

In the latest copy of the Alberta Historical Review, it was noted with great interest that Mrs. W. Tiedemann had won first prize in the Society's "Seal Contest". The contest was the designing of a Seal for the Alberta Historical Society.

Congratulations are extended to Mrs. Tiedemann.


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# Ross Creek news

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

The Australian "slides" shown recently by Judy Eglinski proved very enjoyable and were well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McLachlan took Ralph Straud back to Edmonton from Tofield Hospital.

Mrs. Alex Bessarrabu entertained a number of ladies at a Tupperware party Friday evening. Virgie Schacher was the demonstrator.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Geoglien, and Mr. and Mrs. Reid Buchard were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McLachlan.

The girls of the Fabrics and Dress Class enjoyed a fashion show sponsored by Simplicity Patterns at Fort Saskatchewan on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ferrel, Joe Hackertz, Mr. and Mrs. Geo McLachlan and Beth Lauder enjoyed a Saturday evening of card playing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Schacher motored to Medicine Hat on Saturday after receiving word of the serious illness of Mrs. Schacher's sister, Mrs. Lydia Lehr.

Mrs. Mae Ferguson celebrated her birthday on Monday by serving tea to her mother Mrs. Roberts of Tofield, Doris Brown, Vi Geoglien, Irene Warner, Isobel Rudezki, Joan Warner, Mavis Jacobsen, Lillian Fairholme, Mickey Nietmetz, Helen Murray and Lil VanBuskirk.

## Population explosion on Anton Peter farm

(Mrs. J. Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING. — At the Anton Peter farm, two sets of twin calves were born within a week, male and female, from Black Angus milk cows. That's the kind of population explosion any farmer could hope for!


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The above listed vehicles and sheds may be seen at the storage yard in Ryley.

1 only 500 gallon diesel fuel tank & stand located on Lot 16 in Block 11, Plan 9200 S. — Town of Tofield.

1 only 300 gallon diesel fuel tank & stand located on N.E. 14-47-14 W4th.

Sealed tenders, with 10% deposit, will be received by the undersigned up to 5:00 P.M. Monday, May 9th, 1966. The sheds are to be removed immediately after acceptance of tender. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

OLOF MONSSON
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(35-36-nc)

## Trondhjem LCW meets at B. Burnstad home

(Mrs. E. Wagner)

ROUND HILL. — Fourteen ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. Beulah Burnstad on the evening of April 19th for the monthly meeting of the Trondhjem LCW.

Mrs. Pearl Quall led the devotion from Psalm 96, and Mrs. Bible Study entitled "The God We Worship".

The roll call for April was used stamps and a generous amount was received which will be sent to a rehabilitation centre in Europe to be used in the making up of stamp collections.

Mrs. Gladys Peterson was chosen as the delegate to attend the Conference at Messiah Lutheran Church in Camrose on Saturday, May 7th.

Iva Olson gave a report on hospital visitation to St. Mary's and Bethany.



# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Donald Wood left Saturday, taking some of his bulls, to attend the Lloydminster Spring Livestock Show and bull sale. He returned home Tuesday after selling his bulls at the sale.

Johnny and Lillian Warwa moved into their new home on Saturday. They have purchased the former Bert Jones farm [illegible] after re-modelling the house are now residing there.

On Wednesday of last week Emil and Martha Tiedemann were evening visitors and coffee guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill [illegible] of Ryley.

Clarice Jacobsen was a week guest at the home of her friend, Margaret Baerg of the Tofield district.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and daughter Mary and Martha's father, Emil Goubault of Tofield were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Sandy and Irene Scott of Lindbrook. Also visiting there Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gudmundson of New Sarepta.

Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen and family motored to Edmonton on Sunday and were dinner guests and early afternoon visitors at the home of Morley's parents, Hans and Martha Jacobsen, and were later afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Marj's friend Miss Dixie Wright, before returning home in the early evening.

Mrs. E. Wood attended the funeral of Wilber Gallinger in Edmonton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Burchard of Tofield were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein.

Walter and Evelyn Eaton and family of Edson arrived in Tofield Friday afternoon. They were Friday supper guests and overnight visitors at the home of Walter's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton. They spent Saturday visiting in Tofield and were Saturday supper guests at the home of Walter's brother, Leroy and Shirley Eaton in Holden, then were overnight guests again with Walter's mother, leaving for home Sunday forenoon.

Harold Bethel of Edmonton was a Saturday overnight guest of his cousin Johnny Wood. He was a Sunday visitor and dinner and supper guest at the home of his aunt Mary and John Wood.

On [illegible] of last week Ollie and Verlyn Moos motored to Wetaskiwin taking with them their daughter Marilyn and her two boys, where she met her husband Don. Langille and returned to Calgary with him, after having spent a week with her parents here. Ollie and Verlyn returned home after seeing them off for Calgary.

Howard and Mae Ferguson and son Nelson and granddaughter, Wanda Weir and Mae's mother, Mrs. Roberts of Tofield were Sunday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of their daughter, Doris and Howard Brown of Lindbrook.

**40TH ANNIVERSARY OF ARRIVAL HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harris and son David of Ryley were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of John and Mary Wood. They were celebrating their 40th anniversary since they arrived in Tofield and settled on a farm in the Lakeshore district. The farm is now owned by John Wood.

Johnny Wood motored to Onoway on Sunday and brought his wife Gloria and baby Cathy home after having spent a week there with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller. Mrs. Miller returned home with them for a visit.

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

**FIDDLER'S CONTEST**

Lakeview Pavilion walls bulged Friday evening when a crowd of 1300 patrons gathered to enjoy the 10th annual fiddlers contest. This is the 8th year it has been sponsored by Curley Gerlock and CFCW in Camrose. An old time dance followed and was much enjoyed until 2:30 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick, Gordon Kilfoyle and Miss Evelyn Cook attended the Fiddlers' contest on Friday night at Lakeview Pavilion.

Sherry and Maureen Barker of Edmonton spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Pearice. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pearice were Sunday afternoon callers at the Pearice home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Loch spent the weekend at Therrien.

Bruce George of Calgary and daughter, Kathy of Edmonton spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. E. George.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick, Ronald Ferguson, Miss Terry Regier and George Sears attended the whist drive, bake and parcel post sale held at Hastings Lake, Friday and all reported an enjoyable evening.

**FASTBALL LEAGUE**

A fastball league has been organized recently and Ministik players will practice on Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. Russell Rowland is Coach and Ralph Leach manager-organizer.


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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news briefs

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Dede and Robert Goshault and daughter Judy of Drayton Valley arrived on Saturday afternoon. Judy stayed overnight at the home of her aunt and Robert's sister Martha and Emil Tiedemann. Dede and Robert were [illegible] overnight and Sunday until after dinner guests at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood.

George and Dollie Hume and four children of Drayton Valley arrived Sunday and were afternoon, supper, overnight, and until after dinner Monday guests at the home of John and Mary Wood. They were early afternoon visitors and tea guests at the home of Johnnie and Gloria Wood then late afternoon luncheon and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton before returning home.

[illegible]

Mrs. Lil Van Buskirk, Mrs. Mickey Niemetz, Mrs. Helen Murray, Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen, Mrs. Lillian Fairholme, Mrs. Isabel Rudzcki, Mrs. Vi Geoglein, Mrs. Irene Warner, Mrs. Joan Warner, Mrs. Roberts of Tofield and Mrs. Doris Brown of Lindbrook were all visitors at the [illegible] on Monday afternoon [illegible] her celebrate her birthday.

Ray and Ruth [illegible] of Tofield were Tuesday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

[illegible] and Norm Jones of Ed[illegible] were Saturday afternoon and evening visitors at the home of Vivian's parents, Ray and Ruth Wickenberg.

Tuesday evening visitors and late [illegible] and [illegible] guests at the [illegible] of Ray and Ruth Wickenberg were their son Lyall and Thelma Wickenberg, also their daughter Vivian and Norm Jones all of Edmonton. Norm left Wednesday to return to work at Port Hope, B.C.

# Bardo news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

[illegible], May 3 — Jim and Nellie Johnson and boys from Vernon, B.C. arrived at the Arnold [illegible] home on [illegible] day evening [illegible] will visit [illegible] Tuesday when they plan to return home. Other visitors at the Johnson home on Sunday were Grandma Foshaug, the George Foshaug family and Larry Foshaug.

Mrs. Ivan Foshaug returned home [illegible], after [illegible] week at the home of [illegible] law and [illegible] Ed Weaver at Edmonton, acquainting herself with her new [illegible].

Miss Linda Erickson celebrated her birthday on Sunday and guests there to wish her [illegible] happy [illegible] were, [illegible] Hedberg and Elsten, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Shmidt and family, Mrs. Petra Stauffer; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haukedal, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Kindly and Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stokkan.

On Monday the Leroy Finseths motored to Edmonton to bring back Leroy's mother, Mrs. C. M. Finseth who will spend a week on the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Kindly were entertained at a birthday dinner last Sunday at the Harold Kindly [illegible]. Harold was celebrating his birthday.

The WCTU will meet at the Axel Kindley home on Wednesday afternoon May 11th at 2:30 o'clock.

Phyllis Foshaug and Fay Anderson [illegible] presented [illegible] pins from the Canadian WCTU at Sunday school on Sunday, for having written answers to the National Temperance Study course for five years.

The Lester Seversons and Don Litwins had dinner with David Severson and his friend Ann in Edmonton on Sunday. The remainder of the day was spent at Storyland Zoo.

[illegible] Leonard [illegible] received word from her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lawson at Calgary announcing the birth of a son.

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# Has document 110 years old

Stanley Dunham of Kingman dropped into the office last Thursday with a bill of sale for some land his great-grandfather bought in what is now Ontario. The document was dated 1856.

"I thought it might be of interest to your readers", said Mr. Dunham, "with the Centennial coming up."

He had with him, as well, an English sovereign to ensure they were genuine. It measured about four inches long and was made of brass. It is in like-new condition.

A couple of interesting things about the bill of sale was the description of its location and the selling price.

The land sold for "two hundred and fifty pounds of lawful money of Canada. The land was measured in "chains and links" and was located by degrees and minutes as well.

There was no mention of the province of Ontario, which, of course, was not a province at the time, prior to Confederation. The land was located "in the County of Middlesex in the Province of Canada" according to the bill of sale.

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By MRS. J. KNUDSON

PALMER-EARLING, April 30. —The church at the left observed its 60th anniversary last March.

On May 21st, at 8:00 p.m., and May 22nd, there will be three sessions with guest speakers— 10:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.—to mark this anniversary in the newly renovated church, Palmer Olson, Pastor. The men of the congregation have worked hard the past month, headed by carpenter Thomas Hendrickson of Bawlf, to complete this task.

Tribute to "Our Little Church"

There's a little church that nestles
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And it overlooks the dearest spot
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The hands that framed and built it
Now sleep beneath the sod,
But to us who know its story,
'Tis a treasured house of God;
It has seen our babies christened,
And our sons and daughters wed,
It has heard our anguished weeping
When we parted from our dead
Through our lives we'll ever love it,
In our hearts no spot can be
So blessed or as holy
To many such as we
—by Charlotte Bowers, Alberta.

The committee hopes many visitors will be on hand for the special anniversary services.

## MacDuff . . .

(Continued from Page Two)

the functions and personnel of the Board of Transport Commissioners, the Air Transport Board, the [illegible] ually responsibility for interprovincial trucking. This plan for integrating all forms of transportation was not recommended by the MacPherson Royal Commission but by Mr. Justice Turgeon reporting on transportation problems nearly 15 years ago.

## J. Ruxton . . .

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and Mrs. Ruxton from their former home, Lloydminster. Mrs. Campbell was saying that they met with Rev. and Mrs. Hessels, former minister in the Ryley, Bruce, Holden charge, and with Rev. Geeson, another former minister of this charge, who sent greetings to his friends. Along with Rev. Geeson was his daughter, Dorothy, and her husband who is finishing his first year as a student.

# Kingman news briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, May 3rd. — Mr. and Mrs. Axel Setterlund, Mrs. Geo. McNalley of Camrose and Mrs. Arne Jensen were Sunday visitors at the Alex Asp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Wruck [illegible] family spent the weekend in Edmonton where they were guests of Mrs. Fred Andiel, and attended the variety program at the Elmwood Community Centre Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ilo Christenson of Berwyn, and Mrs. Tilda Christenson of Camrose were Sunday visitors at the Fred Ogrendahl home.

Sunday guests at the Willie Bjorgum home were the Leroy Bjorgum family of Edmonton, the Olaf Olson family of Bawlf, the Gary Acre and Mrs. Helga Evenson and Fred.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hage and family of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Wilfred Johnson home.

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Geo H. Taylor was a business caller in Viking on Thursday and Saturday of last week.

**RE-UNION FOR SISTERS**

Mrs. N. L. Campbell received word last week that her sister, Mrs. Gilbert Morris of High Wycombe, Bucks, England, is planning to visit her, and hopes to arrive in Canada around June 14th, traveling by air. Mrs. Campbell's sister, Mrs. Bert Carr of Sudbury, Ontario, is also arriving to visit for a few weeks, in May. Mrs. Barlow is also a sister, and this will be a reunion of the four sisters in many years.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Roy Nichols was a patient in Tofield Hospital for a few days last week. He injured his side while using the garden tiller, and became quite ill. He was then taken to Tofield Hospital on Thursday, and was found to have a cracked rib. Roy was able to return home the early part of the week.

Mrs. Lew Blair and Mrs. Geo H. Taylor were Friday evening visitors and supper guests with Mrs. Campbell, when the ladies enjoyed talking over old times.

Mike Chupka was a business visitor in Edmonton on Friday, and Mr. and Mrs. Chupka were also in the city at the weekend, visiting with their daughters and on business.

Miss Anne Appleby of Tofield was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gansen and family have moved onto the Reuben Giebelhaus property, and are renting the farm and making their home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and sons were Edmonton visitors on Sunday and dinner guests with their sister-in-law, Mrs. Mamie Tiedemann.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann were visitors at Tofield on Friday evening to see the new baby of a niece, and also called on Roy Nichols.

**CENSUS IN JUNE**

Stan Perka of Round Hill, who has been appointed local Commissioner for the census which will be taken in June across Canada, was a business visitor in Holden last week, making arrangements for an instruction course for census takers in the Legion Hall, May 24 and 25 and June 2. Applications are being received today, May 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby were recent Sunday afternoon visitors with his father, Harry Appleby, at Vialta Lodge, Viking.

Rev. William Beckstead, of Edmonton, was a Friday visitor in Holden, calling on several friends around the village.

Mr. Kornelson and Larry Benson, teachers of Grade 5, were recent visitors at the N.A.D.P. Creamery and the U.G.G. Elevator, their inspection being in connection with their Social Studies on Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson attended the funeral on Thursday afternoon, April 28, of Chester Coombes at Tofield. Mr. Coombes was the father of their daughter Kay's husband, Ron.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ermendtroudt and family moved the end of the week from the Brekstad house, where they have been residing since last summer, to the Leo Hladilo farm, which was recently purchased by Maurice Ruskenveld.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Manchur and son moved into the Brekstad house the end of the month. They have been residing in the Alberta Pacific Grain Co. house.

Eric Adel, accountant at the Royal Bank, and Mrs. Adel left Thursday on vacation, visiting in the southern part of the province on the first part of the holiday.

**Ray Hovland, village secretary, who has been at Banff for the past several days undergoing treatments for arthritis, is feeling much improved, and is hoping to be back in the office the beginning of next week.**

Geo H. Taylor, Co-ordinator for the County of Beaver No. 9 unit of E.M.O., and Joe Chamulke, Village of Holden Co-ordinator, attended the regular meeting on Monday afternoon in the County office at Ryley.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Holden Legion held their regular meeting Monday evening, May 2, in the Legion Hall. Regular business was attended to and reports received, and the ladies also discussed and made plans for catering to the Ladies' bowling banquet held on Wednesday evening, May 4, in the Legion Hall.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Sharon and Richard Strong of Edmonton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingram and the girls.

**Born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brown, on April 28th in the Tofield Municipal Hospital a son, Daniel Peter.**

The Ketchamoot UCW met on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wm McDonald in Tofield.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketchum and three children of Rocky Mountain House, and Harold Coombes.

Mr. and Mrs. Donolley McGinitie, Darlene, and Barbara were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lawson. Florence Ingram was a visitor there in the afternoon.

Thursday, April 28th for the late

**C. COOMBES FUNERAL**

Funeral services were held on Chester Coombes at the Tofield United Church. Many of the local residents attended. Interment took place in the local cemetery.


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## MINISTIK NEWS

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

The congregation of the United Church welcomed their summer student minister on Sunday, May 1st. He is Tom Stephens and will be making his home with Mr. and Mrs. H. Griffin of South Cooking Lake.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Chester Leach is at present a patient in Tofield Hospital. A speedy recovery is wished him by all his friends. Bella Boss remains a patient there also but expects to be home soon as her leg is improving favorably.

Sympathy of the district was extended last week to all members of the Ferguson family, in the death of John Morrow who passed away last Monday.

**H. F. Davenport has moved from our district to make his home in Tofield.**

Mrs. Irene Williams of Edmonton spent a few days at the home of her son Keith and family last week. She was a Tuesday afternoon and supper guest of Mrs. S. George.

Visitors at the T. A. Jones home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Harmond Jones and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones and family, Ron and Don McCaig and their mother, Mrs. R. G. McCaig and Mrs. Thomson and four youngsters all of Edmonton.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy was an Edmonton shopper on Monday.

**HOME FROM B.C.**

Jim Roddick and daughter Edna returned at the weekend from a most enjoyable week spent in Victoria, B.C., with Jim's sister and family, the Jim Woodends and Edna's cousin, Miss Doreen Waller. Evelyn Cook gave a helping hand with chores while they were away, also Terry Ro[illegible].

Congratulations and best wishes were extended to Mr. T. A. Jones on Saturday on attaining his 80th birthday, from relatives friends and neighbors.

Gordon Kilfoyle who is now working at Consort, with Alberta Pacific Grain Co., spent the weekend at his home here.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Sympathy of the district goes to Mrs. Dorothy Gallinger and her two sons Claude and Michael on the death of their husband and father, Wilber Gallinger in the Tofield Hospital on Thursday of last week, following a stroke a short time before.

**A SON IS BORN**

Congratulations go to Yvonne and Peter Brown on the birth of a son, Daniel Peter, at the Tofield Hospital on Thursday, April 28th. Congratulations also go to the proud grandparents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann, and Stanley and Keitha Brown.

On Tuesday of last week Mrs. Ollie Moos, and daughter Mrs. Marilyn Langille and two little boys of Calgary were early afternoon callers at the home of Lillian and Percy Fairholme. Later in the day they were afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Vi and Elmer Googlein.

**TO CALIFORNIA AND B.C.**

Mrs. Ida Niemetz and her sister, Mrs. Emma Schultz of Edmonton left by plane on Thursday for California to visit their brother Vic and Pearl Ulrich and family. They expect to be gone two weeks and Ida intends to stop in B.C. to visit her father and mother in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Niemetz at Ladner, B.C.

Mrs. Ethel Wood and Mrs. Vi Googlein motored to Stettler on Friday to visit Ethel's mother, Mrs. (Granny) Baines at the Heart Haven Home there. They returned home the same evening.

Donald Wood left Saturday, taking some of his bulls, to attend the Lloydminster Spring Livestock Show and bull sale. He returned home Tuesday after selling his bulls at the sale.


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# 20 district pupils attend Youth Seminars

Several communities in the Tofield region will be represented in the 180 Alberta centres joining in two Alberta Seminars for Youth shortly. Only Daysland and Wetaskiwin will be represented this weekend when the first conference is held in Calgary, but a broad cross section of the community will be represented at the Edmonton gathering May 13-14.

More than 780 applications were received and 400 delegates were selected. Delegates pay a $10 registration fee plus their own transportation. The provincial government handles all other expenses.

Theme of the conference is "Pioneers of the Second Century". Featured speakers will be Education Minister Hon. R. H. MacKinnon in Calgary and Highways Minister Hon. Gordon Taylor in Edmonton. Musical entertainment will be provided by the cast of My Fair Lady, Calgary university male choir, dance orchestras and hootenannies. Papers for both seminars are being prepared by several men prominent in the field of education, both outside Alberta as well as provincially.

Attending the Calgary seminar from this region will be Ferne Pederson, Daysland, and Kenneth Forth and Brian Toole, both of Wetaskiwin.

Named to the Edmonton seminar are David Grue, Armena; Margaret Bennett, Bashaw; Richard Charlton, Czar; Luella Spiller, Daysland; Noreen Badry and Marie Land, both of Heisler, Richard Tymchak, Holden; Linda Odeland, Killam; Murray Mack, New Sarepta; Arnold Van Petten, Ohaton; Robert Gould, Rosalind; Evelyn Kozack, Ryley; Annette Trisko, Strome; Gary Patterson, Tofield; and Doris Holmlund, Brian Switzer and Bruce Walker, all of Wetaskiwin.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

**A Mother's Day Wish**

The bluest of skies, the fairest of Mays,
The best of good health and the gladdest of days;
The dearest of blessings that life can impart—
Glad love to you, Mother, right straight from the heart.

—Anon. —J.W.R.

# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden left on the Transcontinental Wednesday, April 27, for a ten-day holiday in Vancouver and Victoria. They were planning on visiting several former Holdenites who now reside out there. Mrs. Liden's sister, Eleanor (Mrs. Lew Blair) of Taber, arrived the early part of the week, and is helping Metro look after the store while Mr. Liden is away.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were evening visitors and supper guests with Mrs. Campbell on Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor were visitors and dinner guests with Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo H. Taylor, Wednesday of last week.

**PIONEER GROUP MEETS**

The Pioneer Group held their monthly meeting for May on Thursday, April 28, at the home of Mrs. James Ruston, a week ahead of the usual time. The Devotions were taken by Mrs. Earl Hardy, and the 4th chapter in the Study book was read and discussed. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jack Keith.

Mrs. Marilyn Shykora resumed her duties at the Royal Bank on Monday, after being absent for the past few weeks, convalescing following surgery.

# Ministik Ladies Club has April 20th meet

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

The monthly meeting of the Ministik Ladies Club was held at the community hall on April 20th, with roll call being answered by "My happiest moment at Easter."

It was decided to have a grocery bingo on May 13th, with Mrs. Pat Paterson as convenor. Plans were also made to have the annual Strawberry Tea on Saturday, June 4th, with Mrs. Andrew Ferguson again the convenor. A raffle will be held also at the tea.

Entertainment was provided by Mrs. Joe Davenport, with winners being Mrs. A. Ferguson, Mrs. Frank Swabey and Mrs. S. George. A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Albert Horricks, Mrs. Bruno Jeske and Mrs. Helen Hennessy.


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## Tofield High news

(Elaine Walker)

The Tofield High School will hold its annual Spring Prom on May 13. The program will begin at 7:30 p.m., followed by a dance from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. The theme will be "Apple Blossom Time". Lunch will be served, and the dance only will be invitational.

This summer the County will be sponsoring Doug Grover, Tofield student, to the United Nations' Seminar, which will be held in Banff. Also, the Lions' Club will sponsor Jerry Hardy to the Drama Seminar, to be held in Drumheller. Congratulations are extended to these students.

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Sunday, May 8th
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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, May 8th
Mother's Day
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service and Communion Service.
8:00 p.m.— Mother's Day Program.
Thursday, May 12th, 8:00p.m.—Briercrest Bible Institute Team to serve.
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**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, May 8th
10:00 a.m.—Mother's Day Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 2:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

## Skudesnes LCW meets

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

SKUDESNES — The Skudesnes LCW met April 28th, with Mrs. Joe Knudson, hostess, and 12 members present. The fourth lesson in Bible Study, "The God we Worship" was lead by Mrs. Eunice Vassberg. The LCW presented Alice Aker, home from the hospital, with flowers. Happy Birthday was also sung for Eunice and Emma. Plans for the dinner menu for the church anniversary May 22 was made. Offering was $6.35. Next meeting at church kitchen on Wednesday, May 25 with Mrs. Marv Vassberg the hostess. The kitchen has been renovated with an electric stove and built-in cupboards.

## Brian Taylor visits old home in England

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—Mr. and Mrs. Geo H. Taylor received word several days ago from their son Brian, presently residing in Godstone, Surrey, England, that he and his wife and two small sons spent a five-day Easter holiday in Leeds, Yorkshire, and had visited the former home of his parents there. Both Mr. and Mrs. Taylor were born and resided in Leeds before coming to Holden. They had visited some of the noted beauty spots in the outlying districts, also attending the Easter Sunday evening service in Leeds Parish church, and talked with Rev. Fenton Morley, Vicar of Leeds, who visited Canada a few years ago, and is to again spend a year or more lecturing at a Canadian University.

The Brian Taylors had also made a trip to Swaledale, visiting the church and locality where his great-grandfather, Rev. Richard V. Taylor, B.A., was the Vicar of Melbecks from 1878 to 1912. Brian and family were the guests of his aunt, Mrs. J. E. Rusby, the former Marjorie Taylor, who visited Holden in 1919-20, staying on the farm with her brother for over a year and a half.

# Modern etiquette

Q. Just what is the proper and accepted manner of eating olives at the table? I have seen some persons take the whole olive into the mouth, and after the meat has been eaten, remove the stone from the mouth. This doesn't look right to me.

A. You're right—it ISN'T right! Correctly, the olive is held in the fingers and nibbled off the stone.

Q. Do you think that a person is always obligated to give a specific reason when he is compelled to decline an invitation?

A. Although not exactly a "must", still a good, logical reason does have a way of softening a refusal of this kind.

Q. When there is to be a supper for the bridal party after the wedding rehearsal at the church, is it necessary to invite the clergyman and his wife?

A. If you know the clergyman well, it would be nice to invite him and his wife. It is not, however, necessary.

Q. When eating a biscuit and jelly at the table, should the jelly be applied to the biscuit with the fork?

A. No; the knife should be used for this purpose.

Q. Is it the duty of the bride-elect to buy the dresses and accessories for her bridesmaids?

A. No. She selects the designs and materials, but her attendants must pay for their own outfits.

Q. When refilling the water glasses on the dinner table, should they be lifted or left on the table while pouring the water?

A. Left on the table.

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# County Council meets

(Continued from Page Four)

cepted and that Cr Kropielnicki take any action necessary to alleviate the flooding situation. Cd.

A letter from Koshuta and Kuwalych, Barristers and Solicitors, of Vegreville concerning a flooding problem in S. E. 9-51-16-W 4th was referred to the Council. Cr. Kropielnicki stated that this problem had been referred to the Water Resources Branch but apparently no report as yet had been submitted and it was moved that the correspondence be received and filed and that the firm of Solicitors be advised that upon receipt of a report from the Water Resources Branch necessary action would be taken. Cd

A letter from the Sec.-Treas. of the Town of Viking requesting permission for the Centennial Caravan to use the Block north of 6th Avenue that the Town of Viking has agreed to sell to the County.

Moved that the necessary permission be given. Cd.

Moved that the Council has no objections to the proposed transfer in S.E. 13-49-19-W 4th, providing the County is not to be responsible for any road or [redacted] improvements in or to the transferred area. Cd.

Moved that the requisition [redacted] the Vegreville Health Unit No. 15 in the amount of $7,440.27 be accepted and paid. Cd.

Moved that requisition from Viking Municipal Hospital District No. 10 in the amount of $2,747.56 be accepted and paid. Cd.

The Sec.-Treas. referred to the Council the matter of prohibiting construction within 125 feet from the centre line on public roads according to Sec. 425 of the Municipal District Act, this matter having been discussed at prior meetings. Sec. 425, sub-section 2, provides that a Council, by by-law, may prohibit the construction or placing of buildings and shelterbelts, farm dugouts and cesspools and disposal fields closer than 125 feet to the centre line of any public road, highway or street. A by-law for this purpose would have to provide for payment from municipal funds for compensation and could also prescribe a fine for failure to comply with the by-law or to comply with terms and conditions of the construction, laying or placing of any of the work or things referred to. The Council felt that the by-law would be in order and the Sec.-Treas. stated that he did not feel that he could set up such a by-law and it was therefore moved that the County's Solicitor be requested to complete the by-law. Cd.

The question of fire fighting equipment for the Hamlet of Kinsella was discussed, the Sec.-Treas. having obtained some price quotations on suitable equipment. It was, however, felt that some person conversant with fire fighting should be consulted in this matter and it was moved that Cr. Johnston discuss the matter with, possibly, the Fire Chief at Viking or some such person. Cd.

In regards to the old machine shed at Tofield which had been sold to the Town of Tofield it was decided that the only item that the County would retain was the 500 gallon fuel tank which was to be offered for sale. Cr. Roddick stated that there was a 300 gallon fuel tank located on N. E. 14-47-14-W.4th that could also be disposed of.

Moved that these two fuel tanks be offered for sale at the same time as the old school buses are advertized. Cd.

## Historical Society seeks old pictures

At a recent meeting of the Historical Society it was decided that their exhibit will consist mainly of pictures. Anyone having any groups or pictures of interest relating to the past is asked to contact the Society, who will have them mounted for display.

On the 1st of July the Society will again be serving coffee to the Oldtimers. Any one resident here in 1916, or earlier, will qualify.

Stanley Dunham is looking after the raffle tickets for the quilt with the horse and cattle brands stitched on, which is being put together by Mrs. W. Tiedemann.

The idea of having the school students write up family histories for next year was discussed.

In the near future the Society will be holding "open house" in the Museum on a Saturday afternoon. So watch for the date.

A coot is an aquatic bird found principally in South America.


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## Last rites held for C. Coombes

On April 25, Chester William Coombes of Tofield passed away at the age of 73 years. Predeceased by his wife, Ida, in 1965, he is survived by three sons, Harold and Ron of Tofield and Lyle of Edmonton; three daughters, Ethel (Mrs. Hugh McCall) and Gladys (Mrs. E. Gabert) of Edmonton and Ether (Mrs. H. Ketchum) of Rocky Mountain House, 15 grandchildren and one great-grandson; three sisters, Mrs. Mabel Brown of Bawlf, Mrs. Margaret Johnson of Central Point, Oregon, and Mrs. Myrtle Rix of Ferndale, Michigan, and a brother, Leslie Coombes, of Vulcan.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, April 28, from the Tofield United Church, with Rev. W. H. McDannold officiating. Interment was in Tofield Cemetery. Andrews-McLaughlin Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

## Locals . . .

Patty Roberge and Butch Beaupre from Edmonton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. Roberge.

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Stan Snell from Edson was a Saturday visitor in town.

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**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

R. Callaid has returned home after several weeks in Edmonton Hospitals and is feeling much improved.

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Lloyd Herbert was the winner of the Tofield Community League $100.00 for April.

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**TRIP TO ENGLAND AND EUROPE**

Angus and Jean Richardson left New Westminster, B.C. by train on April 30 on the first lap of a trip to Britain and Europe. They will visit a few days in Montreal with Miss Judy Allen, a nursing classmate of Jeans, then fly to Glasgow, Scotland. From there they will travel by car to Inverness to visit Angus' parents and his sister Sheila in Edinburough. From there they will travel in Southern Scotland and England, then cross to the continent to spend several weeks. The return trip will be made about June 23rd from Southampton, England on the Queen Mary to New York thence by rail to Montreal and back home. Jean is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blake.

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**CORRECTION**

Over six hundred and fifty WA delegates and delegates to the Synod on April 20th at 7:00 p.m. attended the banquet held at the Macdonald Hotel — not sixty five or more as reported in last week's Mercury.

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**IT'S A BOY**

Wayne and Janice Lawson of 80 Hillgrove Drive, Calgary, are happy to announce the arrival of Terry Wayne, April 28th, 1966, weight eight pounds, six ounces. The new arrival is a brother for [illegible]


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# The Mercury

Tofield Ryley Holden Hiway 14

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**Good start**

Work is well under way on the new building for Alberta Government Telephones in Ryley, which will house the latest equipment in preparation for direct distance dialling and other developments in telephone use. The work is being handled by Watson (Tofield) Ltd., who were successful bidders on the masonry construction building, at a price of $37,512. Plans are to complete the work by July 23rd. Watson's also won another bid at High Level, Alberta, where they will be installing a water treatment plant. Contract price for this unit is $175,620. With 30 such jobs under their belt, Watsons are gaining a reputation as specialists in the field of water treatment plants.
– Mercury Newsphoto.

# Little leaguers get underway

Once again Spring time is upon us and as our thoughts turn to the many things that are to be done, our boys are already outside throwing the old ball around and getting the feel of things.

On April 26th a ball meeting was held in Holden to discuss the commencement of another ball season in the Little League and Pony League divisions. All towns along Highway 14 who participated in the league during 1965 were notified of this meeting and most had representatives in attendance.

Tofield was represented by Jack Lampitt of the Tofield Recreation Board. Tom Kerlee and Robert Ducek of Ryley represented both divisions. Mike Tkaczyk represented the Little League, and Milt Malick represented the Pony League in Holden. Chairman for the meeting was D. Cooper, Recreation Director of Holden. Herman Dyck and Bud Taylor of the Viking Chamber of Commerce represented Viking interests. The Hamlet of Bruce was not represented.

The group discussed organization of a Midget League, Little League and a Pony League involving all towns, with the hope the playing schedule would commence May 9th, the early start depending on how soon the teams were organized and the registration of names being turned in to the Highway 14 Baseball League manager.

The group also examined the 1966 Little League rule book, and discussed the rule changes. A few of the rules were changed to suit conditions which pertain to the area involved.

All players are asked to get in touch with their coaches and register their names as soon as possible. Once again insurance coverage will be provided for the players during practice periods and league games. It is absolutely necessary for all players to pay this $1 registration to their coach before league games commence if they wish to play ball this season.

All games will commence at 6:30 p.m. and will be played on Mondays and Fridays.

As this was a lengthy meeting, further business was referred to the next coaches' meeting, to be held at a later date.

One last and very important comment to all readers of this article . . . needed for the successful operation of these three ball divisions is the most important person of all—COACHES or ASSISTANT COACHES. Will you be one for 1966?

## Curling Club wages 'War on the Drip'

New officers for the coming season for the Tofield Curling Club were elected at the meeting held Saturday, April 30th. G. Pittet will head the new group as president with A. Swift vice-president; G. Allan, secretary; and W. Christensen treasurer.

The "War on the Drip" project is progressing with 300 sheets of plywood on hand at the present time; 500 sheets is the objective. It was again emphasized that this project was indeed important and all available support is required to put it "over the top."

**MENNONITE YOUNG PEOPLE TO PRESENT FILM**

The Tong Fontane Film, sponsored by the Mennonite Young People of Tofield and District, will be shown in the Tofield Community Hall on Sunday, May 15th, at 2:30 p.m. Everyone welcome.

# Plan added features for Showcase '66

The Tofield Community League is making preparations for "Showcase '66", Tofield's annual Dominion Day celebration.

In addition to the usual attractions, the League is arranging for several new features. One of these is the hoped-for two-day baseball tournament with 8 teams participating and the final games being played on Saturday, July 2nd.

**QUEEN AND PRINCESS CONTEST**

Another "first" will be the Queen and Princess contest. Four queens, from high school, each with a princess from junior high, will be contestants for the honor of presiding over Tofield Showcase '66.

Tickets through which the public may vote for their choice of Queen and Princess will soon be on sale. All votes will be counted by June 20 and the winner proclaimed. All contestants will receive prizes, with the winning Queen and Princess team being specially honored throughout the day. In addition to the honor and the prizes, all contestants will be given passes to the barbecue, the dance, the hot dog booth and the show.

The person who is the holder of the lucky ticket will receive two free tickets to the barbecue, two free tickets to the dance and two free tickets to the show.

The person selling the most tickets will receive a year's pass to the shows presented in the Community Hall by the Tofield Community Club.

The Queen-Princess teams are: Luella Schacker (10A) and Kathy Legair (7A); Cherie Astley (10B) and Ruth Dickson (7B); Dorothy Brent (11A) and Marian Hostetler (8A); Frances Schultz (11B) and Nette Appleby (8B).

So be prepared to vote for your favorite combination. More information about this contest will appear later.

The jumping and cutting horses will again be a major attraction on July 1st. The Historical Society will again have an exhibit and will act as hosts to the Oldtimers. A midway is being planned.

All in all, Tofield's Showcase '66 promises to be a fitting contribution to Canada's 99th birthday. Let's all do our part to make it a really outstanding occasion.

## Jim Roddicks married 25 yrs.

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK. — A triple occasion was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. S. George on Sunday, it being Mothers' Day, Douglas' birthday and the silver wedding anniversary of Dolly and Jim Roddick. A lovely turkey dinner was enjoyed by all in attendance.

A two-tiered gaily decorated wedding cake centred the table, a gift of Margaret and Edna Roddick, daughters of the honored couple. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shope and Mr. and Mrs. Art Francis, of Tofield, and Mrs. Dorothy Wilmore, of Edmonton, were among the guests.

## District pioneer of '94, Chester Coombes passes

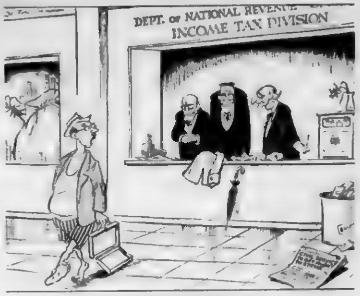
A pioneer resident of the Ketchamoot district, Chester Coombes, passed away in the Tofield Hospital on April 25, at the age of 73.

Born in Colusa County, California, May 17, 1892, he travelled by covered wagon with his parents to the Tofield district. They arrived in the fall of 1894, taking a homestead south of the present site of Tofield. Mr. Coombes had resided on this farm until his passing.

In February, 1915, he married Ida Grovum, who predeceased him February 26, 1965. Mr. and Mrs. Coombes celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary just prior to her untimely passing.

He is survived by three sons, Harold and Ronald of Tofield and Lyle of Edmonton; three daughters, Ethel (Mrs. H. McCall) and Gladys (Mrs. E. Gabert) of Edmonton and Esther (Mrs. H. Ketchum) of Rocky Mountain House; 15 grandchildren; one great-grandson; three sisters, Mable (Mrs. Brown) of Bawlf, Margaret (Mrs. Johnson) of Central Point, Oregon, and Myrtle (Mrs. Rix) of Ferdale, Michigan, and one brother, Leslie, of Vulcan, Alberta.

Funeral services were held in the Tofield United Church on April 28, with Rev. W. H. McDannold officiating. Interment was in the family plot in the Tofield Cemetery. Pallbearers were Ivan Mitchell, Albert Sears, Harold Shultz, Albert Sutton, Bill Ingram and Ralph Barnes.



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# Shouldn't be catching

Premier Lesage of Quebec has called a provincial election for June 5, and there have been many hints Premier Manning may be one of several other provincial premiers thinking along the same lines.

Like the 'flu bug, election fever can get pretty contagious, but let's hope it's not catching here. The only possible reasons Alberta could have for an election this year would be to catch the opposition parties with their fences down, or to avoid an election during Centennial year or else run the full term, which is generally frowned on.

Other than that, we can see no possible reason for an election in Alberta, and we suspect a number of voters would cry "dirty pool" if one were called.

# Farmers warned

Edmonton's Better Business Bureau recently issued a warning to farmers to double check on the identity of companies and salesmen pushing steel buildings for farm use. This is the latest field to gain the attention of the fast operators, the Bureau reports, although it is only one of many.

This is not to say there are not a number of reputable firms and salesmen in the steel buildings business. The Bureau points out there are several firms who are seldom the subject of any criticism, because they welcome investigation in what they have to offer, in competitive quality or price, and because they do not resort to the well known rush tactics.

Often these firms are established in a community for a considerable period of years, and tied into the local population. He isn't necessarily a crook or a shyster because he's a stranger, but the Better Business Bureau, no further away than Edmonton, can cite several case histories which bear out their warning: Before you invest investigate.

# Nominations, anyone?

Nominations don't close for some time yet in the search for Junior Citizens of the Year, yet everyone knows that summer-time isn't usually the period when people give a great deal of thought to this sort of thing. So may we suggest to our readers that anyone who knows a young Albertan, between the ages of six and sixteen, who has performed well beyond the normal requirements of young people, should send their nomination to The Mercury. The more information you can give, the more help it will be, but if there's just the name, we'll try to do the rest.

The award is not restricted simply to youngsters who have bravely saved the life of someone else . . . very often the choice is for those young heroes who daily and for months at a time carry far more than their share of the load when misfortune strikes the family.

Tofield and district have had winners before this . . . let's see if there aren't more about.

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# On the Provincial Scene

By JOHN WARREN

There are several sure signs of summer in Alberta. The temperature in some communities rises above freezing, golf replaces hockey as the chief subject of office conversation, and political and government activity seems virtually to disappear.

Of course there's always that slow period of recovery following a long session of the legislature. Hardly anyone can be blamed for wanting to take an extended trip after it's all over.

That's just what Premier Manning was planning last week. He was already getting his shots and putting together the material he will take with him May 17 on a three-week trip to the Orient.

Last Friday a Japanese delegation met with the government and industrial officials. With the premier's reciprocal visit almost underway it would seem that huge Japanese development of coal and iron (among other things) in Alberta may be just around the corner.

Completion of the Alberta resources railway this month is another step in that direction.

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The government's bid to drop estate taxes seems to be getting some almost unexpected support from Ottawa.

The minister of trade and commerce, Robert Winters, said he favors the plan. "Removal of the tax would generate capital for additional advancement of the private sector of our economy", he said. To abolish the tax, Ottawa would have to agree to abandon its 25-per-cent share and Mr. Manning has admitted Alberta would probably have to give Ottawa something in exchange.

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That week was also the occasion for the first youth seminar in Canada sponsored by a provincial government. About 200 delegates attended.

Education Minister McKinnon said the conference was aimed at finding out what youth is thinking. He said they would have a unique opportunity for youth to debate current social, economic and moral trends. A second such seminar is planned for Edmonton this week.

The young people represent rural, urban, farm, university, church and sports groups.

It seems likely that the major result of the whole thing will be formation of a few guidelines for the new department of youth which really doesn't know what its job will be yet.

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The municipal affairs minister, Alf Hooke, threw out a real teaser in a speech last week. He said he has a proposal for reducing the share of education costs borne by property taxes but cannot reveal details right now.

Talking to the municipal advisory committee he said, "I'm surprised that none of you have come up with the recommendation we have in mind . . . I won't say any more now."

The meeting was attended by ten groups who presented briefs regarding taxes.

# MacDuff Ottawa report

OTTAWA. -The sparks fly frequently on the Canadian political scene as the two old warriors, Prime Minister Pearson and Opposition Leader Diefenbaker cross swords and exert every effort to lop off the head of the other. The green-carpeted House of Commons chamber echoed to the sounds of battle again early this month as the two antagonists clashed to the cheers and shouts and jeers and jibes of their respective supporters. This time the battle was over evidence that RCMP Commissioner George McClellan gave to the Munsinger security and sex inquiry. The Commissioner revealed that he had been summoned to the office of the Prime Minister on December 2, 1964. He said he was asked, by Mr. Pearson, if there was any information on file of a nature which would indicate impropriety or wrongdoing on the part of any member of the present government.

The Commissioner also disclosed that he was later asked if he had any indication of any impropriety or anything of a scandalous nature involving any member of parliament in any party over the last 10 years. Mr. McClellan told the inquiry at the open hearing that he was of course aware that the matters under discussion in the Prime Minister's office were in part at least the rumours and gossip circulating on the Munsinger affair. He said he replied in the affirmative. He was asked what it was and he referred to the Munsinger case.

This testimony exploded in the House of Commons like a time bomb. At the earliest opportunity the Progressive Conservatives introduced a motion of non-confidence in the Liberal minority government. It said that the House strongly deplored and condemned the Government's action in having the RCMP [illegible] information to the Government as to the past conduct of all members of parliament generally.

The Conservatives had a strategy meeting. They decided to go ahead with the motion which in effect was a censure of the Prime Minister despite the fact that the Spence judicial inquiry was only getting underway. Gordon Fairweather, Conservative MP, a former Attorney-General of New Brunswick, and one of the most respected of the Tory backbenchers, was given the assignment of denouncing the PM's action.

He led off with a speech that was fairly moderate and far removed from the hatchet-like job that an opposition member such as Erik Nielsen can carry out with vigor and venom. But Mr. Fairweather made his points effectively. The Conservative Opposition, he said, was deeply disturbed at the action of the Prime Minister. The Conservatives were concerned that it was destroying the independence of all MP's and undermining the institution of Parliament.

The New Democratic Party and the Social Credit group, also indicated their fears that the Prime Minister had gone too far. Both opposition groups said they would support the official Conservative Opposition in its attempt to defeat the administration. The Quebec group of Creditiste members, indicated that they, too, were disturbed. But their spokesman Gilles Gregoire said they would withhold judgment until they had heard the Prime Minister make his statement.

Mr. Pearson was absent from the House, that first day of the two-day debate when his personal reputation came under strong and almost continual attack. Rising from a sick bed he appeared in the House on the second and last day of the debate, to defend himself. Only Paul Martin had risen during the first day to voice a spirited defence of Mr. Pearson's reputation. Some Liberal backbenchers were annoyed that he delayed so long in springing to the P.M.'s defence.

Notice was taken in the Liberal back benches that Martin was the only member of the cabinet who did rise to Mr. Pearson's defence. Other members of the cabinet were either not in their seats during the debate, or did not participate. Said one Liberal

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

NEW RESIDENTS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Willans and son, former Bruce district residents moved into the A.P.G. Co. house, last week, which was formerly occupied by the Don Manchurs. We are pleased to welcome them to Holden and hope they will be happy in their new home.

Mrs. Mary James was a visitor and coffee guest with Mrs. Mabel Sizer, Wednesday of last week.

Rev. William Beckstead of Edmonton was a business caller around Holden last Thursday afternoon and a coffee guest with Mrs. Campbell. Mr. Beckstead, formerly the United Church minister in Holden, is now on leave of absence from the United Church and is selling life insurance.

Mrs. Elna Parsons and Chris Christenson were visiting with Mrs. Campbell Friday morning, and in the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Raeder.

Henry Oberg was an Edmonton visitor Saturday to have another treatment on his shoulder, which he injured last fall.

Anne Appleby of Tofield and Bruce Appleby of Edmonton were visitors here over the weekend and attended the Holden High School Annual Spring P[illegible]m.

ARTHUR STEWART PASSES

Word was received Saturday morning that Arthur Henry Stuart, aged 85 passed away in St. Joseph's Hospital, [illegible] Friday, May 6th. Mr. [illegible] was one of the [illegible] pioneers of the Poe district and he and his brother farmed in the [illegible] for many years. Mr. Stuart was a guest in Vialta Lodge, Viking for a short while then was later transferred to St. Joseph's when his health became worse. His brother, Charles, pre-deceased him a few years ago. Neither of the brothers married and left no immediate family.

Sam Sroka of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his mother, Mrs. Tekla Sroka and other relatives.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann was a [illegible] visitor in Edmonton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mielimaka were visitors and dinner guests with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Zuzak, on Mother's Day. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Mielimaka and family were also [illegible] there.

Ray Hovland returned home the end of las week after spending a week and a half at Banff where he had been taking therapy and treatments for his arthritis condition.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell was a business visitor in Leduc on Monday, May 9th, also [illegible] with her daughter Marjorie and family, the Ken Campbells. Ray Hovland [illegible] and back.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Slywka of Sherwood Park were Mother's Day visitors with his mother, Mrs. William Slywka.

16-YEAR-OLD BOY KILLED IN ACCIDENT

The son of a former [illegible] teacher, [illegible] of Whitecourt, aged [illegible] was killed Thursday when struck by a west-bound car on highway 43, in the town limits. Mrs. Derkach was recently teaching in Holden School, and, with her family resided in one of the teacherages, leaving the end of June 1965 for Edmonton. [illegible] was riding his bicycle when the accident occured.

Beaver dams are again [illegible] ing trouble in some of the ditches of Holden Drainage District. The Department of Fish and Wildlife have been notified and they sent a man here last week to trap the beavers.

TO TORONTO

Rev. J. Ruxton last sent week to spend several days in Toronto. He and the other newly ordained ministers at Convocation, April 28th, are to attend a United Church meeting there.

VISITOR FROM ENGLAND

Mrs. Campbell received word during last week, that her sister, Mrs. Gilbert Morris of High Wycombe, England, who was to arrive for a three week trip about June 14th will now be arriving earlier and expects to be in Edmonton on June 2nd.

The ladies of the single bowling teams concluded their bowling season when 21 members attended a banquet, Wednesday evening in the Legion Hall and enjoyed a sumptuous chicken supper, catered by the Ladies Legion Auxiliary.

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member bitterly: "Obviously the would-be party leaders want to avoid at all cost anything that smacks of trouble at this time. But if they only knew, it is now the backbenchers are judging them on their performance".

When Mr. Pearson returned to the House he needed no help. He [illegible] ordering the RCMP to embark on a scandal hunt into the private lives of any member of parliament. In dealing with the Tory charges against him, he said simply and earnestly that he was stating the facts and would stake his reputation on his recital of those facts. There were no histrionics. It was a Prime Minister placing the facts before the House and asking the members of Parliament to judge him on those facts. Clearly Mr. Diefenbaker is gambling that if the Grits can be defeated now that Mr. Pearson would not recommend dissolution to the Governor General.

But the Prime Minister entered the arena ready to fight, and members listened and were impressed. He urged them to cast their minds back to that terrible period — November 1964 — when the Conservative Opposition hurled charges at the government of bribery and corruption. The Rivard affair was the basis of those charges and the Prime Minister found to his dismay that some of the charges had [illegible]. He became alarmed that the Tories might be telling the truth when they claimed that organized crime had gained a foothold on Parliament Hill.

With accusations and rumours flying about Ottawa he decided to call in the RCMP Commissioner. He said that the allegations worried him as they [illegible] every other member of Parliament. That was why he asked the Commissioner for information about other cases, which were in any way similar to the cases that had been raised in the House at that period.

Most members were sympathetic after hearing the Prime Minister. The vote was 123 for the administration and 106 against. Supporting Mr. Pearson were 113 Liberals, nine Creditiste members, four New Democrats, three Social Crediters and two Independents. Against the government were 93 Conservatives and 13 New Democrats headed by T. C. Douglas. The Socialist leader's group had split.

Mr. Pearson had won again. Mr. Diefenbaker despite the venom and invective and the full power of his oratory had failed to convict the Prime Minister. But he will try again. Mr Diefenbaker is a fighter. He keeps coming back with verbal body blows calculated to wear down his opponent, or catch him with his guard down. Meantime the Canadian public are becoming weary of the contest.

# Missionary shows work in Bolivia

Carl Washeim an Industrial arts teacher, now attending CLBI who was sent by the World Mission Prayer League to Bolivia, spoke of his work and showed films recently in the Lutheran Church in Ryley. There are nearly four million people residing in the inland province of Bolivia in South America.

The Sunday School children sang "Bringing in the Sheaves".

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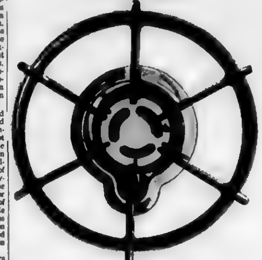

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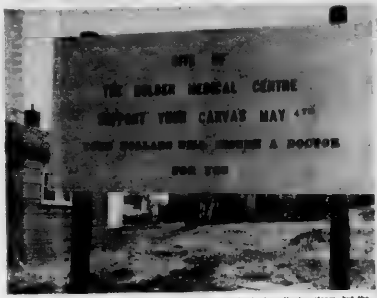

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## Holden-Bruce ATA honors Lars Olson

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

The Holden-Bruce Sub-local of the ATA met recently in Holden. Mrs. Pearl Allan, a representative to the ARA held Easter week in Calgary, gave a report stating there are now 16,858 teachers in Alberta.

A tribute was paid to Lars Olson, who was the Provincial president of the ATA in 1963 and in 1964, and who had attended meetings for 20 years.

The ATA has expanded greatly and it is a very active association. After Mrs. Allen's report, Mrs. Grace Appleby gave an account of the local meeting. Lars Olson then spoke on pensions.

# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The Lakeshore UCW will hold their May meeting at the home of Mrs Marjorie Jacobson on Wed May 18 at 2 p.m. She wishes to welcome all members, past members and any visitors who care to come. Anyone with garden ideas or garden and house plants to exchange please bring them to this meeting.

Mrs. John Miller of Onoway returned to her home on Thursday after having spent almost a week visiting her daughteer, Mrs. Gloria (Johnny) Wood.

Vi and Elmer Geoglein were Sunday afternoon visitors and tea guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg went to Edmonton by bus on Saturday and spent Mother's Day weekend at the home of her daughters, Mrs. Vivian Jones and Janet Wickenberg. Lyall Wickenberg of Edmonton also was a supper guest at the home of his sister Vivian helping their mother (Ruth) celebrate Mother's Day. Lyall's children and grandchildren also called to visit their grandparents. Roy and Ruth returned home late Sunday evening with their grandson Donald Jones, who had also been in the city over the weekend visiting his mother.

AT BRIDAL SHOWER

Mrs. Ethel Wood, her daughter Mrs. Margie Berrecloth, and Mrs Ellen Eaton, and Mrs Martha Tiedemann from this district were among quite a number of ladies who attended the shower on Saturday evening in the Legion Hall in honor of Miss Margaret Heitman, whose wedding to Fred Hunley takes place on May 20th. A very enjoyable evening was spent with contests, followed by the opening of the many lovely and useful gifts, after which the bride-to-be thanked all present and extended an invitation to all to come and see her some time. After this a very delicious luncheon was served by the hostesses. All wish Marg and Fred much happiness in their future years.

Harold Bethel of Edmonton spent Saturday overnight and Sunday at the home of his Aunt Mary and John Wood.

Sunday (Mother's Day) dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of John and Mary Wood were their two daughters and son and their families, namely, Mrs Lorne Francis and three children of Viking, Ernie and Victor Halwa and children of Edmonton and Johnny and Gloria Wood and baby Cathy.

Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Irlene and Harold Sieb and family were Irlene's sister, Emma and Fred Onyschuk and daughter Debbie and Harold's sister Eleanor and Ernie Runzer all of Edmonton.

## Boys' Food Club has May meeting

The Ryley Cooksters held their May meeting in the Home Economics Room with Rodney Koledychuk presiding.

The 4-H pledge was led by Garth Jensen. Each boy answered roll call by telling of good manners while out in public.

Achievement Day, to be held Monday, May 30, was discussed. A meat carving demonstration and attractive meat platter was shown. First year boys made chocolate and caramel fudge, and second year boys made beef and ham sandwiches. Wade Magneson led the 4-H grace.

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## Ross Creek district news briefs

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Spring's work has started in earnest now and there is little time for social life. The men are busy in the fields and the women are getting their gardens started.

AT U. OF A. SEMINAR

Maureen McLachlan was chosen to attend the Physical Education Seminar at the University of Alberta. She reports a very interesting and educational weekend was spent with about 80 girls from various parts of the province.

Merril VanBuskirk of Valleyview spent a few days last week visiting relatives in the district.

Mr and Mrs. Neil Bailey and family spent Mother's Day with Violet's parents at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mohr, at Josephsburg.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice VanBuskirk were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carlisle and family and Merril VanBuskirk.

NEW RESIDENTS

The Steve Krushinsky family have moved on the farm recently vacated by the Stan Schachers. We wish to extend a welcome to the Krushinskys, who have come here from Vermilion, and hope they will have success in their new venture.

Mr. and Mrs Max Schacher and family celebrated Mother's Day with Max's parents, Mr. and Mrs Roiley Schacher, in Edmonton, when they dined at the Beverly Crest Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Art McLachlan of Edmonton spent the weekend visiting relatives in the district. Grandpa McLachlan accompanied them and stayed on to visit with his son Joe, and Isobel.

U.C.W. MEETS

The Ross Creek United Church Women held their monthly meeting at the home of Clara Yurkavich on Wednesday evening, with 15 members and one visitor present. Rev Birske extended an invitation to all Ross Creek families to join the Lamont families at a church picnic at Elk Island Park on June 4th. Plans were made to hold a Father's Day tea at Ross Creek Community Centre on June 18th. Lunch was served by Olga Eglinski and Jewel Becker.

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## Pre-nuptial shower honors Betty Pilger

(Mrs Ellen Eaton)

LAKESHORE, MCKENZIE — A very large crowd of ladies gathered in the United Church basement on Tuesday evening to attend a shower in honor of Miss Betty Pilger, a nurse at the Tofield Hospital whose wedding will take place on June 4th. Betty has been a nurse at the Tofield Hospital for many years and will be greatly missed by all who knew her. Among [illegible] attending the party were nurses and staff members, former nurses, former patients and friends from Tofield, Holden, Ryley and several out-lying districts. After Betty and her helpers had opened the many lovely and useful gifts, she thanked all for their gifts and kindness.

# CWL elects '66 officers

Catholic Womens League held a joint communion supper on May 4th, beginning with mass and the installation of the new officers.

The guest speaker was Fr. Laisnez, Camrose who gave an interesting talk on vocations.

The new officers for CWL are as follows: president, Mrs. D. McKernon; first vice-president, Mrs. K. Eastlick, 2nd vice president, Mrs. M. Worton; secretary, Mrs. L. Shewchuk, treasurer, Mrs. Ch. Roberge.

## Tofield High news

(Elaine Walker)

The Tofield Senior Prom will be held on Friday, May 13. "Apple Blossom Time" will be the theme followed for the evening. A program will begin at 7:30, followed later by a dance. Only the dance is invitational.

The Tofield High School softball team travelled to Holden last Wednesday for exhibition games with the Holden teams. The Tofield teams lost both games, but are to be commended on their fine efforts.

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# News briefs from Kingman district

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, May 9 — The Salem LCW will meet at the church basement on Thursday evening, May 12th at 8 p.m.

Miss Donna Swanson of Ohaton is intern teacher in the Grade 1 and 2 room and is staying with Mrs. J. A. [illegible]

Elaine Bjorgum attended a Recreation Leadership Course at the University of Alberta in Edmonton for four days. This course is sponsored by the County to promote interest in the field of Physical Education.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Moore and family of Forestburg and Mrs. Emma Hagen of Bethany Home in Camrose were Sunday visitors at the [illegible] Boness home. Evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Magneson and family of Camrose and the Louis Ergas.

Visitors at the Louis Erga home for Mother's Day were Mr. and Mrs. Alan Erga of Lacombe, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Erga and family of Meeting Creek and the Arvin Magnesons of Camrose.

Sunday guests at the Wm. Bjorgum home were Mr. and Mrs. Art Henson and family of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. George McLeod of Calgary. The McLeods were also visitors at the Ovel Bjorgum and H. Evenson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Schmidt and family, Mrs. Tillie Winder and Mr. Carl Eastburg were guests at the Leonard Winder home on Sunday for Mother's Day.

Miss Mabel Simonson spent the weekend in Edmonton with Alice Simonson and the Henry Simonsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Simonson of High [illegible] were [illegible] overnight guests at Mabel Simonson's home.

[illegible]MAN, May 10 — Mrs. [illegible] and Mrs. Palmer Boness [illegible] the Camrose Art Club [illegible] at the United Church parlours in Camrose on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. [illegible] Surrey, B.C., is a visitor at the Wilfred Johnson home. Mr. and Mrs [illegible] of Alder Flats were Monday visitors with the Wilfred Johnsons.

Mr. and [illegible] Ness spent Sunday with the [illegible] mother, Mrs. Mark Herte in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ellis of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coykendall and [illegible] were Mother's Day visitors with Mrs. Annie Coykendall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Franklyn of Edmonton were weekend guests at the Clifford Christenson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Johnson and family of Rimbey were Sunday supper guests at the Wilfred Johnson home.

Mr and Mrs. John Marcistyn and family of Edmonton were weekend guests at the Ray Ovelson home.

Mrs. Morgan Brennom returned home recently from Alameda, Calif., where she spent the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Johnson and family were Sunday dinner guests with Mrs. Johnson's mother Mrs. Albanus Johnson in Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Christenson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coykendall were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Tilda Christenson in Camrose.

## LOCALS ...

HEART SEIZURE

Mr. Stinson suffered a heart attack on Monday while he was in Edmonton, and is a patient in the University Hospital.

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Archbishop Jordan visited the Tofield Roman Catholic Parish where confirmation rites were administered. Rev. McDonnold and Rev. Hammett were the guests at the dinner.

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and daughter, Edith Mary, spent Mother's Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

## Lutheran Ch. Women have regular meeting

The Bethel Lutheran Church Women held their regular meeting in the Parish Hall. Opening Prayer was given by Mrs. W. Magneson, and Bible Study on the Second Article was led by Mrs. E. Magneson. The Pentecost festival of the church year was explained by Mrs. Alma Adams. A report on Lutheran Cooperation was read by Mrs. E. Knudslien.

The many guests were served a lovely lunch by the hostesses, Mrs. W. Oslund and Mrs. N. Kushnir.

## Congregations honor minister

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

On Sunday, May 1st, the congregation of the Holden United Church honored Rev. J. Ruxton, after the morning service, when Mr D H Allan, on behalf of the members presented him with a communion set for use when he calls upon "shut-ins".

Rev. Ruxton thanked the congregation for their lovely gift and their kindness to him and his family, and expressed their regret to be leaving within a short time.

The members of the Bruce congregation also presented Rev Ruxton with a purse of money after their service in the afternoon. Several members from Holden attended the service.

The members of the Board of the United Church held a meeting in the Church Tuesday evening and also a meeting of the Official Board of Ryley, Holden and Bruce in Bruce Thursday evening.

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## Ryley 4-H'ers plan bake sale

The Ryley Girls 4-H Food Club held a meeting on April 18th at the Home Ec Room in Ryley. Six members were present.

Suggestions for money raising projects were discussed. It was finally decided to hold a Bake Sale on May 14th. It will be held at the D.A.'s office in Ryley and starts at 9:30 a.m. A cake will be raffled by the club at the Bake Sale.

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# Rev. and Mrs. Hammett leave on extended overseas trip

The Rev. W. L. Hammett and Mrs. Hammett, leave on the 16th of May for an extended holiday in Britain, Denmark, Norway and Holland, and France.

During his absence from Holy Trinity Parish, services will be conducted by the Ven Archdeacon G. W Wilson, the Venerable Archdeacon, J. A. Langstone, Stan Williams, the well known writer in the Edmonton Journal, G. R. Mealing, formerly lay-reader of the parish, J. W. Robinson and Miss Elizabeth Cispin, who spent the past year in studies at the Anglican Women's Training College, Toronto

Events scheduled for the parish in the month of May are the WI's annual bedding plant sale on the 20th and 21st and the annual meeting of the Deanery of Wainwright, May 25th. The meeting will commence with a celebration in the parish Church, of Holy Communion, the officiant being the Venerable V. P. Cole, Archdeacon of Strathcona and director of St. Thomas's Wainwright, assisted by the deanery clergy. The preacher will be the Rev. T. M. Elliott, rector of Edgerton-Provost. The sessions will take place in the Community Hall and some 90 delegates are expected to be present.

# Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

The Social Credit Whist Drive was well attended. Winners were Ladies high, Mrs. J. Dunham, low, Gisele Doerbel, Gents high, Collin Peterson and low Mr. McHefley. The next whist drive will be on Saturday May 14th.

Final plans will be made for the Strawberry Tea to be held Saturday May 21st at the Hall, at the Ladies Club meeting that will be at the home of Mrs. M. Gladue this coming week.

**BALL LEAGUE**

Great interest is being taken in the Ball League, between Ministik, Splistead, Lindbrook and Hastings Lake. Splistead defeated Ministik for the first two games. Hastings Lake downed Lindbrook for the first game. The second game ended in a tie.

Next Sunday evening Ministik and Hastings Lake will play at the Hastings picnic grounds, with a wiener roast after the game to raise money for the ball teams.

# Show film on safe driving

A television "special" designed to reduce death and suffering caused by traffic accidents will be shown on CHC-TV Thursday, May 19 from 8 to 9 p.m. Using a free test form supplied by any White Rose or Shell service station, viewers will be able to test their knowledge of driving on expressways, in cities, and in foul weather. Similar shows in the United States have drawn phenomenal interest.


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# News from Ministik and district

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Mother's Day services were held at both the United Church and St. Jude's Church on Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and Mrs. Jim Roddick attended a church board meeting at the home of Mrs. Robert Berrecloth on Wednesday evening.

There will be an organization meeting on Sunday after church service, to make plans for Sunday School for the season. Sunday School will commence the following Sunday, May 22nd.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Claude Leach underwent surgery in the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton, on Wednesday, and his friends and neighbors wish him a speedy recovery. Mrs. Leach has been staying in the city so that she may visit daily with her husband.

Miss Della Boss returned to her home last Tuesday, after a long stay in Tofield Hospital with a severe burn on her leg. Doctor's orders are to take things easy

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys left for Ponoka on Thursday, where they will be located for the summer season

Mrs. Helen Hennessy returned to her home Friday, after spending five days at Whitecourt with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Jim Moore. The Moores brought Mrs. Hennessy home and plan to stay for a few days. Mother's Day guests with Mrs. Hennessy were the Moores and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Jacques and children of Edmonton.

Bill Roddick starts working for the Strathcona County on Tuesday.

**HOME FROM MANITOBA**

Mrs. Les Whitford returned on Wednesday from a most enjoyable three-week holiday spent in Transcona, Manitoba, visiting her sister and friends.

Glenn and Gary Ferguson were among those who attended the Fiddlers' Contest held recently at Lakeview Pavilion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce George and family called on Mrs. S. George and the Jim Roddicks on Friday on their way to Calgary, where they are making their home.

**FIRE IN BARN**

The fire brigade at Sherwood Park was called on Wednesday to extinguish a smouldering fire in the large turkey barn of Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Jesko. It was fortunate that the turkey poults had not yet arrived or the loss would have been much greater.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Clarke and Mr and Mrs. Archie McLean and Neil were Mother's Day guests of Mrs. W. C. Barnes. Mrs. Russell Rowland was an evening caller.


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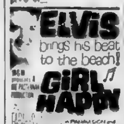


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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Runka, Jimmy and Daryll of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon and dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz and family.

Reta Williams and Kay Coombes were Saturday afternoon visitors with Marie Mitchell

Annie McGinitie and Janet Lawson spent Mother's Day with their mother in Holden

Mr Peeples of Sherwood Park, Senior Citizen Home, is spending a few days visiting with old friends in the district.

**MANY FIRES**

Fire has been plaguing several farm steads in this district this past week, causing damage and loss to Arthur Williams, Charlie Ray and Harold Schultz

A birthday party was held for Harold Sutton at his home on Sunday afternoon, when friends and relatives came from Edmonton gathered to celebrate the ——

Agnes and Henry McGinitie were Tuesday evening callers at the home of Dorothy and Roy Whilliams.

For Mother's Day, Agnes and Henry McGinitie had their son Harvey and Pauline and children of Viking, and their daughter Alice and Eric Munkedahl and children of Ryley home for the day. Their son Raymond called there on Monday.

On Sunday, Albert, Gary and Dwight Sears motored to Fort Saskatchewan to visit with Mrs. Ellen Sears at the River Crest Nursing Home.

Mrs. McLennen, Gail and Lawrence McGinnis of Edmonton spent Sunday with Ruby and Charley Sears and family.

# Margaret Heitman is honored at shower

A miscellaneous shower was held for Margaret Heitman on Saturday, May 7th at the Legion Hall Many lovely and useful gifts were received Elaine McKernon and Theresa Heitman helped unwrap the gifts Margaret thanked everyone graciously. The marriage will take place on Friday, 21st of May at five p.m. at the St. Francis of Assisi Church, Tofield.

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## FUTURE DATES

**BEDDING PLANT SALE**

The Annual Bedding Plant Sale, sponsored by the Holy Trinity Church, will be held on Friday and Saturday, May 20th and 21st, at the Legion Hall, from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. 37-38c-3272

## CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to thank our daughters, Margaret and Edna, Mother, and all our relatives, friends and neighbors for the many beautiful gifts, cards, flowers, money, and all that made our Silver Wedding Anniversary, May 8, 1966, the memorable day it was.
—Sincerely, Dolly and Jim Roddick. 37-nc

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all who sent fruit and "get well" cards during my stay in Tofield Hospital. Special thanks to Dr Freebury and the Nurses and Staff, and to all who visited me during my stay in hospital.
—Bella Bass. 37c-2736

Much gratitude is due the Ryley Fire Brigade for responding so quickly and effectively to a call for help in a garage fire at Ebents last Friday. Many thanks, also, to the neighbors and passersby who all turned in to help.
—J. Weir. 37p-3275

The Family of the late Mr. Chester Coombes would like to take this opportunity to express their sincere thanks to all the thoughtful friends and neighbors who were so helpful during their bereavement. Also for the lovely flowers, memorials and acts of sympathy. A special thanks to Dr. Freebury and the Nurses and Staff of the Tofield Hospital, and the Ketchamoot U.C.W. 37p-3270

## ENGAGEMENTS

Mrs Martha Lauber wishes to announce the engagement of her only daughter, Phyllis Marie, to Geoffry Eaton Milligan, son of Mr. and Mrs Jack Milligan of Bon Accord, Alberta. The wedding will take place on June 25th in Edmonton 37p-3269

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## Watson (Tofield) Ltd. wins north contract

Harry Watson of Watson (Tofield) Ltd informed The Mercury last Wednesday that they were awarded the contract for a Water Treatment Plant at High Level in northern Alberta. Contract price for the plant is $175,030 and will be built by Watson's using nearly all Watson forces with only painting, etc being sublet to other contractors.

The contract brings the total projects of this specific nature completed by Watsons to 30, giving the Tofield firm a reputation of being specialists in the water treatment plant field.

High Level is 500 miles north of Edmonton, on the Pine Point Railway and this plant will take about six months to complete.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

The futility of riches is stated very plainly in two places—the Bible and the income tax form.

# Church services

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
**W. H. McConnell, B.A., B.D., Minister**
**Sunday, May 15th**

10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "Let's Close the Church".

"The man who lives by himself and for himself is likely to become corrupted by the company he keeps".

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH (Anglican) Tofield**
**Summer Schedule**

11.00 a.m.—1st Sunday July and August—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—All other Sundays—Matins.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday Schools during May and June, but none during July and August.
Other services and meetings to be announced.

Let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works; not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is—Hebrews 10.25-25.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
**Summer Schedule**

TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ............ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ............ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ............ 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ............ 10.30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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**Phone 672-4833**
**Sunday, May 15th**

10:15 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School.
8:15 p.m.—Program by Sherwood Park Choir.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
**Sunday, May 15th**

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11.00 a.m.—Worship Service.
Thursday, May 19th, 8:00 p.m.—Ascension Day Services.
"He has ascended from the few that He might descend upon the many"—H. C. Trumbull.
Everybody welcome.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**Ryley, Alberta**
**Pastor Stanley Rude**
**Sunday, May 15th**

HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Pastor Don McLean**
**Sunday, May 15th**

10.00 a.m.—Worship Service. Featuring Kingman Men's Quartet.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.

Tuesday, 2:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

Coming: Friday, May 20th, 8:00 p.m.—Ernest Wilson, evangelist and revival speaker from Uganda revival area.

## Mrs. Stauffer hosts Bardo LCW meeting

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO — The May meeting of the Bardo LCW was held at the home of Mrs. Evelyn Stauffer on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Dahlen gave the devotion and Mrs. Mary Finseth led in the fifth Bible Study. Mrs. Diane Rel gave the offering meditation, and a skit was enacted by Mrs. Bernice Helberg, Mrs Beatrice Mosby and Mrs. Evelyn Foshaug.

Mrs. Evelyn Stauffer was nominated to act as delegate to the Edmonton - Camrose LCW convention which was held at Messiah Lutheran Church in Camrose on Saturday. Mrs. Mary Finseth was alternative.


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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Visitors at the T. A. Jones home on Monday of last week were Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and Sandra. Tuesday evening visitors were Mrs. R. McCaig, Mr and Mrs. Bjerkness and family and Mrs. Mary Bjerkness, an old friend and neighbor of the Jones family while living in Saskatchewan. On Wednesday night Mr and Mrs. Robert Jones and boys called at the T. Jones home and on Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Harmond and boys and new baby girl visited there. Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones and family were Mother's Day guests at the T. A. Jones home.

**FAREWELL PARTY**

On Friday evening approximately 60 neighbors and friends gathered at the Ministik Hall to bid farewell to W. F. Davenport, who has moved to Tofield. He was presented with a lovely Bulova wrist watch, and a bouquet of flowers was sent to Mrs. Davenport. Lunch was served and a social time enjoyed.

Members of the Community Club gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Paterson for their May meeting on Monday evening.


PLAY-AT-HOME BINGO
'66 PONTIAC—Blackout
NUMBERS DRAWN
B—1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14
I—16, 18, 20, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28
N—31, 32, 34, 35, 37, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45
G—46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 55, 56, 59, 60
O—61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75
Blackout has been called from Hardisty and Chipman on Draw #60 — 1-26.
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## The Recipe Box

**FRUIT SPARKS COFFEE RING**

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We use this recipe for Fruited Coffee Ring. Raisins, orange peel, lemon peel and crushed pineapple each contribute their own subtle flavor for a result which is, to say the least, distinctly edible.

This is a generous recipe. It makes three rings. Wrapped in foil, the rings freeze well and can be popped in the oven for "hotting up" prior to serving. A word of warning though—demands for this Fruited Coffee Ring are apt to be so great it will take a bit of doing to even get it into the refrigerator.

**Fruited Coffee Ring**
(Yield—Makes 3 rings)

- ⅔ cup milk
- ½ cup margarine or butter
- ½ cup granulated sugar
- 1¼ teaspoon salt
- ½ cup lukewarm water
- 2 teaspoons granulated sugar
- 2 envelopes fast - rising active dry yeast
- 3 eggs, well-beaten
- 5½ cups (about) pre-sifted all-purpose flour
- 3 tablespoons melted butter or margarine
- 2 cups raisins
- ½ cup candied orange peel
- ¼ cup candied lemon peel
- ¾ cup crushed pineapple, drained
- 1½ cups sifted icing sugar
- ¼ cup milk
- ½ teaspoon vanilla

Scald milk; stir in margarine, sugar and salt. Cool to lukewarm. Measure warm water into a large bowl, stir in 2 teaspoons sugar. Sprinkle yeast on top. Let stand 10 minutes, then stir well.

Stir in lukewarm mixture, eggs and 2 cups of flour. Beat until smooth. Stir in enough additional flour (about 3½ cups) to make a soft dough. Knead until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl, turning to grease top. Cover; let rise in a warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk, about 1 hour. Punch down dough and turn out onto lightly floured board. Divide into 3 equal pieces. Roll to 12 x 10-inches rectangle. Brush with melted butter. Combine fruit and spread each piece with ⅓ of the filling. Roll up lengthwise as for jelly roll. Place on greased baking sheets and form into circles, sealing ends firmly.

Cut 1-inch slices almost through with scissors. Turn each slice partly on its side. Cover, let rise as before, about 45 minutes.

Bake in pre-heated moderate oven (350° F.) about 30 minutes.

Blend icing sugar, milk and vanilla; mix well. Spread over warm coffee rings. Sprinkle with chopped nuts, if desired.


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# Ryley 4-H Clothing Club is an active organization

Throughout the winter months the Ryley 4-H Clothing Club has carried on many varied activities, including attending the Ice Capades in Edmonton in January, the county 4-H curling and skating rally in Viking in February followed by a skating party the next day at Haight.

The public speaking contest was [illegible] February 24 and an M[illegible] the club along with the Vegreville Clothing Club participated in taping a Fashion Show for CFRN-TV. The program appeared on television March 9 over 4-H Club Time.

On April 15 the annual spring rally for the Vegreville and Two Hills homemaking districts was held in Vegreville, which the Ryley Club attended.

There was a variety of demonstrations and entertainment with [illegible] views followed by a program. During the afternoon there was a very interesting and informative speech by Mrs. McCuaig of the Peggi Adams Charm School in Edmonton.

On April 16 a fund raising project in the form of a Whist Drive was undertaken. Since this project was unsuccessful however, the Club held a raffle and bottle drive last Saturday in Holden and Ryley.

As Achievement Day is rapidly approaching the girls are putting the finishing touches on their garments and project books. The girls and boys Food Clubs will have their Achievement Day along with the Clothing Club on May 30 at 8 p.m. in the Ryley Community Hall. This year's achievements along with an interesting program will provide entertainment for the whole family. Everyone is welcome to attend.

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# Locals around town

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

On Tuesday night a miscellaneous shower was held in the Tofield United Church basement in honor of Miss Betty Pilger whose marriage to Lyle Grant Sundberg of Calgary will take place June 4 in the United Church at Camrose. Marie Worton and Miss Crause wheeled the gifts into the room on a stretcher. Betty graciously thanked everyone for the many beautiful and useful gifts. Betty and Grant will make their home in Calgary.

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Don't forget the Wayfarer Girls Club tea at the Mennonite Church this Saturday from 2:30 to 5:00 p.m.

Jack and Gloria Grover and family from Edmonton visited with Helen and Stan Grover on Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tiedemann travelled to Grassland for the Mother's Day weekend to visit relatives and to pick up Mrs. Herman Tiedemann and Mrs. Foss who was visiting their sister, Mrs. Hafner at Danalyle.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mitchell are spending a week with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitchell and family at Kamloops, B.C.

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George Peebles from the Senior Citizens' Home at Sherwood Park is visiting with friends in town and district.

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**GARAGE AND CAR BURN**

Last Friday afternoon a fire completely destroyed a garage and car at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Weir at Shantz.

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**IN OTTAWA HOSPITAL**

Dr. Lorne Kendall of Vancouver, head of department of Sociology at Simon Fraser University suffered a heart attack while attending a conference in Ottawa, and is now in Ottawa hospital. Lorne is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kendall of Tofield.

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The marriage of Allen Watson, formerly of Tofield, and Dianne Lynn Bibbler will be held on Saturday, May 21st at five o'clock in Our Lady of the Assumption Parish, Edmonton. Allen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watson.

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Mrs. Ruth Wickenburg and Mrs. Ellen Eaton won the Tofield Legion Art and Art

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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Joe Hooper spent last week in Edmonton staying with her [illegible] Don McLeods, and visiting each day with her husband Joe in the Good Samaritan Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black were Edmonton visitors, on business, Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Adel left early Friday evening on their three week annual holiday, visiting first with relatives at Medicine Hat.

Mrs. Loraine Bain was a supper guest with Mrs. N. L. Campbell Tuesday evening of last week.

Mrs. Mary James was a visitor with Mrs. Lars Ritland Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visitors [illegible] Sunday with their daughter Beth and family the [illegible] at the [illegible] and attended the concert [illegible] the Lutheran Church [illegible] from [illegible] Lutheran College.

Mr. [illegible] was visiting [illegible] in Edmonton for [illegible] weekend.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Lars Ritland [illegible] hospital [illegible] last week and will be [illegible] treatments in the Arthritic Ward. She has been in with this ailment several times in the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sizer were recent Sunday visitors and dinner guests with their son and family the Alvin Knudsons at Camrose at a family dinner after the confirmation of their grand daughter Karen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Mertz and children were visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow Thursday of last week fixing the garden for them. They also visited at the home of their aunt Mrs. Campbell to help with the gardening.

Lloyd Clark and his sister Lane were Wednesday afternoon visitors and coffee guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story.

Gordon Story who was confined to home and bed for a few days last week with a bad attack of flu is now able to be around again.

Chris Christenson was an Edmonton visitor Thursday of last week and brought his sister, Mrs. Elna Parsons back to spend a few days visiting here. Mrs. Parsons is a resident at Good Samaritan Nursing home in Edmonton.

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**Strong support**

Strong support for the local golf course was shown Tuesday night when local golfers backed their enthusiasm with cold cash. Several shares in the club were picked up at the meeting Tuesday, and club members are canvassing other prospects for the sale of a few more to put the club on a solid footing.

Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Golf course survives plow

(By Peter Nickel)

It was a tough battle and a near disaster which faced the local golf course recently but through a miracle the local golfers and citizens pulled together, pooled their resources and ideas and won the battle.

Forming a new executive of the Tofield Golf and Country Club recently, plans got under way for the new operation.

The new executive was elected as follows: Nick Kashuba, president; Ray McDonnold, secretary; H. Seiler, treasurer; Ray Pettit and Ed Reschke, two-year directors; Henry Pare and Gabe Pettit, one-year directors.

First step in the operation was to collect the shares from the [illegible] pledges and sell shares to the [illegible] then draw up a five-year lease with the owner which is being done at the present time.

Membership fees have been set as follows (the non-shareholder fee being shown in parenthesis): Male $20 ($25), female $15 ($20), student $5 ($10), man and wife $30 ($35); family rates maximum $40 ($45), university students $20. Green fees have been set at $1 per day and [illegible] at Charlie's place.

At the present time work parties are out getting the course in top shape, the executive is busy making plans and arrangements for the upkeep of the course, and it looks like it's shaping up for a good season of golfing.

The Club has requested that golfers take advantage of local facilities and make good use of the fine course and support the club whenever possible.

Shares may be purchased at anytime from the executive, and are payable in two installments. For further information, contact members of the club.

Future of the golf club fell in jeopardy recently with the sale of the land to Wm. Davidson. Mr. Davidson did not have time to keep up the course at that point, [illegible] he would not stand in the way of the club [illegible] continuing the project.

At the same time the persons [illegible] Oscar Kotal who [illegible] the [illegible] project has had a number of offers to [illegible] the machinery and the clubhouse set up for the project, and was concerned over the course he should follow.

# Queen and Princess Contest gets underway

Tickets are being printed for the Dominion Day Queen and Princess contest, sponsored by the Community League. Students will soon be knocking at doors to sell the tickets for their favorite contestants. So that you may decide for whom to vote, here are the candidates, the first named being queen contestant, the second the princess candidate:

Dorothy Bert and Marian Hostetler; [illegible] Stoltz and Nettie Appleby; Cheryle Astley and Ruth Dickson; Linda Schacker and Kathy Roberts.

Horace Seiler is arranging for a return of the jumping and cutting horses. For years these have been a major attraction at Tofield on Dominion Day. Again Mr. Golden has offered to loan his bleachers to the T.C.L. so that spectators may enjoy the horse show in comfort.

Mrs. Mabel Boyles is preparing and arranging entries for the handicraft display. Last year, 250 people registered as visitors of the Handicraft Display.

Old-timers will be welcomed by the Tofield Historical Society. As in former years, free coffee will be served to those who were here in 1916 or earlier.

As usual, the students in the Tofield School will be presenting a display of their best work in art, essays and writing.

The two-day baseball tournament is expected to provide first-class entertainment, and to be a big drawing card.

# Tofield students win summer scholarships

Several students of the Tofield High School have won scholarships to events being held this summer.

Gwen Klassen will represent Tofield at the Gold Eye F.U.A. camp and will be sponsored by the Tofield Co-op.

Jerry Hardy will be the Tofield representative at the Drama Seminar, to be held in Drumheller. The County of Beaver will be sponsoring Jerry.

The United Nations Seminar, held annually in Banff, will be attended by Tofield student Doug Grover, sponsored by the Lions Club.

These deserving students are to be congratulated on their fine work during the year, and are urged to continue at such a high level.

## Weather . . .

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# Ministik Club plans summer activities

( Mrs. J. Roddick)

The May meeting of the Ministik Club was held on Wednesday, May 11 at the hall with two new members joining the club namely Mrs. B. Rolheiser and Mrs. Bill Roddick.

Final plans for the tea were made and Mrs. A. Ferguson, the convener, distributed tickets for the raffle of a coffee table. The summer picnic will be held on June 25, with Mrs. Frank Swabey as convener.

A dance in the evening will follow the picnic again this year.

Mrs. A. Ferguson provided entertainment with a very interesting contest, with winners being Mrs. Bill Roddick, Mrs. Jim Roddick and Mrs. S. George.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Ralph Leach, Mrs. T. A. Jones and Mrs. A. Kleinschroth.

# $700 returned to TC League

At a recent meeting of the Community League, the secretary, Arnold Swift announced that several persons indicated they would like to donate part or all of the amount of the Community League notes they held. To date $700 has been returned to the League in this way.

Anyone else wishing to do this may consult H. G. Seiler at the Bank of Montreal. People who do not have notes, but who wish to contribute to the League may also do so by consulting Mr. Seiler.

# Drainage board re-organizes

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —The Trustees of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 met in the office of the secretary treasurer, Kay Hovland, Friday evening, May 13th. This was the organization meeting of the Board.

The Minister's approval of Oscar Mseth as a trustee was received and [illegible] Mr. Mseth being appointed as chairman of the Board for the coming year. It was decided that the meetings would be held on the last Friday of the month as previously.

The secretary advised the trustees that the grant from the Provincial Government had been received for last year's work on the ditch.

The Beaver [illegible] situation was discussed, as some of the dams had been destroyed. A man from the Provincial Government Fish and Wildlife Department has been sent to look after this.

There was also a discussion regarding culverts which are to be inspected by the trustees during the summer when they most need their inspection.

# Bury the corporation man

Why should we bother to attack the Communists for degrading their citizens? We charge them with debasing the intelligence of their people, brainwashing them in countless ways to accept the party line. Not like Canada, where freedom of thought and speech goes unchallenged.

Yet what goes on here in Canada? Anybody who differs from the common view is branded an oddball, (which isn't very serious, of course) But if he differs somewhat more strongly, he's likely to be branded a red or a communist

Anyone who does any thinking for himself runs the risk of ostracism, of being read out of the party, so to speak. Anyone with ideas which differ from the pattern of the moment is an embarrassment

Just as one instance, noted Canadian reporter Blair Fraser in a current national magazine article, recounts how federal MP Ralph Cowan has been guilty of thinking along lines completely at variance with those of his Liberal associates Recurrent waves of indignation over such dangerous views as favoring hanging and thalidomide, and opposing most of the CBC and all of French-Canada have brought repeated suggestions that he be expelled from the party

Mr Fraser reports that Prime Minister Pearson, although obviously furious with Cowan at times, has said he does not wish to see a man expelled simply for refusing to accept the majority view in the party.

Now, isn't that decent of Mr Pearson? Isn't it democratic? At least there is still a little support for free speech, even if it's begrudged. But how little tolerance have we left when an elected member of parliament could be denied the right to think for himself or his constituents? Why should we bother to elect Mr. Cowan or all his associates at all? Why not just cast our vote for the leaders of the party, the one who gets the most votes being elected to office, and then he wouldn't have to worry about persuading all these dissident, and sometimes obstreperous, elements all over the country

We've gone too far down the line in accepting the philosophy of the man in the grey flannel suit, the corporation man, the philosophy of non-involvement, the adjunct to not rock the boat

We need the free thinkers . . . there's never been any important advance in the history of the world that didn't start with someone who dared to think on different lines. Sure, it takes teamwork to put over any program, but in the final analysis, it's one man batting against the pitcher who makes the homerun . . . it's one man against the goalie who blasts home the puck

# New Gerhart in cabinet?

Will there be a new Gerhart in the Alberta cabinet?

Speculation is rising that Edgar Gerhart may soon be named to the post of attorney general, a position held for several years by Premier Manning

Mr Gerhart has been a backbencher for many years, although he has not gone unnoticed within his own party It's possible that by his own wish he has not earlier been named to any post of importance, or it's possible that political considerations, such as geographical representation, may have been the reason he has been by-passed

Other than the fact he's a lawyer, we don't know how good an attorney general Mr Gerhart might make . . however, we have seen him at work, and we know him to be capable, sincere, and possessed of an insight such a job would need.

There'll be other cabinet posts coming up shortly, it seems, including the as-yet-unfilled ministry of youth. Really, we don't envy Mr. Manning the selection . . . geographical representation doesn't seem to provide sufficient capable men to fill these posts, while taking the best man available doesn't always win votes. And the jobs are so tough these days that the very best men are needed

# Barmaids for Alberta?

The Alberta Liquor Commission is tangling with a new problem thrust in its lap recently, and one, we suspect it would have been happier without

A request was made recently for approval of female waitresses in beer parlors, rather than the traditional male waiters, the appeal being made on the grounds that the operators could no longer afford the high priced males, and would have to cut costs somewhere

One wonders if the hotelmen were telling all the truth, and no doubt the liquor commission also wonders if the opinion is not that pretty girl waitresses might move a higher quota of suds than their broad-shouldered brothers. There's nothing new about women in bars, of course, as witness the centuries old barmaids of Europe, and the more recent 'bunnies' of some states to the south of us. However, the opinion we feel would be pretty general is that Canadian bars generally would be better off without the sexy looking lasses. As for the barmaid of the old English inn, we won't be able to find her counterpart in this country until we reach the same level of having enough licensed premises to take the pressure of crowding off the majority of them

More bars, smaller bars, without today's high overhead and consequent high pressure, would serve the cause of temperance better than today's circus midway style


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# By George!

The modern superhighway can make driving a 60-mile-an-hour breeze, but the ordeal of getting on and off these engineering marvels can give a motorist nightmares—unless he knows how to do it This should be of particular interest just before the holiday season, even if the holiday is spent right here in Alberta where roads have been improved so much in recent years

The multi-lane, high-speed road —variously called a freeway, expressway, thruway, turnpike or, in Quebec, an autoroute — may sport from two to eight lanes of fast-moving heavy traffic

The uninstructed motorist, approaching the superhighway, is often confronted by a maze of entrances and exits, which seems specifically designed to confuse him. Some Californians, for example, will swear you can get lost for days on the Los Angeles Freeway An exaggeration, of course, but it points up how easily the unwary driver can blunder into dismaying, dangerous and, sometimes, disastrous situations on today's super-roads

Advice for the bewildered driver on how to get on the road and into traffic smoothly and then off the road again—safely—might include Know in advance the entrance or interchange you want to use, keep a careful watch for directional signs especially when travelling on unfamiliar roads, watch for instructions as to the proper lane for approaching the entrance, know in advance your desired direction of travel so you don't end up in the wrong direction, if you do make a mistake don't cross a median strip or attempt a U turn Continue to the next exit and enter again by the correct ramp.

Having approached the superhighway properly, you still have the problem of melting into all that swiftly-moving traffic. Therefore Avoid a full stop, if at all possible, on entering the highway. Instead try to merge your vehicle smoothly into the traffic flow Stop only if traffic will not permit a safe merging; as you move along the approach ramp estimate the speed of the flowing traffic and plan your entrance for a break in the flow; always signal and keep signalling until you move into the traffic flow; increase your speed as you enter so other cars on the road don't have to brake to permit [illegible] merging with the traffic: once you have merged with the traffic, stay alert to traffic on all sides. When you pass another approach ramp, courteously permit other cars on the approach ramp to merge smoothly with the traffic. The good driver will slightly reduce his own highway speed to permit another car to move safely onto the road.

Having found your way safely onto the superhighway, you still must face the problem of exiting from the road So watch for a sign advising the distance to your exit and allow at least two miles for making adjustments Remember, at 60-miles-an-hour you'll reach your exit in two minutes; be alert for signs directing you to the proper lane for your exit. Remember to signal [illegible] lane changes Check your mirrors. Watch for blind spots as you switch over as you approach the exit, slow down very gradually until you have reached the deceleration lane Again reduce your speed to the posted limit as you move onto the exit ramp. Remember to readjust to slower traffic patterns, pedestrians, traffic lights, side-streets and parked vehicles, after you've left the super road.

# MacDuff Ottawa report

OTTAWA —Walter Gordon has fired the opening round in the battle of ideas within the Liberal party

When he broke long silence recently by publishing "A Choice for Canada", Mr Gordon may have started an intra-party argument which will be decided at a party leadership convention yet [illegible]

That convention—when Lester Bowles Pearson bows out of Liberal leadership — will choose a man and a set of ideas to shape the future of the Party

Whether Mr Gordon has ambitions to be the man or not, he is definite about the ideas

He wants the Liberal party to be left-of-centre dedicated to the preservation of Canada's national and economic identity even if this means further interference with free enterprise

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These are the ideas set out in his new book and his thoughts on other areas of policy go with [illegible]

In foreign policy, for example, he says Canada should speak out even at the risk of American displeasure, about the way things are going in Vietnam

He wants the federal government to press forward unwaveringly toward a national medicare plan

In a speech after the release of his book, Mr Gordon was even more explicit about the direction he wants his party to go

**He saw three choices. The Liberals could try to be a party of the right but Mr. Gordon saw this as disastrous because the Conservatives would eventually seize the part of the political spectrum rightly theirs. Or the Liberals could "waffle" between right and left. Mr. Gordon saw equal disaster in this course. The only one he approved was a forthright choice of the left.**

**KNOWN BEFOREHAND**

This choice is no surprise to Mr Gordon's opponents within the Liberal party. Saskatchewan's Liberal Premier Ross Thatcher, for example, has labelled the former Finance Minister as "the worst Socialist in Canada" The same thing is said less openly by others And a central criticism of "A Choice for Canada" has been that the nationalist policies advocated in the book would lead to Socialism by the back door

At first glance Mr Gordon seems an odd figure to head a revolution He's a neat, trim accountant from Toronto with mild manners and an apologetic speaking style

But he has impressive credentials as an idea man within the Liberal party He was the key man in developing the Liberal policies in 1960 and 1961 which met the threat from the impressive beginnings of the New Democratic Party

It was at this time that he wrote his earlier book—Troubled Canada—and the Pearson action program in 1963 when the Liberals took office was a translation into politics of the book.

**[illegible] OF HONOUR**

Mr Gordon went into eclipse with the fiasco of his first budget and while he remained Mr Pearson's Finance Minister, always stood in the shadow of that budget But his resignation last year when the Liberals failed to win the majority he promised has worked a miracle in Mr. Gordon's popularity within the party.

He is seen as having followed the course of honor and set a good example to others. For this —and for his real achievement in organizing the return to power

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## MacDuff Ottawa report

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after the Diefenbaker landslide in 1958—Mr. Gordon stands high in his party.

Whether his ideas will win is another question. They have been immediately challenged by Mitchell Sharp, who took over from Mr Gordon as finance minister, in December.

**MIDDLE-ROADER AGAIN**

Mr. Sharp anticipated the publication of A Choice for Canada by making his own statement of Canadian nationalism in a speech the day before the book came out. But Mr. Sharp is a nationalist with a difference. He says the difference is that Mr. Gordon is pessimistic about the future of Canada while he is optimistic. And he says Mr. Gordon believes in penalizing foreign business while the Sharp policy is based on the realization that Canada's economy is so open and vulnerable that penalties would boomerang.

In all this, Mr. Sharp seemd to be trying to take a stance as a middle-of-the-roader who might appeal to those who want a mild dose of nationalism without the fears aroused by Mr. Gordon's statements.

This is all part of the Liberal leadership race which is denied by everyone in sight. The standard answer is that the party already has a leader. But this doesn't prevent a good bit of elbowing and jostling on the Liberal front bench.

**Robert Winters, who enjoyed a mild boom just after his re-election and re-entry into the Cabinet after plush-lined exile in the board rooms of Bay Street, has now been discounted to a second string contender.**

But Paul Hellyer's stock has been rising and it is thought possible that he'll get a crack at one of the economic portfolios if the cabinet is shuffled again later this year. Another name newly mooted is that of Health Minister Allan MacEachen, an expert on parliamentary procedure and a left-leaning Liberal whose biggest current challenge is medicare. And the Ottawa-based starters are carefully watching Quebec's June election, because Jean Lesage can't be counted out yet.

The man chosen may depend on where the party wants to go—left, middle or right. But party strategists will also be looking at the map of Canada and the Maritime and Prairie areas where the Liberals were rejected last year.

Finding a man who can hold the Liberal strength in Central Canada and expand it East and West may complicate Mr. Gordon's attempt to give the party a left-of-centre creed.


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## Jehovah Witnesses convene in Camrose

A delegation of Jehovah's Witnesses from Tofield has just returned from a weekend convention in Camrose. Torsten Tollefson was the presiding minister at the three-day session of training for members of the congregation.

"Our conventions are not revival meetings, for all our members are active ministers", Mr. Tollefson said. "But there is a need for further training and spiritual strengthening for all who are Christians. This is the need our semi-annual assemblies fill. All come away spiritually re-charged and with greater determination to apply Bible principles in their everyday lives".

# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, May 10 — Mrs. Alice Finseth was visiting at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, the Leroy Finseths, had her plans changed quickly on Friday evening when a phone call came from Vancouver requesting her to come and assist at the home of her daughter Joanne who was very ill with mumps. She left by plane on Saturday at noon

The Harry Mosby family joined the other members of the family at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mosby of Ryley on Sunday where they celebrated Mother's Day and the birthday of Harry's mother, Grandma Mosby. On Saturday evening the Donelly McGinitie family were visitors at the Mosby home.

Ivan and Olive Fenhaug and Phyllis were Sunday dinner guests at the Mervin Kregrs home in Edmonton.

The Glenn Francis family were entertained at the Dale Bjornson home in Edmonton Saturday afternoon.

## MINISTIK NEWS

(Mrs. J. Raddick)

Church services were held at the United Church with Tom Stephen in charge A short meeting followed to elect two members for the manse board, these being Mrs. Ralph Leach and Ralph Dunham.

Sunday School commences on Sunday, May 22nd and teachers are looking forward to a successful season.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys of Ponoka, spent the weekend at their farm home.

**BROTHER PASSES**

Sympathy of the district is extended to Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth in the loss of a brother at Hanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horricks attended a weiner roast at Namao, near Edmonton on Saturday evening at which guests were nearly all old school chums.

A very successful bingo was held on Friday evening with Mrs. Pat Paterson as convenor and Mrs. Ronald Swabey and Mrs. Ralph Leach as lunch convenors.

The Ministik team were the victors on Sunday eve at a scheduled softball game with Hastings Lake, with the score being 29-19. Over 100 spectators from the surrounding areas attended the game, and enjoyed a weiner roast which followed.

Final plans have been made for the annual Strawberry Tea to be held on Saturday June 4th at Ministik Hall at 2:30 p.m.

## Teacher to West Indies

R. H. Harris, former outstanding teacher and administrator in the County of Beaver and presently Principal of the Erle Rivers High School in Milk River, has received an appointment from the Foreign Aid Office, Ottawa, as a teacher-adviser to Trinidad, West Indies.

Mrs. Harris and Colin will accompany Dick for their two-year stay. They plan to arrive in Port of Spain on August 29th.


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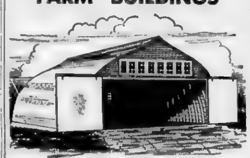

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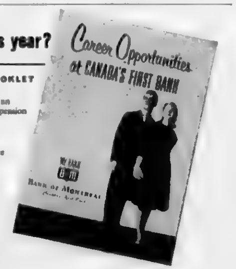


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By Janice Sich

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To accent your tan, frost your lips with creamy lipsticks of pale pinks. These creamy lipsticks also protect your lips from becoming dry and sunburned. Pastel colours show off your tan tremendously.

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### YOUR LETTERS

**"What Kind of Girl Do You Date Most Frequently?**

The kind of girl that I date most frequently varies considerably. But I can tell you what kind of girl I do not date . . . the possessive kind . . . always hanging on to my arm or following me around in the halls at school. Make me feel embarrassed? I guess, hey! Not only that but it makes me feel like I'm following her around, too.

—J.K.

I like a girl [illegible] doesn't wear gobs of make-up. She looks like she put it on with a putty knife. What ever happened to the natural looking girl? Remember the one who looked fresh and cool and gave you the impression that she had a personality as natural as her own good looks? But I guess I shouldn't complain . . . there must be more of them around somewhere!

—P.L.

. . . The girl that can face any situation with finesse . . . or can cope with it using her humorous wit. That's the kind of girl a boy admires!

—G.P.

## Promoted to Ryley as D.A.

The Honourable Harry E. Strom has announced the appointment of Frank Kehoe as District Agriculturist at Ryley. Mr. Kehoe is a graduate of the Olds School of Agriculture and obtained his Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture at the University of Alberta in 1963. He has been the Assistant District Agriculturist at Camrose since last November. Prior to that he worked at Grande Prairie, Fort Vermilion and Lacombe.

Mr. Kehoe majored in Animal Husbandry at the University. He assumed his new duties May 18th.


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# School committee meets May 10

**Minutes of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee meeting Tuesday, May 10th, 1966.**

**Business arising from the minutes**

In regards to the Janitor's Agreements, the Sec.-Treas. reported that the agreements had been approved by the Board of Industrial Relations and a copy forwarded to each janitor.

Moved that the report be accepted. Cd.

In regards to the Building Program at Viking, the Superintendent reported good progress that the cement work was complete, the walls were up, the windows ready for installation and that the final gas tie-in was being completed today. He expected that the library would be completed by June 1st.

Moved that the report be accepted. Cd.

In regards to secretarial help for Principals, Mr. Pike reported that Mrs. W. D. Place had been employed as secretary to the Principal at the Viking school. He also stated that, as from May 13th, he intended to raise the hourly rate of pay from $1.25 to $1.50 per hour.

Moved that the report be accepted and the suggested rate of pay be concurred in. Cd.

In regards to the proposed paving of 7th Avenue in Viking, noted on page 40 of the April 12th minutes, the Chairman stated that it now appeared that the proposed paving would not take place inasmuch as the contractor was not moving his paving equipment to Viking and the Chairman asked that he would arrange to have 7th Avenue opened up and put in the same condition as 6th Avenue which has been turned over to the County.

**Correspondence**

Letter from the A.A.M.D. re "Warning Lights on Diesel Engines and Rail-Liners", re. "School Principals Responsibility with reference to interrogation of students by police" and re. "Workmen's Compensation Coverage for Town and Village members of the School Committee".

Moved that the correspondence be received and filed and that arrangements be made to have the Town and Village members covered by the Jubilee Insurance Agencies Ltd. in view of the fact that the Workmen's Compensation Board Act would not be open for amendments for two or three years. Cd.

A letter from Glen Hostetler of Tofield applying for a position as school bus driver was referred to the Committee.

Moved that Mr. Hostetler be advised that there is no opening for a permanent school bus driver at the present time but that his application will be kept on file. Cd.

Correspondence from the County of Minburn No. 27 referring to the Vegreville Regional Vocational and Academic High School and advising that a meeting was being held on May 11th to study the programs and courses to be offered at the school in September. The School Committee Chairman, Superintendent and Sec.-Treas. of the County of Beaver No. 9 were requested to attend the meeting together with any other members of the Committee that might wish to attend.

Moved that the letter be received and filed and that the Chairman of the School Committee, the Sec.-Treas. and any other member, who so wishes, attend this meeting. Cd.

A letter from E. K. Hostetler of Tofield, inquiring about aluminum vaulting poles and expressing his desire to purchase these poles if they were available, was referred to the Committee. Although it was realized that the poles were not being used at the present time it was felt that they should be retained and it was moved that Mr. Hostetler be advised that the vaulting poles are not for sale. Cd.

Moved that the Bus Supervisor's Report and his account in

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## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Fred and Grace Jacobsen and boys of Edmonton were Saturday afternoon and evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Fred's brother, Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen.

Bill and Marie Rollans and family and Bill's father Horace Rollans were Sunday afternoon visitors and tea guests at the home of Bill's aunt, Mrs Ethel Wood and son Donald. Barb and Ronnie Geogiein and daughter Sydney were also Sunday afternoon callers there.

Carrie and Art Schultz of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mae and Howard Ferguson.

**SILVER ANNIVERSARY**

On Saturday Emil and Martha Tiedemann motored to Kinsella to attend the Silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Lyon Hunter, returning home the same night. Mrs. Hunter and Martha have been penpals for over 30 years.

Bill and Mary Tiedemann of Deville were Sunday forenoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Bill's brother Emil and Martha Tiedemann.

Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and girls, motored to Edmonton on Sunday to visit Mavis's father, Julius Jacobsen in the Royal Alexandra Hospital where he has been a patient for the past two weeks.


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**The two Grade Five classes of Tofield recently went on a field trip to St. Albert and Edmonton. This is a short account of the preparations made for this trip. In succeeding issues of the *Mercury* will be found accounts of the experiences of the children, written in their classrooms.**

(By Lois Keep, Grade 5-B)

The grade five classes prepared to take a Field Trip. Near the beginning of the year, the pupils studied the missionaries and the explorers. Mr. Pike and Mr. Annis gave us permission to take this Field Trip. Mrs. Ingram and Mrs. Cribb took the proposed route to see how much time to spend at each place. They also made nice booklets in which are questions to be answered by the pupils. On the morning of Thursday, May 12, 1966, the troop left the Tofield School on their exciting adven-


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the amount of $56.33 be accepted and the account approved for payment. Cd.

In regards to Salary Negotiations reference was made to the minutes of the meeting of April 20th. From the minutes, as the Chairman pointed out, it was noted that it had been impossible to make any progress in the negotiations and the teachers committee had been advised that the County intended to apply for a bargaining agent. Further to this the matter had been discussed with Mr. Leslie Young, A.S.T.A. Executive Assistant for Economic Services, and the result had been that Mr. Douglas Muir of the firm of Hu Harries and Associates had been appointed to handle the negotiations on behalf of the County. A meeting with the Teachers Bargaining Committee would be held at 7:30 this date.

Moved that the report be accepted and the appointment of Mr. Douglas Muir confirmed. Cd.

The Sec.-Treas. referred to the Committee the Banff 'Trustees' Seminar and the Sec.-Treas. Short Course on June 8th to 11th. He stated that the Asst. Sec.-Treas. would be unable to attend for personal reasons and that he, himself, would only have time to attend the Municipal Sec.-Treas. Short Course in the early part of the same week. It was moved that the Superintendent, Mr. Nestor Semotiuk and Crs. Dorin and Knudslien attend the Course if they are able to do so and that the expense allowance be the same as in previous years. Cd.

On account of the Refresher Course at Banff being held during the regular meeting in June it was necessary to change the date for the June meeting, it was moved that the June School Committee meeting be held on June 14th. Cd.

The Committee was informed that at the last Council meeting it had been decided to construct a storage shed at the Equipment Shops in Ryley in order to relieve the lack of space in the shops and a building 28' x 28' on cement foundation with cement floor had been erected by the County's Maintenance Crew. The cost divided on a 50-50 basis between the School and Municipal Expenditures.

Moved that the information be received and arrangements concurred in. Cd.

The Committee was informed that a further supply of typewriters was needed, especially for the Ryley School, and also that the electric typewriter in the Superintendents office was in poor state of repair and it was not considered economical to have further repairs made to it and the Sec.-Treas. suggested that 10 school typewriters and one electric typewriter for the office should be obtained. The cost to be charged to debentures.

Moved that the Sec.-Treas. recommendation be concurred in. Cd.

The Sec.-Treas. stated that he had obtained a copy of Alberta School Bus Drivers' Handbook, issued by the Alberta School Bus Operator's Association, and that he and the Superintendent had discussed the merits of this Handbook and were of the opinion that it was a worthwhile publication, therefore, the Sec.-Treas. had ordered 100 of these Handbooks at a cost of 25c each.

Moved that the Sec.-Treas. actions be concurred in. Cd.

Moved that the following resignations be accepted as at June 30, 1966: Swinder Pannu; Gunhild Berke; T. B. Walters; Reme Nelson. Cd

At this time the Superintendent brought up the matter of the Recruitment Program which in his opinion has worked quite satisfactory. To date 7 teachers had been hired under this program and the Superintendent stated that he had more applications that he was dealing with for possible employment.

Moved that the report be accepted and that the following appointments be confirmed as at September 1st, 1966; George Lowe, Viking; Marilyn Lowe, Viking; Linda Wilkinson, Bruce; David Lockerbie, Bruce; Susan Smith, Ryley; Beverly MacRae, Ryley; Clement Fewer, Gordon Pittman, Sofia Corrales, Ryley. Cd

Moved that the transfers of

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## Tofield high school news

(Elaine Walker)

The annual Senior Prom was held last Friday evening, when a very entertaining program was enjoyed by all who attended. Later in the evening "The Rhumba Kings" from Two Hills supplied the music for a lovely dance. The beautifully decorated gymnasium, complemented by the beautiful dresses worn by the girls, made the theme, "Apple Blossom Time", one well worth remembering.

The graduating class of Tofield High would like to thank the Grade 10 and 11 students who worked so hard to add such a lovely memory of the end of their school days.

**SOFTBALL GAMES**

The Ryley softball teams were at Tofield last night for exhibition games with the Tofield high school teams.

On May 25th, the Tofield and Holden teams will play the first elimination games of the tournament.

## Ross Creek district news briefs

(Mrs. L. Van Bookirk)

Mrs. Mary Sharum visited with Mrs. Mickey Niemetz on Thursday afternoon.

**Lorne Schacher had the misfortune of fracturing his foot while he was chasing cattle last week. He is now hobbling around with a cast on the injured limb.**

Charlotte Saegmoen visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saegmoen on Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Borstad of Edmonton stayed with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Syd Cossey for a few days. While she was there she helped her mother with the spring cleaning. Mrs. Cossey is improving but still not able to get around well.

Stewart Isaacer has returned home after spending several weeks in the hospital with a fractured foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cossey attended a shower party at Delph on Saturday evening, held in honor of Doreen Sadoway whose wedding takes place this Saturday.


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Mrs. W. Reichenbaugh and Mrs. Bernice Empey from Bruce to Viking school be confirmed as from September 1st, 1966. Cd.

The Bus Supervisor was present at this time and the tenders for the old school buses and the sheds were considered at this time.

A tender in the amount of $75. had been received on bus No. 21 from Derek Tiedemann. The Bus Supervisor stated that this vehicle was worth more than $75.00 as a substantial amount of parts could be salvaged. He further stated that, as far as he knew, Mr. Tiedemann was actually interested in the running gear and he felt that the vehicle could be stripped and the left overs sold to Mr. Tiedemann.

On Bus No. 14, two tenders had been received. One from Mr. Henry Oberg in the amount of $305.00 and from Joe Alexander in the amount of $201.00. The Supervisor felt that it would be in order to accept Mr. Oberg's tender.

A tender in the amount of $25.00 for the two sheds, 8' x 14' and 8' x 16' had been received from Dyle Norton. This was not considered sufficient and it was moved that the tender in the amount of $305.00 for Bus No. 14 submitted by Henry Oberg of Holden be accepted but that the other tenders be rejected. Cd.

The question of the need of more teacherages and the possibility that this need would arise in places like Bruce and Kinsella was brought up by the Superintendent who suggested that some thought be given to portable buildings or trailers and Mr. Pike was requested to obtain more information on this matter.

Mr. Lars Olson requested that the usual sports grant in the amount of $125.00 for the year 1965-66 be granted to the Local A.T.A.

Moved that the request be granted. Cd.

Moved that Mr. Lars Olson's request for ball equipment for the Sports Day be approved. Cd.

Mr. Lars Olson asked permission to arrange to have the movie projector at the Holden school traded in on a new one. He said that the old one is 20 years old and can not be repaired any longer. It was decided to make arrangements for a new movie projector at Holden.

Moved that the bursary applications of Patricia Hoveland and David Balzer be approved. Cd.

An account from the Viking Curling Association in the amount of $70.00 for time used by the Viking High School was referred to the Committee.

Moved that the account be paid. Cd.

Mr. Pike informed the Committee that the intern teachers started on May 9th and would work in the classrooms until June [illegible].

Moved that the report be accepted. Cd.

The Committee was informed that a Leadership School for Cooperating Teachers was scheduled to be held on June 20th to 24th and, although this school was considered very good for cooperating teachers no teacher from the County intended to attend due to the school being held so late in the year — interferring with exams, etc.

Moved that the report be accepted. Cd.

The Sec.-Treas. now referred to the Committee the School Budget for the year and the Budget was examined item by item. It was then moved that the School Budget as presented by the Sec.-Treas. at this time be approved subject to the provisions of Sec. 304A of the School Act. Cd.

Moved at 5:25 p.m. that this meeting now adjourns. Cd.

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(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Work has begun on the land with several already having sown their wheats. The rain over the weekend was welcomed by farmers, but a return to warmer weather, after the cool weather of the past week, would be appreciated.

Friday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Mae and Howard Ferguson were their daughter, Mrs. Doris Brown and son David of Lindbrook and Mae's mother, Mrs. Roberts of [illegible].

Mrs. Ruth Wickenburg motored to Edmonton with her daughter Janet on Sunday evening and will spend a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Vivian Jones.

## Locals . . .

On Friday, May 20th at 8:00 p.m. the Rev. Ernest Wilson, evangelist and revival speaker from Uganda will be speaking in the Tofield Baptist Church. Special music will be provided by the Mennonite Brethern quartet. Everyone welcome.

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George Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nolan, Mrs. Melvin Riley, and Carl Myers with four cars took 24 boys from Tofield to Edmonton to the Victoria swimming pool. All the boys reported a very enjoyable outing.

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George Abernathy entertained 15 boys at a wiener roast at his farm on Monday.

## Modern etiquette

Q. I've been told that I was guilty of [illegible] when I recently congratulated a girl upon her engagement—that this suggested that I thought she was lucky in "landing a man." Is this true?

A. You may have committed a mistake, but it's a common one, and I shouldn't worry too much about it if I were you. The usual procedure is to congratulate the man, and offer wishes of happiness to the [illegible].

Q. When [illegible] the fruit he [illegible] the pit in the dish or may the whole prune be taken into the mouth, and then the pit removed to the saucer with the spoon?

A. It is better to cut the prune in half, and leave the pit on the plate.

Q. Is it obligatory for a guest at a christening to bring a gift of some kind for the baby?

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**OPEN HOUSE**
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10:00 a.m. -Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "What Has Happend to Your Faith?"
"More people dislike Jesus because He disturbs them, than for any other reason"

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month 9 00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month 9:00 a.m.
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Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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11:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, May 22nd
10.00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
Tuesday, 2:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting
Friday, May 20th, 8:00 p.m.—Rev. Ernest Wilson, from Uganda, speaking. Special music.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
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Summer Schedule
11 00 a.m.—1st Sunday July and August—Holy Communion.
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11.00 a.m.—Sunday Schools during May and June, but none during July and August.
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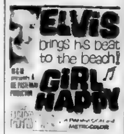
## Little leaguers tie series opener

The home team played to an 8-all tie against Holden in the first game of the Little League schedule at Tofield on Monday night. Coming from behind, the local boys tied the game in the 5th inning when the game was called due to rain.

A full schedule of all games for this league will appear in next week's issue. Local sports fans are reminded that their support for these boys is desired and fans are requested to attend the games and urge the boys to victory at this important age.

**TOFIELD COMMUNITY THEATRE**

SATURDAY ONLY, MAY 21—




ADULT

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, MAY 27 & 28—

C Scope FAMILY

ALL SHOWS 8 P.M.

The appointment of John B. Weaver as Museologist to the Alberta Provincial Museum and Archives has been announced by the Honourable Ambrose Holowach, Provincial Secretary.

Mr Weaver joins the Museum following six years with the Smithsonian Institute Natural History Museum, Washington, D.C., where he was engaged in the sculpting of life-size figures and reduced scale dioramas of various ethnic groups. During this period Mr. Weaver also undertook considerable private contract work including figures of Mrs. John F Kennedy and Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson for the First Ladies Hall, dioramas for the new National Geographic Building depicting expeditions sponsored by that organization, and a life-size figure of Charles Russell, the Western painter, that now stands in Statuary Hall of Washington's Capital Building.

Mr Weaver's first public work, undertaken at the age of 22, was a War Memorial for his home town of Butte, Montana. After studying at the Art Institute of Chicago, he taught life drawing and sculpture at the Leyton School of Art, Milwaukee, before returning to Montana and the Historical Museum at Helena.

## Bardo district news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

Mrs. Petra Stauffer treated her children and grandchildren the Leonard Stauffer's and Norman Stauffer to dinner at the restaurant in Tofield on Mother's Day.

The ladies from here attending the LCW convention in Camrose Saturday were, Mrs. Agnes Houkedal, Mrs. Selma Cinnamon, Mrs. Bernice Heiberg and Mrs. Mary Finseth.

Leif and Evelyn Foshaug and Robert attended the wedding and reception of their neice Janice Mathison at Calvary Lutheran Church in Edmonton Saturday afternoon.

The Glenn Francis family were entertained at the Dale Bjornson home in Edmonton on Saturday when the family were gathered in honor of Mother's Day and celebrating the birthday of little Michelle Bjornson.

Carl and Alma Marie Nelson and Garry from Edmonton were Saturday overnight visitors at the Clarence Rude home. On Sunday Grandma Foshaug and Joanne Lauber were dinner guests and in the afternoon, Leif Evelyn and Larry Foshaug and Arnold and Mabel Johnson and Walter were visitors in the C. Rude home.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Emil Rude is a patient in the Tofield Hospital. Mrs. Pauline Rude spent three days in hospital where she underwent a tonsillectomy and Mrs. Evelyn Stauffer was hospitalized for two days after having her teeth extracted

The Bob Hunter family from Fort Saskatchewan spent Mother's Day at the Olaf Stokkan home, when other visitors were Marie Runka of Edmonton, Lily Shultz and Olaf Haugen

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**M. V. Ruskenveld**
PHONE 32 HOLDEN

## TCL to sponsor Bar-B-Q bingo

Have you ever heard of a Bar-B-Q Bingo? An event with this intriguing title will be sponsored by the Tofield Community League on Wednesday, May 25, in the Community Centre, beginning at 8 15 p.m.

There will be 20 games for each two-dollar ticket and the holder of the lucky ticket will be the winner of an 18-inch barbecue—just right for the patio, the picnic or the camp-ground

The grand prize for the "black-out" game will be a 24-inch motorized barbecue.

The other prizes will also be keyed to the modern trend of outdoor entertaining, and will include fryers, charcoal for the barbecue, lighter fluid, an electric barbecue starter, barbecue tools, a Sasair Grill which uses the cheapest of all fuels — old newspapers—and Stay-Cold coolers

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Remember: May 25, 8:15 p.m.; Community Centre; 20 games for $2.00, at the Bar-B-Q Bingo!

## Bardo news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

The Ingolf Brekkan's and Don Litwins entertained with a weiner roast at the Brekkan home on Sunday in honor of Mrs. Lester Severson's birthday. Mrs. Litwin Sr., was also present and David Severson who is home for a brief holiday. Mr. and Mrs Ralph Dahl and Grandma Ness of Camrose were afternoon visitors there

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

R. Loney, who has been a patient in the Minburn Auxiliary hospital for over six months, returned home Wednesday of last week and is feeling very much improved in health and is now able to walk around without the use of canes.

Steve P Komarnisky has been visiting in Holden and district the past two weeks, looking over his farming interests.

Mrs Earl Hardy and Mrs. G H. Taylor were Edmonton shopping visitors Monday of last week, driving in with Mrs Henry Tiedemann. Mrs Hardy also visited with her sister-in-law.

Ray Hovland, Village secretary, resumed his duties in the village office Tuesday of last week, after a two weeks absence.

**HOME FROM B.C.**

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden returned home the beginning of last week from a ten-day holiday in Vancouver and Victoria, B C While in Victoria they visited with former Holden residents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stewart, Mrs. George Shieman and Mrs. Rogers (the former Mrs. "Doc" Farrell) and with other friends. Mrs. Liden's sister, Mrs. Eleanor Blair who was helping in the store during Mr. Liden's absence, returned to her home at Taber on their return.

Mrs Pearl Allan attended a Librarian's Convention in Red Deer, Saturday, May 7th, and was one of the panel members.

Mrs. Campbell and Ray Hovland visited with Mr. and Mrs. H Emond, Sr., while in Leduc a week ago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Koop Spannenberg and family of Edmonton were visitors with her parents, and family during the weekend, a week ago.

Mrs. Laura Christianson was a dinner guest with Mrs. Mary James Thurday of last week.

Hugh Clendenning, former accountant at the Royal Bank, was a visitor in Holden last Thursday, driving his father, Magistrate Clendenning here to hold court in the absence of Magistrate Shewchuk of Vegreville who was ill.

Mrs. Ralph Mason has been visiting with her father in Saskatchewan for several days this past week and was expected to return home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were Thurday evening visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. N L. Campbell.

Mr and Mrs. Cliff Foran were Edmonton visitors during the weekend of May 8th, with their daughter Marilyn and husband and children.

Harry Appleby of Vialta Lodge, Viking, visited with his family one day last week.

Ross Christianson and is wife and daughter of Edmonton visited with his mother, Mrs. Laura Christianson on May 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Slywka of Sherwood Park were Saturday visitors with the former's mother, Mrs. William Slywka.

Mrs. C Hammer of Viking was visiting in Holden Thursday afternoon of last week bringing her mother Mrs Mabel Sizer home, who had been visiting with them for a few days.

Members of the Ladies Bridge Club and their husbands attended a banquet held at the Holden Hotel Coffee shop, Tuesday evening of last week and later spent the evening at a bridge party held in the Masonic Lodge, winding up the seasons activities.

**Walter Komarnisky recently purchased the Henry Nalesnik farm, also the former Eric Ericksen farm, in the Talbot district and he and his family will be making their home there.**

**AT WEDDING**

Mr and Mrs. Nick Bilyk were Edmonton visitors Saturday to attend the wedding reception of Marsha Kolodychuk and Art Auch at the Sands Motor Hotel. The Kolodychuk family are former Poe district residents.

Mrs. Elna Parsons has returned to the Good Samaritan Nursing Home in Edmonton, after spending a few days visiting her brother, Chris Christenson, and her family, also calling on friends. Her son drove down to take her

**A. STUART FUNERAL**

The funeral of Arthur Henry Stuart, formerly of Poe, who passed away May 6th at St. Joseph's Hospital, Edmonton, at the age of 86 years, was held Wednesday, May 11th, at the South Side Memorial Chapel, with Rev F J. Wylie officiating. Interment was in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hultholm and children of Camrose were recent Sunday visitors with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Algot Hultholm, and brother.

**INJURED IN FALL**

Mrs Campbell heard from Mrs. Mamie MacAfee of Edmonton, a former Holden resident who visited with her for a few days during February, that she had been unfortunate in having an accident. Mrs MacAfee fell down some attic stairs and fractured her arm, which she now has in a cast.

Mr and Mrs. D H Allan were visitors in Edmonton a week ago Sunday with their daughter Gail and her husband.

Mrs. Lars Roland, who is a patient in the University Hospital, Edmonton, have been having treatments for her arthritis, is feeling some better, after having injections in her shoulders. She is now able to lift her arms.

**HERE FROM ONTARIO**

Mrs. Bert Carr of Sudbury, Ont., arrived in Edmonton Sunday afternoon on the Transcontinental and was met by her niece, Mrs. Ken Campbell of Leduc, who took Mrs. Carr to Holden. Mrs. Carr will visit for the next few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Campbell, and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow.

**FAREWELL PARTY**

A number of friends and neighbours recently met at the home of Tom and Steve Nalesnik to honor them at a farewell party. The Nalesnik brothers are retiring from farming and will be making their future home in Camrose. They were presented with a purse of money and the good wishes of all for happiness in their new home. Steve thanked all for their kindness and good wishes and hoped that when in Camrose they would visit them.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bratrud, newlyweds, moved into the Tom Nalesnik farm home the early part of the month, which they have purchased, and will make their home.

The A.G.T. crews are busy in Holden and district, laying cables and installing new phones, ready for the automatic dial system to be hooked up this fall.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

You are not old until it takes you longer to get rested than it does to get tired.—J W.R.


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# Holden OORP meets May 10

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN—The Holden Lodge O.O.R.P. held their monthly meeting May 10th with a good representation of members. Regular business was attended to and reports of the Chamber of Commerce suppers for April and May were given, also of the rummage sale and tea held April 16.

A final report of the Cancer Campaign, which is sponsored by the Lodge, was given by P H R L. Sanderson. Pianist Blanche Olson was presented with her 15-year pin.

Committees were appointed for the Brownie, Guide and Mother Banquet to be held Monday, May 30th, and for the Sports Day booth in June, which is convened by the Lodge, with all proceeds going to the Recreation Committee.

Lunch hostesses were treasurer Olga Bilyk and Beverly Manchur.


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# Palmer-Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER - EARLING, May 13.—Raymond Hovland of Holden, the village secretary, has returned to the office, after a two-week absence at Banff, undergoing treatments for arthritis.

Little Sandra Vassberg returned home from St. Mary's Hospital on Wednesday.

Fernie Forre is ill with pneumonia in the Tofield Hospital.

Roy Nichols of Holden is employed at Ed Knudson's farm.

The Peter Rindahls, Mrs. Alma Steffen, the Art Scabers, Mrs. Gladys Steffen and Ionne and Sunday guests with Mrs. Gyda Wanda, of Edmonton, and the Gust Knudsvig's of Camrose were Rindahl.

Lorri Stensrud entertained her classmates from Ryley on Friday evening at the Cecil Stensrud home. Guests present to help celebrate her birthday were Wendy Laube, Connie, Lola Stensrud, Bonnie Teske, Jacqueline Vassberg, Tanya, Paula and Dayna Norby, and Gail Forre.

Mrs. Alma Adams and Mrs. P. Fast, of Ryley, were recent visitors with Mrs. Alma Steffen.

Field work is progressing and seeding has begun, despite the cold weather.


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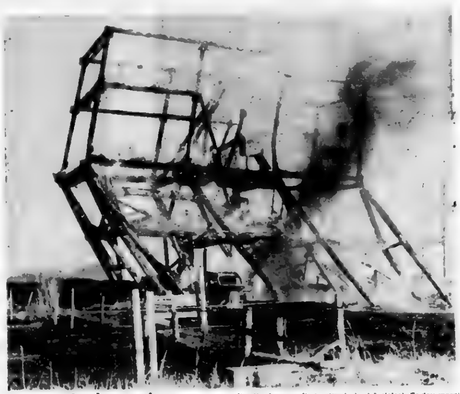

*On the way down*

Weakened by flames racing through the dry timbers, the tipple at Camrose Collieries collapsed less than half an hour after the fire was first noticed about 5 o'clock Friday morning. One of the two trucks lost can also be identified in the middle of the structure, beyond any hope of salvage. More than 20 years old, the structure was insured at $33,000.

—Camrose Canadian Newsphoto

# Pioneer woman passes May 20

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

An old-time pioneer of Holden, Mrs John Story passed away Friday, May 20th at the age of 87 years, after a short illness, in the Westhaven Nursing Home in Edmonton.

Mrs. Story became ill last week and the family were sent for, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story of Holden, and Mr and Mrs. Harold Story of Abbotsford, B C. Mrs. Story seemed to rally from her illness but then took a turn for the worse.

She was predeceased by a daughter Lila and her husband, and leaves two sons, Harold of B C. and Arthur of Holden, besides grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from the Holden United Church.

# Earns award on safe driving

Bill Wiens, an employee of Northwestern Utilities, Limited, was presented with an award for 10 years of driving without an accident at the company's annual safety dinner in Edmonton recently.

# Tipple topples in Friday fire

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the coal tipple at Camrose Collieries early last Friday, May 20. Dense black smoke was noticed by S. T. Fosser, one of the workmen, about 7:00 a.m., but at first it was dismissed as grass being burned off. However, his wife reported the tipple burning, and Camrose Fire Brigade was immediately called.

By the time they arrived the entire tipple was a mass of flames, and nothing could be done to save the structure. Manager of Depot Sales for Forestburg Collieries, Dennis McGee of Edmonton, lauded the efforts of the firefighters and credited them with saving the rest of the structure.

Insurance company representatives met in Edmonton yesterday afternoon to discuss the loss.

The structure was built in July 1944 under the Dominion Coal Board to augment supplies for the military camp in Camrose, as well as supplies for the town. Cost at that time was in the neighborhood of a quarter million dollars.

Insurance in force at the time of the fire, on the depreciated value, was $33,000. Two trucks were lost in the blaze, one of which, valued at $4,000, was definitely insured, said Mr. McGee. He was not immediately certain of the other unit.

**OWNERSHIP CHANGED**

At war's end, Dennis Twomey assumed control and operation of the big unit, and continued, under the name Camrose Collieries Ltd., until his death, when it was sold to Forestburg Collieries.

At the time of the fire the tipple was in the process of being dismantled.

Plans are to continue the operation of a retail coal depot at the mine, with the product supplied from the Diplomat Mine at Forestburg. No interruption in service will be caused by the fire, reported Mr. McGee.

**THE WEATHER . . .**

| May | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 18 | 63 | 40 | 27.90 | .15" rain |
| 19 | 65 | 34 | 27.54 | ——— |
| 20 | 72 | 40 | 27.36 | ——— |
| 21 | 73 | 37 | —— | .10" rain |
| 22 | 55 | 36 | —— | ——— |
| 23 | 61 | 41 | 27.76 | ——— |
| 24 | 66 | 39 | 27.61 | ——— |
| 25 | — | 41 | 27.80 | ——— |

# Tofield woman passos May 20

On May 20th, 1966 Mrs. Elsie Phillips of Tofield passed away, aged 70 years. She is survived by one son, Wilfred John of Vancouver, one daughter, Mrs. E. (Daisy) Hook of Abilene, Texas, one sister, Mrs. Minie Hanson of Calgary; five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday from Tofield United Church with Rev. W. M. McDannold officiating. Interment was in Tofield Cemetery.

# June Christensen chosen for Goldeye Lake camp

John Baergen, manager of the Tofield Co-op. Store, has announced that, at the annual Alberta Co-op Development Leadership Course, Tofield will be represented this year by Miss June Christensen. The course is held each year for one week at Goldeye Lake and the expenses of the Tofield nominee are paid by the local Co-op Store. Last year Derril Reil represented Tofield.

This year's Tofield representative is the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Christensen and is a Grade X student in the Tofield High School. June is a very clever student, who last year obtained an honor standing in the Grade IX departmental examinations. She is on the matriculation program in High School and plans to attend University, in the faculty of Education, after she graduates from High School.

June is a talented artist, an avid reader and holder of the Senior Red Cross swimming crest. One of her favorite pastimes is modern dancing. She is a member of the Tofield Senior C.G.I.T. group and was formerly a member of the Tofield United Church junior choir.

# Lions playground will open for summer on arrival of equipment

Tofield Lions held the last meeting for the month, with Gabe. Pittet as acting secretary for Rev. J. L. Scriven.

Members were told that the playground equipment was expected in a few days. They will now have to make new arrangements for meals as Mrs. J. Wall and Mrs. E. Regehr are giving up serving.

The Holden Chamber of Commerce requested the use of the Lions Dunk Tank, and it was agreed that it could be had for a nominal rental, with prompt return after their Sports Day.

Some ideas were explored for the raising of further funds, and a meeting of the executive will be held next week when this will be discussed more fully.

# Coming to school?

Town pre-school children who will be coming to school next September are invited to come to school on Monday, June 6th.

Country pre-school children are invited to come to school on Tuesday, June 7th.

# Who will insure the kids?

Because of the rising accident toll, Canada's auto insurance firms are turning down many requests for insurance from teen-age drivers and first-time drivers of any age. Many parents right here in Tofield are keenly aware of the problem caused by the refusal of some companies to insure the youngsters, and even in some cases, to insure the family car when they know children will be driving. Commenting on the situation, The Financial Post recently pointed out that accident rates and losses are so huge in the younger age group that companies cannot afford to insure them

Almost two million youngsters will pass their sixteenth birthday during the five years to end in 1970, all ready to exercise their supposedly inalienable right to drive. Who will insure them against their own inexperience and against the folly of those they meet on the road?

Notwithstanding the inquiry into the insurance picture recently directed by Alberta Highways Minister Hon. Gordon Taylor, there is no compulsion on insurance companies to insure everyone, regardless of the cost, nor should there ever be. They aren't, and should never be, considered as public utilities. Although financially, at least, they'd be better off if they were . . . at least public utilities are expected and regulated so as to make a reasonable profit when efficiently run.

The companies need new premium scales for each group under 25 to soak the accident-prone, claims The Post. But the present impasse on the insurance front also makes it plain that the standards for issuing licenses and policing drivers will have to be raised. That piece of paper is a permit to drive with a sense of responsibility, and not a license to kill.

# By George!

Do you climb slowly flights of of steps that you used to do at a run? Do you find yourself wishing some of your friends would walk less briskly so that it would be easier to keep up with them? Have you given up tennis or softball because it made you puff too hard for comfort? Do colds seem to be more frequent?

If this sort of thing is happening to you, you have a lot of company. In fact you have so much company that the Canadian Tuberculosis Association and its branches are distributing a booklet with advice on what you can do about shortness of breath. The booklet is not about tuberculosis. It is about [illegible] difficulties, as the title, "Your Breathing Troubles", states.

Tuberculosis associations are interested in healthy lungs, for which reason they have a stake in the prevention and treatment of all respiratory disease. They are all too well aware that in the last few years some chest diseases have increased alarmingly. There is four times as much emphysema, for example, as there was ten years ago—and a very disabling disease it is.

Asthma, bronchitis and emphysema, the most common causes of breathing difficulties, are discussed in this new booklet and [illegible] are practical suggestions for those who want to improve the situation while improvement is possible or keep discomfort from becoming more acute if it is too late for improvement.

The booklet is available from the Tuberculosis Association.

**Nicknames stick to people, and the most ridiculous are the most adhesive.**

# Classic dilemma

The classic dilemma which has haunted a series of Canadian defence projects ever since the calamity over the Avro Arrow is once again facing the defence department. It has reached the stage where a fly-or-die decision has to be made over Canada's entry in the vertical-take-off field, a highly competitive field at best. Canada's leading entry, the Canadair CL-84 has reached the stage where the Department of National Defence must make a key decision, whether to allow it to fade from sight, or to push on with development and make a detailed evaluation of its services from a military viewpoint.

Some Ottawa authorities feel the military don't really want it, but on the other hand, politicians realize it may have a huge export potential, something that is badly wanted to balance the heavy importations of many of our defence tools.

The problem basically, is to get anyone in authority to decide. Taking the blame for the wrong decision can be very painful, especially from the viewpoint of politics.

**Message from Mert: "Drive safely and avoid the mourning after."**

# Ill wind, indeed

It was an ill wind, indeed, that caused crop failures for three successive years to farmers in some parts of the Peace River country, but this one differed in that it's hard to find somebody for whom the ill wind proved a boon, as in the old saying it's an ill wind that blows nobody good.

The Fairview Post recently drew attention to the problem created by the unhappy situation which has arisen from an impression that the entire Peace River country is affected, not just a few isolated areas, with the following comment:

The $475 aid needy farmers in the Peace River region received from the province will look pretty small if recipients decide to sell their farms, according to real estate agents in the Peace. Usually flooded with requests for information from outside interests at this time of year, agents report enquiries regarding Peace River farms had dwindled to a trickle. Main reason is the widespread provincial and national publicity centred on the Peace by farmers attempting to establish a real need for aid after three successive crop failures. Although this problem existed in only isolated areas of the Peace, persons not familiar with the vast area, took it for granted all farms in the Peace were poor producers. As a result, agents claim it may take years for Peace land to attain the prestige it held prior to the national publicity

**The first thing a new stenographer types is the boss.**

# MacDuff Ottawa report

### ACT OF A MAD MAN

OTTAWA.—It is a normal and human reaction to seek some kind of tightened security around Parliament in the aftermath of a horrifying bomb explosion in a washroom just outside the Commons chamber.

The man who held the bomb died when it went off. Its lethal power may have been intended instead for the prime minister, or for other ministers, or for a score of members of parliament sitting in the chamber.

It was an event unprecedented in Canadian parliamentary history. The shock of it has not yet worn off. Canadians generally and members of parliament particularly find it incredible that a man would, or could, walk freely into parliament with an explosive device aimed at killing.

It was, of course, the act of a madman. But its implications were no less terrifying.

### PREVENTION

Even before his body was removed from the Parliament Buildings, however, the demands were going up for tightened parliamentary security to prevent [illegible]

The security shield on Prime Minister Pearson was, in fact, immediately tightened on his visits to Toronto and Montreal, and in the area of his parliamentary office

Quite apart from these understandable precautions however, there were suggestions that the security system in general must be tightened around parliament

Worried members gave the opinion that security was inadequate, that steps must be taken to prevent recurrences, and that the public moved far too freely in and around the Parliament Buildings.

There was talk of denying access to the public galleries to all except those who obtained special passes from the authorities There were suggestions that the Commons' protective staff should be increased, that policing on the Hill should be more stringent and restrictive

### CALM AND TURBULENCE

This current Parliament has many reasons to be grateful to Commons Speaker Lucien Lamoureux. And now it has one more

This remarkable man kept his head on that terrible day when many others seemed to be losing theirs. He refused to blame the protective staff for the incident. He refused to commit himself to any increased restrictions on public access to Parliament Hill

His position is simple and logical. Its great virtue is that he was able to take it at a time of real crisis when practically everyone else was submitting to emotional stress

"Any place open to the public can never be entirely safe", said Mr. Speaker He didn't think the point had been reached in Canadian democracy where every person visiting the House of Commons would have to be searched

### MUST CONSIDER PUBLIC

That course he said firmly, would meet with strong objections from the public, and he did not propose to adopt it.

The Commons protective staff is an excellent one. It could be improved, of course, as any security system could be improved.

But this did not take the position that all was necessarily well

In the light of an incident such as the explosion, he said "it would be normal to review security arrangements"

But he stubbornly fought off suggestions that any drastic steps should be taken to restrict the public's free and easy access to Parliament

For this, Canadians owe him much thanks

Canadians are coming to Parliament Hill in ever-increasing numbers Admittedly some come to scoff, some to laugh, and perhaps a few to applaud.

But they're coming and they're getting to know their Parliament. Tourists from other countries also come in the thousands.

At the height of the tourist season, as many as 14,000 people come to the Hill each day

### CAN'T SEARCH ALL

They can't all be searched, even if any one wanted to. And anyone determined to bring in a bomb or a weapon could do so easily enough. It could be concealed in a coat, or a package, or a woman's handbag

There have been suggestions that better control could be obtained by adoption of the British system, where no one gets into the galleries without a pass from authorities

While this seems appealing, it wouldn't offer any real protection against the bomb type of incident It was only two years ago that Ronald Gadshaw threw a carton of beef blood onto the floor of the Commons. It could just as easily have been a bomb

And Mr Gadshaw made his pitch from a seat in a special gallery which he had obtained on a pass from a member of parliament

### NO COMPLETE ANSWER

There is quite a bit of support here for the Speaker's reluctance to impose any kind of restrictions on public access. This is a matter of pride too

Any Canadian or any visitor from another country, can drop into the House any time it's in

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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Mrs. Carr of Sudbury, Ontario, who is visiting with Mrs. Campbell, were also dinner guests at the Barlow home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Skyba were holiday weekend visitors in Edmonton, visiting with friends.

Alfred Sorenson, son David, Bernie Semetuik and Henry Tiedemann left early Sunday morning to spend the holiday weekend on a fishing trip

Leonard Johnson and Ludvig Hoveland of Camrose were visitors and coffee guest Tuesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Chris Hovland and sons Rueben and Ray.

**Geo. H. Taylor has been appointed enumerator for the Village of Holden in the Federal census which is to commence June 1st.**

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flinn of Edmonton, former Holden residents, visited with Mrs. Mary James Monday of last week, enroute home from attending a wedding of friends.

### H. PIKES LEAVE DISTRICT

H. A. Pike, superintendent of schools in County of Beaver No. 3, Mrs. Pike and family will be leaving the community in the near future to make their home in Medicine Hat. Mr. and Mrs. Pike and family have lived in Holden and Tofield for the past 12 years taking a great deal of interest in community affairs. They will be greatly missed and all wish them well in their new home.

Miss Anne Appleby of Tofield spent the holiday weekend visiting with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby.

Joe Alexander left Saturday, after delivering the rural mail, with Henry Oberg on a fishing trip to Moose Lake, returning Monday evening.

Harry Appleby of Vialta Lodge spent a few days recently visiting with his family Visiting with him a week ago Sunday were Bert Appleby and his daughter his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. Brown of Ryley.

Mrs. Alex Clark, David and Billy, and Mrs. Olaf Smorlie were visiting Sunday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Miles at Vialta Lodge, Viking.

The regular meeting of the Holden and District Chamber of Commerce will be held Monday, June 6th, at 6.30 p.m. in the Holden Community Hall, instead of the regular day, of Tuesday.

**Mrs. Olaf Chetney received the sad news last week, that her oldest brother in the old country had passed away.**

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor were Sunday visitors and dinner guests with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children of the Viking district

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, and Mrs. Barlow's sisters, Mrs N. L. Campbell and Mrs Bert Carr of Sudbury, Ont., who is here on a visit, were dinner guests with the Barlow's daughter, Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas of Viking, Wednesday of last week.

Miss Jean Pon of Edmonton visited with her family last week, returning to Edmonton on Wednesday. Mrs. Laura Christianson accompanied Jean back to the city to see her doctor.

# MacDuff . . .

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session and find a seat. It's a free and easy system, and a good one. It's akin to the pride Canadians can feel in the fact that their prime minister can move freely [illegible] the country without being shadowed by hordes of protective police.

Society can't protect itself against isolated cases of [illegible] without violating some dear and valuable rights of citizens in general.

From time to time a mad bomber will have his way. When he does, it is up to the rest of us to ensure that we don't panic, that we don't sacrifice precious advantages for a temporary and in the end a spurious kind of protection.


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# Ministik news items

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Sunday school commenced on May 22nd with a large number of children in attendance.

The Hastings Lake ball team were guests of the Ministik team Sunday but came out on the short end of the scoring, with 26-10 for Ministik.

Many people from the district enjoyed the Strawberry tea, bake sale and sale of fancywork on Saturday afternoon. This was the Hastings Lake Ladies club annual May tea. All who attended thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys of Ponoka spent the weekend at their farm home and were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth.

Several of the young people of the community attended the wedding dance in Tofield Community Hall of Miss Margaret Heitman and her husband on Friday evening.

Mrs. S. George was a Thursday afternoon and supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McSporran

Weekend guests at the Alex Penrice home included Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thor and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barker and family of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Penrice of Ardrossan and Miss Gloria Smith of Fort Saskatchewan.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Paterson are the proud parents of a new son, making his appearance on Saturday morning

Gordon Kilfoyle spent the Victoria Day weekend at his home

Mr and Mrs. Jim Moore of Whitecourt were guests of Mrs. Helen Hennessy on Thursday and Friday.

The Tom Collingwood family of Edmonton were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland and Joan.

Mrs. Irene Williams of Edmonton was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Williams and spent some time with Mrs. S. George. Sunday eve and Monday.

Victoria Day weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick were cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harris and Lil Ann and Joe Harris, all of Biggar, Sask. They were coffee guests of Mrs. S. George on Victoria Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport, Mrs. Ralph Leach and W. F. Davenport visited on Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Davenport in a Camrose hospital.

Mr. T. A. Jones returned to his home on Saturday afternoon after spending almost a week in Tofield Hospital.

Remember the good ol' days — when charity was a virtue, not an industry.

# Kingman

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

Sunday visitors at the Ingvold Ness home were Mrs. F. Schmidt and Mabel Simonson and overnight visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Williams of Calgary

Mr. and Mrs. Art Hounson and family of Edmonton were Monday visitors at the Willie Bjorgum home.

Mrs. Martha Lyseng of Bethany Home in Camrose is spending a few days at the Lloyd Bjorgum home.

Monday visitors at the Ingvold Ness home were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hamilton and Hal and Mrs. M. Horte and Ronald all of Edmonton.

Miss Norma Heie and three other student nurses from Edmonton left Saturday morning on a holiday to the United States.


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# The Ryley Times



## Tofield Little Leaguers trim Ryley, but lose game to Holden on error

Tofield Little League was again active the past week. On Friday, May 20, they played at Holden with Holden coming up with a 9-6 decision. A home run by Tofield's Doug Fineath was not allowed, when the plate umpire called him out for not touching second base.

The boys felt bad about losing this one, but it fired them up to whip Ryley 7-2 Tuesday evening. A good crowd turned out to watch the little leaguers win over Ryley. The Peewees lost their encounter with Holden by a narrow decision.

### HIGHWAY 14 LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Folowing is the schedule of Little League Baseball, with starting time being 6:30 p.m. for all games, and each game to last six innings. Each team will play four home games and four out-of-town games. All enquiries should be directed to D. Cooper, Holden, Phone 124.

May

27—Holden at Viking
Bruce at Tofield.

30—Ryley at Bruce
Viking at Holden.

June

3—Holden at Tofield
Bruce at Ryley.

6—Viking at Tofield
Holden at Bruce.

10—Tofield at Viking
Ryley at Holden.

13—Bruce at Holden
Viking at Ryley.

17—Tofield at Bruce
Holden at Ryley.

20—Bruce at Viking
Tofield at Ryley.

The first game of the semi-finals will be played Friday, June 24. The top place team has a bye, second place team plays the fourth team in a sudden death game, and the third place team plays the fifth, also in a sudden death game.

Monday, June 27, starts the second half of the semi-finals, when the winners of the above play a one-game tilt to decide who will meet the top place team on Friday, July 1, for the league championship.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Sympathy goes to all relatives of Mrs. Harry (Elsie) Phillips, who passed away last Friday in the University Hospital in Edmonton. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Tofield United Church with interment in the Tofield Cemetery.

Mr and Mrs Jim Whiting of Calgary arrived Saturday morning to spend the long weekend with their daughter Eva and Joe McLennan and family.

Mrs. Emil Tiedemann and son Bob were Monday forenoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Eva and Joe McLennan where they also visited with Eva's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Whiting before they returned to their home in Calgary.

### PASSES IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Ida Niemetz and her sister Mrs. Emma Schultz of Edmonton returned to their homes on Tuesday after three weeks spent visiting their brother Vic and Pearl Ulrich and family in California. Pearl passed away while they were there and they stayed for the funeral. Enroute home they stopped at Ladner, mother in-laws Mr. and Mrs. J. Niemetz and their daughter Mrs. Elsie Wellborn and family before coming home.

Mrs. Leora MacDonald and three children and her brother, Dale Roberge of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of their aunt, Mickey and Charlie Niemetz.

Mrs. Joe (Tillie) Yurkowski and son Garry left Saturday morning on a motor car trip to Merritt, B.C. to visit their son and brother Ernie and Carol Yurkowsky and family.

Charlie and Mickey Niemetz were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at th home of Howard and Nellie Malcolm of Ross Creek.

George and Ida Niemetz were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Johnny and Lillian Warwa. Johnny and Lillian have purchased the farm known as the Bert Jones farm and recently moved into their new home

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hieghton and son Travis of Edmonton were Monday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

Dede and Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley were Saturday overnight and Sunday visitors at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood. They also called on other relatives and friends while they were here.

George Abernathy was a Sunday afternoon caller at the home of John and Mary Wood

Sandy and Irene Scott of Lindbrook were Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Martha and Emil Tiedemann.

Mrs Johnny (Gloria) Wood motored to Onoway on Friday afternoon to get her mother and sister, Mrs. John Miller and daughter Linda. They returned to Gloria's home the same afternoon and spent the long week-end there. Gloria took them to their home Tuesday morning

Nola and Roy Herbert of Edmonton were Monday forenoon callers at the home of Nola's aunt Mary and John Wood.

## Ross Creek news

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

Most farmers in the district have completed seeding wheat, and seeding of coarse grains is well under way.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ferrel and family have moved near New Westminster, B.C., where Harvey is employed in construction.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Vickery were supper guests with Mary and Art Ferrel on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Ford and girls spent the long weekend at Beaverlodge visiting with Shirley's parents, Mr. and Mrs Holtz.

Mr and Mrs. John Jackson spent the weekend with Thelma's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ford

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Niemetz enjoyed an evening of bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Malcolm.

The Volleyball team of the Lamont Air Cadet Squadron competed against Namao and St. Albert in a tournament held at Namao recently.

Mrs. Bernie Schacher has received word that her sister, Mrs. Lydia Lehr of Medicine Hat, flew to Dallas, Texas for consultation at the cancer clinic.

Mrs. Doug Dann and Mrs. Dick Oslund, of Tofield, called on Mrs. Max Schacher Friday afternoon

Mrs. Margaret Herndon, Tom and June and Tom Day were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice VanBuskirk recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Ford, their son Bobby and granddaughter Donna visited at the Graham Snider home last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey and family motored to Golden Spike on Sunday to visit with Neil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hennig, of Andrew, visited Mr. and Mrs Graham Snider and family on Monday evening.


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## THE ALBERTA HEALTH PROGRAM

**WHAT IS THE ALBERTA HEALTH PROGRAM?**

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**WHO IS ELIGIBLE?**

On an individual basis, this is available in three categories: one person; two persons; family of three or more. On a group basis, it is available through your employer.

**WHERE IS COVERAGE AVAILABLE?**

Coverage can be obtained from the approved insurers listed in the folder being mailed to all residents of Alberta.

**IS THE PREMIUM FIXED?**

A maximum premium has been established. Below this maximum, premium levels may vary with the company of your choice.

**HOW DO I ENROLL?**

For nonsubsidized enrollment under the Alberta Health Program you may enroll directly with the insurer of your choice. Subsidized enrollees must complete a subsidy form with the company of their choice.

**DOES THE PROGRAM OPERATE OUTSIDE ALBERTA?**

Outside of Alberta the Program pays the same fee as if such services had been provided in the Province, or the fee charged, whichever is the lesser.

**ARE THERE ANY SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS?**

Any unmarried, dependent child up to age 21 is included in his family's policy. After 21 years of age separate application must be made.

**WHAT ADDITIONAL FEATURES DOES THE ALBERTA HEALTH PROGRAM OFFER?**

**1. Waiver of Premium**

If a person, single or the head of a family, covered continuously under the Alberta Health Program for at least two years becomes totally disabled prior to age 65 as the result of an accident, injury or disease so as to be prevented from engaging in any gainful occupation, he will not be required to pay his monthly premium for a period up to six months, starting the third month after the disability.

**2. Health Checkup (Medical Plan Only)**

After a contract holder has been covered by the Alberta Health Program for a continuous period of two years, he and his dependents shall be entitled annually to a routine examination to ensure their continuing good health.

**3. Non-Cancellability of Coverage**

Except for gross misuse or non-payment of premium.

**4. Student Eligibility**

Any student up to the age of 25 who is attending an accredited institute, college or university can be included in his family's policy.

### BENEFITS OF THE ALBERTA MEDICAL PLAN PORTION OF THE ALBERTA HEALTH PROGRAM

Benefits under the Alberta Medical Plan provide for the payment of medical, surgical and obstetrical services (when conception occurs subsequent to date of coverage) of any physician when required for preventive, diagnostic or therapeutic treatment and care; examination of eyes for the fitting of eyeglasses; specialist and consultant services, as defined under regulations; anaesthetist services; and necessary laboratory services and diagnostic aids including x-ray when ordered by a medical practioner.

The following diseases, conditions and services are excluded from coverage: All services not rendered by or under the supervision or direction of, a physician; standard laboratory services and diagnostic aids, including x-rays while the covered person is an in-patient in an approved hospital; preventive procedures and treatment of diseases and conditions for which, after diagnosis, medical, surgical and obstetrical care can be obtained without cost, or at a nominal charge by public authorities, excepting the treatment of mental diseases where the said treatment is provided by a physician in the course of his private practice; any condition which is the responsibility of the Workmen's Compensation Board; sterilization for reasons other than health; treatment for conditions or injuries or injuries resulting from actively engaging in war or riot; drugs, medicines and appliances; eyeglasses; dental care and x-ray for dental purposes; physiotherapy and actinotherapy; hospitalization; nursing services; ambulence service; mileage or time involved by a medical practitioner in travelling; all examinations by a physician as may be required for the use of a third party. Where a covered person makes claim under the contract and at the time the claim arises has in force any other form of medical insurance or coverage, the liability of the approved carrier shall in no event exceed the difference between the amount of the claim and the amount payable under the other medical services insurance or coverage.

### BENEFITS UNDER THE EXTENDED HEALTH BENEFITS PLAN PORTION OF THE ALBERTA HEALTH PROGRAM

Benefits of the Extended Health Benefits Plan are provided at additional premium cost to that covering participation in the Alberta Medical Plan portion of the Alberta Health Program. Subsidy benefits, where applicable, apply to both premiums.

**DRUGS**

Payment for approved prescription drugs.

**OPTOMETRY**

Examination of the eyes for the fitting of eyeglasses, where performed by a qualified person, at 2 year intervals for adults and at 1 year intervals for children under age 18.

**PHYSIOTHERAPY**

Physiotherapy performed by a physiotherapist as prescribed by a physician.

**PSYCHOLOGY**

Services of a psychologist.

**NURSING**

Services of a nurse outside Canada as prescribed by a physician.

**AMBULANCE**

Necessary transportation to or from a hospital by a professional ambulance service.

**RADIUM, BANDAGES AND OTHER MEDICAL SERVICES**

a) Casts, bandages, dressings, plaster and similar medical supplies.

b) Use of emergency and other rooms as an out patient.

c) Radium or cobalt or radio-active isotopes or similar materials when provided outside the Province of Alberta.

d) Blood or blood plasma or other blood products when provided outside the Province of Alberta and when not provided by any other agency.

Supplies must be as prescribed by the attending physician.

**AIDS AND APPLIANCES**

a) Temporary rental for therapeutic use of wheelchairs, hospital beds, iron lungs, oxygen or respiratory sets.

b) Artificial limbs or eyes, braces and the fitting thereof as provided in the course of treatment and necessary repair arising from the accidental breakage thereafter. Replacement of eyes or braces in the case of children under age 18 where necessitated by natural growth. Aids or appliances shall be as prescribed by a physician or, where permitted by a podiatrist.

**OSTEOPATHY**
**CHIROPRACTIC**
**PODIATRY**
**NATUROPATHY**

The services of duly qualified, registered and legally practicing osteopaths, chiropractors, podiatrists or naturopaths.

**All Extended Health Benefits Plan benefits are** subject to a deductible provision of $25 per person with a maximum of $50 per family in each Plan year. The insured also must pay 20 per cent of drug and nursing accounts after the deductible amount has been paid. Those eligible for subsidies will have subsidies apply also to the deductible and co-insurance costs.

### NEW SUBSIDY BENEFITS

The Alberta Government will pay a percentage of the premiums for both portions of the Alberta Health Program, the Medical Plan and the Extended Health Benefits Plan, for those residents of Alberta in the income levels defined below. A resident to receive subsidy must be a person who has resided in Alberta for 12 months of the preceding 24 months.

A) Alberta residents whose taxable income is below the taxable level according to federal government tax regulations, will benefit from a provincial government contribution of 90% of the premium cost

B) Alberta residents whose taxable income is below $500 according to federal government tax regulations, will benefit from a provincial government contribution of 50% of the premium cost

C) Alberta residents whose taxable income is below $1,000 according to federal government tax regulations, will benefit from a provincial government contribution of 25% of the premium cost

COMPLETE INFORMATION IS DETAILED IN THE ALBERTA HEALTH PROGRAM FOLDER.

### An Important Reminder:

The folder outlining the Alberta Health Program, including the Medical Plan and the Extended Health Benefits Plan is being mailed to you. Read it. KEEP IT. It contains a very important coupon that you should mail without delay. These Plans are available to every Alberta resident regardless of age, health or occupation. Participation in these Plans may be arranged through the approved insurers as shown in the folder.

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Hon. Dr. J. Donovan Ross, Minister
Dr. M. G. McCallum, Deputy Minister

# Holden HS student wins cancer poster contest

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Steven Koppel of Bruce a student at Holden Junior High school, was presented with a cheque and certificate Friday afternoon, May 20th — the first prize which he won in the Cancer Society Poster Contest for grades IX and X in the Edmonton and District Division. This was the first contest that Steven has ever entered and it is hoped with his ability not the last.

The award was presented to Steven by Mrs Ernie Doran who is on the teaching staff of Bruce School and also a member of the Women's Institute, which sponsor the Cancer Campaign in Bruce and district. Mrs Doran complimented Steven on winning the prize and remarked that he always had artistic ability and wished him well in his future studies.

Mrs Geo H Taylor member on the Edmonton and District Cancer Society Council, and representing the Cancer Society, also complimented Steven and said it was very gratifying to have a pupil of the Holden School win first prize, as a large number of students from many schools in the city and rural district entered the contest. She expressed hope that the students of Holden school would enter the contest again.

Mr Olson, principal of Holden school addressed the pupils expressing his pleasure that they had entered the contest, and that this, and many other projects they worked on in school would be of benefit to them in their future.

Oleh Shykora thanked Mrs Doran and Mrs. Taylor for being present and awarding the prize to Steven.

Steven thanked the ladies for the award, and said he had never thought that he would be fortunate enough to win a prize with his poster.

# Scotch Broth

The only similarity between this broth and the kind made in a pot is that both have a variety of ingredients in them. I have a recipe for real Scotch Broth but none for the column which is just made out of my head. The real Mackay calls for a sheep's head which has even less appeal to people in this part of the world.

My dog Brose and I reached Alberta by road from Ontario last week and a long journey it seemed for both of us. You'll be seeing him around with me and, should you not recognize the breed he's a Welsh Corgi. It's all wrong that he should have a Scottish name so I'll explain that, too. I was doing this kind of job in another Alberta town, and I was often referred to as "Scotch Broth". The pup was given to me there and I said maybe I should call him Brose, as that is another Scottish delicacy. I've only tasted it once. That was enough. But it's simple so I'll part with the recipe. Take a handful of oatmeal, pour boiling water over it and add a pinch of salt. With plenty of good farm cream you may be able to swallow it.

I believe the history of this delectable dish dates back to the days when single men were available for farm work and lived in a bunkhouse or bothy as it is called in Scotland. The meal, milk and probably potatoes, were their perequisites, and the brose saved cooking proper porridge.

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On my recent Trans-Canada trip it seemed most difficult to find accommodation for the night when I was most weary. On the other side of the Twin Cities I had four tries before settling in. My wants were few—warmth in the low temperatures prevailing, a clean bed and some means of boiling water for a 6:00 a.m. cup of coffee before leaving. One fat old dear of Slavic origin and with "vacancies" screeched at me, "Ve cannot have frying in ze rooms". I didn't stop to explain. The next one, with a face like rolls of suet pastry, wanted an exorbitant price and followed me to the car saying, "I vill show you ze room I get my hoosband". Not wanting her room or her husband, I backed out. But I met with extraordinary kindness at Brandon, where I had a breakdown and was faced with two days stuck in a hotel or motel and, it was feared, an expensive repair. Worst of all, it was my own fault. Eventually the parents of the garage owner's wife took me in as their guest and extended true western hospitality. Although the repairs were carried out that day, a Sunday too, I stayed overnight with my hosts and made firm friends with them. It was a good start in the west and I hope a good omen for the future in Camrose and district.

Completion is expected this summer on a new Alberta Liquor Control Board warehouse in Calgary. A contract was awarded last fall to Commonwealth Construction Ltd. of Calgary for $1,198,000. The structure is located on Highway No. 2 in the northern section of the city on a six-acre site.

Consisting of approximately 80,000 square feet, an added area of enclosed railway trackage brings total area to 110,000 square feet. The building has a clear ceiling height of 22 feet as all merchandise will be handled by fork lift palletizing.

Main floor is four feet above grade level to facilitate trucking and railway shipments. The floor is of reinforced concrete with an integral hardener to stand the heavy usage it will receive from trucks and other vehicles. The floor is designed to support a live load of 800 pounds per square foot.

Construction of the building is precast concrete frame and roof deck. Exterior finish is painted concrete block with some brick veneer on the office section. General office and lunch room areas are air conditioned and there is a large refrigerated area for beer keg storage.

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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Recent visitors with Lilly and Harold Schultz were Mr and Mrs Bill Tiedemann and Mrs Dunn of Deville.

Nola Williams, Vernon Whellans Betty Ann Schultz and Patsy Sears spent part of their holiday last week with their parents and families.

Several teen-agers and their parents attended the Tofield High School graduation and prom last Friday evening.

Mrs Kay Coombes and Mrs Bernice Wick attended the ATA retirement banquet in Holden on Thursday evening in honor of their father Lars Olson and Mrs M McCormick of Tofield.

81st BIRTHDAY

On Sunday the families of Mrs Ida Williams, her sons, wives and grandchildren gathered at her home to celebrate her 81st birthday. Later in the evening a pot luck dinner was enjoyed by all.

Mrs Jim Williams and Nola motored to Swan Hills last week to visit with Mr and Mrs Kai Kristensen where they were over night guests.

Patients in the Tofield Hospital are Mrs Leha Sutton and Randy Sutton son of Mr and Mrs Albert Sutton.

Last Friday Mr and Mrs Ivan Mitchell were entertained by their daughter Judy at a dinner at the Beachcomber in Edmonton.

Florence Ingram and Patsy Sears called on Mrs Pete Brown and baby Daniel on Thursday evening.

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Don Hollans and daughter Shelley and Doug and Fran Baines and children David and Patricia, all of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Doug's sister Mrs Ethel Wood and son Donald.

4-H JUDGING CLASS

On Monday evening the Tofield 4-H Beef Club held a judging class at the farm of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald and daughter Mrs. Marg Berrecloth. There were between 50 and 60 young people and some parents present. After the judging, lunch was served in the Wood home.

Mavis and Carl Jacobsen and family motored to St. Albert on Saturday evening to attend a house warming party at the home of Carl's brother Fred and Grace Jacobsen, who have just recently moved into their new home.

Vi and Elmer Geoglein motored to Edmonton Sunday to visit Vi's nephew, Don Ball Jr., who is a patient in a hospital there. Later they were supper guests at the home of Vi's sister and Don's mother, Mrs. Lil Ball before returning home.

Monday forenoon callers at the home of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen were Carl's parents, Hans and Martha Jacobsen and Mavis's father Julius Jacobsen. Julius stayed at Mavis's home for dinner and the afternoon, while Hans and Martha went to visit their son Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen where they were dinner guests.

# Friendship Group meets at Lutz home

(Mrs. O. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — The Friendship Group met Thursday, May 19, at the home of Mrs. R. Lutz, with 15 members and visitors present. Devotions were taken by Mrs. Lars Olson, and the regular business was attended to. Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus was in charge of the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs Mary James.

At the conclusion of the meeting the hostess, Mrs. Lutz, served a delicious lunch. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. Raeder on June 16th, with Mrs. Mabel Stier taking the Devotions.

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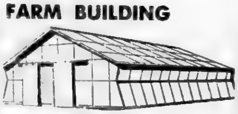

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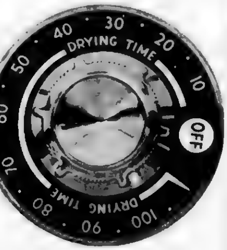


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# Farewell for grade 9 classes Tofield Junior high has

(Joy Warkentin)

The Grade Nine Farewell Banquet was held in the Tofield Community on May 18th, when head table guests included Mr. and Mrs. Sodhi, Mr and Mrs. Lampitt, Mr. and Mrs. Cribb, Mr. and Mrs. Annis, Mr Norton, Mrs. Phillips and Miss Cummings.

John Sears, president of the Big Three, acted as chairman, and Roland said grace. Toast to the Queen was proposed by Dennis Murray. The toast to the Grade IX's, given by Harvey La Rocque, vice-president, was responded to by Joy Warkentin. Margaret Francis proposed the toast to the teachers, with acknowledgement by Mr. Lampitt, Mr. Sodhi, Mr. Norton, Miss Cummings, Mrs. Phillips and Mr. Annis.

**TEACHING IN ETHIOPIA**

Mr. Cribb, the guest speaker, stated that when he and his wife were teaching in Ethiopia, where little or no education had been introduced prior to that time, the eager pupils sat with open mouths taking in everything that was taught. Never before or after had Mr. Cribb had such an attentive class. The blackboard was a painted wall, desks were very crude, and students had only notebooks—no textbooks. Every lesson had to be dictated. After six years, when the Cribbs left Ethiopia, they were informed that the pupils had kept their notebooks for those six years.

Mr. Cribb said that Canada is a land of opportunity, and students should make good use of it. He closed with a motto: "You cannot fail unless you give up".

A short program, under the chairmanship of [illegible] Wittenberg, followed. After "Oh Canada" was sung, Lillian Balzer played two selections on the piano. The Grade VIII girls, accompanied by Lillian Balzer on the piano, sang a selection, the words of which were specialy written for the occasion. This was followed by an instrumental duet, with Lyle Jacobsen playing the accordion and Wayne Jones the guitar. Roland, Lillian and Elvira Balzer sang a trio. The Grade VIII girls, again accompanied by Lillian Balzer, sang another number, in which they wished the Grade IX's good luck, and Lena Schroeder played a piano solo.

[illegible] IX [illegible] grateful to the Grade VIII students and Mrs. Phillips for all the [illegible] they did in decorating, under the appropriate theme "Countdown for Grade Nine", and also for making corsages.

# Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Baton)

Monday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of John and Mary Wood, were John's sister Esther and Joe Majakey of Edmonton, also their [illegible] Johnny and [illegible] and Gloria's parents, [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and daughter Linda of Onoway.

**LONG HONDA [illegible]**

Judy Goubault of Drayton Valley arrived Saturday on her Honda Bike and spent Saturday overnight and Sunday with her cousin Marg Tiedemann at the home of Marg's parents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann.

Roy Wickenberg and grandson Donald [illegible] to Edmonton Wednesday after school and were supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Roy's daughter and Donald's mother, Mrs. Vivian Jones. Ruth Wickenberg, who had been visiting her daughter Vivian Jones since Sunday evening returned home with them later Wednesday evening.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg motored to Lacombe on Friday, where they were guests of Ruth's sisters, Mrs. Sybil Nelson and Mrs. Nettie Thomas. While there they visited several places and relatives. On Monday Roy, Ruth, Sybil and Nettie motored to Gull [illegible] where they were [illegible] at a barbecue dinner at the home of their niece Mrs. Catherin Johanson. After returning to Lacombe, Roy and Ruth motored back to T[illegible] Monday evening.

**STILL IN HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Joe (Corey) Loarhuis is still a patient in the Tofield Hospital where she has been for the past five weeks or more. We all wish her a speedy recovery and hope she will soon be out and home with her family.

## No swimming lessons here this summer

This year the Tofield [illegible]ity League finds itself unable to sponsor the Red Cross swimming lessons, as it has done for many years. This community effort has required more personnel than the League has at its disposal at the present time. The League wishes this to be known so that any other interested group may feel free to sponsor these lessons.


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# Around the Town

Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and daughter Edith May spent the holiday weekend at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

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Mrs. J. W. Chapman of Edmonton spent the holiday weekend at the home of Mrs. Edith Rogers and all were guests at the J. W. Robinson home on Sunday.

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Floyd and Nettie Kendall and Kenny from Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests of Floyd's mother Mrs. Edna Kendall.

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**IT'S A GIRL**

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Krystal a daughter on May 23, a sister for Kasey.

Jim and Louise Nahrebeski and Jimmy of High Prairie spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nahrebeski.

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Miss Shirley Stinson was at the parental home for most of the Monday, May 23rd holiday.

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**EXTENDED HOLIDAY**

Mayor Dr. W.H. Freebury and Mrs. Freebury are taking some holidays by car, planning to go North and west for awhile. Later they will return to Tofield and travel to Europe to visit their son and daughter. Dr. B. Davis is assisting for the summer during the absence of Dr. Freebury.

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Horace Seller has commenced holidays and will visit friends at various former places of employment.

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Sunday visitors with Pete and Oliva Erickson were Bill and Muriel Kleinschroth and family and Mrs. Ollie Kleinschroth of Edmonton, George and Alma Undin, Helge and Emma Reger and Louisa Winder.

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**TO SPEAK AT ANGLICAN CHURCH**

Mrs. G. M. Mealing will be the guest speaker on Sunday, May 29, at 11:00 a.m., at Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Tofield.

## Tofield 4-H Club has May meeting

The Tofield 4-H Club held their monthly meeting on May 12th at 8:00 p.m., in the library.

The topic mainly discussed at the meeting was the coming achievement day, to be held on June 6th.

It was decided that the 'weigh in' be at 10:30 a.m., at the UGG elevator.

The judging will commence at 1:00 p.m. and the sale to start at 3:00 o'clock.

It was also decided that the club's 'wind-up' party, be held on John Moore's farm on July 12.

Marjorie Moore and Coleen Wyley gave a demonstration on "The Treatment of Skin Disease" of your calf.

It was also decided that a banquet be held in the recreation centre in June, the guest speaker to be Mr. Sodi.


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TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above-named must file with the undersigned by the 28th day of June, A.D. 1966, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them.

SIGURD LEFSRUD,
Solicitor for the Executrix,
Viking, Alberta.
39c

## Church Notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnold, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, May 29th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Theme: "Who thinks that God is Dead? — Why?"
"To love is to live, to fail in love is to die".

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 9.00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Rev Art Dahlen, Pastor
Phone 672-6233
Sunday, May 29th
10:15 a.m.—Communion Service.
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, May [illegible]
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
Everybody welcome.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, May 29th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, May 29th
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8.00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 3:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
(Anglican) Tofield
Summer Schedule
Mrs. G. M. Mealing will be the guest speaker Sunday, May 29, at 11:00 a.m.

# Drop age for blood donors

The minimum age of 18 for donating blood has been conditionally lowered to 17 it was announced today by the Red Cross blood transfusion service.

Blood transfusion service officials say they have observed no ill effects resulting from 17-year-olds donating blood.

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—from your Co-op Store

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STOCK COWS with Calves sold up to $230.00 each.
LITTLE CALVES sold from $22.00 to $55.00 each.
LIGHT FEEDER HOGS sold up to $33.00 each, with Weaner Pigs selling from $13.00 to $19.00 each.
PIGGY SOWS sold up to $125.00 each, good Gilts up to $105.00 each, and Boars at $45.00 each.

**SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, May 28:**
A heavy run of Misc. Items, Tools, Furniture, Hay, Lumber, T.V. Sets, Fridges, Stoves, Beds, Chests of Drawers, etc.
Lots of good Calves, Stock Cow and Dairy Cattle. A good run of Feeder Cattle will also be expected.
PLUS Weaner and Feeder Hogs, some good Sows, Bred Gilts and Boars.

**PLEASE NOTE—**
We, at this market, would like to remind all cattlemen that this is the time for castrating and dehorning. By doing this you shall receive big dividends come fall. REMEMBER 50 dehorned and castrated calves can mean an extra $200.00 in your pocket!

**DATES TO REMEMBER—**
JUNE 4—Sale of Machinery for O. Jasman, at the Auction Mart. Selling will be: Small Ford Tractor (1952 model), 2-14, three-point hitch Plow, 4½-ft. Tiller complete with Seeder Box and Fert. Attach., Golden Arrow Mounted Sprayer, 3 secs. of Diamond Harrows and Draw Bar, 7-ft. Spring-tooth Cultivator.
JUNE 16—Dairy Sale. 100 head of Cows & Heifers expected.

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# Pioneer mother passes at 81

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING — Funeral services were held Thursday at the Zion Lutheran Church for Mrs. Leona Gunderson (nee Smorlie) who passed away at the Bethany Home where she had resided for about ten years.

Mrs. Gunderson leaves to mourn her loss, one son Henry Gunderson, one step-son Arthur Gunderson, three daughters, Mrs. Alice Larson, Mrs. Selma Bratrud and Mrs. Evelyn Mosby.

She was a daughter of the soil, and it came easy for her to undertake anything when circumstances arose, during her many years as a widow. In this pioneer country, she carved her home, for herself and her family.

Many paid their last respects at the [illegible]. Pastor Palmer Olson officiated and the Heveland Funeral [illegible] was in charge.

# Recipe box

A good basic sugar cookie recipe guarantees the success of these fancy cookies, cut in shapes to carry out the bridal shower theme, introduced recently. We've suggested bell shapes (available in cookie cutters) and umbrellas (which can easily be cut out of cardboard, then used as a pattern for cutting the cookie dough). You'll love the hint of lemon flavor in these cookies, too.

**SHOWER COOKIES**
(Makes approx. 4 doz. Cookies)

- 3 cups sifted all-purpose flour
- 1½ teaspoons baking powder
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ¾ cup soft butter
- 1½ cups sugar
- 2 teaspoons grated lemon rind
- 1 egg
- 1 egg yolk
- 1½ teaspoons vanilla

Butter cookie sheets lightly. Preheat oven to 350° F. Sift together the flour, baking powder and salt. Cream butter; gradually beat in sugar and lemon rind. Add egg and egg yolk, beat well. Beat in vanilla. Add sifted dry ingredients to creamed mixture, part at a time, combining well after each addition. Divide dough in half and roll out to 1/8-inch thickness on lightly [illegible] or canvas. Cut into bell and umbrella shapes using cookie cutters or cardboard patterns. Place on prepared cookie [illegible]. Decorate as desired. Bake 10 to 12 minutes or until just golden. Cool on cake racks.



# Car insurance or $500 fine

Under the terms of the Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Act, the operator of a motor vehicle is required to produce, upon request by a peace officer, either

(a) a financial responsibility card (pink card) for that vehicle, or (b) a certificate (green certificate) issued under the Act acknowledging that a $20.00 fee has been paid to the Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Fund, formerly called the "Unsatisfied Judgement Fund", in respect of the motor vehicle.

It is the intention of law enforcement bodies in the province to commence spot checks of motor vehicles, which will be carried out periodically throughout the year. Any person who is found to be driving a motor vehicle without either of the items mentioned above is liable to a fine of up to $500. Already several individuals have been fined the maximum amount for this offence. It is in an effort to persuade Alberta motorists to carry the proper insurance on all motor vehicles, that these regulations have been brought into effect.

Alberta motorists completing their 1966 License Application Forms have been asked the following question: "Do you have the necessary insurance coverage?" Unless the question is answered with a "Yes" or "No", no license may be issued.

If the answer is "No", indicating that the vehicle is not insured in accordance with at least the minimum limits provided for under the Alberta Insurance Act, the owner had to pay an additional fee of $20.00 into the Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Fund. This $20.00 must be added to the "Total Fee Payable" on the application for vehicle license, and the license issuing office must receive an application for a Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Certificate (Green Certificate) at the time an application is made for a vehicle license.

A maximum penalty of $500 may be imposed where the application indicated that a motor vehicle is insured, when in fact it is an uninsured vehicle.

The Green Certificate issued under the Accident Claims Act does not provide insurance of any kind, nor does the $20.00 fee. However, if the motor vehicle owner has either of the required documents, the pink card or the green card, in his possession, he is not liable to fine.

# Pioneer birdman honored in new book

The work of Frank Farley continues to live on, with publication of a revised edition of "Birds of Alberta". One of Alberta's pioneer ornithologist, Camrose has seen much of Farley's work over the years, as his influence extended into the lives of several young men who took up the activity as a sport, and later turned it into a career. Although he died about 15 years ago, his work continues to be the base for this monumental study.

Distributed by the Queen's Printer, the book is being circulated by bookdealers throughout the province, meeting back orders which have been standing for many months.

The revised edition offers some 85 new colored plates illustrating the text written by Professor W. R. Salt of the University of Alberta, originally in collaboration with A. L. "Bert" Wilk, formerly of Round Hill. The original volume was prefaced with high praise to the late Frank Farley of Camrose, whose early work in the field paved the way to preparation of the book.

The popular text describes, in detail readily understandable by the layman, the appearance, habits and habitat of birds commonly found in Alberta. Illustrating each description in most cases is a full color photograph of the bird. Most of these were taken by the author, Cyril Hampson and Mrs. Kay Hodges.

Priced at $5, the volume is sold almost at cost and was a labor of love on the part of the authors and photographers. Birdwatchers of long standing attribute the growing numbers of their clan in Alberta to the volume.

An adult 80-ton blue whale eats more than a ton of shrimp each day.

## The Swingin' set

By Janice Sich

**HOW TO CLEAN YOUR FACE**

To clean your face, remove both soiled make-up and the dirt and grime collected during the day by applying cleansing cream. After removing the cleansing cream with a removal pad, pat face with hot or warm water, followed by a gentle soap lather. When cleaning the skin, work all the way into the hairline and over the ears and behind the ears and over the back of the neck. To protect the hair, wear a headband whether soaping or creaming.

Normal skin can take both a creaming and soaping to stimulate and cleanse and freshen the face. It is not wise to soap dry skin because of its sensitivity towards soaps. Medicated soaps are available for those who have skin problems. Deep-pore cleansers may be used once in a while to remove blackheads and to stimulate natural skin oils.

Whatever method or articles you use in night and morning cleansing, to do it correctly and regularly keeps the skin looking healthy and alive. Cleansing action also helps do away with sallowness and improves many skin problems.

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**PICNIC PLANNING**

This June, take time off from your studies or after exams to throw an all-day picnic. Choose a location that supports game action and exploration, such as Ross' Flats or Happy Valley.

FOOD: If you plan to have enough people for two softball teams, suggest that each person contribute to the party by bringing some "energy" (food). But be sure to work it out so as not to end up with 10 loaves of sandwiches and one salad. Remember, that after a softball game or a hiking expedition, everyone will be hungry . . . make sure the food is plentiful.

ENTERTAINMENT: Don't forget the ball and bats! Maybe the picnic spot is wisely chosen beside your uncle's horse ranch, or the creek with the biggest rainbow trout ever. Field games can be loads of fun if well planned. Plan well ahead of time and have an all-day picnic party. Even hire some ants . . . just for tradition.

# Kingman district news items

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, May 23 — Mr. and Mrs. Gunard Barlund of Edmonton spent Sunday and Monday with the Wilfred Johnson family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Cunningham of Kelsey were Friday evening visitors at the Lester Christenson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kolchinsky of Edmonton were Monday visitors at the Gordon Simonsons.

Mrs. Bob Bowick returned Tuesday from a nine day visit to Vancouver and Surrey, B.C., were she visited her son and daughter-in-law, the Gary Bowicks.

Miss Gertrude Asp of Calgary spent the long weekend with her mother and brothers, Mrs. A. Asp and sons.

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# Baseball Tourney will highlight "Showcase 66"

Showcase '66, under the management of Lionel Barton, will be offering a two-day ball tournament as part of the Dominion Day celebration, sponsored by the Community League. This will occur July 1 and 2. With $450.00 in prizes offered, there are openings for eight entries. Some of these have already been filled. Since baseball has been a major attraction in Tofield on Dominion Day for over 30 years, a two-day tournament is certain to arouse great interest.

Little League and Pony League baseball are also being arranged, and the diamond is being put into shape.

The cutting and jumping horses will again delight the crowd. This event is being arranged by Horace Seller. The fire departments, both town and rural, will be putting up bleachers so that spectators may watch these exciting events in comfort.

**THE RACE IS ON!**

The Queen-and-Princess race is on! The students are selling tickets at a great rate. A thermometer to indicate the standings of the four teams will be erected on Main Street soon.

A $100 bill is to be raffled by the League on July 1. The ticket sales for this event are under the management of H. A. Pike and John Baergen.

Preparations are being made for the comfort and convenience of the usual large crowd on Dominion Day. The Historical Society will host Oldtimers in the Curling Rink. How about inviting a former Tofield resident to visit you on Dominion Day?

Mrs. Boyles is receiving entries for the handicraft display, which last year attracted many entries and many visitors. Mrs. Boyles and the Community League wish it to be understood that entries are for display only; no sales or other commercial ventures are [illegible]

Dominion Day is traditionally Tofield's big day, and it is the proceeds from this day which will help to pay off the indebtedness on the fine Community Centre. If everyone helps, this Dominion Day could exceed all previous ones.

**[illegible]**

A barbecue will again send forth tantalizing odors when the pit is opened on Dominion Day. This feature of the celebration has always been highly successful, and this year should be even [illegible]

As usual, everyone pays the entry fee at the gate—workers in-[illegible]

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Old age does not mean stagnation, closing the door on outside interests and falling into the roll of passive spectator.

Where the heart is young and the spirit willing, where [illegible] resources of the mind are [illegible] active, [illegible] years [illegible] deeper and [illegible] rewarding contentment.

J.W.R.

# Holden district news items

(Mrs. O. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visiting their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas of the Viking district Friday and were supper guests in the evening with Mrs. N. L. Campbell and Mrs Carr.

Chris Christenson was in Edmonton on Friday and visited with his sister, Mrs. Elna Parsons at the Good Samaritan Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black were business visitors in Edmonton on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Williams and their small daughter, Carla, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Saik, all of Edmonton, were visitors with the girls' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McLeod on Sunday, May 15th.

Leo Hladilo of Edmonton was in Holden, visiting and on business on Tuesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Hladilo and family are exepecting to move to B.C. in the near future, to make their home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shyba were Edmonton visitors Wednesday evening of last week.

Mr. Gyani, of the Holden School Teaching staff, was a business visitor in Edmonton last week.

Mrs. Lars Ritland, who has been in the University Hospital, Edmonton for the past two weeks having treatments for arthritis, returned home Friday and is feeling much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell and sons of Leduc were visitors and dinner guests with Marjorie's mother, Mrs. Campbell a week ago Sunday. Other dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shehinski of Edmonton were holiday weekend visitors with the John Shehinskis.

Marvin Giebelhaus of Edmonton was here for a few days last week and over the holiday weekend. We were pleased to hear [illegible] is making such good recovery.

**Mr. and Mrs. George Danilak Jr. of Edmonton are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son last week.**

Mrs. Alfred Olson of Daysland has been visiting for awhile with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Huneby and children, on the farm.

Harry Johnson of Camrose, former south Holden district farmer, was a business caller in Holden Wednesday afternoon of last week.

**TO NORWAY**

Hans Ituseby was a visitor for a few days last week with his daughter, Mrs. Irene Francoeur and family in Camrose and left on Friday by plane from Nisku airport for a six week holiday in Norway. Mr. and Mrs. Francoeur drove him to Nisku.

Mrs. Mary James was in Edmonton Thursday having dental work done and eye tests. She returned home Friday evening.

Alex Barlow of Poe was a caller in Holden Friday afternoon, of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta and children were Sunday visitors and dinner guests with Mrs. Merta's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow. Mrs. Campbell and

**HOME FROM TORONTO**

Rev. James Ruxton returned home on the Saturday noon train after spending several days in Toronto attending a United Church meeting there with other newly ordained ministers.

Miss Betty Chupka of Edmonton was a Saturday visitor and overnight guest with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka, returning to Edmonton Sunday with her parents.

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# Additions to the library

For the summer reader, a few of the recent additions to the Tofield Library should be of interest to all.

The Wild Swans by Hans C. Anderson — for the young reader one of the best of this authors many books.

The Hardy Breed by Giles Lutz — latest western.

The Emperor of Peace River, by Eugenie L. Myles — An Albertan author gives you a true story of this pioneer family, its missionaries and priests of the Peace River Country.

Hegerty M.D., by Elizabeth Seifert — 1966 nurse and doctor story.

Stolen Pony, by Glen Rounds — sequel to 'Blind Pony', a well liked youth book.

Seeds of Time, Shakespeare, edited by Grohskopf — selections from well known plays, to give the young reader a fuller meaning of Shakespeare's work.

Ranch in the Rockies, by Geo F. Mason — interesting write-up of the Mongrel horses, story of Indians and guides and pack-horses.

The Source, by James Michener — Fictional history of Israel, the city of Makor, based on archaeologists findings.

The Fatal Impact, by Alan Moorehead — Invasion of the South Pacific by Capt. James Cook 1767-1840 with illustrations and photos.

Columbella, by Phyllis Whitney.

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Tranquility at Sylvan Lake.

# Grade 5's visit historic sites

(Grade 5A)

About a month ago our teachers announced that we we were going on a Field Trip. We wondered what it was; we soon found out. A field trip is an educational trip away from the school, where you learn by actual observation.

Much effort, time, and preparation were put into this trip so that it would be a success. The children and teachers were working against time — collecting information, planning the route, and studying maps. We were privileged to have Mr. J. Francis give us a very interesting talk in the local museum. This gave us a background to the history of our town. Incidentally the T.V. programs we saw in school helped us a great deal.

We were very excited and it

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### From the Scrap Book

The lives of truest heroism are those in which there are no great deeds to look back upon; it is the little things well done that go to make up a successful and truly good life.—Roosevelt. —J.W.R.

# Plans continue for July 1 Showcase '66

Soon the business establishments of Tofield will be displaying gigantic posters announcing the events for Dominion Day celebration on July 1. This will be Tofield's "Showcase '66", the last July 1 celebration of Canada's first century. The executive of the Tofield Community League is hard at work completing plans for the annual event.

The Andrew Schoolboys' Band, who made such a favorable impression in Tofield last year at "Showcase '65", will again head the parade and will play on the exhibition grounds during the day. These boys are a fine group of young musicians and are well worth hearing.

**SIX TEAMS ENTERED**

The two-day baseball tournament under the direction of Lionel Borton, president of the Community League, is shaping up well. Six teams have already entered and baseball fans, which includes most of Tofield, are assured of first-class ball. The prize money this year will be $450.00. Little League and Pony League baseball will also be featured, under the management of John Baergen and Jack Lampitt. The youngsters put on a good show and will appreciate your attendance.

The very young ones can look forward to the children's races.

**BIGGER MIDWAY**

The midway will be bigger and better than ever. Again Wally Ursulak and Hec Gervais (the "friendly giant" of curling fame) will be providing the rides, so loved by the children. This year, Mr. Ursulak says, the Ferris wheel will be here for sure, as well as the merry-go-round. Last year these rides were filled all day with happy youngsters.

Again, the hot-dog booth will be under the capable management of John Baergen, who has had years of experience in providing the wherewithall to satisfy the hungry customers' needs.

Speaking of food—Tofield's Bar-B-Q expert, Vince Bates is planning another appetizing Dominion Day barbecue, which will be opened at 4:30 in the afternoon so that the crowd may be fed from 4:30 to 6:30. To accompany the barbecued meat, Bill Davison and his helpers will serve an appetizing meal.

**CUTTING HORSES**

Tofield is fortunate indeed to be able again to present the fabulous cutting horses and the jumpers. There will be two go-rounds, at 2:00 and 5:00 p.m. It is expected that the Dominion Day Queen and Princess will be presenting the prizes to the owners of the winning horses. The Tofield jumping sweepstakes will be $250, and the intermediate cutting horse contest will have $150 plus entry fees as prizes.

The theatre committee of the Tofield Community League is presenting a matinee on Dominion Day and an evening show on Saturday, July 2.

The activities of Dominion Day will end officially with a dance at night in the Community Centre, with the Melody Kings, under the direction of Peter Skolled, providing the music.

## Mrs. McCormick retires after 40 yrs. teaching

A cordial invitation is extended by Mrs. Mollie Conn, president of the Tofield sub-local of the A.T.A., to all interested persons to attend a tea in the school auditorium on June 5th from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m., in honor of Mrs. Madeleine McCormick, who is retiring after 40 years' service in Alberta classrooms. A short program will be presented, beginning at 3:45.

All pupils, both past and present, of Mrs. McCormick, whether resident in this area or elsewhere, will be be most welcome.

## The weather

| May | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 25 | 80 | 41 | 27.60 | |
| 26 | 87 | 48 | 27.40 | |
| 27 | 66 | 56 | 27.38 | .05" rain |
| 28 | 70 | 52 | 27.56 | .3" rain |
| 29 | 77 | 54 | 27.54 | .16" rain |
| 30 | 57 | 50 | 26.95 | .34" rain |
| 31 | 53 | 45 | 27.67 | .02" rain |
| June | | | | |
| 1 | — | 42 | — | tr. rain |

# C. Annis is appointed school superintendent

C. F. Annis, principal of the Tofield School, has recently received news of his appointment as a Superintendent of Schools. Mr. and Mrs. Annis and children will be leaving the Tofield community during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Annis are both natives of Nova Scotia. Mr. Annis received his education at Acadia University, from which he holds a B.A. degree, and from the University of Alberta where he was awarded a B.Ed. degree. During his years in Nova Scotia, he was in the Naval Reserve.

Mr. and Mrs. Annis came to Tofield immediately following their marriage in 1958, and have since made their home here. Mr. Annis was a social studies teacher for several years, then became vice-principal, and for the last two years has been principal of the Tofield School.

Mr. and Mrs. Annis have taken an active part in community activities, are members of the United Church, and have participated in its services and activities. Both have sung in the senior choir, and Mrs. Annis has been leader of the senior CGIT group for several years. She also gave music lessons for a few years. Mr. and Mrs. Annis have been active members of the curling club and golf club.

Mr. Annis is a senior officer in Palestine Lodge A.F. & A.M. No. 46, and Mrs. Annis holds an office in Ionic Chapter O.E.S. No. 72. Mr. Annis has taken great interest in professional activities associated with the A.T.A.

Mr. and Mrs. Annis have two children, David and Carol. This past year, Mrs. Annis' sister, Cindy Diadick, has been living with them.

Mr. Annis is uncertain as to where his new appointment will take him, and probably will not know where his new home will be until the middle of June. He says he and his wife have greatly enjoyed living in Tofield and appreciated the warm welcome extended by the community when they came as new residents; and, even more, the continuing acceptance and friendship of the Tofield people. They will be sorry to leave their friends.

While congratulating Cal on his promotion, the residents of Tofield will feel the loss of the Annis family deeply in church affairs, community activities, lodge work and, of course, in the school. It is to be hoped the Annis family will be posted close enough that their Tofield friends will not lose touch with them.

## Thomas Taylor dies suddenly

On May 28, Thomas Taylor of Tofield, passed away suddenly at the age of 53 years.

Besides his loving wife, Marjorie, he leaves five daughters and three sons (Shirley) Mrs. Gilbert Leighton of Slave Lake, (Dianne) Mrs. Laverne Larson, and Ethel Taylor of Faust; Christine and Viola Taylor of Tofield; Edward of Edmonton, Floyd and Rennie of Tofield; five grandchildren; five sisters, Mrs. Eva Simpson, Mrs. Nettie Hellerud and Mrs. Pearl Bourgette all of Edmonton, Mrs. Mary Nelson of St. Paul, Mrs. Edith Morgenson and a brother Glen Taylor of Vegreville.

Funeral services were held on Monday, May 30th from Andrews - McLaughlin Chapel, with Rev. R. N. Alcock officiating. Interment at the Soda Lake Cemetery with Morton officiating.

## Old posts wanted!

An appeal is being made by Arnold Swift to anyone who has old willow fence posts which could be donated for use at the Dominion Day Barbecue. If they would be donor or donors contact Mr. Swift, he will, if necessary, arrange for the transportation of the posts.

# "We'll insure the kids.."

Last week in this column we ran an item under the heading "Who Will Insure the Kids?" pointing out that many companies were backing off completely, while others made their rates so high as to be impossible. It was a point we've been meaning to write on for several weeks.

Too many weeks, apparently. It didn't take more than a couple of days to get an answer.

Things have changed in the automobile world, and nearly all, if not all, insurance companies are taking young drivers, and first-time drivers of any age, under the assigned risk plan, that is, they are passed around in strict rotation, each company taking its percentage of the new contracts.

Approaches differ with various companies, but broadly, we were told, the new customers are treated much the same way as any other customer. Their insurance is written at normal rates, and they can get themselves out of the assigned risk level if their driving warrants it. If not, they stay there with rates being levelled on a commensurate basis.

Seems to us the idea is eminently fair, and the insurance companies are to be commended on their new approach to the problem.

# Surveyor, right enough

Millions of eyes will be glued to television sets tonight to see and hear how the United States comes off with its attempt for a soft landing of the Surveyor 1 spacecraft on the moon. The camera being carried in the nose-cone will undoubtedly record fascinating bits of information not now within our ken, but probably the greatest fund of information will come from the actual landing itself.

Almost certainly, too, the effects of this landing will have a major bearing on the next step, that of carrying a man there. Things are moving rapidly in the space race, yet not quite so fast as the imaginative writers of the comics can race ahead. Still, maybe they're only pointing the way and getting a few miles ahead of us. The way things are going, the youngsters of tomorrow will probably be rushing off to the moon for the 24th of May, (Uh, pardon us, Victoria Day . . . on whatever date it falls.)

# Stiffer sentences

It's interesting to note that sentences for motoring misdemeanors are getting stiffer in the Capitol City. Not for the run-of-the-mill minor infractions, but such things as driving without a license, driving while suspended, switching licenses and this sort of contempt of court.

Only last week the court records show a man sentenced to three months in jail for a second offence of driving while his license was suspended. Only a few weeks earlier such an offence would probably have brought only a little heavier fine.

The tightening up will be welcomed by the public generally, which is fast coming to believe it's being victimized in at least two ways by the irresponsible or contemptuous driver. First, they feel, they're not nearly as safe on the road as they might be with this driver off the roads, and secondly, they feel at least some of the high costs of auto insurance can be charged to them.

# Border trouble

Trouble with sales tax is nothing new in Lloydminster, which straddles the Alberta-Saskatchewan border, but seemingly some sort of workable arrangement could be hammered out by the provincial authorities concerned. Many other communities in the Dominion would welcome any kind of sensible solution, but it wouldn't be sensible if some account is not taken of the very nature of geography. Border smuggling is an age-old sport of mankind, and it might as well be recognized officially in a case like this.

The Saskatchewan government wants to collect all the taxes possible, and objects to residents on its side of the border doing their shopping over in Alberta . . . just across the street very often.

Of course, it could reduce the services it provides in locales such as these. That's one alternative.

At least another would be to recall they collect untold amounts of taxes from tourists from Alberta, who don't collect very much in the way of service such as education or hospitalization or whatever else the sales tax is for. The two might balance out not too unreasonably.


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# By George!

At last someone has come out with a summation of what the Munsinger case is all about, and it is done by comparing Canada's Munsinger case with Britain's Profumo case a couple of years ago. The writing is that of a man who has so many times in the past seemed to have given some understandable interpretation to matters that most people find confusing—Blair Fraser of Maclean's Magazine.

In the first place, says Fraser, both cases were similar because a minister of the Crown was involved, on a more than casual basis, with a common prostitute. But the similarities end there.

In the Profumo scandal the security threats caused by Christine Keeler's liaisons were deemed to be negligible—except for the unlikely possibility of blackmail. Gerda Munsinger's connection with spies was more direct. Outside Canada she had helped Soviet spies obtain false papers and had stolen money from for them.

But there doesn't seem to be any suggestion that Gerda's activities ever led to a breach of security regulations inside Canada. And any possibilities of blackmail were diminished by the fact that the amorous adventures of Pierre Sevigny, the Associate Minister of Defence, were known to Prime Minister Diefenbaker.

This, says Fraser, is the basic difference between Gerda and Keeler. In Britain, Prime Minister Macmillan was able to plead ignorance about Profumo's relations. Diefenbaker, in contrast, was instantly informed. But beyond giving Sevigny a severe scolding, he did nothing.

What the Spence inquiry is all about, says Fraser, is whether Diefenbaker's decision to take no action was prudent or dangerous.

# MacDuff Ottawa report

## DUTY FREE MACHINES

OTTAWA. — By this time next year Canada may be offering American manufacturers of industrial machinery a very substantial tariff cut and, in certain cases, free entry for their product. The plan has been given informal Cabinet approval in principle though some details remain to be worked out.

Whether the machinery program will be implemented eventually will depend on the attitude of the United States government and industry, the stand of other signatories to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade since it involves raising one tariff while it reduces another and the agreement of the United Kingdom which would lose part of its preferential tariff margin on machinery.

Initial reaction in Washington has been cool. This is not surprising. Canada is not planning to offer more generous tariff treatment to American manufacturers without an ulterior motive. The real purpose of the plan is to encourage Canadian manufacturers to replace part of an importation of machinery, valued last year at $1,218 million with home manufacture.

The tariff on imports of industrial machinery is governed by Tariff Board rulings on whether a machine is "of a class or kind made in Canada" This has been interpreted for years as meaning that Canadian manufacturers supply 10 per cent of the Canadian demand. If the particular machine or machine tool is made in Canada according to this formula it is subject to a 22 1/2 per cent tariff. If it is not, the tariff is 7 1/2 per cent.

The "class or kind" system has never been popular, even though it can provide massive protection to the manufacturer. The fact that he must first be supplying 10 per cent of the Canadian market means that in the early stages of production he is exposed to the cold winds of competition. Only when he needs it less can he live in the shelter of the tariff wall while the Canadian purchaser pays the higher price for his machine which he passes on in a higher price to the consumer of his product.

In addition to this, Tariff Board rulings on "class or kind" involve legal wrangles, rigid and narrowing judicial decisions and appeals to higher courts with consequent delay and uncertainty.

It is now proposed to eliminate class or kind rulings in determining the tariff on industrial machinery. One level of tariff, perhaps 15 per cent, would replace the 22 1/2 per cent and 7 1/2 per cent. An importer would then apply to a board of government officials for suspension of the tariff. To get free entry for the particular machine or machine tool he would have to satisfy the board not only that it was not being made in Canada but that it could not and would not be made here economically and within reasonable time. The board would hold public hearings at which prospective manufacturers could appear.

One difficulty is to find a process for appeal. No one is going to be satisfied to let a bureaucratic board have the final say. Yet an appeal to the courts involves the same old delays and, to be acceptable, the new plan must be quick, simple and efficient. Cabinet has rejected the suggestion of officials that the Minister be given final decision. Governments have had enough trouble politically with ministerial discretion written into the law. An alternative is reported to have been proposed and there will be plenty of time to discuss it. With some luck as well as a lot of good management the machinery program might be ready for introduction in the 1967 Spring budget.

The machinery program does not require any action by Washington but Canada is expecting to get something in return for this major tariff concession. The appropriate place to obtain this quid pro quo is the so called "Kennedy round" of tariff bargaining among GATT members at Geneva. At the moment the Geneva negotiations are stalled pending agreement among themselves on agricultural and other policies of the Common Market countries. If there is failure to get this and the Kennedy round collapses Canada will seek bilateral talks with the United States next year when the machinery program would be a major offer.

At the moment, however, U.S. officials are reported to be a little weary of Canada's free trade schemes. The automobile agreement of 1965, while it is credited with a large part of the spectacular increase in Canadian exports of cars and parts last year, is not too popular on either side of the border. At the end the Americans may not be too keen to offer any valuable concession in return for conditional free entry of machinery since, in some cases, it will mean an increased tariff.

Meanwhile there have been some preliminary approaches to Canadian industry where co-operation is essential. The response, so far, has been favourable.

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## CAPITAL HILL CAPSULE

The Government is hoping that

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# MacDuff . . .

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the recent settlement of the truck drivers strike in Ontario may provide a solution to the problem of applying the new Labour Code hours of work to the trucking industry. The settlement includes inauguration of the 40-hour week on January 1, 1968. So far the trucking industry is enjoying an 18-month deferment of the hours of work provision which will expire at the end of this year. If the industry in Ontario applies for it a further deferment will be given, the end of which would coincide with the collective bargaining agreement. It is hoped this would set a precedent to be followed in other provinces.


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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Campbell, her sister Mrs. Carr, Ray Hovland and Mrs. Harold Story of Abbotsford, B.C., were dinner guests with Mrs. Lars Ritland on Friday. Lars is busy these days helping with putting in the crop at the Lowry farm.

**MOTHER PASSES**

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Story of Abbotsford, B.C., who were called to Edmonton when Harold's mother, Mrs. John Story, became seriously ill, and has since passed away, have been visiting with their son Calvin and his wife and family. Mrs. Harold Story has also been visiting with a few old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robinson and family of Edmonton were in Holden Wednesday, May 25, to attend the funeral of Mrs. John Story. They also called on several old friends in the Village.

Geo. H. Taylor was a caller at the Tofield town office Saturday morning on EMO business, and also at the Viking town office checking EMO supplies.

Joe Alexander was in Viking Saturday doing a little shopping for fishing equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Slywka of Sherwood Park were callers with the former's mother, Mrs. William Slywka, during the holiday weekend.

Mrs. Mary James was in Edmonton last week, going up on Thursday and returning home Friday evening. Mrs. James met, and was talking with, a former Holdenite, Fred Skakum.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby and Miss M. Robertson were afternoon visitors with Bert's father, Harry Appleby, at Vialta Lodge, Sunday evening of last week.

**CEMETERY DAY**

A meeting of the Holden and District Cemetery Committee was held May 27th at the home of Mrs. N. L. Campbell, secretary, with 16 members present. After some discussion, it was decided to hold Cemetery Day on Wednesday, June 15th. Plans were also discussed for beautifying and cleaning up the grounds, and to hold the Annual Tag Day June 18th. A committee was formed consisting of Lyle Grosland, president, and A. V. Story, to have a new map drawn of the grounds and plots which would be in the Village office for convenience of all.

Mrs. Bill Kelly and Mrs. John Semotuik were Thursday evening visitors in Edmonton.

Mrs. Evelyn Huseby and Dale, with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Olsen of Daysland, were visitors on Sunday of last week with a former old time Holden district resident, Mrs. Thoreson at Vialta Lodge, Viking.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Story were Friday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ritland.

Ole and Frank Tchir, of Edmonton, were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tchir.

Richard Baraniuk was a weekend visitor with his mother, Mrs. Ann Baraniuk.

Sam Sroka of Edmonton spent the weekend visiting with his mother, Mrs. Tekla Sroka, and other relatives in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were Friday afternoon and evening visitors with their daughter Beth and family, the Erne Mertas, at Viking.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus were Friday visitors and overnight guests on the holiday weekend with their son Earl and his wife at Rimbey. They visited with their daughter Edna at Jasper on the Saturday and motored to Erith to visit their daughter Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. Corser and family, going from there to Stony Plain, where they visited with their son Reuben and family, before returning home at the end of the week.

Chris Christenson left Edmonton Friday evening to take the bus from there on a trip to Vancouver to visit with his nephews and families and other friends. Mr. Christenson was going via the Rogers Pass route.

Hilmer Olsen and Chris Giebelhaus left Saturday afternoon on a fishing trip to Boyne Lake, for the weekend.

**HERE FOR FUNERAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Daily, of South Edmonton, were in Holden Wednesday, May 25th, to attend the funeral of Mr. Daily's aunt, Mrs. Florence Story. The Dailys were former Holden district residents, and his family were one of the pioneer families, operating the farm next to the Storys. Mr. and Mrs. Daily also lived there for several years until moving to a farm in the South Edmonton district.

Geo. H. Taylor was a business visitor in Edmonton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka visited over the weekend with their daughters in Edmonton.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

John Nordstrom returned home last week, after spending the past two months as a patient in the University Hospital for surgery. Mr. Nordstrom is feeling much improved, and it is nice to see him walking around the village again.

# Bardo news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

The Harry Mosby, Glenn Francis and Leroy Pinseth families were guests at the Charles Rude home on May 15th when Linda was celebrating her birthday.

The house movers moved Axel Kindley's house into Tofield one day last week and the Kindleys are staying with Grandma Foshaug until their house is ready to move into. Axel and Nita were dinner guests with the Earl Kindleys at Viking on Sunday and in the evening the Harold Kindleys of Edmonton were visitors with their parents and Grandma Foshaug.

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# Ryley 4-H beef club planning busy month

(By Club Reporter)

On May 26, the Ryley 4-H Beef Club held a regular meeting in the School Home Economics room.

There were several items on the agenda for this meeting. The first was the final plans for the club Achievement Day. It was decided that the weigh-in at the Alberta Pacific elevator commence at 8:30 in the morning on June 7, and that the calves be paraded through town to the skating rink, where the judging will take place at 10:00 o'clock. Immediately after the judging of calves, Jacobson's will provide free transportation for the calves to Viking for the grand champion judging and sale, which will be held in the Carena.

The club decided to hold a dance and "slave" auction in Victory Hall on June 10, as a final attempt to raise club funds.

The final club activities to be held as the closing events for this year are a private banquet for club members, their parents, and the invited merchants who donated prizes for the achievement day. This will be held June 24. On July 7, the club has planned an evening picnic at the Beaver Lake camp-grounds. This will be the last club activity for this year, and members hope it will be a success.

Everyone is invited to attend the Achievement Day on Tuesday, June 7, to see what 4-H Clubs are doing throughout the year, and are asked to come to the sale at Viking and support the local Beef Club by purchasing a fine calf. Remember, the following Friday (June 10), a dance will be held in Victory Hall. Everyone welcome.


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## Wrong date . . .

In the Ryley 4-H Beef Club news recently, it was reported in error a dance was to be held on May 16th, when the date should have read May 17th. The error is regretted, and it is hoped not too much inconvenience was caused.


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# Bardo news items

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

On Saturday evening a large group of ladies gathered at the community centre to honor Miss Linda Erickson whose marriage takes place on June 18. Contests and games were played, after which Mrs. Harold [illegible] presented Linda with a large variety of lovely and useful gifts for which the bride-to-be expressed her sincere thanks and appreciation. Miss Berg and Miss Ferguson, friends of Linda were seated at the beautifully decorated table and assisted her in opening gifts.

The WCTU will meet at the Clarence Rude home Wednesday afternoon June 8.

## Ionic OES honored at Banff meeting

Ionic Chapter No. 72 OES, has been honored through the persons of Mrs. Joyce Swift and Neil Phillips who have been appointed Grand Page and Grand Assistant Sentinel, respectively, for the Grand Chapter Session of the Order of the Eastern Star meeting held at Banff this past week.

Mrs. Ella Hardy, Worthy Matron of Ionic is also attending as the Chapter's official representative. She is accompanied by Mrs. Margaret Arnett and Mrs. Pat Glover, Past Matrons of Ionic.

On Sunday, May 29, Ionic Chapter attended the Tofield United Church; Worthy Matron, Mrs. Ella Hardy, Worthy Patron Mr. Neil Phillips and about 20 members were present at the service conducted by Rev. W. McDonald.


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# County Council meets May 12

***Minutes of the regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9 Thursday, May 12, 1966.***

Mr. D. J. Bussard, Department of Highways District Engineer was present at this time to discuss with the Council the proposed road program under the Articles of Agreement and other items.

Mr. Bussard stated that the Department would appreciate if the County would undertake to spray the main highways, Nos. 14 and 36, for weeds as they were located within the boundaries of the County and the Department would pay the cost for this work. Mr. Bussard was informed that this request would be taken care of.

He also referred to the Department's desire to see a permanent type of snow fence, that is a shelterbelt planted some 100 feet in from the fence line on the various farms, and he wondered what success this had met with in the County in past years. It was suggested that not too much success had been had in this matter as many farmers seem to consider a shelterbelt far from the fence line as being obstructive to their farming operations and, although this was understandable to some extent, it was also considered that a shelterbelt of this kind would not only assist in keeping the roads clear of snow but it would also help in cutting down on the soil drifting during dry windy seasons. It was suggested that, if some method of payment for these shelterbelts to the farmers could be considered, the farmers would be more likely to put in this type of shelterbelt. The Council was then advised that the grant to the County under the Articles of Agreement amounted to $89,233.00, an increase of $3,765.00 from 1965.

Moved by Cr. Johnston that his information be accepted. Cd.

**Business arising from the minutes:**

In regards to the proposed assessment map, the Secretary-Treasurer reported that he had contacted Riley's Reproductions Ltd. and had received a price of $1000.00 to $1200.00 for 2500 copies of these maps. He had also contacted Commercial Printers but, before he could get a price from them, he would have to obtain some more information from the County of Camrose who had had a map prepared by Commercial Printers some time ago. He stated that is was his intention to go down to Camrose to obtain this information.

Moved that the report be accepted. Cd.

In regards to fire fighting equipment for Kinsella, Cr. Johnston stated that he had not yet received the information from certain parties which he had contacted in this connection and it was decided to defer this matter until the next meeting of the Council.

Mr. A. R. Graham, Assistant Manager of Alberta Motor Association, interviewed the Council at this time in regards to the Association's method of putting up road signs. He stated that it was the intention of the Association to thoroughly cover that portion of the Province, in which the County of Beaver is located, this year and that it would then be three years before the road signing outfit would be in the area again. He requested that the Councillors submit all the necessary information so that a comprehensive program could be carried out during the month of June. Mr. Graham then retired.

The resignation of the Road Foreman, Mr. J. W. Peck, to be effective on May 14th was referred to the Council. His resignation had been referred to the Council at the Special Meeting on April 30 and at this time it was moved that the resignation of the Public Works Foreman, Mr. J. W. Peck, be accepted. Cd.

The Sec.-Treas. was requested to refer the following bridges to the Bridge Department for inspection and possible replacement, either by new bridges or culverts: S.E. 17-48-12-W.4th; West 5-49-15-W.4th; WNW. 29-49-14-W.4th; SSW. 9-47-15-W.4th.

The Sec.-Treas. was also requested to notify Calgary Power Limited of the need for moving power poles at the following locations.

WSW. 6-48-14-W.4th, 2 miles east; NNW. 7-48-12-W.4th, 2 miles east; SNW. 14-49-16-W.4th, approximately 1 mile north; SSW. 23-49-16-W.4th, 9 miles north.

It was decided to continue the Council meeting on May 19th and it was moved at 5:25 p.m. that the meeting now adjourns to reconvene on Thursday, May 19th at 10:00 a.m. Cd.

***Minutes of the adjourned regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9, Thursday, May 19th, 1966.***

**Correspondence:**

A letter from Frank J. W. Fane, M.P. for Vegreville, Alberta, concerning his endeavors to obtain P.F.A. payments for 1964 for a number of farmers in the County of Beaver and the County of Minburn was referred to the Council.

It appeared that Mr. Fane had gone to a considerable amount of work, having had a number of meetings with the Minister of Agriculture at Ottawa and his Advisory Staff as well as with the Board of Review of the P.F.A. Act, but without any change in the original decisions having been made.

Moved that the letter be received and filed. Cd.

A letter from the Director of Surveys, requesting the Council recommendations in regards to an application from Colin Skorl of Kinsella to lease the original road allowance between Sections 11 and 12 in Twp. 46-11-W.4th, was referred to the Council.

Moved that the Director of Surveys be advised that the Council has no objections to the proposed lease. Cd.

A letter from the A.A.M.D. and Counties, enclosing the 1966 chemical price list, was referred to the Council. The Sec.-Treas. stated that the 1966 prices were almost identical to the 1965 prices and he suggested that no change in the prices were necessary.

Moved that correspondence received be filed and that the prices for chemicals remain the same in 1966 as in 1965. Cd.

A letter from the Department of Highways advising that a Natural Resource Road Grant in the amount of $10,000.00 had been approved for construction and gravelling in part of District Highway 345M south of Shonts to the County boundary was referred to the Council.

Moved that the correspondence be receivd and filed. Cd.

In regards to the fire fighting equipment for the Hamlet of Kinsella, dealt with at the May 12th meeting, Cr. Johnston handed in a list of requirements at an estimated cost of some $1400.00.

Moved that the fire fighting equipment as outlined by Cr. Johnston be purchased. Cd.

A report from the Board of Review of the P.F.A. Branch concerning townships in the County for which inspection had been requested was now referred to the Council. The original decision was that none of these townships were eligible, however, the latest report indicated that some actions in Townships 48-13, 48-14, 49-13 and 49-14 were eligible.

Moved that the report be received and filed. Cd.

Information from the Alberta Crop Insurance Corporation and the Annual Report from the Corporation was placed before the Council and it was moved that the material be received and filed. Cd.

Requisition under the Alberta Hospitals Act in the amount of $55,224.65 was referred to the Council. The Sec.Treas. stated that the requisition was $4,964.12 in excess of the 1965 requisition.

Moved that the requisition be authorized for payment. Cd.

Requisition from Minburn-Vermilion Health Unit No. 13 in the amount of $1766.28 was now referred to the Council, the requisition being some $65.00 lower than the 1965 requisition.

Moved that the requisition be accepted and paid. Cd.

The Sec.-Treas. advised the Council that he had received an appeal against the decision of Court of Revision on May 3rd which was after the deadline for appeals to be submitted, the last day being April 25th. He had therefore refused to accept this appeal, as he had already submittd the necessary information to the Alberta Assessment Appeal Board.

Moved the Sec.-Treas's. action be concurred in. Cd.

The Sec.-Treas. inquired if the caretakers at the 2 Municipal Parks, that had been employd last year, should be reemployed for the current season and it was moved that Mr. Lauber be employed as Caretaker at the Black Nugget Park and Pete Mollier at the Camp Lake Park at a $100.00 each for the season. Cd.

The Sec.-Treas. referred to the Council the matter of stubble buring and inquired if the Council wished to take some steps to control the stubble buring in the County and in this connection he referred to the Council a by-law, used in the County of Minburn No. 27. It was suggested that this matter could be discussed by the Agricultural Committee and the Advisory Agricultural Committee and it was moved that the matter be referred to these two bodies. Cd.

The Sec.-Treas. mentioned that the RCMP had inquired how strictly we wanted the fire permits enforced and after some discussion it was moved that we request the RCMP to enforce the fire permits according to regulations. Cd.

The Budget for 1966 as set up by the Sec.-Treas. was now referred to the Council and was examined item by item. It was noted that no provisions had been made for the cost of the Rural Road Study, neither had there been any provisions for a possible grant to the Town of Viking for a fire engine and it was suggested that possibly another mill should be added to take care of these items as well as providing a small cushion. It was then moved that the estimates, as dealt with at this time, be approved providing for expenditures in the amount of $1,260,149.00 with estimated revenue in a similar amount and that the necessary bylaw be placed before the Council. Cd.

Correspondence from the Provincial Planning Director concerning an application for approval of subdivision of N.W. 24-49-19-W4th. The application indicated that the north 80 acres were to be transferred from Lester Severson to Donald Clarence Litwin and Patricia Jean Litwin.

Moved and carried that the Council has no objections to the proposed transfer providing that the Council be not expected to provide any roads or other improvements in or to the transferred area.

It was moved and carried that Preliminary Agreements concerning S.E. 22-49-16-W4th and N.E. 15-49-16-W4th (3 agreements) be accepted.

On account of the Administration Courses in Banff being held in the week of June 5th, it was necessary to change the date of the Council meeting.

Moved and carried that the June Council meeting be held June 16th.

The secretary-treasurer referred to the Council a request from the Vilage of Ryley that Mr. Neil Reid be allowed leave of absence to attend Fire Officers Course, part 2, May 30th to June 3rd. The Village would reimburse the County for his salary during this time.

Moved and carried, providing Mr. Neil Reid can make satisfactory arrangements for being absent, the request be granted.

It was moved and carried that bridge authorization, re bridge file 8103-WNW 21-49-14-W4th, be accepted.

Moved and carried that correspondence from Alberta Power Commission with maps outlining the revised boundaries of the Ryley R.E.A. Limited and Hampton R.E.A. Limited be received and the revisions accepted.

Some considerable discussion took place at this time in regards to the amount of road work to be done and where the money should be allocated. It was decided to allocate $231,000 for road construction and gravelling

Moved and carried that the amount of $231,000 be allocated for road construction and gravel-

# Loken earns M.Ed. degree

G. Loken was awarded a Master's degree in Education Administration by the University of Alberta in convocation exercises at the Edmonton Jubilee Auditorium yesterday.

The University of Alberta offers a program in educational administration which attracts principals, superintendents and educational leaders from across Canada. Mr. Loken studied courses in educational research and statistics, curriculum development, administration of education in Canada, supervision of personnel, principles of educational administration, administration role of school heads, and educational finance. His thesis was entitled: "An Analysis of the Junior College in Alberta: Progress, Program and Prospect".

Mr. Loken received his B.A. from the University of Alberta in 1947. He has worked as a teacher-administrator for 30 years at Ryley, Tofield, Outlook and Camrose. He served as high school principal at the Lutheran Collegiate Institute at Outlook, Saskatchewan, for 18 years, and has been president of Camrose Lutheran College for almost five years. He will teach Educational Administration 461 at the University of Alberta 1966 summer session as a guest instructor. During the past four years, he has served as president of the Association of Private Schools and Colleges in Alberta.

# Trail Ride this Sunday

The Camrose and District Light Horse Association will be holding a trail ride this Sunday, June 5th. The ride starts at 2:00 o'clock from the Chuckwagon barns, travelling to Happy Valley. Everyone is welcome. Bring your own lunch.

Carbon monoxide poisoning is the favorite method of suicide in the U.S.

# Anglican women have conference at Tofield

The annual Wainwright Deanery Conference of the Women's Auxiliary of the Anglican Church was held at Holy Trinity Church, Tofield, on May 25th. Holy Communion was celebrated at 11:00 a.m., with the Venerable Archdeacon V. P. Cole of Wainwright the celebrant, assisted by Rev. T. Steele of Sedgewick and Rev. McDermott of Viking. The Rev. T. Elliott of Edgerton was the Preacher.

Executive members present from the Edmonton Diocesan Board were Mrs L. D. Moore, president; Mrs. B. L. Brown, prayer partner secretary; Mrs. J. R. Warner, life members secretary; Mrs. A. Ridley, living message secretary, and Mrs. J. F. Hodgins, Christian social service secretary. Delegates were also present from Rodino, Viking, Irma, Edgerton, Wainwright, Hughenden, Killam, Lougheed, Sedgewick and Tofield, numbering 74 in all.

After luncheon in the Community Hall, sessions opened at 2:00 p.m. The address of welcome was given by a member of the Afternoon W.A., and was replied to by a Sedgewick W.A. member. Branch reports were adopted, and addresses were given by the Deanery president, Mrs. P. E. Semotuik of Wainwright, and by the executive members present from Edmonton.

There was a large display of knitted and sewing articles, including layettes and quilts from the various W.A. groups; also articles for Social Service. Money was voted towards the Anglican World Mission, the Overseas Scholarship Fund and the Oakhill Boys' Ranch.

There was a fine display of Pakistan embroideries. The W.A. in Canada continues to support this work which Elsa Peter is doing for the women of Pakistan to help support the families and to provide clothing and school books for the children. There is a store in Lahore devoted to the sale of embroidery, and one has recently been opened in Knightsbridge, London; but they still depend a great deal on the sales made in Canada, which last year amounted to $32,000, Edmonton's share being $500.

The meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m., followed by a short Evensong and refreshments.

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# Around the town . . .

Sunday visitors at the Neil Phillip's home included Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Conquest, Mrs. Charlie Conquest, Mr. and Mrs. Don Young and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Andrews and family, Mrs. Bruce [illegible] and David.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chilcowich and Carolyn visited on Sunday with relatives at Wetaskiwin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Besse and family from Didsbury visited on the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. D. Besse.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams, Leroy, Barry and Raymond Ovchoen attended Ordination service for their nephew, Donald Rasmussen at Scandia Lutheran Church, Armena on Sunday afternoon, May 22nd. Donald has accepted a call to Simmie, Sask., where he will serve five Lutheran parishes.

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Word has been received that Dr. Lorne Kendall has arrived home in Vancouver, where he is on the staff of Simon Fraser University, and has suffered another heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jefferson arrived Tuesday of last week from Lethbridge and are visiting former friends here. They will continue on to Blueberry Mountain where Mr. Jefferson has farming interests.

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**BASEBALL ON SUNDAY**

The A & W Klondikes from Metro League from Edmonton will be here to take on the local team 's Sr Baseball at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday.

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# On the Provincial Scene

By JOHN WARREN

It was sort of an odds-and-ends week.

Lands and Forests department crews were getting prepared for some serious fires in most northern forested areas. After bringing an 18-hundred-acre blaze under control in the Peace River forest district, a crew of 30 men, four bulldozers and aerial support, pulled out—but not too far. The hazard in all but the mountain regions was rated high as the week ended.

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Then there was the first meeting of the legislative committee appointed at the last session to study school centralization.

There can be little question that it needs study. The problems (of inadequate education in some rural schools compared to that provided in large centralized high schools; of small or work school boards in some remote areas) are serious if not alarming.

Just what the committee will discover and recommend remains to be seen. But under chairman Romeo Lamothe (SC-Bonnyville) it will undoubtedly be kept hopping.

On the same general subject a judicial order in Spirit River emphasized just how severe the difficulties can become. Voters there had defeated (by 377 to 333) a money bylaw that would have permitted construction of a $1,335,000 centralized high school. That was on March 28. Last week Judge D M Gardiner voided the plebiscite after hearing that [illegible] people who cast ballots weren't entitled to.

Added the judge: "This matter appears to arise by reason of a very defective statute". The School Act, he said, "leaves the whole situation open to misunderstanding and error"

He said he was satisfied a proper vote had not been taken. It isn't known when another plebiscite may be held.

In Europe, folk legend credits the hedgehog with being a weather prophet.

# Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

On Mondy Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McLeod, Susan and Greg and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell spent a pleasant afternoon touring the Bowthorpe Bird Sanctuary

Kay Coombes and children accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olsen to the Alberta Game Farm on Sunday afternoon

Friday evening callers at the Harold Schultz home were Mr and Mrs Edwin Stinson, Mrs Alice Wa[illegible] and Mrs Edith Rogers of Tofield

Lilly and Harold Schultz were Tuesday morning coffee guests of Olive and Ivan Foshaug at Bardo

Last week the Ketchamoot UCW met at the chapel of the United Church in Tofield

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz and the boys motored to Edmonton on Sunday to be dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. Nick Hunka and family.

# Banquet honors two retiling teachers

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —On Thursday, May 19, Holden Community Hall was the scene of a "retirement banquet" in honor of Lars Olson, principal of Holden School, and Mrs Madeliene McCormick of Tofield School, who will be retiring from active teaching at the end of the school year, the end of June. The affair was arranged by the County of Beaver local A T A

A history of Mrs McCormick's teaching career was given by Carl Annis, while Mr Hemphill of Viking gave a history of Mr. Olson's teaching career and many other activities concerning teaching. H A Pike, Superintendent of School for County of Beaver, also spoke on behalf of the Department of Education.

Mr Seymour, speaking on behalf of the A.T.A., told of the long and dedicated service which Mr Olson has given the Association over the years, serving as president for two terms

J Roddick, councillor with the County of Beaver, spoke on behalf of the County, wishing both the honored guests well in the future Mrs Pearl Allan made a presentation from the local A.T.A., and Larry Benson made a presentation from the Holden-Bruce Sub-Local

A short and hilarious program of songs and skits was then presented by the staff of Holden School, which was greatly enjoyed by all.

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# Ministik news items

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Sunday School continues each Sunday with teachers this year being Mrs. A Ferguson, Mrs Pat Paterson, Mrs. Ralph Leach and Miss Ann Paterson Miss Barbara Lochtie is spare teacher

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Chester Leach arrived home from Tofield Hospital last Sunday and is much improved in health

Claude Leach arrived home from Royal Alex Hospital after a three week stay there.

Doris Davenport spent the Victoria Day weekend with her parents and sisters, the Joe Davenports.

Mrs. Gladys Roddick and daughter, Mrs. Doreen McLaughlin of Edmonton were visitors at the Bill Roddick home on Friday evening and called on Mrs. Helen Hennessy.

Archie Ferguson was a business shopper in Edmonton on Tuesday going there with his neighbor, Glenn on his way to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Baumgartner and family of Ottawa, arrived on Saturday evening to spend three weeks with the T. A. Jones family here and the Frank Baumgartners of South Cooking Lake.

Sunday visitors with the T. A. Jones family were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and boys and Mr. and Mrs. John Jones.

All plans are completed for the annual Strawberry Tea and bake sale on Saturday, June 4th, and the ladies are hoping for a nice day for the occasion.

MINISTIK WINS

Lindbrook ball club were hosts to the Ministik team on Sunday afternoon, Ministik coming on the top-end of the scoring This is their 3rd victory and they hope for more in the future

AT FUNERAL

Mr and Mrs. Bill Roddick, Mr and Mrs. Les Whitford and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick attended the funeral services of Mr. Fred Sherwood, a former resident of Killam, at South Cooking Lake United Church on Monday afternoon. Burial was in the local cemetery, a last wish of Mr. Sherwood's.

LADIES CLUB MEETS

The ladies club members travelled by car on Wednesday to Edmonton for their June meeting at the home of Mrs. Archie Dick. Her mother, Mrs. Irene Williams was co-hostess. Roll call was "My favorite spring flower".

The gentle rain showers of the last few days are welcomed by the farmers in their spring planting.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

On Wednesday night Emil and Martha Tiedemann entertained Martha's father, Emil Goubault at a birthday supper. Later in the evening other members of Mr. Goubault's family including his sons Victor and Armand and wife Gail Goubault, all of Lindbrook, and Emil and Martha's daughter Yvonne and Peter Brown and baby Daniel of Ketchamoot, were visitors and coffee guests there, helping him celebrate his birthday.

Weather has again changed from the 80's above to the low 40's in just over two days, with cloudy showery weather. In the district just north of us quite a severe hail storm struck on Sunday but with no damage done.

## Community league seeks to retire debt in '67

It will be remembered that, before Easter, The Mercury carried a guest editorial written by Tofield's mayor, Dr W. H Freebury, in which the suggestion was made that citizens who appreciated Tofield's fine Community Centre might wish to show their appreciation in a tangible manner. Since that time, Hans Christensen, treasurer of the Tofield Community League, announces $30 in cash donations has been made to the League.

Horace Seller announces that, to date, $900 has been returned to the League by holders of the League's notes for that amount. These donors were people who had loaned the League money to assist in building their new Community Centre and now, rather than collecting their money, are leaving it with the League to aid in its Centennial Drive to retire the debt on the Community Centre. Other holders of notes have indicated similar intentions.

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**Items for the museum**

The antiques above, are all part of the displays gracing the Camrose and District historical museum, now open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons in the old School Division office on 49th Street. Examining the old ox yoke are left to right: Dr. C. H. Smith, Arnold Hoveland, president, and Ellsworth Hills. Shown on the floor in front are an early Singer Sewing machine, and a well-worn butter churn, donated by Jim Bruce of Rosalind.
Camrose Canadian Newsphoto

## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mr. and Mrs. Chevreaux of Killam were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Vi and Elmer Geoglein. Mrs. Chevreaux was the former Marion Foreman of Tofield.

POISONOUS BUFFALO BEAN

Howard and Mae Ferguson became quite alarmed on Friday evening when their eight year old son, Nelson came home from school quite ill after he and some other little boys had eaten some Buffalo Bean flowers They rushed him to the doctor in time to get relief. It is hoped this will be a warning to others to teach their children that the Buffalo Bean flower although being sweet tasting is quite poisonous.

Mrs Ethel Wood was an Edmonton visitor on Friday

Miss Barbara Baines of Edmonton was a Saturday overnight and Sunday visitor at the home of her aunt, Ethel Wood and son Donald.

EASTERN HOLIDAY

Ollie and Verlyn Moos left on Tuesday morning by plane for Ontario where they intend to pick up a new car, to go on a trip to visit relatives and friends at points in Ontario and then into the United States before returning home.

On Sunday afternoon Mrs. Mary Wood and her daughter Kathleen Wood of Calgary, also her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Johnny (Gloria) Wood motored to Ministik where they were afternoon visitors and tea guests at the home of Mrs. Alma Holmes and her son and family, Jim and Deisey Holmes and children.

Monday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Johnny and Gloria Wood were Johnny's father, John Wood and Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald and daughter Marg and Lorne Berrecloth and baby David.

On Monday morning Miss Kathleen Wood and her mother, Mrs. Mary Wood motored to Viking where they picked up Mary's oldest daughter Lorene and Jims Francis. They all motored to Glendon to visit Mary's nephew and cousin of the others, Jim and Donna MacDonald in their new home there. They returned to Viking after leaving Lorene and Jim at their home, and spent Monday night there. They were Tuesday morning visitors and coffee guests at the home of A. E. Francis Sr. and his daughter Ann, before returning home Tuesday afternoon.

SUNDAY OUTING

On Sunday a group consisting of Emil and Martha Tiedemann, their two daughters, Yvonne and Peter Brown and baby Daniel, and Lucille Tiedemann all of Ketchamoot, and Sandy and Irene Scott and daughter, Betty Ann chamoot; and Sandy and Irene of Lindbrook went on a motor trip having a picnic dinner at Elk Island Park. Later in the afternoon they motored to Mundare where they visited the Grotto and from there they took the road from Mundare to Ryley on the East side of Beaver Lake, then back by Hwy. 14. They stopped at the campsite at Shonts for a picnic supper and from there all returned to their respective homes. All report a very enjoyable sight seeing tour.

## High school high lights

(Elaine Walker)

The United Nations Association Science Seminar will be held at the University of Alberta this summer. The seminar will be attended by Lois Riediger, who will be sponsored by the County of Beaver.

The baseball tournament for the County of Beaver was held in Holden on Saturday, May 28. the two teams who brought home trophies to the Tofield school. Congratulations are extended to The two teams being the Grade nine girls and the High school girls softball teams. Also, not to be forgotten, are all other Tofield teams, which are commended on their fine sportsmanship.

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SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, June 4:
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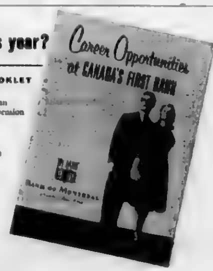


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### FUTURE DATES

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Open House will be held at the home of Mr and Mrs Charles Kelly, Sunday afternoon, June 12, the occasion being their 50th Wedding Anniversary 40c-2737

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—Mr. and Mrs. John Nordstrom. [illegible]2736

We, the family of the late Thomas Henry Taylor of Tofield, Alberta, would like to thank with all our hearts, each and every one of you for the sincere messages of sympathy, the floral tributes and the donations received as the result of the loss of our dear husband and father.
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## Church Notes

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**[illegible]**
**Sunday, June 5th**
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship. Topic: "The Promise We Make"

Next Sunday, June 12th, Prof. Lindsay Vogan of St. Stephen's College, will be the minister of the day.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
**Summer Schedule**
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ............ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ............ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ............ 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ............ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 11:00 noon.

**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**Rev Art Dahlen, Pastor**
**[illegible]**
**Sunday, June 5th**
10:15 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN**
**CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
**Sunday, June 5th**
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11.00 a.m.—Worship and Communion Service

Wednesday, June 8th, 8:00 p.m. —Rev. Wheelock from Canadian Bible Society to report of work. "Defend the Bible! I would as soon defend a lion. Let it out—it can defend itself"
Everybody welcome.

**[illegible] CHURCH**
**Ryley, Alberta**
**Pastor Stanley Rude**
**Sunday, June 5th**
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Pastor Don McLean**
**Sunday, June 5th**
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 8:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

11:00 a.m.—1st Sunday July and August—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—All other Sunday—[illegible]
11:00 a.m.—Sunday Schools during June, but none during July and August.
Other services and meetings to be announced.

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***District reps at Red Cross***

Several representatives from country points in this region were among the provincial executive members photographed at the recent annual meeting of the Canadian Red Cross Society in Calgary. The front row shows Mrs. R. Byers, Camrose, fifth from left; Mrs. W. Ross of Millet, second from right; second row shows Mrs. W. Rasmussen, Wetaskiwin, fifth from left; Mrs. T. H. Howse, Millet, fifth from right; B. V. Nixon, Camrose, fourth from right; third row: C. F. Campbell, Daysland, second from right.

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## Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The FWA June meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Howard (Doris) Brown on Thursday afternoon, June 9th at 2:30 p.m. Visitors are also welcome.

Mrs. Ellenor Jones was hostess to several ladies at a Tupperware demonstration and tea on Friday evening. Following a few contests the demonstrator showed the different uses of the Tupperware. The hostess, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Jacobsen served a very delicious luncheon. All spent a very delightful evening visiting and getting together with friends and neighbors.

Gail Niemetz of Edmonton arrived Friday evening and spent the weekend with her parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz. On Sunday evening they took Gail home to the city, where they were coffee guests before returning home.

George Niemetz and daughter Gail were Saturday evening callers and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Tettoment of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and evening luncheon guests at the home of Marjorie and Morley Jacobsen.

Jack Johnston was a Saturday evening visitor and supper guest at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg of Tofield.

Janet Wickenberg of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg in Tofield. On Sunday their other daughter Mrs. Vivian Jones of Edmonton motored here with her son Donald and were dinner and supper guests there. She returned home to Edmonton with her sister Janet Sunday evening while Donald remained with his grandparents to return to school.

Johnny and Lillian Warwa and baby were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of George and Ida Niemetz.

Miss Kathleen Wood of Calgary arrived Saturday to spend a week of holidays with her parents, John and Mary Wood.

## NO SWIMMING LESSONS!

**The United Church Women of South Cooking Lake are unable to sponsor swimming lessons at the lake this year.**

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Dowhaniuk and children of Vermilion, former Holden residents when Mr. Dowhaniuk operated the Holden Drug Store, were visitors and supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bilyk on Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moen and family of Wainwright were visiting with friends during the holiday weekend. Bob was formerly with the Calgary Power Ltd. in Holden.

**Work started last Thursday on the new addition to the Holden Legion Hall. Milton Malick has the contract.**

Melvin Hooper, with his mother, Mrs. Joe Hooper, and sister, Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus, were visitors during the weekend with Mr. Hooper in the Good Samaritan Home, Edmonton. Mrs. Hooper and Melvin returned home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Elna Parsons, also a guest in the Nursing Home, drove to Holden on the Sunday evening to visit with her brother, Chris Christenson, for two days, returning to Edmonton the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Harris and family, of Edmonton, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad and son during the holiday weekend. Mrs. Harris is planning to visit her family in Holland later in the summer.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann and sons David and Robert, and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen were visitors during the weekend in Edmonton. Mrs. Sorensen and Mrs. Tiedemann visited with Joe Hooper in the Good Samaritan Nursing Home on the Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Cubush of Chilliwack, B.C., and her daughter Mrs. Van Valkenberg and daughter Karen, of Edmonton, were visitors and dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Reinhold Lutz last week. Mrs. Cubush and her family are long-time friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lutz. Also visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lutz last week were Mr. and Mrs. George Merta and their daughter Ruth of Viking.

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Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad on Sunday of last week were Mr. and Mrs. Arne Nelson of Edmonton. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson are planning a three weeks' trip to Norway in July, going by [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shehinski of Edmonton were visitors and supper guests on Sunday, May 22 at the home of Chris Hovland, and sons Reuben and Ray. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Komarnisky were also Sunday evening visitors at the Hovland home.

Rev. William Beckstead, of Edmonton, was a business caller in Holden and district a week ago Wednesday.

Geo. H. Taylor was a business caller in Viking last Friday.

Henry Tiedemann motored to Edmonton Friday morning to pick up their eldest son Alan, who was there on a visit from Fort McMurray.

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## Ball tourney held at Holden

(Joy Warkentin)

On Wednesday, May 25, the Tofield Junior High and Grade six classes went to Holden for the first games in the tournament. A boys' and girls' team for each grade had been previously chosen to play. Tofield teams who won were Grade six girls, grade six boys, Grade seven boys, Grade eight girls, and Grade nine girls.

On Saturday, May 28, the winners of the Wednesday game, went to Holden for the final games. The Grade six boys and girls lost, and the Grade seven boys and Grade eight girls also lost. Only the Grade nine girls won a championship. The games were well played and team spirit was evident.

## Grade 5's . . .

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seemed that May 12 would never come. Finally, when the day arrived it turned out to be an ideal day for the trip. The buses left promptly at 8:35 with two bus loads of excited and eager children.

On the way to Edmonton we observed many different things such as occupations of the people, and formations, difference in soil, and industries. When we arrived at Edmonton we were quite surprised at all the means of transportations on the network of highways. The modern houses and buildings made a great impression on us.

Leaving Edmonton, we proceeded to St. Albert, where we visited the St. Albert museum and saw Father Lacombe's tomb and monument. After this we visited Molson's Edmonton House, which is a replica of the original fort built by the Hudson's Bay Company. We were fascinated with the lovely pictures, the furs, trade goods, and the display of guns and ammunition. Our next stop was at McDougall Church, and the George McDougall Shrine and Museum. Here the sturdy little pioneer church stands beside the large modern one. John Walter's House, in the old residential section of Edmonton, was the last place we visited. What struck us most was the replica of the York boat and many other pioneer relics.

Then we started home, and most people would imagine our wonderful trip had come to an end. But it had not. We are still enjoying it by writing reports, doing illustrations and filling in our booklets.

All of us agree that this trip was most enjoyable and worthwhile. Not only have we gained knowledge, but also broadened our ideas. In our opinion, gaining knowledge first hand by actual observation is the best.

The Grade Five Classes are very grateful to our superintendent of Beaver County, our principal, and teachers for giving us this great opportunity.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Agnes and Henry McGinitie visited on Sunday with their daughter, Alice and son-in-law, Eric Munkedahl and grandchildren north of Ryley.

Raymond McGinitie spent the weekend at home with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McLeod Susan and Gregg, and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell motored to Dodds and toured the Bowthorpe Bird Sanctuary east of Round Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee of Edmonton are spending a week at the farm, and are visiting with friends and relatives in the district.

Benjamin Franklin defined man as a "tool making animal".

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Top steers

Happy Pee Wees in Tofield 4-H Club handle heavy steers. On the left, Grace Heiberg, 10, holds her grand champion in the younger section of the club. The Hereford steer weighed 900 lbs. Eddie Kallal, 11, proudly displays his reserve champion.

# School superintendent H. A. Pike transferred

Word has recently been received in Tofield that H. A. Pike, Superintendent of Schools in the County of Beaver, has been transferred to Medicine Hat School Division, No. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Pike and their sons, Kevin, now a pre-law student at the U. of A., and Dean, a Grade VIII student, have resided in this area since 1954. Until 1959, they lived in Holden, but in that year they built a home in Tofield and have lived here during the past seven years.

Mr. and Mrs. Pike came to Alberta from Saskatchewan. Mr. Pike obtained his early education in Swift Current, Sask., and his B.Ed. degree from the University of Alberta.

After teaching in Calgary city schools, Mr. Pike was appointed Superintendent of Schools in the Edson School Division. In 1954 he was transferred to the then Holden School Division, now the County of Beaver, No. 9.

Mr. Pike has great organizational ability. He leaves the County of Beaver with the gratifying knowledge that his ability has achieved satisfactory results. He has worked with the School Committee, the administrative staffs and the teachers in the schools and says that, due to the co-operation of all involved in the County's educational system, the County of Beaver is one of the most progressive areas in Alberta.

He is happy to state that due to the foresight of the County of Beaver, the students in its schools have been able to participate in the new mathematics' program, the continuous progress plan whereby students are grouped with others of like ability, and excellent physical education programs under qualified instructors. New biology and chemical laboratories have been constructed so that students may keep abreast of the new scientific knowledge; instruction in band music has been given in some centres; the new libraries in the County of Beaver are second to none in the Province. He feels that, in regard to education, this is an area of which its residents may well be proud.

BUSY IN COMMUNITY

As well as his professional activities, Mr. Pike has found time for community activities, and here Mrs. Pike has also been greatly involved. Both are members of the United Church of Canada, and Mrs. Pike is a member of the U.C.W. Both have worked hard for the Tofield Community League; Mr. Pike has been an officer and member, Mrs. Pike has given freely of her artistic talent to help the League.

Mr. Pike has been instrumental in bringing the zone Drama Festivals to Tofield on several occasions. Both are members of the golf club; Mrs. Pike of the bridge club. Both are members of fraternal organizations; Mr. Pike an officer of Palestine Lodge A.F. & A.M. No. 46, and Mrs. Pike holds an office in Ionic Chapter No. 72 O.E.S. Mr. Pike

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## THE WEATHER . . .

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(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

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# Comm. League studies Dominion Day celebration

With president Lionel Borton in the chair, the Tofield Community League met Tuesday, June 7, in the Community Centre. Since this was the last meeting before the League's Dominion Day celebration, attention of the members was directed toward plans for that occasion.

The new features this year which have already been announced are the two-day, eight-team baseball tournament, and the Dominion Day Queen and Princess contest.

In addition, another new attraction has been added. Vince Bates, an expert, experienced sheep-shearer, will give a demonstration of his skill and speed in front of the bleachers just before the first "go-round" of the horse show. This will be Vince's busy day, since he is also in charge of cooking the meat for another of his famous barbecues.

To go with the delicious barbecued meat, a fine meal is being planned, which will consist of potatoes, gravy, cucumbers, tomatoes, rolls, and coffee. After an enjoyable day, this meal will taste especially good since it is eaten out-doors in the company of friends. It will be served at 4:30 to accommodate the crowd.

LEHMAN ON MIKE

Doug Lehman will again be announcing the ball games. Mr. Lehman has contributed his services for several Dominion Day celebrations, and the League is pleased that his fine announcing will be part of their celebration this year.

Baseball is extremely popular in this area, as indeed it has been ever since the first settlers introduced it. As well as the featured two-day tournament of senior baseball, such interest is being shown in the Pony League and the Little League baseball that a new diamond is to be provided for the younger players.

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The parade this year will form up at the C.N. depot, proceed north to Dr. Freebury's clinic, turn east till it reaches the north gate of the exhibition grounds, proceed south from that point to the Conrad Patterson home, turn west and line up along the street between Patterson's and the United Church. Here, prizes will be awarded, after the Queen and Princess are crowned. This route and judging area provides plenty of room for spectators to view the floats. It will also relieve the traffic congestion in the grounds.

The list of classes in the Parade will be published next week.

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(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

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Last Sunday, members of the session conducted service in the United Church in the absence of Rev. Ruxton. Mrs. Campbell delivered the address and Mrs. Lary Benson sang a beautiful solo. Mr. Don Allan also took part, and Mrs. J. Lindberg assisted.

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Three farmers from the Camrose area appeared in Camrose Magistrate's court last week to face charges of burning stubble without first obtaining a permit to do so. Each was fined $50 and [illegible]

This marks the first time in the province a charge has been laid under the Soil Conservation Act.

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(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

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Mrs. Pearl Allan spoke about the convention. It has been decided to hold it March 2 and 3. There is to be a centennial train in Edmonton at that time, and the teachers will have the opportunity to tour it.

The teachers annual June get-together will be held June 16.

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We are really interesting in the work of God and we like to hear the news on the radio and read it in all the papers. Please will you put it in the above papers whenever is news about this big crusade in London England.

Thank you very much.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Tachema and family; Mr. Jac Heastad, teacher.



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year. These developments are the cause of his concern:

**St. Lawrence Seaway** — A federal conciliation board report has proposed a 7% wage increase for 1,300 employees of the St. Lawrence Seaway Authority with an additional 7% in a year under a two-year contract. But it fell short of the demands of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway, Transport and General Workers (CLC). The issuance of the report meant that the union can legally go out on strike seven days later (on June 1). Such a strike would block the seaway and add to Canada's shipping woes.

**Air Canada**—Representing 1,800 ground personnel employees, The Canadian Air Lines Employees association voted last month (May) to reject the unanimous recommendations of a conciliation board for a new wage agreement. The decision to go on strike was deferred until the Labour Minister received the board's report. Federal labour law stipulates a union may not take a strike vote or call a strike until seven days after the Minister has issued the board's report. Such a strike would ground Air Canada's aircraft and throw an added load onto the railways.

**Railways** — The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen (CLC) representing 20,000 conductors, brakemen, yardmasters, yard foremen and helpers on Canadian railways, filed their second application at the end of May, for the establishment of a conciliation board. This move followed the breakdown of negotiations with the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Wage talks between the BRT, the largest of the running trades unions, and Canadian National Railways, broke off about a month ago. At that time the BRT applied for establishment of a conciliation board and appointed Douglas Fisher as union nominee

**Lumber Industry**—On the west coast, British Columbia saw the latest results of a mail-in vote of the International Woodworkers of America members register about 96 per cent in favour of strike action to back up their demands. There are 28,000 IWA members [illegible] it could hamstring the economy of that Province.

It is no wonder that [illegible] Minister Nicholson, as he spoke to the Commons, indicated in blunt terms that he was giving consideration to radical changes in the machinery for the settlement of labour disputes. He suggested that one [illegible] might lie in the creation of "arbitration and labour courts". They have been set up in Australia and other countries.

The Minister also proposed that compulsory arbitration might be the solution in these labour management disputes in which the public interest was paramount and in which "the national interest is at stake". He stressed, however, that in making that suggestion he was voicing his own view and not necessarily speaking for the Cabinet.

Mr. Nicholson said he could cite many instances where the public interest must be given precedence. The Minister declared it was just as important to have compulsory arbitration available in essential service fields as it is in the revised civil service legislation. However, he hinted that the Cabinet was divided on this question

Such measures had received "very serious consideration" by the Department over a period of years. As a member of the Cabinet, he said, he knew something of the difficulties encountered in trying to work out an acceptable formula. He stressed that in ordinary circumstances the principle of collecting bargaining should prevail and he would be reluctant to see processes disturbed by compulsory arbitration.

Clearly the Government is heading into serious difficulties as labour unrest spreads across the country. Nation-wide strikes could cripple the economy and, added to the anti-inflationary moves already taken in the budget, they could quickly turn the present boom into a bust.


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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Bobbie Carlson of Red Deer, with his mother, Mrs. Melvin Carlson, and young brother, left by car a couple of weeks ago to visit with Mrs. Carlson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lamb, and other relatives at Penticton, B.C. Mrs. Carlson's mother has not been feeling well recently.

Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Bert Carr and Mrs. Gilbert Morris of England were Saturday afternoon coffee guests with Mrs. Lars Ritland. Members of the O.O.R.P. Lodge held their annual Royal Purple Day on Wednesday, June 1, taking lunch and visiting with some of the "shut-ins" in Holden, these being older residents. They also held the Lodge Decoration Day, taking flowers to the graves of departed members.

**ANNIVERSARY PARTY**

The U.C.W. held a Birthday Anniversary Party Tuesday evening, May 31, in the church parlors, with approximately fifty ladies in attendance. Mrs. J. Lindberg showed some very interesting films on Africa, and a sing-song was enjoyed, also several contests played. Mrs. Campbell gave the Benediction, and a delicious lunch was served at the conclusion of the meeting by ladies of the U.C.W.

Mr. and Mrs. William Scherger have purchased the Cliff Foran residence and will be moving into it when Mr. and Mrs. Foran move out at the end of the week. Mr and Mrs Foran are planning on moving into the basement suite of the former Dr. Cato house, now a County of Beaver teacherage, for the next few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Scherger have sold their residence to a Mr. and Mrs. Hrabec.

# Bardo news

Mrs. C. M. Rude

Missionary Per Finseth will show slides and speak about his work on the mission field in Japan on Saturday evening, June 11, at 8 o'clock. This will be followed by a brief congregational meeting. Mr. Finseth will also be the speaker at the morning worship services on Sunday at 10.15, and this will be followed by Sunday School at 11.15 and a pot luck supper for all who would like to remain and meet and visit the Finseths.

The Sunday School picnic this year will be in the form of a wiener roast at the Centre on Sunday evening, June 19, at 6 o'clock.

**LCW MEET**

The LCW met at the home of Mrs. Alice Stokkan Wednesday evening. Roll call was answered with a "Tribute to father". Mrs. Bernice Helberg and Mrs. Mary Finseth then gave fine reports from the district LCW convention they attended in Camrose. The project for next month is children's pyjamas for Lutheran World Relief. Many articles for CLC project were brought

Mrs. Geo. Francis and Sharon of Tofield, and the Glenn Francis family were dinner guests at the Charles Rude home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cinnamon left on a holiday trip to Penticton, B.C., on Tuesday.

**BAPTISM**

Pastor Dahlen officiated at the baptism of Robbie Dale, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sitler, on Sunday morning. The sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sitler who also rendered a duet for the special occasion. After services, the grandmothers, Mrs. Carr of Camrose and Mrs. Sitler entertained at dinner at the Elmer Sitler home when guests were the Pastor Dahlen family, the great-grandmother Mrs. Marie Simonson and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Madison of Camrose, Mrs. Ed Look and children and Mr. & Mrs. Glenn Sitler and family of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sitler and Robbie.


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We are really interesting in the work of God and we like to hear the news on the radio and read it in all the papers. Please will you put it in the above papers whenever a new phase of this big crusade in London England.

Thank you very much.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Tachema
and family; Mr. Jac Reusland, teacher.



# MacDuff Ottawa report

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year. These developments are the cause of his concern:

**St. Lawrence Seaway** — A federal conciliation board report has proposed a 7% wage increase for 1,300 employees of the St. Lawrence Seaway Authority with an additional 7% in a year under a two-year contract. But it fell short of the demands of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway, Transport and General Workers (CLC). The issuance of the report found that the union can legally go out on strike seven days later on June 11. Such a strike would block the seaway and add to Canada's shipping woes.

**Air Canada**—Representing 1,500 ground personnel employees, The Canadian Air Lines Employees association voted last month (May) to reject the conciliation recommendations of a conciliation board for a new wage agreement. The decision to go on strike was deferred until the Labour Minister received the board's report. Federal labour law stipulates a union may not take a strike vote or call a strike until seven days after the Minister has tested the board's report. Such a strike would ground Air Canada's aircraft and throw an added load onto the railways.

**Railways** — The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen (CLC) representing 20,000 conductors, brakemen, yardmasters, yard foremen and helpers on Canadian railways, filed their second application at the end of May, for the establishment of a conciliation board. This move followed the breakdown of negotiations with the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Wage talks between the BRT, the largest of the running trades unions, and Canadian National Railways, broke off about a month ago. At that time the BRT applied for establishment of a conciliation board and appointed Douglas Fisher as union nominee.

**Lumber industry**—On the west coast, British Columbia saw the latest results of a mail-in vote of the International Woodworkers of America members register about 96 per cent in favour of strike action to back up their demands. There are 38,000 IWA members involved and it could hamstring the economy of that Province.

It is no wonder that Labour Minister Nicholson, as he spoke to the Commons, indicated in blunt terms that he was giving consideration to radical changes in the machinery for the settlement of labour disputes. He suggested that one solution might lie in the creation of "arbitration and labour courts". They have been set up in Australia and other countries.

The Minister also proposed that compulsory arbitration might be the solution in those labour management disputes in which the public interest was paramount and in which "the national interest is at stake". He stressed, however, that in making that suggestion he was voicing his own view and not necessarily speaking for the Cabinet.

Mr. Nicholson said he could cite many instances where the public interest must be given precedence. The Minister declared it was just as important that we have compulsory arbitration available in essential services fields as it is in the revised civil service legislation. However, he hinted that the Cabinet was divided on this question.

Such measures had received "very serious consideration" by the Department over a period of years. As a member of the Cabinet he said, he knew something of the difficulties encountered in trying to work out an acceptable formula. He stressed that in ordinary circumstances the principle of collecting bargaining prevail and he would be reluctant to see processes disturbed by compulsory arbitration.

Clearly the Government is heading into serious difficulties as labour unrest spreads across the country. Nation-wide strikes could cripple the economy and, added to the anti-inflationary moves already taken in the budget, they could quickly turn the present boom into a bust.


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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Bobbie Carlson of Red Deer, with his mother, Mrs. Melvin Carlson, and young brother, left by car a couple of weeks ago to visit with Mrs. Carlson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lamb, and other relatives at Pentiction, B.C. Mrs. Carlson's mother has not been feeling well recently.

Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Bert Carr and Mrs. Gilbert Morris of England were Saturday afternoon coffee guests with Mrs. Lars Riklund. Members of the O.O.B.P. Lodge held their annual Royal Purple Day on Wednesday, June 1, taking lunch and visiting with some of the "shut-ins" in Holden, those being older residents. They also held the Lodge Decoration Day, taking flowers to the graves of departed members

**ANNIVERSARY PARTY**

The U.C.W. held a Birthday Anniversary Party Tuesday evening, May 31, in the church parlors, with approximately fifty ladies in attendance. Mrs. J. Lindberg showed some very interesting films on Africa, and a sing-song was enjoyed, also several contests played. Mrs. Campbell gave the Benediction, and a delicious lunch was served at the conclusion of the meeting by ladies of the U.C.W.

# Bardo news

Mrs. C. M. Rude

Missionary Per Fineth will show slides and speak about his work on the mission field in Japan on Saturday evening, June 11, at 8 o'clock. This will be followed by a brief organizational meeting. Mr. Fineth will also be the speaker at the morning worship services on Sunday at 10:15, and this will be followed by Sunday School at 11:15 and a pot luck supper for all who would like to remain and meet and visit the Finneths.

The Sunday School picnic this year will be in the form of a dinner meal at the Centre on Sunday evening, June 19, at 6 o'clock.

**LCW MEET**

The LCW met at the home of Mrs. Alice Stoakan Wednesday evening. Roll call was answered with a "Tribute to father". Mrs. Bonnie Hellwig and Mrs. Mary Fineth then gave the reports from the district LCW convention they attended in Camrose. The project for next month is children's pyjamas for Lutheran World Relief. Many articles for CLC project were brought.

Mrs. Geo. Francis and Sharon of Tofield, and the Glenn Francis family, were dinner guests at the Charles Rude home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cinnamon left on a holiday trip to Penticton, B.C., on Tuesday.

**BAPTISMS**

Pastor Dahlen officiated at the baptism of Robbie Dale, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sitler, on Sunday morning. The sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sitler who also rendered a duet for the special occasion. After services, the grandmothers, Mrs. Carr of Camrose and Mrs. Sitler entertained at dinner at the Elmer Sitler home when guests were the Pastor Dahlen family, the great-grandmother Mrs. Marie Simonson and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Madison of Camrose, Mrs. Ed Lenk and children and Mr. & Mrs. Glenn Sitler and family of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sitler and Robbie.

Mr. and Mrs. William Scherger have purchased the Cliff Foran residence and will be moving into it when Mr. and Mrs. Foran move out at the end of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Foran are planning on moving into the basement suite of the former Dr. Cato home, now a County of Beaver townhouse, for the next few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Scherger have sold their residence to a Mr. and Mrs. Brubac.


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R. B. Lamothe (Chairman)
A. Aloisio
M. Senych
K. P. Benoit
M. Martegano

has been appointed for the purpose of enquiring into and receiving representations and recommendations as to:

1. **The interest and concern of the public with respect to the centralization of schools,**
2. **The educational opportunities presently being offered in elementary and secondary schools, and**
3. **The problem of centralization and consolidation in the rural areas and smaller cities with particular reference to vocational high schools.**

The Committee invites the submission of Briefs by all interested parties, particularly local level branches of the Alberta Teachers Association, Alberta School Trustees Association, Home and School Association, Farmers Union of Alberta, Farm Women's Union of Alberta, Chambers of Commerce, school and municipal authorities, religious organizations and all other interested individuals or associations.

Seven copies of each Brief should be forwarded to the Committee not later than July 15th, 1966, after which time public meetings will be held in various centres of the Province to hear representations in support of the Briefs submitted.

Address Briefs and correspondance to:

**The Secretary,**
**Legislative Committee on School Centralization,**
**313 Legislative Buildings,**
**Edmonton, Alberta.**

R. B. Lamothe, Chairman
Legislative Committee on School Centralization.

(28-29-30)

The Ryley Times



# Native son graduates from Colorado College

Mr. and Mrs. Rea Otto of Tofield returned last Thursday via Air Canada from a trip to Colorado Springs, Colorado, U.S.A., where they attended the graduation of their son, Robert Allen, on May 30th. Robert had finished his fourth year at Colorado Springs College, and received a Bachelor of Arts degree in business administration. The 85th annual commencement address was given by Wm. Jovanovich, president of Harcourt, Brace and World, publishers of New York City, to the 330 candidates for degrees from 37 states and three foreign countries.

**$10,000 SCHOLARSHIP**

In 1962 Robert was awarded a $10,000. scholarship by the El Pomar Foundation of America, granted to scholars throughout North America and other countries for their academic abilities and outstanding sports achievements, to attend Colorado College, being the only one chosen from Canada that year.

Born at Viking, Bob attended school there and later at Edmonton, Scona, Eastglen Comp. High and Alberta College.

At the early age of three years, Bob took the skates and spent most of his spare time at the small town rink, later arena, and never missed being a member of any hockey team that was in action. While in Edmonton he was an active member and assistant coach of the "Universal Concrete" team, Northern Alberta Champions of 1959-60. The following two seasons he signed up with the "Bombers" at Flin Flon, Manitoba, and from there to Colorado Springs, where he was assistant coach and outstanding member of the "Tigers". Games were played in the World Famous Broadmoor arena. Each year a trip was taken through the northeastern States as far as New York and Providence, R.I., where they played the major Universities and colleges. Last year Bob coached the Freshmen College team, bringing them through to second place in the league. Besides being active in hockey, Bob refereed college football and hockey and was an executive member of the Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity.

Robert's charming wife, Ann was also a graduate from the same college in 1964, with a B.A. in Education and a Political Science degree. She is employed by the U.S. Government in the Public Rlations department.

This week, Bob and Ann will travel to Los Angeles, California, where Bob has accepted a position with a large American industrial corporation for whom he had worked for the past two summers. In the fall he will continue his studies towards a Masters degree.

Ann's parents, Mr. and Mrs David Herlihy of La Habra, California, also attended the graduation, and spent a few days with the Otto's visiting and sight-seeing around the area. Some of the highlights was a trip up the famous Pike's Peak auto highway to the 14,110-foot Summit House and the beautiful views of the surrounding peaks in the Rockies. A visit to the "Garden of the Gods", an inspiring, immense formation of colorful rocks. A tour of Cripple Creek, and Victor, America's greatest and most famous old mining area, now mostly ghost towns. A grand view of the Sangre de Christo range of mountains and the Great Divide. Through the scenic Phantom Canon to Canon City, over the rainbow trail to the top of the "Royal Gorge" and the world's highest suspension bridge 1,053 feet above the bottom of the gorge. Returned to Colorado Springs over the Skyline Drive and visited the Cheyenne Mountain Zoo, Will Rogers

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# Tofield 4-H club commended for calf show and courtesy

It would have taken more than the rather cold, dull day on Monday to dampen the enthusiasm of Tofield 4-H beef club members showing their calves at the fairgrounds there. They were well supported by spectators. There was an increase in the number of exhibits over last year and prices were higher at the sale following, but perhaps not notably so in view of present market trends.

Les Usher, supervisor of 4-H clubs from Edmonton was judge of showmanship, assisted by Dale Craig from the 4-H junior branch who selected the winners for grooming.

Bill Yule from Barrhead judged the calves, Earl Rose of the club's adult committee acted as ringmaster and John Moore, club leader as announcer.

He introduced the new District Agriculturist, Frank Kehoe, formerly of Camrose.

**4-H CALVES**

After placing the 32 calves before him, Mr. Yule said there was little to choose between the top six or seven. He had selected as first and grand champion the Angus steer because of its good, deep even fleshing and overall balance. This calf was brought out and shown by Colleen Wyllie 16, who has been in the 4-H club for six years.

Regarding the second-place calf and reserve champion, the judge praised its thickness but said its fleshing was not quite that of the champion. This Hereford steer was brought out and shown by Ross Cossey, 13 who has been in the 4-H movement for three years and in his first year he showed the reserve champion in the Pee Wee group. The next four in order of placings were Lyle Heiberg, Harvy Stadnick, Robert Jensen and Doug Finseth. Farther down the line, the judge said most of the calves needed more finish. He congratulated the exhibitors on the show and, in particular, their courteous behaviour.

**SHOWMANSHIP**

After judging Mr. Usher remarked that showmanship was like salesmanship. The product and the salesman or showman had to be well groomed, the product well displayed and the showman able to talk about it. He picked out five for good showmanship in the following order: Laurie Weatherill, Grant Cossey, Lyle Heiberg, Robert Holowaychuk and Colleen Wyllie.

The award for grooming went to Grant Cossey.

**PEE WEES**

Mr. Yule judged 15 calves in the Pee Wee class and remarked that he felt sure the future of the club was secure with such exhibitors.

Grace Heiberg won the championship with a well-fleshed and balanced Hereford calf and Eddie Kallal was reserve with a calf of much the same type, if not as heavily fleshed. Next four in line with their calves were Linda Rude, Craig Snyder, Rennie Kallal and Ray Cossey.

The best showman was Craig Snyder followed by Ray Cossey, Ferlin Schaker and Betty Jones.

**SALE**

The champion made top price at the sale and went to Laurie Byers of Camrose for 31 cents per pound. Its selling weight was 872 lbs. Next highest price, 26 and a quarter cent was paid by Canada Packers for the champion Pee Wee calf at the weight of 864 lbs. Reserve 4-H calf made 27 cents to Swift Canadian, for 941 lbs. Byers, Burns Foods, Canada Packers, Swift Canadian, Gainers, Swansons, Everetts Meat Market and Kallal all figured in the remainder of the sale. A total of 53 calves was sold, including six stallmates and the average would be over 25 cents per lb. Maury Jacobs was the auctioneer.


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## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Ken and Martha Ovelson of Edmonton were visitors with Roy and Dorothy Whillans on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jazen motored to Rostnern, Sask., last week to attend the graduation of their daughter Louise.

Elise and Lorne Lee were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lawson.

Visitors at the Harold Schultz home on Sunday were Carol and Kay Hearn and Betsy Ann of Edmonton and Marion Hardy, Karen Davidson and Vivian Hart.

Evening callers were Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunter of Tofield and Mr. and Mrs. M. Erickson of Bardo.

Friday evening Nola and Eddie Ferguson and two children were coffee guests of Isabel and Harold Sutton.

Some frost damage was reported on Tuesday and Wednesday night in several parts of the district.


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**Relic of [illegible] Edmonton Trail**

"It must be at least fifty years old, and nobody around New Norway remembers ever seeing one," commented Geo. Ross of Duhamel Monday, as he brought in a wrench found in one of the fields this spring. "That quarter used to belong to R. W. Campbell, and an old trail ran across it up to 1914, one of the Winnipeg to Edmonton trails. The wrench was only eight to ten rods west of the old trail." The ingenious design of the wrench impresses everyone who views it, as the more pressure exerted on the nut, the more tightly the wrench is set in the same position by means of the wedge and sleeve. Imprinted on the handle and still legible, is the manufacturer's name, Roger Printz and Co., Warren, Pa. Mr. Ross [illegible] it was turned [illegible] last fall when he deep-tilled the land. "I was tickled to find it," he reported, adding that he intends to show it to Ellswo[illegible] Hills for possible inclusion in the museum. —Camrose Canadian Newsphoto.

# Pioneer of Palmer Earling Lena Gunderson passes on

Mrs. Lena Gunderson, pioneer of the Palmer-Earling district, passed away in Camro[illegible] May 17 at the age of 8[illegible] years. She was born in Sioux Falls, South Dakota on Sept. 11th, [illegible].

The deceased came to the Wetaskiwin area of Alberta in 19[illegible]. In 1904 she married Samuel Parker and they had one daughter. They homesteaded in the Palmer - Earling district, where Mr. Parker passed away in 1907. In 1911 she married Gunder Gunderson and they had three children.

Mr. Gunderson passed away in [illegible]. Mrs. G[illegible] continued to farm until 1917 when she bought a country store in the Ryley district. She sold the business in May, 1955 and retired due to ill-health, going to live with her daughters. In 1962 she entered Bethany Home and Hospital where she was up to the time of her passing. She was a faithful member of the Zion Lutheran church and a member of the LCW.

Left to mourn her are three daughters: Alice (Mrs. Chauncey Larson) of Daysland, Selma (Mrs. Alvin Bratrud) of Holden, Evelyn (Mrs. George Mosby) of Holden; a son, Henry of Valhalla Center; a step-son, Arthur of Holden; a brother, Olaf Smorlie of Holden; also 11 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held in Zion Lutheran Church, Earling district on Friday, May 20 at 2 p.m., Rev. P. Olson officiating. Interment took place in the church cemetery with Lawrence Hoviand, Lyle Bratrud, Glen Larson, Keith Bratrud, Peter Rempel and Clarence Lawrence acting as pallbearers. Cleveland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

# On the Provincial Scene

As Premier Manning and Industry and Development minister Russ Patrick wound up their Japanese trip last week there were a few more hints that oil sales may have been one of the chief topics of discussion.

With sales to both the United States and other parts of Canada severely restricted by competition and quotas, the huge Japanese market is increasingly attractive. All that's needed is a pipeline to the west coast port of Prince Rupert, the huge supply at Fort McMurray and Rainbow Lake—and a low enough price to attract the Japanese. Even if it doesn't work, the trip at least confirmed Japanese interest in Alberta's coal and iron.

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Seeding of crops seems to be going well in most parts of the province—running up to a week ahead of last year's schedule.

Meanwhile the provincial government is still sifting through applications for special assistance to the Peace River and east-central Alberta areas. More than 3,900 claims have been paid—mostly in the northern area which suffered three successive crop failures in many sections.

The bill so far is almost $2,000,000. Another 1,000 applications still to be processed will probably bring it close to $2,500,000. That's just twice as much as the government set aside this year for the scheme—and exactly the amount that would have been available if the federal government had agreed to Alberta's request for matching aid.

The tab, however, doesn't include a number of related items. For instance, more than 1,100 applicants didn't get any of the special assistance aid because they hadn't sown enough grain in the first place. These people and many more will be asking for help in the form of loans under the Seed and Fuel Assistance program which has now been put into effect.

Agriculture Minister Harry Strom noted that the loans through the Relief Advances Act would assist many of those who didn't qualify for help under other schemes. But, he added, "It's unfortunate that any aid program must leave some people out". It's also unfortunate, he felt, that Ottawa didn't lend a more sympathetic ear to Alberta's request for help.

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It seems that entertainment in beer parlors is a remarkable success. The chairman of the Alberta Liquor Board, Peter Elliott, says the atmosphere in the 60-odd hotels that have adopted live entertainment has improved considerably. He says the patrons are happier, rowdyism is down and the only problems have been rare instances of off-color humor.

The next step is elimination of "Men Only" and "Ladies and Escorts" barriers. But Mr Elliott won't say yet just when desegregation will take place.

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An appeal aimed at having the Alberta Communal Property Act declared invalid, discriminatory and unconstitutional has been heard by The Alberta Supreme Court.

But decision has been reserved and it may be some time before the five-member panel of judges rules on the legislation that restricts the size and location of Hutterite colonies. The appeal was filed by a group of Southern Alberta farmers—both Hutterites and non-Hutterites. They claimed the sect and its religious beliefs were discriminated against.

The provincial government contends that the purpose of the act is solely to provide for the orderly expansion and development of land held as communal property.

Lawyers for the sect contended that the legislation was aimed solely at the Hutterite religion.

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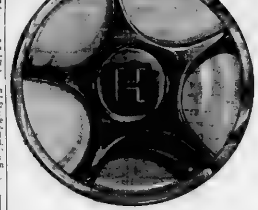

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

We regretted to learn that Russel Ferguson is a patient in the Lamont Hospital and has been for several days. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and daughter Mary were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Eddie and Nola Ferguson and family.

Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen motored to Camrose Saturday and while there called on Lorne Nelson in the Bethany Home there.

Mrs. Sylbil Nelson and Mrs. Nettie Thomas, both of Lacombe, motored to Tofield Sunday afternoon and were Sunday supper, overnight and until Monday after dinner guests at the home of their sister Ruth and Roy Wickenberg, before returning home.

Mrs. Mary Wood and Mrs. Johnny (Gloria) Wood and daughter Cathy motored to Ministik on Sunday and brought Mrs. Alma Holmes back with them to spend a few days with Mrs. Mary Wood.

**AT WEDDING**

Johnny and Gloria Wood attended the wedding of Miss Betty Pilger, former nurse at the Tofield Hospital, in Camrose on Saturday afternoon. They also attended the reception and other wedding festivities later in the evening.

On Sunday, Yvonne and Peter Brown had their young son christened in the Tofield United Church with Rev. McDannold officiating. After the ceremony Yvonne entertained her parents and sister Emily, and Martha Tiedemann and daughter Mary; Peter's parents, Stanley and Keitha Brown; David Bertch of Edmonton, and Rev. and Mrs. McDannold of Tofield at a christening dinner at her home at Ketchamoot.

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# 4-H banquet at Tofield presentation of awards

Tofield 4-H beef club banquet was held on the evening of their Achievement Day, June 6 and Lakeshore Ladies Aid served a delicious meal to 170 people. Grant Cossey, president of the club, was chairman and Arnold Swift, deputy mayor, extended a welcome to the guests. Les Usher, Alberta supervisor of 4-H clubs gave some information about award trips coming up in Canada's centennial year. He stated that there are now 5,000 calf club members in the province who have their calves to sell in the summer months.

Miss Colleen Wyllie introduced the guest speaker, Mr. Sodhi, teacher in Tofield school this year who came from India and has travelled widely. The 4-H pledge was the key to his address and he brought out the many ways in which clear thinking is the basis of success for many people. He stressed the need for faith in what one is doing and that "doing right" stands out in citizenship training for young people. Mr. Sodhi's talk interspersed with humor was much appreciated.

**PRESENTATION OF AWARDS**

Colleen Wyllie, champion calf winner was presented with the Community League trophy by Lionel Borton. This tropny has been presented to the championship winner over a period of years. Colleen also received the John Moore trophy for having the calf with the most gain. Terry Moore made the presentation.

The Watson Bros. trophy for the reserve championship was presented by Marjorie Moore to Ross Cossey who won the Alberta Hereford association's belt and buckle for the best Hereford calf. Lyle Heiberg received the second prize.

Winner of the judging contest, Terry Moore, received the Don Ball Memorial trophy from the hands of Phyllis Rose on behalf of the Ball and Jacobs Auction Service.

Laurie Weatherill, top showman for the second year in succession presented a show halter donated by his father, to Grant Cossey who was second in the competition.

The UGG trophy designed for the member who contributes most to the club in the year, went to Grant Cossey and was handed to him by Mr. Scarth of UGG.

**EFFICIENCY WINNER**

Colleen Wyllie came into the limelight again as efficiency winner which entitles her to attend club week in 1967 to the School of Agriculture at Vermilion. Following her in order were Marjorie Moore, Laurie Weatherill and Grant Cossey, all of whom received prizes from Hubert Feed Mill.

For the best groomed calf, Grant Cossey received a cash prize.

**PEE WEE PRESENTATIONS**

A memorial trophy was presented by Mrs. Ethel Wood on behalf of the Wood family to the championship winner of the Pee Wees, Grace Heiberg. For heading the judging contest, she received a show halter donated by G. Petit.

Reserve championship winner, Eddie Kallal, was presented by Lyle Heiberg with a belt and 4-H buckle donated by Killearn Farms.

Best showman, Craig Snyder, received a desk set donated by Verlyn and Bob Moos.

Sharon Ruzichi received a pen and pencil set, donated by the Tofield Co-op store for the best gain and for the best groomed calf, Ferlin Schacker was presented with a comb and brush given by I. Schacker and Sons of Ross Creek.

**PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST**

Winner of the public speaking competitions in the County of Beaver was Colleen Wyllie. She was presented with a trophy for this achievement by Frank Kehoe, DA. It was donated by Harold Hainey of Western Savings and Loans, Edmonton.

The Aberdeen - Angus Association presented Colleen with a trophy and crest for her champion Angus calf and they gave crests to Judy Moore, Brian Litwin and Douglas Finseth for showing Angus calves for the first time. Colleen received the show halter, donated by Stan and Peter Brown for showing the best Angus.

For the best Shorthorn calf shown, Mr. Hennig presented Nettie Appleby with a trophy.

**LEADERS HONORED**

John Moore and Don Woods were presented with gifts for their leadership in the clubs and Andy Heiberg received one for all the work he had done for them.

Winner of the raffle for a half side of beef was Bob Moos and Lyle Heiberg got the prize for selling the most tickets for it.

# Highway 14 baseball schedule

**Little League Baseball Schedule for 1966 (Revised)**
**(each team to play four games at home and four away)**

Monday, June 13—
Tofield at Viking;
Holden at Ryley.
Friday, June 17—
Ryley at Tofield;
(game played May 30)
Viking at Holden.
Monday, June 20—
This day to play cancelled games. Six games must be played for a team to be included in play-off games.
Friday, June 24—
Semi-final, sudden death — 1st place team to play 3rd place team.
Friday, June 24—
Semi-final, sudden death — 2nd place team to play 4th place team.
Monday, June 27—
Final game, sudden death—winner of 1st and 3rd to play winner of 2nd and 4th.
Coaches to contact Mr. Cooper to find out where game is to be played for semi-final and final games.

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**MIDGET "B"**
**Baseball Schedule for 1966**
**(each team to play two games away and two games at home)**

Friday, June 10—
Viking at Tofield;
Ryley at Holden.
Friday, June 17—
Tofield at Ryley;
Viking at Holden.
Friday, June 24—
Tofield at Viking;
No game here for Viking or Holden.
Tuesday, June 28—
Semi-final, sudden death — 1st place team to play 3rd place team.
Tuesday, June 28—
Semi-final, sudden death — 2nd place team to play 4th place team.
Coaches to contact D. Cooper to find out where game is to be played for semi-final and final games. Three games must be played for a team to be included in play-off games.
For our purpose in this Midget "B", players' ages shall range from 8 years to 10 years.

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**MIDGET "A"**
**Baseball Schedule for 1966**
**(each team to play two games away and two games at home)**

Wednesday, June 15—
Ryley at Viking;
bye, Tofield.
Wednesday, June 22—
Tofield at Viking;
bye, Ryley.
Wednesday, June 29—
Viking at Ryley;
bye, Tofield.
No semi-final games. Third place team knocked out.
Tuesday, July 5—
Final game, sudden death — 1st place team plays 2nd place team. Three games must be played for a team to be included in play-offs.
For our purposes in this Midget "A", a players age shall range from 10 years to 12 years.
Playing field distances and pitchers distances shall be the same as Little League.

# Kingman briefs

(J. A. Anderson)

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Donviak of Edson were recent visitors at the Melvin Severson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Christenson and family were Sunday visitors at the Wilf Aspenes home near Camrose.

**TO B.C.**

Audrey Anderson and Trygve Sware and Faith left by train from Edmonton on Monday for a week's visit to Kamloops, B.C. where they will visit with the Chester Woidens and friends.

**Mrs. Mervyn Ness and girls of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the Ingvald Ness home. Mervyn Ness is away on a three week business trip to England, Germany and France.**

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hanson of Edmonton were Saturday visitors at the Palmer Boness home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanson and children of Edmonton spent the weekend at the Torkel Omess home.

**FRANCHISING RISKIER** — The franchise business is getting riskier in Canada. A growing number of Canadian managers and executives are being attracted to franchising, Paul Gibson writes in The Financial Post. To many it offers a way to break out of the corporate confines and to operate a business of their own which could one day become highly lucrative. Just about anything that can be sold is now being marketed under franchise arrangements, The Financial Post writer points out. Besides the more familiar root beer, donuts and hamburgers operations range from washing machines and mufflers through auto-diagnosis units, grocery supermarkets, rug cleaners and swimming pools, to coin centres and baby-sitting services. Returns to some franchisees after all expenses are put as high as 20,000 a year.

Remember the good ol' days—when charity was a virtue, not an industry.

# Kingman

(Mrs. G. Anderson)

Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Magneson and Mrs. Arvin Magneson and Darren of Camrose were Sunday visitors at the Louis Erga home.

**MOVES TO CAMROSE**

Mrs. Elmer Schmidt left last Friday for Camrose were she has bought a house. The County of Camrose have purchased her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Anderson, Randy and Audrey were Sunday dinner guests at the Trygve Sware home, Hay Lake.

Mrs. Gary Acres is census taker in Kingman and district and attended a two day course in Camrose.

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# Impressions of the St. Albert Museum

Lorne McMann, Grade 5A

The first stop on our interesting field trip was made at the St. Albert Museum which is located on the north side of the Sturgeon River in the modern town of St. Albert.

As we entered the grounds, we were impressed by an imposing bronze statue of Father Lacombe. The words inscribed on it tell about how he was honored by the Indians and white settlers. Off to one side of the grounds, there were three enormous bells sent all the way from France to Bishop Grandin. Beside these, there was a cross made from two of the piles of the first bridge built by Father Lacombe.

The museum encloses the original hewn log church built by Father Lacombe. In it are many of his possessions. Some of these were his vestments, prayer book, furniture and family pictures. Of great interest to us was the actual ticket presented by William Van Horne to Father Lacombe which allowed him to travel free anywhere on the CPR. A framed scroll telling about Father Lacombe's various achievements with the CPR, the Canadian government and mentioning especially the work of Father Lacombe done among the Indians and Metis was one of the main exhibits. Farming implements, carpentry tools, numerous pictures, an ancient printing press and typewriter gave us an idea of the life of the pioneers and missionaries. I would like to mention especially the model of the bridge built by Father Lacombe across the Sturgeon River.

It was the first bridge west of Winnipeg. Among the Indian and Eskimo artifacts, Indian buckskin garments with elaborate bead work, Cree grammars, dictionaries and calendars were on display. Indian weapons, an actual birch bark canoe and snowshoes held our interest.

The Eskimo hunting tools were mostly of bone and ivory. There were fish hooks, harpoons, and spears. A life size model of an Eskimo in his native costume caught our eye.

In the crypt were the tombs of Father Lacombe, Bishop Grandin, and Father Leduc. The altar and two carvings of angels done by early missionaries were quite outstanding. Some other exhibits of interest were pictures of the early missionaries and inscriptions telling of the life of the missionaries.

The outside shrine was made of stone and was quite attractive. Around it were the fourteen Stations of the Cross depicting Christ's last journey and passion. What impressed us most in the cemetery were the neat rows of the graves of the missionaries who had worked and died in the north-west.

We now have a better understanding of the missionaries and how they helped in settling the north-west of Canada.

Carbon monoxide poisoning is the favorite method of suicide in the U.S.

# Holden

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

A special meeting of the Presbytery was held in the United Church parlors Sunday night. Several ministers of the district were present, and those in charge of the meeting were Rev. Barkwell of Viking, Rev. Miller of Vermilion and Rev. Engels of Irma. There were also a number of delegates present for the occasion.

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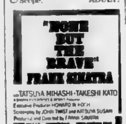


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**Reserve champion** At the show of Tofield 4-H Club calves, Ross Coosey, 13, won the reserve championship with their steer weighing 970 lbs.

# Tofield teacher feted after 40 yrs. service

In honor of Mrs. Madeleine McCormick, who is retiring after 40 years as a classroom teacher, the Tofield sub-local of the ATA held a reception in the Tofield school auditorium on Sunday. Mrs. Mollie Conn, president of the sub-local, was in charge of arrangements and was hostess during the afternoon.

Approximately 200 people, including old friends from other communities, former Normal School classmates of Mrs. McCormick, and many of her former pupils were present on this happy occasion to wish the honored guest Au Revoir and Bon Voyage. Her daughter and son-in-law, Martha and Ken Ovelson were present, as was her granddaughter and namesake, Madeleine Ovelson, a student in the faculty of education, U. of A.

The auditorium was banked with huge bouquets of lilacs and apple blossoms. To accent the mauve and white of the flowers, Jeff Norton had festooned the walls with streamers and rosettes in mauve and white. This arrangement framed the couch on which Mrs. McCormick received her guests. Behind her on the wall was a panel featuring emblems of school days, made by Betty Gray and Laura Tiedeman.

The Grade VIII and IX students made mauve and white rosettes, which were presented by Beth Ingram to Mrs. McCormick's pupils, past and present, as a means of identification. Mrs. Ingram was in charge of the guest book which was housed in a pagoda decorated with rosettes in the mauve and white.

Under capable direction of Mrs. Everitt and Mrs. Cribb, lunch was served to all present. The tea tables, set with lace cloths and white tapers, were presided over by Mrs. Pike, Mrs. Annis, Mrs. Freebury and Mrs. Lampitt. In charge of serving were Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Cribb, Mrs. Young and Mrs. Phillips. The children who participated in the afternoon's events were cared for and served lunch to by Mrs. Zwierschke, Miss Matthews and Mrs. Sears.

During the afternoon, under the chairmanship of C. F. Annis, a program was presented, which was tape-recorded by Miss Cumming so that Mrs. McCormick might have a record of it. Mrs. G. McFadzean accompanied the Misses Frances Schultz, Margaret Hallet, Shirley Swift and Wendy Arnett as they sang "The Shepherd" and "Come Down to Kew in Lilac Time", which were much enjoyed by the audience. These young ladies have had voice training by Mrs. McFadzean.

Staff-Sergeant Coates of the P.P.C.L.I., who has trained the school band this year, made a special trip to Tofield to lead his group of young musicians in "Au Claire La Lune" and "Italian Hymn". Their performance reflected credit on themselves and on their instructor, as this group has not been in existence very long.

Miss Norma Zwierschke trained about 40 of Mrs. McCormick's pupils of this year and last in a song about their teacher, "She'll Be Driving Her White Camel When She Comes".

Mr. Annis prefaced the next number on the program by saying that, while it was very unusual to have the guest of honor participate in the program, we were to have that pleasure on this occasion through the medium of a tape-recording. Several years ago, Mrs. McCormick had composed a song, to the tune of "The Old Rugged Cross", and had recently made a recording of it. The recording was played, and drew hearty applause from the audience.

Gerald Neufeld, accompanied by Mrs. Elaine Baergen, gave a much-appreciated trumpet solo, "My Buddy Polka".

Roland, Lillian and Elvira Balzer, children of Mr. and Mrs. David Balzer, have become locally famous for their singing talent since moving to the Tofield area last September, sang "It Is Wonderful To Me" and "God Will Lead Me On".

On behalf of the teachers, Mrs. Mollie Conn presented Mrs. McCormick with a genuine black leather handbag. In making the presentation, Mrs. Conn stressed the fact that Mrs. McCormick had exerted a great and good influence on the youth of the Province during her 40 years in the classroom and that Mrs. McCormick's musical ability was a very special gift to her pupils. She wished Mrs. McCormick Bon Voyage on her entry into retirement. Mrs. McCormick replied, graciously, thanking all who attended this meeting, those who planned it, those who had served lunch, and those who had participated in the program. The band then struck up "Auld Lang Syne" and the audience joined in this musical tribute to Mrs. Madeleine McCormick.

## Kingman briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, June 6 — Mr. and Mrs. Jens Larson of Langley, B.C. arrived Saturday for a two week's visit with the Oscar Larsons and other relatives. Mrs. Larson is a sister of Mrs. O. Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Bartosh and family of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the Erik Wruck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bjorgum, Laurel and Glenn and Mrs. Helga Evenson were weekend visitors at Calgary with the Bill McLeods and Fred Majakas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Acres and family were Sunday guests at the Roy Acres home in Edmonton.

Mrs. Adolf Tollefson is again a patient in St. Mary's Hospital. Last reports are that she is improving favourably.

# James Earl Francis passes at 40 years

On June 4, James Earl Francis of Tofield passed away, aged 40 years. He is survived by his loving parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Francis of Tofield, one sister, Josephine of Tofield, four brothers, Keith of Tofield, Reed of Ardrossan, Garry of Calgary and Jack of Edmonton, five nieces, and [illegible] nephews.

Funeral services were held on [illegible] from the Tofield United Church, with Rev. H. B. Ricker officiating. Interment was in the Tofield Cemetery. Andrews-McLaughlin Funeral Chapel (1964) Ltd.

## Native son . . .

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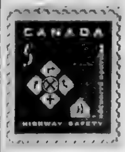
Shrine of the Sun, and toured the Air Force Academy of America located at the base of the Rampart Range of the Rockies with majestic 14,100-foot Pike's Peak standing guard to the West.

The Congressional Site Committee considered some 400 different locations and 44 states before deciding this was the ideal spot. The campus itself is seven miles by five miles. The academy has the most advanced engineering, modern and functional architecture. The chapel is beautiful with its glass spires reaching 150 feet into the air and blending in with the picturesque background. The base also boasts a sunken football field with bleachers to seat 45,000 spectators. This academy which covers thousands of acres, is where all of the Air Force officers of the U.S.A. receive their training.

While at Denver Airport waiting for their plane to Edmonton the Ottos went on a tour and were amazed to find that when construction is finished this year the airport will be one of the largest and most modern in the world. They found the trip home by plane most enjoyable.

In Europe, folk legend credits the hedgehog with being a weather prophet.

## H'way stamps opens conference on safety




Support for a campaign to reduce traffic accidents will come from the Canada Post Office on May 2nd with issuance of the country's first Highway Safety Stamp.

The Postmaster General also revealed that on the same day he will participate in sessions of the Canadian Highway Safety Council at Calgary.

Toronto artist, Helen Fitzgerald, portrays traffic signs and symbols in tones of blue and yellow on a black background. Of a five cent denomination, it will have dual outstanding characteristics in being one of a few Highway Safety Stamps in the world, and in that it breaks with tradi-

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# Around the town . . .

The CWL are holding a 5c grocery and money bingo on Monday, June 13th in the Legion Hall. There is a jackpot prize of $20.00. Proceeds from this bingo will be donated to the Edmonton Diocese CWL Centennial Project, which is a home for Indian and Metis girls, in need of rehabilitation. The CWL have cancelled their annual Strawberry tea for this year.

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Mrs. Gladys McKernan was the delegate at the CWL convention held in Edmonton June 3, 4 and 5.

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Father Scriven is holidaying in Doncaster, Yorkshire, England for the month of June.

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Mrs. Henry Heitman was pleasantly surprised when her brother Alf Schuller of Vancouver arrived on Sunday evening for a short visit.

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Mrs. Oslund, Garry, Wayne, Mrs. Doris Schacher and Mrs. Doug Dann atended the wedding of Mr. Eddie Williams and Miss Iris Cartwright in Edmonton.

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Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Oslund were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Campbell and girls all of Edmonton.

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The sympathy of the town and district is extended to the Jim Francis family in the death of Earl Francis on June 4th.

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Lloyd Ferguson was the winner of the Tofield Community League $100.00 for May.

NAIT GRADUATES

Jack and Inga Hardy and Granny Hardy attended graduation exercises for NAIT in the Jubilee Auditorium on Saturday, May 28. Those attending from Tofield and among the graduates from the tech were Marion Hardy in Medical laboratory technology, Betsy Ann Schultz in Dental assistant; Irene Kadatz in Dental assistant; William (Bill) Dinki distributive technology.

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Mildred and Findlay Dunlop from Cadomin spent the weekend here and attended the Bott Pilger wedding at Camrose on Saturday.

## Spilstead news

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbother)

Recent visitors at the Ernest Fairbrother home were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stauffer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Helmuth Fester and family, Myrtle Stauffer, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Fairbrother and family all of Edmonton.

## School . . .

(Continued from Page 1)

is a member of the Tofield Historical Society and has donated exhibits to the Historical Museum.

Mrs. Pike has participated in the adult art classes held in this area, and has loaned her work for display on several occasions. Both of the Pikes are avid rock-collectors and polishers, they have large collections of rocks and petrified wood. These displays, beautifully mounted, have loaned for exhibition on various occasions.

Moving to Medicine Hat opens up possibilities for continuing, or even expanding, their hobbies for Mr. and Mrs. Pike. The golf course is adjacent to their new home; art classes are held and the interest in pottery-making in Medicine Hat holds out to Mr. and Mrs. Pike the promise of learning to work in ceramics.

WILL BE MISSED

While realizing that being transferred from one locality to another is a necessary facet of a Superintendent's life, Mr. Pike says that he and Mrs. Pike are sorry to be leaving the friends they have made in their 12 years' residence in the County of Beaver. During the last seven years they have enjoyed participating in the community activities of Tofield and regret that this phase of their lives has ended. This feeling of regret is mutual, they will be sorely missed in the community, both in the organizations they have so ably helped and by their many friends. The Pikes go to their new home accompanied by the good wishes of the community of Tofield.

## Bardo news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

The Ivan Forhaug family and Grandma Forhaug attended baptismal services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wesner at Forest Heights Lutheran Church on Sunday. Tonny Forhaug was one of the sponsors. Mr. and Mrs. Wesner entertained at dinner in honor of the occasion, after services.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Anderson spent the weekend in Edmonton at the home of their son and family, the Lawrence Andersons.

The Leroy Finseth family and Joanne Lauber enjoyed a steak barbecue at the Clarence Rude home on Sunday.

Little Shirley Rude is a patient in the University Hospital where she underwent surgery Thursday morning to correct a blemish on her chin. This is the second operation for her.

Deep sympathy of the district family in the loss of their son is extended to the Jim Francis and brother Earl who passed away in Tofield Hospital Friday.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie

Mrs. Ella Eaton

Elmer and Vi Geoglein left Thursday last week on a motor trip to Ontario and into the States where they will visit relatives in Indiana before returning home.

On Thursday of last week, Mrs. Mary Wood and her daughter Miss Kathleen Wood of Calgary motored to Edmonton and were Sunday luncheon guests at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Evie Halwa. Later in the day they were supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Mrs. Bertha Seale and her daughter and son-in-law, Mariam and Glynn Roberts. Marvin Seale of Winnipeg was also there. (All are former Lakeshore residents). Mary and Kathleen spent the night in Edmonton, returning home Friday afternoon.

Miss Kathleen Wood left for her home in Calgary on Saturday morning, after having spent a week's holiday with her parents, John and Mary Wood.

Sympathy of the district goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis and family on the death of their eldest son and brother, Earl [illegible]. Sympathy also goes to all other members of the Francis family and other relatives.

Mrs. Jack Birchell, Mrs. Don MacLachlan, Mrs. Easton Powell, Mrs. Ruth Randall, Miss Mardie McLaggan and Miss Altha Stewart, all of Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of their friend and former classmate Mrs. Ethel Wood. All attended the Camrose Normal School, class of 1924-25. During the afternoon they attended a tea and reception held in the Tofield School gym, in honor of another classmate graduate, Miss Madeline McCormick, a teacher in the Tofield School who is retiring at the end of June. It was a very enjoyable afternoon and happy re-union of old friends and classmates.

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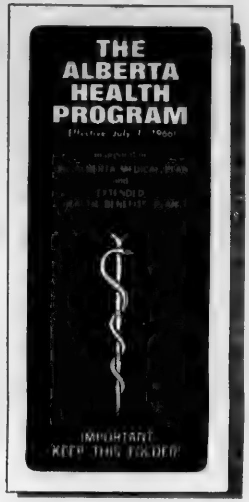


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## FUTURE DATES

**BASEBALL TOURNAMENT AT ROUND HILL**

A Baseball Tournament will be held at Round Hill on Saturday, June 18. Five teams will compete for the prize money — Holden, Ryley, Tofield, Bardo and Round Hill. There will be pony rides for [illegible] children. Lunch booth on the grounds will be open till midnight. Admission adults, [illegible] 15 years and under, free. Grand dance in the evening. Admission $1[illegible] per head. 41-42c-2740

**U.C.W. TALENT BAKE DAY**

Tofield United Church Women are holding their Talent Bake Day on Saturday, June 11, in Tofield United Church Basement. 41c-2743

## ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. Carl Nord of Ryley, Alberta, wishes to announce the forthcoming marriage of his daughter, Carol Elaine, to Mr. Garry Robin Gilchrist, son of Mrs. Lela Gilchrist of Edmonton. The wedding will take place at 7:00 p.m., August 6, 1966, at Calvary Lutheran Church, Edmonton. 41c-2743

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TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named must file with the undersigned by the 30th day of July, 1966, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

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## Church Notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., [illegible]
Sunday, June 12th
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
No Teen Church or Sunday School.
Prof. Lindsay Vogan of St. Stephen's College will be the minister for this Sunday.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
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Sunday, June 12th
10:15 a.m.—Worship Service. Guest speaker, Missionary Finseth.
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, June 12th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11.00 a.m.—Worship Service
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service
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11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
[illegible]
Sunday, June 12th
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 2:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

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11.00 a.m.—1st Sunday July and August—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—All other Sunday—Matins.
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**Grand champion** — Excited after winning the grand championship of Tofield 4-H Club on June 8th, Colleen Wylie, 16, was composed enough to show her Angus calf to advantage before the camera. The steer weighed 920 lbs. at 14 months.

# Spilstead news briefs

(Mrs. G. Fairbrother)

The Spilstead Ladies Society held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Louise Winder on June 2nd. It was decided to have their annual picnic at the Spilstead hall on June 26th.

Next meeting to be held in July at the home of Mrs. Hazel Ray.

The Spilstead ball team have been doing a lot of practicing and last Sunday played a game with Hastings Lake ball team, Spilstead being the winners.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fairbrother visited in Edmonton one day last week.


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# News items from Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Lilly and Harold Schultz, Dorothy Whillans and Mary Mitchell were Thursday evening visitors with Bill and Mary Tiedemann and Mrs. Dunn of Deville.

Mrs. Ida Willans, Art and Nola motored to Conway to visit with relatives.

Doreen and Marilyn Schacher, Ethel Dorothy and Beverly Carlisle attended the shower for Judy VanBuskirk at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Niemets of Lakeshore on Saturday evening.

**CHRISTENING**

The infant son David Peter son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brown was christened on Sunday at the Tofield United Church. Following the services Mr. and Mrs. Brown entertained the following guests to dinner at home. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Tiedemann and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown the grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. Wm. MacDonald and Mr. Gamboult of Tofield and David Bertsch of Edmonton.

Miss Donna Ingram, RN, arrived home from San Francisco last week where she has been employed for the past year. She is enjoying her holiday at home with her parents, Mae and Bill Ingram and Wesley.

The following guests were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs Donnelly McGinitie to celebrate their daughter Barbara's birthday on Sunday; Agnes Henry, Annie and Raymond McGinitie, Frank and Helen Bruha and family, Mr. and Mrs Martin Peterson and family and Willie Nashman of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lancaster of Tofield were Sunday visitors with Bill and Mae Ingram, Donna and Wesley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thiessen of Lindbrook were Monday evening callers at Henry McGinities.

On Saturday Harold and Lilly Schultz and Toby and Mildred Numland of Tofield were guests of Eileen and Angus Mitchell in Edmonton. They celebrated Toby's and Angus' birthday that evening.


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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Paul Strilchuk, who has been back from Inuvik for the past few weeks with his family and putting in the crop on the farm, returned north to his job at Inuvik on Wednesday of last week, his son Larry driving him to Nisku Airport from where he left by plane.

Mrs. Gilbert Morris of High Wycombe, Bucks, England, arrived by plane at Nisku Airport on Thursday, June 2. Mrs. Morris is the youngest sister of Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Percy Barlow. Mrs. Ken Campbell, her niece, and husband Ken, of Leduc, met her at the airport and she was an overnight visitor at their home. Marjorie and her husband drove her over to Holden Friday evening and she will be staying with her sister, Mrs. Campbell, for a three-week visit, also visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow and other relatives here.

**Mr. Smith of Calgary is relieving manager at the Royal Bank while Mr. Beverage is taking his annual holiday. Mr. Smith arrived Thursday of last week.**

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus was a business visitor in Edmonton on Friday of last week, returning home with her husband in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy were Edmonton visitors Wednesday, June 1, attending Convocation of the University of Alberta at the Jubilee Auditorium, when Mr. Hardy received his Bachelor of Education degree.

Harry Appleby of Vialta Lodge, Viking, was visiting for several days this past week with his son and family, the Ted Applebys.

John Rurka left for Spirit River early Thursday evening of last week, taking up a new truck for Beaver Motors.

Melvin Hooper and his mother were Edmonton visitors a week ago Thursday to visit with Mr. Hooper at the Good Samaritan Nursing Home. Mrs. Mary James also went into the city with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelly attended the University of Alberta Convocation exercises at the Jubilee Auditorium last week, when their daughter, Mrs. Margaret Overbo, received her Bachelor of Education degree.

Mrs. Olaf Chetney and Mrs. Laura Christianson were afternoon visitors and coffee guests Friday of last week with Mrs. Kennie McLennan of the Poe district.

Mrs. Campbell and her sister, Mrs. Bert Carr of Sudbury, Ont., who is visiting Mrs. Carrie Olson and Mrs. Mabel Sizer, were dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Mrs. Mary James a week ago Tuesday.

We hear that Mrs. Carrie Olson already has ripe tomatoes in her garden. This must be a first in the district.

**50TH ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelly, old time residents in the West Holden district, are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, June 12, and are holding "open house" at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Adel have returned home from their holiday trip, and Mr. Adel has resumed his duties at the Royal Bank.

Recent Sunday dinner guests and visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Olson were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bursntad of the Bawlf district.

The Pioneer Group met Thursday, June 2, at the home of Mrs. Jack Keith, with 13 ladies present. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Zwierschke on Wednesday, July 6. In future their meetings will be held on the first Wednesday of the month instead of the first Thursday.

Mr. David Good and daughter Kathie, of Edmonton, were visitors this past week with his mother, Mrs. Lars Ritland, and Lars; also with his brother and family.

The Friendship Group, who have held their monthly meetings on the third Thursday of the month, will in future hold their meeting on the third Wednesday.

**CORRECTION**

In the news printed last week regarding the holding of the Cemetery Day in Holden, this was cnanged . . . it was an error, and is to be held Wednesday, June 22, not as previously reported, June 15.

Mrs. Campbell was pleased to receive the news last week that her grandson Jimmie, of Leduc, who is a member of the Edmonton Youth Symphony Orchestra, has been awarded a $100 scholarship from the society.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were Tuesday visitors at the home of their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas, in the Viking district.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden entertained several friends for coffee after church on Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Pasnak were Saturday and Sunday visitors in Edmonton, attending a wedding of friends.

M. A. Komarnisky is a patient in Tofield Hospital. Mrs. Komarnisky visited with her husband Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ida Mason has been away for several days these past two weeks visiting with her father in Saskatchewan, and looking after him.

Mr. Ludvig Sandbeck, who has been at home on the farm for the past two months, returned to Vialta Lodge a week or two ago. Mr. Sandbeck was a guest at the Lodge during the winter months also.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Ruskenveld have been spending the past week or more on their farm at Westlock, putting in the crop.

## Ross Creek News

Mrs. L. VanBuskirk

Alex Duncan of Wetaskiwin spent about a week visiting with his daughters, Mrs. Winnie McLachlan and Mrs. Isobel McLachlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kwasnechi and family of Edmonton spent Sunday at the Neil Bailey home.

**SHOWER PARTY**

On Saturday, Mrs. Mickey Niemetz and her daughter Patsy entertained about 40 guests at a shower in honor of Judy VanBuskirk whose marriage to Allan Franklin will be an event of June 25. After a social hour of games and contests little Karen Jacobsen and Sydney Geoglien dressed as a bride and groom presented Judy with a wagon-load of gifts. Judy was assisted in opening the gifts by her bridesmaid-to-be, Maureen McLachlan. After the ladies had all been thanked for the gifts a delicious lunch was served, bringing a very enjoyable evening to a close.

Mavis Zinnick of Chipman was a weekend guest of Delores Schacher.

The Ross Creek UCW held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Alice Cooney. Mrs. Gertie Ferrel and Mrs. Mary Ferrel served lunch.

Congratulations to Ross Cooney on obtaining second for his calf at the 4-H Club Calf Show held in Tofield on Monday.


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# To honor oldtimers at Showcase '66

The Tofield Historical Society will again be making its valuable contribution to the success of the Community League's "Showcase '66" on Dominion Day.

Following the parade, as in former years, the Historical Society will be hosts to Old Timers of the Tofield area. An "Old Timer" is defined as one who was in this area in, or previous to, 1916. On previous Dominion Days, the waiting room of the Curling Rink has been filled with Old Timers who, after registering and having identifying ribbons pinned on, are treated to free coffee by courtesy of the Community League. Old friendships are renewed, as: "Remember when . . . ? and "Where is he now?" are heard in increasing volume during the day. This is Old Home Day for many senior citizens, and the Historical Society takes pleasure in providing an occasion for them to reminisce.

As well as acting as willing hosts to Tofield's pioneers, the Historical Society will have a display of pictures of early times in this locality. James Francis, secretary of the Tofield Historical Society, will be on hand to answer questions about the pictures. A number of the pictures have not been displayed before; some are recent additions to Mr. Francis' collection, and some are on loan for this occasion only. A display case of pioneer articles will also be on view.

Harold Schultz, president of the Historical Society, announces that the quilt made by Mrs. Mary Tiedemann and featuring thirty-five cattle brands used in this district will be on display in Garford's Ladies' Wear all next week. This quilt is done in yellow with the brands done in contrasting colors, and is another example of the fine workmanship of Mrs. Tiedemann. Tickets for this quilt are on sale, and the draw for the winning ticket will be held at 7:00 p.m. on the Exhibition Grounds on Dominion Day.

*Two cooks don't spoil the icing*

Mrs. L.. Brodie, Killam, a member of the family business Viking Bakery, recently graduated from the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology's first baker apprentice course and the first of its kind in Canada. Here she is shown with A. Tweed, bakery instructor at NAIT, who is demonstrating a wedding cake icing technique.

## Tofield Lions meet Tuesday

The first semi-monthly meeting of Tofield Lions Club was held on Tuesday of this week in the Community Centre. Lion Warner acted as secretary in place of Rev. L. Scriven.

It was reported that the playground equipment has arrived and from all appearances was greatly appreciated by the young fry of Tofield.

Matters for attention of the Club were the July 1 parade float, dunk tank, or assisting in sale of tickets for the Community League.

It was learned that arrangements for the student exchange to Rome, Italy was taking place. The per capita fee is $4.00, increased from $2.50 previously. Other items discussed were the cutting of grass, Lions Bingo, barbecue for next meeting and replacement of the trophy for Bruce School students.

## No one need go hungry at July 1st celebration

Only two weeks till Dominion Day! President Lionel Borton announces that officers and members of the Tofield Community League, the sponsoring organization of the annual Dominion Day celebration, are very busy completing arrangements for this event.

Since food is always an important item, plans are being made so that all entrants to the grounds will have a chance to satisfy their appetites. The ladies under their convenor, Mrs. Winnie Christensen are planning a plentiful meal for the noon hour. Mrs. Christensen says, that although items will still be sold separately if so desired, an entire meal consisting of potato salad, beans, meat, tomatoe and pie will be available for 65c. As well as these more substantial foods, items suitable for snacks will be stocked. Watermelon, Revels, Fudgsicles, popsicles,

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## Mercury's cartoonist recognized

Two of the many cartoons drawn for The Tofield Mercury by Verne Harney have been reprinted in a booklet entitled "Cartoons from 26 countries".

The two samples of Mr. Harney's work appear along with works of such other well known cartoonists as Ben Wicks, John Yardley-Jones, Tom Innes, Peter Kuch, Peter Whalley and Al Beaton.

The two Harney cartoons chosen by the publication no doubt will be recalled by our

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VERN HARNEY

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readers. Both appeared in 1964. One, during the flag debate, depicted John Diefenbaker spiking maple leaves on the lawn in front of the Parliament Buildings, the leaves having fallen off the new flag. It was titled, "Autumn in Ottawa". The second cartoon shows a Red Army soldier depositing a picture of Nikita Khrushchev in a dungeon, along with spider-web-covered pictures of other Soviet leaders. The caption on this one was a news item which read, "The Praesidium . . . granted request of Nikita Khrushchev on his relief from duties . . . in view of his advanced age, poor health, etc. . . . "

Drawing cartoons has been a hobby with Mr. Harney for several years. Manager of the Daysland branch of the Bank of Montreal over an extended period, he recently moved to Camrose preparatory to retirement in July.

## 300 4-H clubs get free paint

A practical way of celebrating Canada's Centennial will be provided by United Grain Growers to 4-H clubs in the prairie provinces. Already the 1,700 or so clubs in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba will have received their offer to supply enough paint for an individual club to paint 3,000 square feet of a community project. The first 300 clubs to apply with a suitable project in view will be eligible to receive about six gallons each of paint.

The painting of a 4-H clubhouse, rally centre, small fair building, a cemetery fence, pensioner's house or a public facility would all be considered suitable projects, but UGG looks forward to ideas from clubs. It is also possible for two or three clubs to combine in order to paint one larger community project. In such a case, 12 or 18 gallons of red or white exterior paint would be supplied.

A. M. Runciman, president of UGG, stated at a farmers' meeting in Wainwright recently he was "particularly pleased with the Community Paint-up Project because it allows your (UGG) company to perform a worthwhile service as a means of celebrating its 60th anniversary.

## Council deals with varied program

The Tofield Town Council met on June 3rd, with Mayor Dr. W. H. Freebury and Councillors Allan, Boese, Herndon, Patterson and Swift present.

Clr. Swift reported that Calgary Power Limited had been contacted regardnig the street light fixtures, and he was assured that when the proper globes were received by the company they would replace the ones presently in use.

**DISPOSAL GROUNDS**

After a lengthy discussion, the secretary-treasurer was instructed to contact the County of Beaver No. 9 regarding the fencing off of the east end of Windsor Avenue, which would permit the gate to be moved from the north and east corner to the west and north corner of the disposal grounds; also to see if the County would be interested in paying half the cost of the disposal grounds and half the maintenance cost of same in return for alowing rural persons to use it. The Health Committee received permission to keep the disposal grounds locked. It is open to Tofield residents only on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. If authorized persons wished to use the nuisance grounds other than the specified times, a key could be picked up at the Town Office, the Police Department or from the Public Works Department.

The 1966 Budget, drafted by the Finance Committee, was presented and approved. Rita Halverson was appointed enumerator on a motion by Clr. Allan.

The Water and Sewer Committee were authorized, on a motion by Clr. Boese, to proceed with the service connection to G. Garford's property as they see fit. It was moved and carried that the Town be responsible for the first 30 feet of water line to G. Garford's.

Building Permits were approved to Wm. Lopatniuk for storage

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### They have wrenches too

Since The Mercury, in a recent addition, printed a picture of an antique wrench found in the Camrose area, Harold Schultz, president of the Tofield Historical Society, has been informed of two similar wrenches located in this area. Mrs. Mary Mitchell and Stan Dunham are both owners of wrenches of the type pictured by The Mercury.

# Congrats, Vern

The Mercury extends congratulations to Vern Harney for his success in cartooning, mentioned somewhere else in this paper. Two of Vern's well-known cartoons were chosen for a 1965 edition "Cartoons from 26 Countries" featuring 131 cartoonists of whom 42 were Canadian, and only 80 of their cartoons were shown. The fact Vern was approved on two seems outstanding.

His well known cartoons have long been a popular feature, and both he and we hope his imminent retirement will furnish more time for this challenging field. If he's entering again this year, may we suggest as one that marvellous cartoon of John Diefenbaker on the station platform in Camrose, offering HIS locomotive to help move the farmers' grain?

# Tight money and inflation

Discussing recent changes proposed in the Bank Act, Finance Minister Sharp commented that tight money and severe controls are likely to be needed for some time to help contain or curtail the problems that inevitably build up under the stress of inflation.

Perhaps Mr. Sharp should do a little talking to some of his own party members. Maybe they're not aware of the effects of the recent Canada Pension Plan on costs across the nation. Maybe they're not aware of the manner in which prices all across the country have increased as hairdressers, restaurateurs, barbers, electricians, service station operators and many others try to recover at least the cost of the pension, plus a bit on the side.

If it's inflation you're cutting, Mr. Sharp, let's watch any increase in this area.

# Time for controls

Settling of the dockworkers strike only when the Prime Minister held a gun at the heads of both parties clearly indicates how necessary it is for some new controls to be added in the field of labor negotiations. Many responsible leaders, in many areas besides those of farm organizations, have criticized the situation where 4,200 unruly dockworkers can hold up the industry of almost the whole country, or where a group of railway workers, or airline workers, or truckers or any other segment of the country can seriously interrupt the services on which we depend so much.

The situation is rapidly going beyond the bounds of tolerance, and where once employers were subjected to controls which reduced their absolute authority, it has now reached the point we must have controls over the despotic use of powers gained by the unions.

It passes reason that a demand for ten per cent increases in wages for each of two years should be sought, or that the government should suggest as a compromise fifteen per cent over a period of thirty months.

This is half of one per cent every month!

What kind of inflation does the government contemplate with this kind of suggestion? What sort of protection does this give the elderly living on fixed incomes, acquired over years of hard toil? And what does this augur for the Canadian Pension Plan, whose benefits (and, of course, contributions) are tied to the cost of living?

We need to curtail this irresponsible development, and insist, by law if necessary, on a responsible approach from both sides. We need to be given more protection by our legislators

# To err is human

The Department of National Health and Welfare's information services have been coming in for a good bit of ribbing the past few days, as more and more people notice errors in the dates of their service for June, which shows Father's Day as June 12, where it should be June 19, and Dominion Day as July 4th (we won't tell you what this should be.) They also list June 20 as the first day of summer, and we had always thought the summer solstice came June 21.

While we couldn't care less about Father's Day, we were a bit dismayed over the Dominion Day error, though really sympathy was the major feeling we drummed up. Anyone who has ever made his living by the pen or the typewriter knows just how much effort is poured into keeping the record accurate, the facts straight. And they know, notwithstanding all that effort, just how terrible appearing are the errors which develop in spite of their endeavors; the errors which are spotted only after the whole thing has gone to press and it's too late. No-one is immune . . . we've all experienced it.

So, as we said, we couldn't laugh with scorn, we could only sympathize Even if we have to celebrate Father's Day on July 4th


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# By George!

Ald. Marv LaBarge, who took part in a golf tournament at High River recently, came home with a dandy little booklet on golf etiquette, as prepared by friends of mine, Charlie Clarke and Don Tanner, at The High River Times. Space does not permit reprinting all the notes on etiquette, but here are a few gems:

"Register at the clubhouse. Your wife may want the lawn cut.

"Golf spikes are OK at home but don't wear them for clubhouse floors. The termites have contracted for all our holes.

"Don't pick up a stray ball. It may belong to a sticky banker who is helping you finance that set of clubs. A ball isn't lost until you can't see a player—even in the bush.

"Like beef, we like good grass. Stay off the planted areas and give us a chance to grow some good, deep rough.

"We like fairways, but let them play on No. 2 Highway while you golf. It's safer for them out there.

"Replace the flag. It's not the national standard which rises with the dawn and sets with the clunk. Give the sharpshooters something to aim at.

"Don't drive into the players ahead. They might interfere with a hole in one. If someone drives into you, pick up his ball, tee it up graciously and drive the d - - - thing into the river!

"One player can demand some rights, but if you are playing with more than four in your group, you're like the rest of Canada—you've lost all your democratic rights.

"If you've lost your tee, you might try an advertisement in The High River Times.

And in conclusion, Charlie and Don say, "This 'thing' was designed, written and lithographed by Times golfers. It was easy. We just recalled all the nasty remarks our golfing friends (so-called) made to us this spring".

# MacDuff Ottawa report

**QUEBEC CLOUDS**

OTTAWA. — The results of the Quebec election didn't come as an absolute surprise to Ottawa. Polls and newspaper forecasts had warned of Jean Lesage's fading strength. But Federal politicians were surprised at the extent to which the embodiment of Quebec's quiet revolution, once thought untouchable, was rejected by the voters.

It ended any talk of Lesage as a possible challenger for the Federal Liberal leadership. Behind some of the funereal Liberal faces there may have been a concealed satisfaction that the field had been reduced. As a possible leadership candidate, Jean Lesage had always been an unknown quantity, making it difficult to calculate the odds.

Combined with the stand-off results in Prince Edward Island, the Quebec squeakey led to immediate forecasts that the provinces were starting to feel the weakness, born of indecision on the part of the public, that has long plagued Ottawa.

Quebec's Rene Levesque was quoted as saying that the days of big majorities was past. It may be that on the provincial front as well as the federal, voters feel they can't give their complete confidence to one party or the other. They may want to balance one against the other.

The new man on Canada's national scene is Union Nationale leader Daniel Johnson, a 34-year-old lawyer who has been 20 years in politics and five years at the head of his Party.

In that time he has completely rebuilt the old Duplessis party by recruiting an attractive following of young candidates. When the Union Nationale fell from power in 1960, there were plenty of predictions that it would not survive. But Daniel Johnson and his men have put bumpty-dumpty together again.

In the aftermath of the Quebec overturn, Ottawa is trying to assess Mr Johnson and his intentions. In opposition and in the election campaign, he talked a more Quebec nationalist game than Mr Lesage.

He has advocated scrapping the British North America Act and starting all over again. He wants Quebec to take over 100 per cent of revenues from the direct taxes it now shares with Ottawa—income tax, corporation tax and succession duties. Quebec now gets 47 per cent of income tax, 24 per cent of corporation tax and 75 per cent of death duties.

On election night, Mr Johnson may have been referring to this when he said Quebec should immediately exercise all its powers under the BNA Act.

If he pursues this line, he will clash with the Federal Government. Ottawa has the right under the BNA act to collect money by means of taxation, including direct taxes.

And Ottawa doesn't intend to give up its rights.

Indications from Finance Minister Sharp are that he will take a tough line this Fall in fiscal negotiations with the Provincial Governments. He'll probably tell them that Ottawa has withdrawn all it intends to from the imposition of direct taxes to make room for the provinces.

If the provinces want more money, they will be invited to levy their own taxes and take responsibility for them.

Such a policy would hit hard at Quebec One of the legacies of the Lesage Government of 1960 to 1966 is a fast rising cost of government. The government moved fast and far in education reform, road building, industrialization and other phases of the Quiet Revolution. But many of the voters knew these reforms only in terms of an increasing tax bill and the promise of a better life by-and-bye

In this context, it is thought likely that any Quebec Government would have come to a clash with Ottawa. The lines have been hardening on both sides and had Mr Lesage remained firmly in power, he would have had to ask for more money and Ottawa would have been almost certain to refuse. One silver lining in the Quebec clouds for Federal Liberals is that it's easier to say no to a political opponent than to somebody in the same political family.

Yet to be assessed is the qual-

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# Those UFOs

(The Montreal Star)

It is most comforting to have a spokesman of the eminence of Sir Bernard Lovell, of Jodrell Bank fame, assure us that unidentified flying objects are all fragments of meteoric or space hardware; or just plain figments of the imagination—the stuff of science fiction rather than science.

Scientists, he says, have been able to explain every UFO they have ever investigated.

But, pariah the thought, how about the ones they have not investigated. How about that one at Three Rivers? How about that one at . . .



# Brent-Hostelter Duo leads in Queen and Princess race

Some'hing new has been added to the Community Centre! A large thermometer adorns the front window of the Centre. Its function is not to tell the temperature (that is all too easily registered by one's goose-pimples this cold June!) but to indicate the relative standings of the Queen and Princess teams in the race to select the Dominion Day Queen

So far the Dorothy Brent - Marian Hostelter combination is in the lead, but there is time for the others to catch up and make a real race. In order to acquaint the general public with the girls concerned, the following statistics are given:

**Charla Astley**—a queen contestant from Grade X is a tall brunette, lively and full of fun. She enjoys sports and has participated in basketball and softball. She enjoys dancing.

**Ruth Dickson**—the princess contestant of the team is a Illusive Grade VII student, who was a valued member of the Cheerleaders in Junior High. Ruth is a newcomer to Tofield, but has made many friends.

**Dorothy Brent**—also a newcomer to Tofield, is a petite brunette in Grade XI who has artistic talent. She enjoys painting in oils.

**Marian Hostetter**—also petite, is a lively Grade VIII student, who shares an interest in art with her Queen-contestant partner and adds interest and ability in sports to her qualifications for Princess.

**Princess Schultz**—well known in Tofield for her interest in music —she is a member of the United Church choir—in CGIT, in sports and in dancing. She was a runner-up this year in the public-speaking contest sponsored by the Rebekahs.

**Verne Appleby**—a Grade VIII student, is an active brunette and has a wide variety of interests. She has been a member of the Junior Choir of the United Church, belongs to C.G.I.T., is a member of the Calf Club, plays basketball and softball.

**Louella Schacher**—a Grade X student, was last year's Valentine Queen in Junior High. She is a tall brunette with many friends. She likes basketball and also dancing. Her aim for the future is to be an airline stewardess. She has lived in Summer district, is presently living in town, and will shortly move to the Lakeshore District.

**Kathy Rogalo**—who is Louella's princess, is a Grade VII student. She is a cheerful brownette who is a member of the Junior High Cheerleaders.

These eight girls are all excellent candidates for the honor of Dominion Day Queen and Princess. Whichever team wins, Tofield can be proud of them. Help your favorite contestant by buying tickets. Watch the Community Centre thermometer for results!

## The weather

| June | Max. | Min. | Barom | Remarks |
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| 8 | 70 | 43 | 27.80 | |
| 9 | 66 | 46 | 27.35 | .53" rain |
| 10 | 52 | 44 | 27.36 | .90" rain |
| 11 | 57 | 44 | 27.44 | |
| 12 | 66 | 48 | 27.67 | |
| 13 | 70 | 41 | 27.70 | .40" rain |
| 14 | 63 | 42 | 27.80 | |
| 15 | 64 | | 27.00 | |


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ity of Mr. Johnson's will and determination, always vital factors in negotiations between governments.

There was no doubt about Mr. Lesage's determination. About him there has been a touch of declanale grandeur and arrogance, a kind of "l'etat, c'est moi" certainty that had little patience with opposition, whether from Ottawa or within his own province.

Mr. Johnson has been described as a mixture of drive and prudence. Editor Claude Ryan of Le Devoir, the Montreal morning daily, once called him "a curious mixture of realism and opportunism".

He has tended to make broad statements of principle—on Quebec's rights and sovereignty, for example, but has avoided getting pinned down on the details so that observers are unsure what he really means. In government, he would be forced to get down to brass tacks.

But those who have watched him warn against underrating Daniel Johnson. He is not a pale reincarnation of Maurice Duplessis. His Union Nationale is a new kind of party with internal democracy instead of the monolithic one-man rule of the Duplessis years.

His success in building this kind of party and using it to topple the Lesage Majority show him to be a clever and astute politician but how he uses his skill from now on is the question causing those pursued frowns at Ottawa.


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# The Ryley Times



## Ryley 4-H Beef Club holds Achievement Dav

On June 7, the Ryley 4-H Beef Club held their achievement day, which commenced with a weigh-in at the Alberta Pacific grain elevator at 8 a.m. After all the calves had been weighed, they were paraded down main street to the skating rink. At 10:00 a.m. a judging contest in which the members participated was held with the official judges giving results as follows: Seniors — Champion Garry Wiens; reserve James Paniec; third, Joan Wiens. Showmanship: 1st, Garry Wiens; 2nd, James Paniec; 3rd Douglas Mearen. Grooming: 1st Garry Wiens; 2nd Joan Wiens; 3rd Ricky Dunck.

Pee Wees — Championship, Duane Teske; reserve Ronald Teske; 3rd Brian Lyons. Showmanship: 1st Elaine Mustedal; 2nd Terry Mezira; 3rd Keven Dagge; Grooming: 1st Diane Hilfred; 2nd Ronald Teske; 3rd Bernie Teske.

Garry Wiens also won the Grand Champion prize in Viking when he competed with Holden and Viking in the Inter-Club competition. In the sale that followed, Garry sold his calf for 30.5 cents per pound. The Ryley 4-H Beef Club feels that the achievement day was a great success and thanked Mr. P. Wiens for donating his time and the elevator agent for the weigh-in.

Mr. Jacobson hauled the calves to Viking for the sale which was sponsored by the Viking Beef Club.

### From the Scrap Book

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## On the Provincial Scene

No part of the country is really "with it" these days unless it has a labor dispute. Alberta managed to join the "in" group last week with a hassle at the Great Canadian Oil Sands project at Fort McMurray.

Mind you, it's not a big dispute like that of Ontario's seaway workers, Quebec's longshoremen or Vancouver's garbagemen, but it's big enough to get the labor department upset.

It seems the government set up a trade school in the town to train men specifically for work on the project. Many of them, previously unemployable, are Indians and Metis. A lot of them have landed jobs on the huge project since taking the adult [illegible] tional courses.

But last week the principal of the school said the Plumbers and Pipefitters Union would sign only five of 10 graduates in welding. The next day he said the union refused to sign any.

Union officials said simply that the entire apprenticeship program is involved but refused to comment further. It is believed they feel the special training program is not adequate, even for assistant tradesmen, although some previous graduates are on the job. Racial discrimination was suggested as a factor and was denied.

The entire situation got very confused by the end of the week and the last word was that the department would give it "close examination".

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The cabinet last week appointed an advisory board to deal with a larger body of workers — Alberta nurses. The council will advise the health minister on all matters concerning nursing practice and education in Alberta.

Meanwhile a large portion of the province's nurses seem to have done alright on their own. Edmonton's 700 nurses appear to have bid successfully for $355 a month.

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The seemingly endless bickering over national parks in Alberta enjoyed another flurry last week.

Industry and Development minister Russ Patrick suggested a commercial zone for a mile on each side of parks' highways might be a nice thing. He said it would be less than five per cent of total park area and would leave most of such nature spots as Jasper and Banff for the mountain climbers and bird watchers.

At the same time he turned down an invitation to appear before the commons Northern Affairs Committee to discuss the subject. He said he didn't have time to go to Ottawa but added it would be nice if the committee came out to Alberta. They may not get too comprehensive a picture sitting in Ontario which has a total of 11 square miles of national parks, said Mr. Patrick.

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Regulations covering the $50 tax rebate to homeowners were approved by the cabinet—although there still seems to be ample confusion about how and when each eligible [illegible] owner will be paid.

What is known is this—the application will be sent by the province to municipalities about the end of the month. The municipalities will send them to home-owners as soon as possible. When they are returned and approved the local government will ask Edmonton for enough money to cover them (plus 50 cents per application for administration) and the cheques will be mailed by the municipality to the eligible applicant.

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The Lands and Forests department has stepped up its [illegible] for preventing erosion in [illegible] areas. The latest move is a booklet aimed at forest management personnel and others such as oil companies, outlining steps to be taken to leave forests and streams intact. Oil companies have promised to co-operate and pay the bill.

YOUR PERSONAL LOAN — Canada's chartered banks may soon have to begin revealing the true interest rate they charge on personal unsecured loans, Clive Baxter says in The Financial Post. The change could be included in the Bank Act amendments due to be presented in Parliament any day now. If this is one of the amendments Finance Minister Sharp has up his sleeve — and there is a growing feeling in financial circles that it is — the move will signal an important victory for the supporters of full and honest disclosure of the true costs of borrowing.


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## Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**AT WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were in Edmonton over the weekend. On Saturday they attended the wedding and reception of Miss Elaine Forgan, eldest daughter of Mrs. Harry Forgan and the late Mr. Forgan. Mrs. William Danilak was in charge of the store while the Chupkas were away.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shyba were in Edmonton over the weekend and attended a house-warming party at the new home of their son and his wife.

Mrs. Laura Christianson, Mrs. Mabel Sisar and Mrs. Mary James were dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Campbell on Tuesday of last week, to meet her sisters who are visiting her.

**LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS**

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion held their regular meeting June 6th with President Ethel Brekstad in the chair. Regular business was attended to and reports received. A report of the Lady Bowlers banquet was [illegible], [illegible]ing a nice profit. Tentative plans were discussed for a dance to be held later in the summer. [illegible] hostess was Mrs. Irvin Fredericks.

Harry Appleby of Vialta Lodge spent Friday in Holden attending the Sports Day. His son Bert motored here to get Mr. Appleby.

Mr. and Mrs. McDougall (nee Connie Barlow) and family, of Spirit River, were visitors for the holiday weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, arriving Friday evening. They were also making the acquaintance of their aunt, Mrs. Gilbert Morris of England, who is here on a three-week holiday, and meeting their aunt, Mrs. Bert Carr, of Ontario.

**MARRIED IN EDMONTON**

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen and David were Edmonton visitors on Friday to attend the wedding rehearsal of the daughter of Mrs. Harry Forgan. They were also guests at the wedding and reception of Mrs. Forgan's eldest daughter Elaine, on Saturday, when Mr. Sorensen gave the bride in marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Sorensen are old family friends of the Forgan family.

**GRAND LODGE MEETS**

H. S. Beveridge attended the Provincial Masonic Grand Lodge in Edmonton the past week, as a delegate from the Holden Lodge. At the regular meeting of Holden Masonic Lodge on June 1, D.D.G.M. Wor. Bro. Beveridge, on behalf of the Lodge, presented Past Master Bro. Taylor with a Life Membership in Masonry.

Mike A. Komarnsky returned home last week, after being a patient in Tofield Hospital for several days, having tests and a check-up.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell entertained this past week at several afternoon coffee parties and dinners in honor of her sisters, Mrs. Gilbert Morris, of High Wycombe, Bucks, England, and Mrs. Bert Carr of Sudbury, Ontario.

Peter Balko returned home the latter part of last week, after visiting with his son and family for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Albrecht had a family gathering Sunday, when their families met at their home for dinner and an afternoon visit.

Mrs. Ted Anderson (nee Muriel Barlow) and children, of Calgary, arrived Friday evening to spend the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, and visit with her aunts, Mrs. Morris of England and Mrs. Carr of Ontario, who are visiting with Mrs. Campbell.

Rev. J. Ruxton and Mrs. Ruxton left for Lloydminster on Saturday, and were overnight guests with friends there. Rev. Ruxton was assisting with the service at the United Church there, delivering the address. Mrs. R. Lutz stayed with the children while their parents were away.

In the absence of Rev. Ruxton, Don McKenzie, student minister, took the service at Holden and Ryley United Churches on Sunday, June 12. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Benson took him to Ryley after the service at Holden. Mr. and Mrs. Benson were dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Mrs. Campbell after returning from Ryley.

Miss Edna Giebelhaus of Jasper was a Friday visitor and overnight guest with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus. Edna came to renew her acquaintance with Mrs. Morris, with whom she visited when on her trip to England a few years ago.

The Holden Cemetery Committee wish to remind residents of the Village and district they will be holding their Tag Day on Saturday, June 18, and Cemetery Day will be Wednesday, June 22. You are also reminded to bring lunch and tools for working in the grounds. Coffee will be provided.

The Ernie Martins of Viking, with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barlow, Muriel Anderson and children of Calgary, Mrs. McDougall and family from Spirit River, Chris Christenson, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell of Leduc, Mrs. Campbell, her sisters Mrs. Gilbert Morris and Mrs. Bert Carr, and Alex Barlow drove over to Elk Island Park on Saturday afternoon and held a family picnic. Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Carr drove back to Leduc Saturday evening to visit with the Ken Campbells on Sunday.

## Kingman district notes

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, June 13 — The Salem Sunday School picnic will be held the evening of June 28th at the old school grounds near the church.

**AT WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Ness and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Swanson, Marion and Jane were guests at the wedding of Sharon Sue and Dr. Melvin Jones at the Norwood United Church, Edmonton on Saturday, June 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson and family spent the weekend at Hinton, and were [illegible] at the home of Mrs. Johnson's nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Olsen.

Miss Alice Simonson of Edmonton spent the weekend with her sister Miss Mabel Simonson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lysang of Fort St. John were visitors the past week with the Lloyd Bjorgums and other relatives in Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bjorgum and family attended the wedding of Marvin Skognes and Carol Crydermann Friday at the Camrose Baptist Church.

Mrs. Sharon Krezanoski started work at the Tom Boy store in Camrose on Monday.

[illegible] Ness and girls of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the J. Ness home. Mrs. I. A. Holte was [illegible] visitor.

Donald Bradley and Carol Kilshon, both of Calgary, were Saturday visitors with Mrs. E. Gundersen and Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Larson and their visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Jens Larson of Langley, B.C. were Sunday visitors with the Nelson family at Bawlf.

The Salem LCW held their June meeting on Thursday evening at the church basement; where Mrs. Morgan Bronsson lead the Bible Study, and Mrs. Olaf Heie the meditation and prayer. It was decided that to serve lunch at the Wruck [illegible] on June 28th. There will be no LCW meetings during July and August.

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## Hastings Lake

Mr. Floyd Baker, MLA for Clover Bar was guest at the Social Credit meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Dunham, June 8th. The next meeting will be at the home of the Dunham boys, July 13th.

The Social Credit picnic has been arranged for Saturday, July 16th.

A good time was enjoyed at the Social Credit Whist Drive held Saturday June 11th. Winners were: Ladies high, Mrs. J. Dunham; low Michael Peterson, playing as a lady. Gents high, Mr. Campion, low, Mrs. Hietmen. The next whist drive will be June 25.

Mrs. M. Gladue has had Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hall of Portland, Ore., staying with her. They returned home last Saturday.

**ATTEND CHRISTENING**

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gladue and Mrs. M. Gladue attended the christening of Debby Gummet, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gummet at St. Mary's Church, Edmonton. Rev. Brown formerly of Tofield officiated at the service.

Holly Teed of Yellowknife is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ward.

## Gotta green thumb?

By Gordon Lindsay Smith

**Don't Wait For Trouble**

Best protection against bugs and disease in the garden is healthy, rapid growth. That can be almost guaranteed by keeping down the weeds, thinning the flowers and vegetables where necessary to promote more rapid and vigorous growth and by light weekly cultivation. The latter in addition to removing weeds and other unwanted plants, also conserves moisture, opens up the soil and permits the plants to make better root growth.

Sometimes, however, in spite of our best efforts the garden is attacked. On the first sign of a wilted or eaten leaf, or of cut worms, tomato worms, aphids, or slugs or other enemies, one should lose no time in getting out the duster, sprayer or bait.

It's a lot easier and cheaper to check one of these attacks before they really get underway. And it is not difficult with all [illegible]

Every seed house is well stocked with sprays, dusts and other controls. Very often [illegible] is a combination of chemicals ready packaged, which will [illegible] handle any bug or garden pest; [illegible], those that suck the juices [illegible] those that attack fruit or roots. Remember that in this as in other types of warfare the best defence is to attack, don't wait until the bugs are in complete control before starting the offensive.

**Make them Blend**

Much too often one sees a good looking flower bed spoiled by a lot of ugly stakes, shingles, labels and strings more conspicuous than the blooms. The neat gardener paints his stakes green or brown or at least uses weathered material that will blend with the foliage. He will also use colored string or neutral raffia for tying up, and he will do this loosely so as not to bunch the plants; and when growth starts he will remove unnecessary stakes and markers. Instead of stakes one can fix brush, firmly in among taller plants while they are still growing and encourage them to grow around and cover the supporting material. This is a particularly good way to handle delphiniums, peonies and other tall bushy plants.

**Your Own Vitamins**

Most people grow at least some of their own vegetables because they know that only from a garden right at the kitchen door can they get real freshness and garden flavor. But fresh picked, homegrown vegetables contain valuable vitamins, which disappear a few hours or at most, a day or two after picking. Lettuce, for instance, and especially leaf lettuce which is more exposed to the sun than the other kinds, is high in vitamin A. Carrots will supply the same vitamin and for a longer period as this vegetable of course will keep well in storage. For vitamins B and [illegible] as well as A, kale is highly recommended. It contains about [illegible] as much vitamin as ordinary cabbage and it is easier to grow. For the highly prized vitamin C nothing is better than a fresh tomato.


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# LARGE AUCTION SALE

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**5 SWATHERS:** 2—16' M-Ferguson No. 30 tractor-drawn swathers (hyd. lift), new, haven't been used yet. — 2—12-ft 402 Cockshutt swathers (hyd. lift and in good condition). — 15-ft. Case swather, with transports.

**4 TRACTORS:** 2 Massey-Harris No. 55 gas tractors, equipped with hydraulics — LA Case tractor, complete with hydraulics. W6 IHC diesel tractor.

**5 DISCERS & SEED DRILL:** 2—12-ft. No. 225 Cockshutt discers, complete with seed boxes and all attachments (18" blades, perfect condition). 12-ft. Massey-Ferguson No. 36 Discers, complete with seed box (20" blades). 12-ft. Cockshutt No. 11 discer, complete (18" blades).

**5 CULTIVATORS, TILLER, PACKER AND HARROW HITCH:** 13-ft. No. 121 Massey-Ferguson tool bar, with spikes and shovels (like new). 10-ft. M-Harris spring tooth cultivator. 10-ft. Allis-Chalmers cultivator (3 point hitch). 7½-ft. International tiller on rubber. — 12 sec. rolling harrow draw bars (hang-up style). [illegible] Crows' Foot lana packer

**6 BALERS:** No. 68 New Holland baler, PTO. — No. 14T J. Deere baler PTO. 2 No. 45 International balers PTO. No. 3 Massey-Ferguson baler, PTO. No. 55 Internat'l baler, with motor.

**4 SIDE DELIV. RAKES:** 5 wheel Kelly Ryan S.D. rake, on rubber. 5 wheel Pollard S.D. rake, on rubber; Case S.D. rake, on steel. International S.D. rake, on steel.

**2 POWER MOWERS:** No. 5, 7-ft. John Deere power mower. — 7-ft. Cockshutt semi-mount mower.

**6 TRUCKS:** 1964 Dodge trailing axle tandem, equipped with V8 motor, 2 speed axle, heavy duty transmission and rear end, 900 x 20 tires, radio, plus Linden 23-ft. grain box and stock racks, plus heavy duty Linden hoist (excellent). 1963 C-800 Dodge tractor, with 5th wheel on full air, 2-way power take-off, 1000x20 tires (motor completely overhauled). 1960 GMC 3-ton truck, 2-speed axle, h.d. trans. and rear end (327 V8 motor) 900x20 tires all around, PTO, grain box and stock racks. 1956, 180 International 3-ton truck with Brantford steel box and hoist, 900x20 tires, 2-speed axle, h.d. rear end & trans., radio (motor completely o'hauled). — 1963 Chev. 1½ ton truck, with Brantford farm hoist, grain box & stock racks, 700x20 tires, 4-speed trans. (fair condition). 1952 Dodge 2½ ton truck, with Brantford hoist, grain box, 2-speed axle, 825x20 tires (good condition). — 1952 Mercury ½ ton truck, radio and good tires. 1952 Studebaker ½ ton truck. — New 8' x 18' grain box for truck.

**10 CARS:** 1963 Custom Sport Pontiac Convertible, fully equipped, all equipment powered inclding windows, bucket seats, council automatic shift, Positraction rear end, with 283 V8 engine and radio (35,000 actual miles, next to new). — 1959 Chev. Impala 2-door hardtop, automatic, 283 V8 engine, Positraction rear end, radio and rear speaker. — 1957, 2-door Belair hardtop, 283 V8 engine, automatic. 1961 Volkswagen, 2-door. 1957, 2-door Pontiac Laurentian hardtop, 283 V8 engine, automatic. — 1955 4-door Meteor, V8, standard. — 2 1954 standard Fords. — 1956 Plymouth, standard. 1954 Plymouth standard.

**3 GRAIN AUGERS:** 27-ft. 7" Robin grain auger, with Clinton 4-0 h.p. engine, like new. — 27-ft. 6" Robin auger, with Briggs & Stratton 5-0 h.p. engine. — 29-ft. 7" Wesgo heavy duty auger, 5-0 h.p. engine.

**MISC.:** Acetylene welder; gas barrel gas pump; lots of wrenches; shovels, forks, tires, truck tarp, 12'x18'; grease guns; hydraulic jacks, bumper jacks; grease pails; oil cans; jerry cans; logging chains, booster cables; crowbars, wire stretchers, etc., etc.

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# TOFIELD SHOWCASE '66

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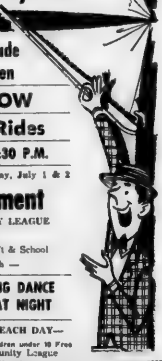

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## Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hooper of Edmonton were weekend visitors with Earl's mother, Mrs. Mary Hooper, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sewers and daughters, of Vermilion, were Friday visitors and overnight guests with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong, attending Holden Sports Day and returning home on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Jones and her aunt, Mrs. Olberg, both of Edmonton, were recent weekend visitors with Alice's mother, Mrs. Carvis Olson.

Mrs. Campbell, her sisters who are visiting with her, Mrs. Gilbert Morris of England, Mrs. Bert Carr of Sudbury, Mrs. Mary Hooper, Mrs. Mabel Siner and Mrs. Laura Christianson were dinner guests on Wednesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Mary James.

Chris Christenson, who has been holidaying at Vancouver for the past two weeks, visiting with his nephews and friends, returned home the early part of last week. Chris reports a very good holiday, and he enjoyed the bus trip through Rogers Pass.

Mrs. Melvin Carlson and young son Eric returned home the end of last week from their trip, after visiting with her parents and other relatives for two weeks at Penticton, B.C. They made the trip with their eldest son, Robbie Carlson of Red Deer, travelling by car.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow and Chris Christenson were dinner guests with Mrs. Campbell and sisters on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Adel spent the holiday weekend at Medicine Hat visiting with Mrs. Adel's family, and attending the wedding of Mrs. Adel's sister.

Zane Bilyk was a business visitor in Edmonton on Wednesday, and Helen has been in Vancouver this past week attending the funeral of a relative.

**TO B.C.**

Lloyd Clark and his sister, Miss June Clark, left early Sunday morning for Dawson Creek, B.C., where they will visit for six weeks with their sister Vera and family. Mrs. Arthur Story drove to Edmonton with them to see them on their way.

Mr and Mrs. Pete Ogmoski are taking their annual holiday, and left Monday morning for Edmonton en route to Jasper, Radium Hot Springs, Banff and other points in the mountains. Nick Komarnisky will be looking after the water system and other utilities.

Albert Kondrat is not very well and is under the doctor's care. He has been a frequent hospital patient the past few months.

Mrs. Augustine of Edmonton, a former Holden district resident, has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Siner and other friends in the district.

Melvin Hooper and his mother, Mrs. Joe Hooper, and Mrs. Mary James were Edmonton visitors last Thursday. Melvin and his mother visited with Mr. Hooper in the Good Samaritan Nursing Home, and Mrs. James was on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hovland and [illegible] of Hillsdown were visitors and supper guests last Sunday at the home of his father, Chris Hovland, and brothers, Reuben and Ray. Mrs. Halgren of Camrose was also a visitor and supper guest with the Hovlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were Friday visitors in Edmonton.

Leonard Johnson of Camrose and his sister, Mrs. Benta Piles, of Sunnyside, Wash., U.S., who is visiting with him and other relatives, and Mr and Mrs. A. L. Hovland, also of Camrose, were dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Chris Hovland and sons Reuben and Ray.


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## Ministik news items

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

Church services continue each Sunday, with Tom Stephens, student minister conducting.

Keith Herricks spent the week end as a guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Herricks of Namao at Jasper.

**FARM IS SOLD**

Jim and Robert Barber have sold their farm and will be moving in the near future to their new holdings in the Barrhead area.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rolheiser have sold their home in Edmonton and have moved to their farm here. Mr. Rolheiser commutes daily to the city, where he is employed.

Mr and Mrs. Keith Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swabey enjoyed a weekend fishing trip at a secluded lake west of Peace River.

Mrs. Les Whitford has her sister from Brandon as a guest for a few days before she goes to the west coast to visit other relatives and friends.

Spilstead ball club were host at their diamond to the Ministik team, Ministik being the victors by a large score.

**LADIES CLUB IN CITY**

Last Wednesday 17 members of the Ministik Ladies Club motored to Edmonton where they were guests of Mrs. Dorothy Dick and her mother, Mrs. Irene Williams. After the business session, a social afternoon was spent visiting and a delicious lunch served by the hostesses.

Once again the annual Strawberry Tea was a huge success. Mrs. Andrew Ferguson, the convenor wishes to thank all who came and all who helped in any way to make it the success it was. Mrs. George Herricks of Namao was the winner of the coffee table raffle.

**INJURED IN FALL**

Mr. Verden Sears received word last Saturday that his aged father of 93 years had fallen and fractured his hip. Latest word is that he is recovering rapidly.

Gordon Kilfoyle who is now working at Debdin, Alberta, spent the weekend at his home on the [illegible]

Mrs. Helen Hennessy and her sister and brother-in-law, the Jim Moores of Whitecourt motored to Winter, Sask., to visit a sister, Mrs. M. Likness for a few days.

Tom Stephens, student minister was making social calls in the community on Friday afternoon.

Deepest sympathy is extended from all her Ministik friends to Mrs. Andy Anderson of Duncan, B.C., in the loss last week of her husband. Mrs. Anderson was better known to most people here as Mrs. Barber.

**WELL 'WITCHER'**

Melvin Loch and Jim Roddick motored to Josephburg Monday evening, where Jim "witched" a well for Melvin's cousin who recently purchased an acreage there.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter George and Melvin were weekend guests of Mrs. S. George. Bill and Georgina called on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Mason, Vera and Danny were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick and family, also calling on the Jim Roddicks.

Mrs. Maude Mewatt of Edmonton has been spending several days with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth.


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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr and Mrs Lars Olsen of Holden and Mr and Mrs Glen Olsen and son of Calgary were Sunday afternoon callers with Ben and Kay Coombes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Goodwin and family, of Olds, spent the weekend with Annie McGinitie and Edith Turner

Harold Coombes was fishing near Ashmont over the weekend

Mr and Mrs David Boese and Esther motored to Linden to visit with Mrs Boese's mother, Mrs. Heidebrecht, and were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boese at Didsbury.

Irene Lawson, of Edmonton, was home for the weekend with her parents, Mr and Mrs Martin Lawson and the boys.

Mr and Mrs Alex Sagan and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Thomas, of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon callers at the Ivan Mitchell home Mrs. Sagan and Mrs. Thomas are cousins of Mrs. Mitchell.

A number of the Ketchamoot ladies attended "The Cooks' Talent" and bake sale on Saturday afternoon at the Tofield United Church.

# Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Borstad of Grande Prairie arrived at the home of Doreen's brother, Graham Saider on Monday Doreen stayed on the farm and visited while Elmer attended to business in Edmonton, until Thursday afternoon when they returned to their home.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteer workers under the supervision of Ernie Ferrel, have been making good progress on the Ross Creek United Church. Anyone who is willing to donate a few hours of time any evening is asked to be at the building site, and their help will be greatly appreciated.


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ACTING ON INSTRUCTIONS FROM

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PLEASE NOTE: Any ladies wishing to contribute to this Sale may do so by bringing their furniture down to the Beaver Co-op the morning of the 25th. We have a lot of fine furniture on hand and expect more to come in from contributors, so please don't forget the date, place and time.

TERMS CASH — Nothing to be removed until settled for!

— AUCTIONEERS —

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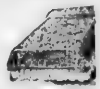

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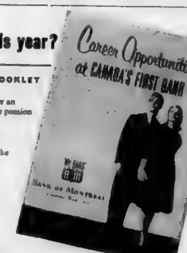


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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

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A number of the Ketchamoot ladies attended "The Cooks' Talent" and bake sale on Saturday afternoon at the Tofield United Church.

# Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

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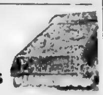

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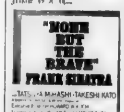


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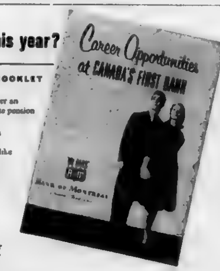


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To all who remembered me with cards and visits, to the Doctors who repaired me, and to the staff of the Tofield Hospital who helped to make my stay as pleasant as possible, a heartfelt "Thank You".
—Merlin L. Stauffer. 43c-3730

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our friends for their kindness, messages, memorials and floral tributes during our recent bereavement.
—Edith, William, Elizabeth and Grandchildren. 43c-3746

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many relatives, friends and neighbours for their messages of sympathy, memorials, floral tributes and many acts of kindness extended to us in our recent loss of our son and brother Earl. May we give God the glory for surrounding us with your prayers.
—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Francis and Family 43c-3747

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Doctors and Nurses and all the Hospital Staff for all the kindness shown me during my stay in the hospital. Also, special thanks to all those who sent me flowers and cards. Thank you. —A. Heitman. 42p-3333

## FUTURE DATES

**BASEBALL TOURNAMENT AT ROUND HILL**

A Baseball Tournament will be held at Round Hill on Saturday, June 18. Five teams will compete for the prize money — Holden, Ryley, Tofield, Bardo and Round Hill. There will be pony rides for the children. Lunch booth on the grounds will be open till midnight. Admission: adults, 50c; 15 years and under, free. Grand dance in the evening. Admission $1.00 per head. 41-43c-3749

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[redacted]
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Preacher Rev. Wm. Hincks, United Church Missionary from Zambia
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**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
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TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
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Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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**Sunday, June 19**

10:15 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School.

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**Sunday, June 19**

Annual Sunday School Picnic
All events to take place outdoors, 1 mile west and 2 south of church.
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups
11:15 a.m.—Message and Song.
Thursday, June 23rd, 8:00 p.m. —Mission report from HCGB Quito, Ecuador.
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**Pastor Stanley Rude**
**Sunday, June 19**

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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Pastor Don McLean**
**Sunday, June 19**

10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 2:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

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# Ross Creek and district news

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Remember the Lilac Tea and Bazaar which will be held on Sat. June 18 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Ross Creek Community Centre. The affair is sponsored by the Ross Creek United Church Women, with proceeds going to the United Church Building Fund.

**SHOWER PARTY**

On Saturday evening a miscellanious shower was held in the Ross Creek Community Center honoring JoAnne McLachlin, bride-elect of July 16, to Jim Carter. After a social hour of games and contests JoAnne opened the many lovely gifts, assisted by her three bridesmaids. JoAnne very graciously thanked all the ladies and invited them all to visit her at her new home in Edmonton. A delicious lunch was served by the Ladies Aid.

Mrs. Shirley McDonald and children spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Ferrel.

**BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED**

Doris Schacher, Alice Causey, Lil VanBuskirk, Patsy Laxton, Mickey Niemetz, Violet Bailey, Mae Ferguson, Irene Warner, Mrs. Roberts, Joan Warner and Mrs. Robertson spent Monday afternoon with Doris Brown. Alice Causey, Doris Brown and Lil VanBuskirk all celebrated birthdays.

Mrs. J. Bailey of Tofield and Irene Warner accompanied Alice Causey to Edmonton on Thursday evening to attend a shower for Diane Sadoway, at the home of Mrs. Bennett. Diane's marriage to Terry Causey is an event-to-be of July 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McLachlan and Georgina motored to Alliance on Friday to visit Winnie's brother, Hugh Duncan and family. On Saturday, they attended the opening celebration of the "Turn of the Wheel" Motor Motel at Killam, which Winnie's brother will be operating.

Mr. B. Elserman of Medicine Hat spent the weekend with his granddaughter and her family, Mrs. Mabel Hauer.

Mrs. Doris Schacher accompanied Mrs. Mabel Hauer to Red Deer on Monday to visit Mabel's mother, Mrs. Elsie Schacher, who is in the hospital there.

Mrs. Rose Woytowich has returned home from the hospital with her new baby boy, Terry Michael, who arrived at the Mundare Hospital on June 6th.

Several families attended the Church services and picnic at Camp Agape combined with the Lamont United Church on Sunday. An enjoyable time was reported.

## SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL CENTRALIZATION

In accordance with a Resolution of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta, passed on April 15th, 1966, a Special Committee, consisting of the following Members of the Assembly:

R. B. Lamothe (Chairman)
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M. Maccagno

has been appointed for the purpose of enquiring into and receiving representations and recommendations as to:

1. **The interest and concern of the public with respect to the centralization of schools,**
2. **The educational opportunities presently being offered in elementary and secondary schools,** [illegible]
3. **The problem of centralization and consolidation in the rural areas and smaller cities with particular reference to vocational high schools.**

The Committee invites the submission of Briefs by all interested parties, particularly local level branches of the Alberta Teachers Association, Alberta School Trustees Association, Home and School Association, Farmers Union of Alberta, Farm Women's Union of Alberta, Chambers of Commerce, school and municipal authorities, religious organizations and all other interested individuals or associations.

Seven copies of each Brief should be forwarded to the Committee not later than July 15th, 1966, after which time public meetings will be held in various centres of the Province to hear representations in support of the Briefs submitted.

Address Briefs and correspondance to:

**The Secretary,**
**Legislative Committee on School Centralization,**
**313 Legislative Building,**
**Edmonton, Alberta.**

R. B. Lamothe, Chairman
Legislative Committee on School Centralization.
(28-29-30)

## Oscar Anderson dies in Duncan hospital

Funeral services were held on Monday, June 6, in Hirst's Chapel at Duncan, B.C., for Oscar Axelson Anderson, who [illegible] away Friday, June 3, in a hospital there. Rev. George Fraser of Bethel Baptist Church officiated at the services.

Mr. Anderson was born at Gali Fafer, Sweden, 75 years ago, and had been a resident of Duncan and district for the past 15 years, going there from Frenchman's Butte, Sask.

He is survived by his wife, Bertha (formerly of Ministik), and family.

## Don McLean to study at 'Tech'

Mr. and Mrs. Don McLean have asked the consent of the Tofield and Kingman Baptist Churches for a leave to extend Mr. McLean's education. This fall he plans on taking some training at the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology, then later furthering his Bible College studies in preparation for continued Christian service in the field of Missionary Radio Work.

While residing in Edmonton, Mr. McLean will be carrying on the regular weekly Sunday services for the summer months.

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# James Francis passes June 4

The late James Earl Francis passed away at his home in Tofield on Saturday, June 4th, 1966 at the age of 40 years. Earl was born Nov 26, 1925 in Tofield, where he grew up and received his early education

Upon completion of high school he farmed in the district with his parents, at the same time participating in many community activities Following this, fourteen years were spent in the Artic. In recent years, he returned to take up further studies in Petroleum Technology He was employed by the Stratigraphic Service of Calgary up to a short time before his passing.

He is survived by his loving parents, Mr. and Mrs J R. Francis, one sister, Josephine of Tofield; four brothers, Jack of Edmonton, Keith of Tofield, Reed of Ardrossan and Garry of Calgary; five nieces and two nephews.

Rev. H. B. Ricker of Azme officiated at the funeral service. A special number was rendered by Keith Appleby

Interment took place in the Tofield Cemetery, with Andrew McLaughlin Funeral Chapel (1964) Ltd., in charge of arrangements Pallbearers were Frank Smith (Vermilion) Herb Warner (Edmonton) John Baergen, Bernon Walker, Dennis Riel and Lloyd Ferguson all of Tofield.

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# Council . . .

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shed, valued at $320; and to Feketa Construction Limited for a dwelling valued at $15,000

Correspondence from the Alberta Centennial Committee indicated that approval was received from Provincial and Federal Governments re Centennial Library Building project. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to contact Watson (Tofield) Limited for a plan and a bid on this project

The Alberta Assessment Appeal Board has ordered the removal from the 1966 Assessment Roll of the dwelling on Parcel A, Plan 4094 CL, owned by J. W. Robinson, thus reducing the assessment of improvements from $2,230 to $1,310

Council was unanimous in a decision to ask the recommended insurance company of Reed Shaw and McNaught to prepare an insurance survey for the Town of Tofield

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# Kingman briefs

## PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER

The Kingman Baptist Church parlour was the scene of a miscellaneous shower on Friday evening for Linda Erickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Erickson of Tofield, and Wayne Schmidt of the district.

A large crowd was present and the young couple were the recipients of a fine array of lovely and useful gifts for which they expressed their sincere thanks.

Mrs. Don Murray and Mrs. Herb Asp led in a couple of entertaining contests and games. Miss Lynn Murray assisted with the gift list and several girls helped with the opening of the gifts. Wayne and Linda will be married on June 18th at the Tofield United Church.

# Mrs. Davison passes in her 81st year

Mrs. Mary Davison, pioneer of Tofield, passed away in the Tofield Hospital, June 10, 1966.

She was born August 23, 1885, in Hillton, Nova Scotia

She received her early schooling in Canning, N.S., and attended Halifax Ladies College. In 1906 she worked for the T. Eaton, Co., Toronto as a telegraph operator. In 1908 she came west to Lethbridge as a CPR telegraph operator She was married to Ralph Davison of Birmingham, England, August 3, 1911 in All St. Cathedral, Edmonton, and came to Tofield that same week.

They made their home in Tofield until after her husband's death in 1921. Mrs. Davison and her brother, Wm. Stairs, then moved to a farm just west of the town, where she continued to live until 1946 when she retired to live in Tofield. Always interested in young people and community life she took an avid part in curling and baseball

Left to mourn her loss are one daughter, Edith; one son William and family all of Tofield, and one brother William Stairs of Abbotsford, B C

Funeral services were held in the Tofield United Church Monday, June 13. Rev. Barkwell of Viking officiating Interment in the Tofield cemetery with Horace McIleffey, Joe Kallal, Toby Nomeland, Al Innes, Pat Sears and Roy Whillans acting as pallbearers.

Andrew McLaughlin Funeral Chapel in charge of arrangements.

# Fire destroys truck and gas

Daryl Albrecht, Ryley was driving a gas truck six miles south of Ryley when he noticed sparks from his rear view mirror. He stopped and jumped out, with his fire extinguisher in his hand. However, the truck was in flames already, so he ran to the nearest farm to summon help. The truck was destroyed by the time assistance came. At the time of the fire he had a full load of fuel with the exception of one compartment that he had just emptied There was no explosion The truck was owned by Ryley Motors.

# Develop another butter substitute

The Ontario Agricultural College reports development of a new low cost dairy spread that looks and tastes like butter The new spread contains less than half the amount of fat found in butter and margarine, but has about seven times as much protein.

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# Six categories for Dominion Day parade

"Showcase 66" parade entries will fit in the folowing categories in the parade:

1. Best decorated float, non-commercial;
2. Best decorated float, commercial,
3. Best decorated horse and rider;
4. Best decorated car;
5. Best novelty (based on originality,
6. Best decorated bicycle

All entrants must contact Parade Marshal A. C. Francis.

D. W. (Mudge) Jacobs, Reed Burchard and Art Francis are in charge of this year's parade and would be happy to answer any questions regarding categories for the parade. Any entries may be phoned to Mr. Jacobs, who will welcome them.

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# 'Home stretch' to Showcase '66

So many horses and riders are entered in the Tofield Jumping Sweepstakes this year that an open contest as well as the intermediate contest may have to be held.

Horace Seller quotes Donald Macdonald as saying, "Tofield is now on the circuit for the Canadian Cutting Horse and Western Canada Hunter and Jumper Equestrian Association, so we may be assured of continuing fine entertainment provided by this organization at Showcase '66 Horses and riders from all over Alberta will be present to thrill Tofield spectators on Dominion Day".

The executive of the Tofield Community League heard the above report as well as several others from committee heads at the meeting held Monday night, with president Lionel Borton in the chair.

Prizes for the successful Queen-and-Princess contest as well as lesser prizes for the unsuccessful candidates were decided upon This bevy of beautiful young ladies will ride on a specially-constructed float and the winners will be crowned just inside the main gate while the judges are making and recording their final decisions The president of the League will officiate at the crowning of the Queen and Princess.

The grounds committee of the League have been busy putting the ball diamonds in shape, and will erect a new backstop this week.

## PARADE TAKES SHAPE

The parade committee, Art Francis, D W Jacobs and Reed Burchard, have contacted businesses and organizations in town regarding floats As the parade is always a major attraction, how about contacting one of the Parade Committee and entering a decorated car, bicycle or float? How about a fleet of Hondas—decorated, of course—in the parade? And, of course, the ever-popular horses and their bedecked riders will be in the parade of Showcase '66 The parade will be led by the Andrew School Boys' Band who last year gave such an impressive performance

Thanks to the Tofield Fire Department, bleachers will be brought from Golden's farm and set up for the use of spectators at the horse show Parking will also be directed by this able group of men

The school display will be in the Curling Rink and owners of exhibits are asked to take their entries at 5:00 p.m Otherwise, they will be returned to the school

Mrs Mabel Boyles and Mrs Hazel Patterson will welcome entries to the handicraft display they are assembling If you have an entry of handicraft or a collection of any sort, please contact one of these ladies They are appealing, especially for exhibits from those over 70 years of age and those under 17 Again exhibitors are reminded that this is not a commercial venture, and no sales or sales-promotion is allowed Whether you have an entry or not come and view those of other people. You will be most interested.

Those sporting red ribbons with "Old Timer" and "Tofield Historical Society" will be former citizens (and perhaps present citizens) of the Tofield community The ribbons will be given when Old Timers register in the lobby of the Curling Rink The quilt, featuring the brands belonging to the cattlemen of this area, will be on display.

## BALL TOURNAMENT

Lionel Borton announces that the two-day ball tournament will give Tofielders and their guests some great entertainment The actual plays of the game will be announced by Doug Lehman so that you may keep track of the progress of the game even while you are a customer at the Ladies' food booth or at the hot-dog booth Little League and Pee-Wee ball will also be featured. The young lots put on a good exhibition of ball, so be sure to see one or all of the games when Ryley, Holden,

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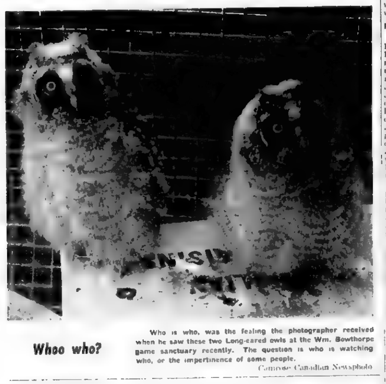

**Whoo who?**

Who is who, was the fealing the photographer received when he saw these two Long-eared owls at the Wm. Bowthorpe game sanctuary recently. The question is who is watching who, or the impertinence of some people.

Camrose Canadian Newsphoto

# George Meyer leaves Mercury

Following nearly seven years with The Camrose Canadian, George Meyer this week severed his association to move south to Taber, where he plans to purchase The Taber Times, another well-established weekly newspaper.

Mr Meyer moved to Camrose from Nanton, where he had been a partner in The Nanton News, winning several prizes for the excellence of his paper there

Mr Meyer took over as editor of The Tofield Mercury four and a half years ago when the then publisher, Cliff Patterson, moved to the United States, and sold his paper to The Canadian During that period, he has tried to maintain and improve the standard of local news coverage for the Highway 14 communities served by The Mercury.

As well as superintending the firm's commercial printing operations, he could fill in in emergency as a linotype operator or compositor, and many times helped to speed up production in holiday periods

Mrs Meyer and the three children will remain in Camrose for a short time, but expect to move south in the near future

Versatile in the composing room as well as the office Mr. Mayer served capably in several

GEORGE MEYER

areas of The Canadian's operation from time to time Well known for his sports pages he was also familiar as a reporter in many circles, notably County and City Councils, and Chamber of Commerce, as well as using a camera with a great deal of success

In Camrose, he was actively associated with a wide field of community activities in addition to his newspaper duties and was popularly known in many circles. Keenly devoted to the United Church he sang in the choir throughout his entire period here, and served on a number of church committees in addition A past president of the Barbershoppers he was named barbershopper of the year [illegible]

## Weather . . .

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| 19 | 66 | 40 | 27 55 | 3" rain |
| 20 | 71 | 40 | 27 52 | — |
| 21 | 69 | 55 | 27 44 | — |

# Tofield Gun Club has 3rd blackpowder shoot

Next Sunday morning a blast from a miniature cannon will signal the official opening of the Tofield Gun Club's Third Annual Blackpowder Shoot Competitors are expected from several distant points to be on hand to compete for trophys in nine separate competitions, all to be shot with the guns of yesteryear.

Muzzleloading rifles, shotguns and pistols will again belch large clouds of noxious smoke as will early breechloaders, as the 30 or more entrants vie for the highest scoring target in each event The finale will be a stake-cutting competition, in which four-man teams attempt to shoot off the top of a two inch stake faster than any other team This event, and several others of the more spectacular events will be run off in mid-afternoon when the maximum number of spectators will be on hand.

The club would like to invite

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# Camrose and Tofield Witnesses at conference in Vancouver

(Ronald Larson)

More than 50 Jehovah's witnesses in the Camrose area are making plans to attend a district convention in Vancouver's Empire Stadium, August 3 7 while almost the entire congregation in the Kingman area are making plans to attend, reported Torsten Tollefson, presiding minister

A crowd of 35,000 is expected from all parts of the Pacific Northwest, and they are gathering for the purpose of listening to stimulating Bible discussions concerning God's will for man on earth

Ronald Larson, presiding minister of the Camrose congregation, said today this will be one of a series of thirteen conventions in North America this summmer

## MacDuff Ottawa report

OTTAWA — Some of those tough-minded, sophisticated Liberals who feel they are born to govern have apparently decided that Life with Lester isn't so bad after all.

Just a few months ago it wasn't hard to find Liberals who said Lester Pearson should quit as Prime Minister and leader of the party.

They said he and Conservative Leader John Diefenbaker were of another age, embroiled in a private feud that had little to do with the problems of government of Canada.

Now it's a different story. Top Liberal candidates for Mr. Pearson's job are tripping over their own feet in a frantic race to boost their leader.

This has been such an obvious and deliberate development that it's even earned itself a name.

Newsmen around Ottawa are calling it "The Bolster Lester Club".

First it was Transport Minister Pickersgill, in Newfoundland a few weeks ago, who told his audience that Mike was the man for the Liberals.

Stories that Mr. Pearson should resign, said Mr. Pickersgill, were nothing more than a dirty plot by the Conservatives to demoralize the Liberals and divert attention from their own leadership problems.

Then Health Minister MacEachen joined the chain in a speech in Ontario. He heaped praise on the Prime Minister, and said he would go down in history as the right man at the right time for Canadian Confederation.

In the House of Commons a few days later, Finance Minister Sharp, one of the main contenders for leadership of the party, put his heart on his sleeve.

"I, for one, and I know I speak for all members on this side of the House, hope that Prime Minister Pearson remains as leader of this party as long as he has the strength and patience to continue", said Mr. Sharp.

"There will never be a revolt in this party designed to unseat him", added Mr. Sharp, with a meaningful glance in Mr. Diefenbaker's direction.

"Whenever the party of which you are the leader gets into difficulties fraught with ominous divisions within its ranks, it then engages in the rare game of trying to create troubles in other parties". Mr. Simms told Mr.

All these developments have strengthened him as leader and Diefenbaker

The Liberal rumblings of a few months ago may now be attributed to a dark Conservative plot—but not very convincingly. The fact is that in March, when the Victor Spencer and Gerda Munsinger cases were boiling, many of Pres Liberal wanted to ditch his leader.

Now there is a campaign, started by the faithful and joined by the not-so-faithful, to build up the leader.

The campaign has worked well —so well in the view of some Liberals who would rather like to be leader of the party and Prime Minister of the country.

The campaign came along just at a time when Mr. Pearson was distinguishing himself in a number of different ways, and was earning new credit even without the help of his supporters.

At the same time some heavy pressures were removed from him—at least temporarily—by the defeat of the Lesage Government in Quebec.

Jean Lesage is a Liberal and Lester Pearson is a Liberal. But rather than creating a flood of co-operation between Quebec and Ottawa, that fact created instead severe difficulties and tensions for Mr. Pearson.

Those who are close to him have noticed in recent days that he has been more relaxed and confident than he has been, in all probability, since he became Prime Minister.

His top ministers are supporting him valiantly, he doesn't have to worry about Jean Lesage, and it's still too too early to know how much he'll have to worry about the new Quebec Premier Daniel Johnson.

The Commons has been moving fairly efficiently. The Opposition hasn't been able to stall effectively on anything. He seems to know where he's going on the big programs like Medicare, the Canada Assistance Plan, and revisions to the Bank Act.

His prestige was greatly enhanced by his last-minute intervention in the disastrous strike of Quebec longshoremen, and he was given much of the credit for settling it.

Just before that he made two speeches in the United States in which he took a strong line independent of, and in some respects in opposition to, the U.S. policy on NATO.

These were important speeches, creative speeches, the kind that indicate vigorous and intelligent leadership in international affairs by a Prime Minister, and probably

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## Life with Lester



## Ignorance is no excuse

"Ignorance of the law is no excuse" is an axiom which has stood the test of time, and indeed, well it should. If ignorance could be pleaded as a valid defence, no one would bother to bone up on regulations.

However, it's a pretty tough situation for the average layman when even members of the legislature can't keep abreast of developing legislation, and this situation was confessed to us recently by an Alberta MLA who knew a new law was in the mill someplace, but wasn't sure of its status at the moment, and indeed, felt it had been proclaimed when in fact it hadn't yet reached that stage.

In the light of all this, is was something of a surprise at a school board meeting Monday evening to hear a highways branch officer casually remark a new vehicle testing program would be launched July 1st, whereby travelling patrols could order motorists to report in to a Safety Lane for a check of their vehicle. If the vehicle is found faulty, it may be given a certain length of time to come up to standard, or even ordered off the road. Motorists interested in having their own vehicles checked may also drive in voluntarily.

The idea is excellent. It's been advocated for months by this column and many other writers on the field of highway safety, with seemingly little response from the minister of highways.

We're delighted to see something being done about banishing impossibly unsafe vehicles.

But we're absolutely incredulous that such a piece of legislation could be instituted without any advance publicity. It is scandalous that motorists should not have any notice of the program contemplated.

This is one more of the 112 bills passed at the last sitting of the legislature, when so much material was rammed through that the lance corporal's guard on the opposition side couldn't possibly keep up, and little publicity, or comment was occasioned by the bill, either then or later.

Monday night's spokesman assured his hearers there was no intention of being nearly "so tough" as in some other areas, such as Ontario, for instance. But if the law can be introduced with so little notice to the huge section of the public who are motorists, what is there to say it can't suddenly be "toughened" up with equally little notice?

We're all for the program of checking cars for safety, but we're concerned that a week before its introduction nobody outside the department knows anything about it.

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## By George!

BYE, GEORGE!

(Caption courtesy "By" Reeser)

By the time my ever-lovin' faithful readers see this column and providing there are no hitches in my plans, "By George" will have taken his leave from Camrose, and will be searching for a home for his family in Southern Alberta. Yes, sir, dear reader, this is farewell.

Looking back over the files I've seen several of three "By George" columns I'd gladly see again, but there were three weeks when there wasn't too much to say, and I must genuinely admit I did a masterful job of filling the space and still saying nothing.

Camrose has been wonderful to my family and me. We came here a little over 6½ years ago from Southern Alberta—a family of three. Now we're a family of five, and our oldest of three girls who celebrated her first birthday shortly after our arrival in the Rose City, will be wending up the second year of her schooling next week. It hardly seems possible so many changes have occurred in the relatively short space of nearly seven years.

We love Camrose very much. It's a beautiful city, full of wonderful people. We've never been so richly endowed with kind, thoughtful, understanding friends. The most saddening part of this move is having to leave these friends behind. One thing is sure: They'll never be forgotten.

And now a word or two about the people I've worked with at The Canadian. No one could ask for two finer fellows, of course, than my business partners, Ken Patrige and Chuck MacLean. Our association has been a most happy one.

There isn't a more devoted crew, I'm sure, in the city of Camrose than the boys on the back shop of The Canadian. Always cheerful and willing, there isn't one among them that I'm not proud to count as, in the words of Jack Parr, "I had you not".....and that!

And the girls in the office! Well here's another remarkable, hard-working crew that never fails to go the extra mile or to help whenever or wherever possible.

Well, it's pretty easy to sit at a typewriter and put all this down on a piece of paper, but quite honestly, I doubt if I could say these things to these people, for it's darned hard to talk with a big lump in your throat!

Thanks, everyone, for being so kind to me, my wife, and our three little girls.

—By George" Meyer.



## MacDuff Ottawa report

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also provide him with some moments of mild amusement and irony as he considers the change within only a few months.

So Mr. Pearson is riding high for the moment. But he probably appreciates as much as his staunchest critics how ephemeral his position is, and how easily it can be assailed.

Mr. Justice Spence's report on the Gas-Arctic Manager affair, expected by the end of June, can and probably will roll the political waters in the summer.

And the private and debilitating embarrassment with John Diefenbaker is a nothing very real and dangerous. In moments of political crisis, as are sure to come, this feud damages Canada and the quality of political life.

Mr. Pearson, who doesn't have a lust to retain power, does stand now in a stronger position. But he is not likely to use it to produce his career.

He's stronger because his party is defending him. He is stronger because the Liberal voice in Quebec is no longer the Government of Quebec, but is heard as loudly in Ottawa from Quebec members.

About all he asks is that his strength last through crucial tax negotiations with the provinces and that his prestige last through Centennial Year.

## Cubs have fun at camp-out

Twenty-seven Cubs of First Tofield Cub Pack enjoyed their annual overnight hike, leaving at 6:30 a.m. from in front of Tofield's Legion Hall. Dressed in full uniform the cubs embarked in seven vehicles and proceeded to Floating Stone Lake.

Upon arriving at their destination at approximately 9:15 a.m. the Cubs were immediately put to a bench and then they were divided among eight boats for a couple hours of fishing.

Return'ng from the fishing jaunt around noon, the Cubs got into their swimming trunks and went into the lake until dinner time. After dinner tents were set up and assigned, bed rolls were put in order, and everybody got settled. A half hour rest period followed.

Around 5:00 p.m. a brief storm hit the camp, but it was well protected by trees and no damage was done among the hardy outdoorsmen. The storm was all over in 20 minutes, the lake levelled out as smooth as glass, so the cubs again took to their boats for another fishing jaunt. They returned from fishing and had a weiner roast before going sleepily to their tents, and bed rolls.

Sunday morning all the boys were up bright and early for a breakfast of bacon, eggs and pancakes. The pancakes were poured, flipped expertly, and served by Ken Eastlick, who was kept on the job for two hours to feed the hungry cubs.

Fishing was again indulged in until about noon, when the cubs had another sojourn in the water, where they stayed until dinner was served. After dinner, amid loud lamentations, the tents were taken down, beds were rolled up, gear packed and all was loaded for the return trip. Two short games of "pioneers and Indians" ended the activities, the cubs then boarding the cars for the trip back home.

The caravacade arrived back at the Tofield Legion Hall at approximately 5:15 p.m. on Sunday, and the tired but happy cubs were dispersed to their respective homes.

The Cub leaders wish to give special thanks to the following people who supplied great help without which the Cub Camp could not have taken place: Geo. Arnett, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Eastlick, Wade Gallinger, Ken Appleby, Stan Glover, Norman Glover, Jack Hardy, Carol Swanson, Arny Klassen, Mrs. Ellis Hardy, and Bill Willson of Edmonton.

## Gun Club members at Edmonton shoot

Alan Warner, Gordon Warner, Jack Nolan, Glen Rietl and Larry Willson of the Tofield Gun Club travelled to Edmonton on June 19th to participate at the Alberta Arms and Cartridge Collectors' annual shooting competitions.

Alan Warner was the big winner from Tofield, taking home first prize trophies in the cartridge rifle muzzle loading shotgun and exploding target hand-gun events. Jack Nolan won first prize in the breech loading shotgun event, while Glen Rietl took second place cup in the same event in addition. both Alan Warner and Larry Willson took prizes for the old-time costumes they were.

This is a very good showing for the local gun club, as this was the provincial shoot and there were competitors from all over the province including both major centers and Hinton. The black powder shooting competition also enjoyed TV coverage

## Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Ellen Eaton)

Sympathy of the district goes to Miss Edith Davison and Bill Davison and family on the recent death of their mother, Mrs. Davison Sr., at the Tofield Hospital on June 16th. Funeral services were held on June 18th at the Tofield United Church with interment in Tofield Cemetery.

On Monday, June 13, George and Ida Niemetz motored to Edmonton in the afternoon, where they picked up their daughter, Gail Niemetz after work and all were supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Ida's sister Emma and Ed Schultz.

Sunday June 19th visitors at the home of George and Ida Niemetz were, Ida's sister, Ruth and Carman Fuller and boys of Edmonton who were afternoon and evening visitors and supper guests. Also supper guests and evening visitors were their daughter Gail Niemetz and Bob Conibie both of Edmonton and Johnny and Lillian Warwa and baby Michael.

Mrs. Ratl. Wickenheiser motored to Edmonton with her grandson, Donald Jones on June 9th and spent the weekend with Ruth's daughter and Donald's mother, Mrs. Vivian Jones. On Sunday, Roy motored to the city with his daughter, Janet Warkentin and all were supper guests at Vivian's home. Roy and Ruth and grandson Donald returned home later.

On June 16th, (Farmer's Day) Martha Tiedemann and daughter Mary, Martha's two daughter's, Yvonne and Peter Brown and baby Daniel, and Lucille Tiedemann of Ketchamont, Martha's father, Emil Gendahl of Tofield, David Bertch of Edmonton, Sandy and Irene Scott and girls of Lindbrook and Eric and Bertha Soerril and family, all motored to the Alberta Game Farm for the day and enjoyed a picnic dinner on the way returning home in the evening.

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**Cherry ripe**

The luscious looking cherry tomatoes shown above are this year's crop at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Kanten, 4827 - 46th Street. Every year the Kanten's start a number of tomato plants from seed, but this year they dropped to only two. As the plants grow, they're moved outdoors, with the final results shown above.

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# Red Cross fellowship for former Tofield girl

The 1965-66 National Canadian Red Cross Fellowship for graduate study in nursing has been awarded to Miss Shirley M. Stinson, assistant professor, School of Nursing, University of Alberta, Edmonton.

Miss Stinson is a former Tofield girl and attended high school here. She received her B.Sc. in nursing from the University of Alberta in 1953 and a Masters of Nursing Administration from the University of Minneapolis, Minn., in 1955.

The announcement of the selection was made by John A. Partridge, Chairman of the National Executive of the Canadian Red Cross Society, in Toronto. Miss Stinson will follow a program leaving towards a Doctor of Education degree in Educational Administration at Teachers' College, Columbia University, New York. Mr. Partridge stated he was pleased to recognize a candidate from the prairie provinces for the first time. The previous three awards were made in Ontario and New Brunswick.

**HELD RESPONSIBLE POSITIONS**

During her nursing career Miss Stinson has held responsible nursing positions in the public health, hospital and university fields in Alberta and Ontario. Before returning to Alberta is her present capacity she was Associate Director of Nursing Services in the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto. She has been active in organized nursing activities in Alberta and Ontario and has written numerous articles for professional publications.

On completion of her studies, Miss Stinson will return to the School of Nursing, University of Alberta, to participate in new developments recently announced by the university.

## Holden OORP installs new executive

Holden Lodge OORP held their regular meeting June 14th, this being the last meeting until the fall session.

Regular business was attended to and reports from the Chamber of Commerce supper, Brownie, Guide and Mother Banquet and Sports Day booth were given. D.D.S.H.R.L. Frances Overbo and her mother P.H.R.L. Pearl Brown of Kinella were visitors.

It was decided to hold the Lodge Decoration Day on Thursday June 30th. Two members were elected to attend the Supreme Lodge Convention July 24th to 27th in Regina, Sask.

D.D.S.H.R.L. Overbo assisted by P.H.R.L. Brown installed the new slate of officers for 1966-1967. These are. H.R.L. Ida Mason, for a 2nd term.; P.H.R.L. Hazel Armstrong; Asa. Roy L. Irene Strilchuk; Lov L., Stella Sorenson; Lec L., Marilyn Slykora; sec., Irene Taylor; treas., Olga Bilyk; Chaplin, Mary Semchuk; Historian, Patricia Lindberg; conductress, Helen Bilyk; 3 yr. trustee, Ana Burka; Inner Guard, Kai Nichols; Outer Guard, Jean Story; pianist, Blanche Olson.

This is the 19th successive year that L. Taylor and L. Olga Bilyk have been installed in their respective offices.

H.R.L. Mason was presented with her P.H.R.L.'s jewel by the Deputy from the Lodge. A gift was given to D.D.S.H.R.L. Overbo by H.R.L. Mason from the Lodge in appreciation of her services.

## UCW meets in Roy Lee home

(Mary Mitchell)

A pleasant afternoon was spent by the Ketchamont United church Women last Wednesday when four cars of members motored to Edmonton and held their meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee.

The members fully enjoyed the drive as the day was so lovely and visit with the Lees at their new home. Mildred and Roy Lee were former residents of this district moving to Edmonton

## From the Scrap Book

People have a remarkable gift of adjusting themselves to changing conditions. It was a quality that helped us to survive the testing years of war.

However bad things may be, nothing shakes the belief of ordinary folk that searching better [illegible] around the corner. Thats how they approach the weeks that lie ahead.

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Nichols of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, U.S.A., arrived June 13th and have been visiting for the past week with the former's brother, Roy and Mrs. Nichols. They stopped off in Vancouver for several days before arriving in Holden, and were planning to leave Monday, June 20, for Saskatchewan, where they were to visit with other relatives before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shanley returned home last week, after spending the last two weeks visiting around Banff and other points, and with their son and family in Calgary.

**50TH ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelly, who held open house June 12 to celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary, were very pleased to see so many of their old friends calling to visit with them. They wish to thank all those who called on them and for the good wishes and beautiful gifts received.

Mrs. Laura Christianson was a business visitor in Edmonton on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Olaf Chetney, with Mrs. Hans Brekstal, motored to Viking on Thursday afternoon, taking Mrs. Mary Andrews to the doctor for a check-up.

Mrs. Freda Bodeman has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Steinwand, and family, for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hurum and their son Lawrence and his wife and family were visitors last Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Hurum's sister Mary and family, at Dawson Creek, B.C.

Members of the Holden Cemetery Society held their annual tag day Saturday, June 18, and wish to thank all those who helped to make it a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Giebelhaus of Stony Plain were business visitors in Holden on Saturday, also calling on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shehinski of Edmonton were visitors over the weekend with the John Shehinskis, also calling on other friends here.

Frank and Lawrence Tchir of Edmonton were visitors over the weekend with their parents and family.

Joe Alexander and Pat Komarnisky left early Saturday afternoon to spend the weekend on a fishing trip at Moose Lake, returning Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Komarnisky and children of Edmonton were visitors for the weekend with the former's family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike A. Komarnisky.

George Black of Vancouver, B.C., was a visitor the end of last week with his brother and family, the Sam Blacks.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors with their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas, at Viking.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo H. Taylor.

Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Gilbert Morris and Mrs. Bert Carr returned to Holden Saturday afternoon, after spending a few days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell and sons Bill and Jimmie at Leduc. Marjorie drove them home. Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Carr spent Monday and Tuesday with their niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Anderson, and visited at Banff on the Tuesday, leaving Wednesday afternoon by train for Leduc. Mrs. Campbell had been visiting with her daughter and family since Tuesday. Mrs. Morris, who has been visiting here for the past three weeks, left for her trip home on Wednesday, going by air from Nisku.

**W. GILBERTSON DIES**

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stambaugh attended the funeral on June 14 of William Gilbertson at Wetaskiwin, who passed away very suddenly on June 11, at the age of 50 years. Mr. Gilbertson, the husband of Mrs. Stambaugh's cousin, the former Emma Dorin, at one time resided south-west of Holden where her parents farmed. He is survived by his wife and a daughter, two sisters and seven brothers.


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# Tofield students win government bursaries

Word has been received this past week that two Tofield Grade XII students have been awarded Government of Alberta Technical Bursaries.

Leslie Appleby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Appleby, and Robert Foshaug, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leif Foshaug, were interviewed recently by the administrators of the Technical Bursary Program and accepted for training. This is quite an achievement for the two boys as 400 students were interviewed throughout the province, and only 40 were chosen.

Leslie intends to enter the field of refrigeration and air-conditioning. He will train for two years at the Southern Alberta Institute of Technology in Calgary, during which time his expenses will be paid. He will then work for the Government of Alberta for two years. A big demand exists for trained technicians; manufacturers and distributors of mechanical equipment, heads of government departments and consulting engineers are all looking for trained personnel. With this specialized training in a field where demand is high, Leslie's future looks bright. Congratulations, Leslie!

Robert was accepted for similar training in civil technology, which would involve training in surveying, and though he has since decided not to accept the award, it was a feather in his cap to be chosen.

# Help wanted!

Willing workers for a work party at the Exhibition Grounds on Monday night to put the grounds in first-rate condition for Showcase '66, are in demand.

All members of the Community League, and any other interested parties, are asked to come out and lend a hand. Come as soon after supper as you can. Phone Lionel Borton for particulars.

## SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL CENTRALIZATION

In accordance with a Resolution of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta, passed on April 15th, 1966, a Special Committee, consisting of the following Members of the Assembly:

R. B. Lamothe (Chairman)
A. Aloisio
M. Senych
E. P. Benoit
M. Maccagno

has been appointed for the purpose of enquiring into and receiving representations and recommendations as to:

1. **The interest and concern of the public with respect to the centralization of schools,**
2. **The educational opportunities presently being offered in elementary and secondary schools, and**
3. **The problem of centralization and consolidation in the rural areas and smaller cities with particular reference to vocational high schools.**

The Committee invites the submission of Briefs by all interested parties, particularly local level branches of the Alberta Teachers Association, Alberta School Trustees Association, Home and School Association, Farmers Union of Alberta, Farm Women's Union of Alberta, Chambers of Commerce, school and municipal authorities, religious organizations and all other interested individuals or associations.

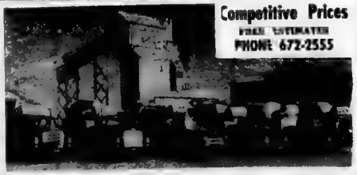
Seven copies of each Brief should be forwarded to the Committee not later than July 15th, 1966, after which time public meetings will be held in various centres of the Province to hear representations in support of the Briefs submitted.

Address Briefs and correspondance to:

**The Secretary,**
**Legislative Committee on School Centralization,**
**313 Legislative building,**
**Edmonton, Alberta.**

R. B. Lamothe, Chairman
Legislative Committee on School Centralization.

(28-29-30)

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# Diane Peck & Gordon Booth are wed in June 5th rites

On Sunday afternoon, June 5, in Chippewa Falls, Wis., Miss Diane Peck and Gordon Booth were united in marriage by Elder D. E. Longfellow, pastor of the Seventh Day Adventist church.

Diane is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peck of Chippewa Falls and Gordon the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Booth of Ryley.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father. Her gown, fashioned by herself, was of crystal peau de soie with sweetheart neckline, long tapered sleeves and chapel train. Her chapel veil was held in place by a coronet of seed pearls and lace. Her bouquet was a combination of red roses and white carnations.

The bride's attendants were Miss Iris Eaton, maid of honor, Mrs. Dave Cater, matron of honor, Miss Vera Booth bridesmaid and Miss Avis Peck, Junior bridesmaid. They wore floor length gowns of pale blue crystal peau de soie and matching veils held in place with coronets. Each carried a bouquet of white gladiolis and ivy.

The groom's attendants were Lorne Booth, best man, Dave Peck, Joe Standish, and Bruce Booth, Junior attendants. Ozro Peck and Johnny Booth acted as ushers and candle lighters.

Miss Joylin Campbell was organist and Dan Lindon was [illegible]

Mrs. Peck, mother of the bride wore a dress of pale blue shantung crepe with white accessories, and a corsage of American beauty roses. Mrs. Booth, mother of the groom, wore a two-piece dress of mint green cerano linen, with gold accessories and corsage of American Beauty [illegible]

Miss Betty Spangler was in charge of the guest book.

Among the guests of honor were the couple's four grandmothers, and two of their grandfathers, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ashby and Mr. and Mrs. Forest Peck of Chippewa Falls and Mrs. F. C. Manderson and Mrs. S. N. Booth of Ryley.

For going away the bride wore a two piece dress of rose linen with white accessories and a corsage of sweetheart roses.

The happy couple will make their home temporarily in Berrien Springs, Mich., where the groom will attend Andrews University for the summer session.

# Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Henry McGinitie is a patient in the Tofield Municipal Hospital.

Overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Froese were Mr. and Mrs. Hans Winters of Vancouver.

Clifford and Barbara Appleby and the girls were Sunday afternoon callers at the Harold Schultz home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Turner and family of Whitelaw, visited with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown and family.

Alice and Eric Munkedahl and family of Ryley were Sunday visitors with Agnes and Henry McGinitie. Later Willie Nashman and Raymond McGinitie of Edmonton were callers there.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ray visited with their daughter, Delice and Jimmy Holmes and family at Ministik.

**AT WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz Betsy Ann and Francis attended the Erickson-Winder wedding reception on Saturday at the Tofield United Church. Later that evening they called at the Erickson home to view the wedding gifts.


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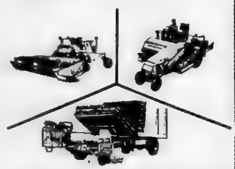

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The Mercury




## Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Darrel Sutton of Edgerton was an evening visitor and coffee guest at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald on Sunday after stopping off on his way to Edmonton.

Ellen Eaton was an overnight guest at the home of her son, Leroy and Shirley Eaton on Sunday returning home Monday afternoon.

Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton were Sunday June 12 visitors in the district. They were dinner guests at the home of their son Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and family. Later they were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of their son Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen and family.

**George Abernethy has moved into Tofield to the Minnie McConnell home which he purchased recently. Melvin and Isabel Riley and two sons [illegible] in to the George Abernethy home on the farm.**

Sandy and Polly Petrovich and family of Edmonton were Sunday June 12th visitors at the home of Polly's mother, Mrs. Ila Walker.

**FATHER'S DAY GUESTS**

Dede and Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley were Saturday overnight and Sunday guests at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood. Also dinner guests there for Father's Day dinner were John and Mary's two daughters and their families, namely, Lorene and Jim Francis and family of Viking and Evie and Vic Halwa and family of Edmonton. During the afternoon all guests along with John and Mary, also Johnny and Gloria Wood and Cathy, Mrs. Ethel Wood and daughter Margie and Lorne Berrecloth and son, David gathered at the home of Emil and Martha Goubault and family for an afternoon gathering and picnic luncheon on the lawn. Also at Tiedemann's for the picnic gathering were their daughter Yvonne and Peter Brown and baby son of Ketchamoot, Martha's father, Mr. Emil Goubault of Tofield, her brother Victor Goubault of Lindbrook and David Bertch of Edmonton.

Sunday (Father's Day) visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg were their son Lyall and Thelma Wickenberg and their daughter Audrey and Dale Jacobson and two children, Sherry and Kevin; also Roy's and Ruth's daughters, Mrs. Vivian Jones and son Donald and Miss Janet Wickenberg all of Edmonton.

Mrs. Loretta Weir spent Sunday, Father's Day overnight and Monday at the home of her parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson

**Mrs. Ellenor Jones was taken to the Tofield Hospital following an accident on the farm last Thursday. She is still a patient there and all wish her a speedy recovery.**

Fred and Grace Jacobsen and family were Saturday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Fred's brother Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen.

**AT GRADUATION**

Mrs. Mae Ferguson and her mother, Mrs. Roberts of Tofield motored to Edmonton to the home of Mae's sister and Mrs. Robert's daughter, Mrs. Marguerite Bailey on Friday and all attended the graduating exercises of the policemen's and policewomen's graduating class at the Police Station Gymnasium. Mae's daughter, Mrs. Loretta Weir was one of the graduates

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg were Tuesday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.


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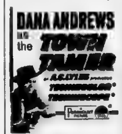


THEATRE CLOSED FOR BALANCE OF JULY & AUGUST


## Holden news items

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were Sunday and Monday visitors in Edmonton, visiting their daughters. Their eldest daughter, Patsy, is to be married in July, and they are busy making the arrangements for the happy event.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Budd and family had as Sunday evening visitors and supper guests, Mrs. Campbell and her sisters, Mrs. Gilbert Morris and Mrs. Bert Carr. Mr. Budd met and visited with Mrs. Morris and family in England when he was overseas in the 2nd World War and on leave.

**100TH BIRTHDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stewart of Victoria, B.C., former Holden residents, are planning to visit at Brandon, Manitoba, within the next few weeks, with Mr. Stewart's mother, who visited with them in Holden, and who will be celebrating her 100th birthday this year. Mrs. Stewart, who has been in a Senior Citizens' Home the past five years, enjoyed good health and looked after her own home until her 93rd year, when she fell and fractured her hip. After spending a lengthy period in and out of the hospital, she was admitted to the Home on her 95th birthday.

Albert Kondrat has been visiting the past while with his daughter and family in Edmonton.

**FRIENDSHIP GROUP MEETS**

The Friendship Group met June 15th at the home of Mrs. R. Roeder, with 12 ladies present. Mrs. Mary James presided, and Mrs. Mabel Sizer had charge of the devotions. A letter of thanks was read from Miss Bardo, from the Mission in Hong Kong, thanking the ladies for the lovely quilts they had received. Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus read an an article from The Observer on the present conditions in Viet Nam, and Mrs. James read an article on God and His People. At the conclusion of the meeting the hostess served a delicious lunch. Next meeting of the Friendship Group will be held July 20th, at the home of Mrs. Joe Hooper, with Mrs. Carrie Olson taking the devotions.

**INJURED IN FALL**

Mrs. Dora Loney had the misfortune to fall on the sidewalk Monday of last week, cutting her face quite badly. She was taken to Tofield Hospital in the ambulance for treatment. Her daughter, Mrs. Francis Shand of Edmonton, visited at the hospital and called to see her father, Mr. Loney, to let him know of Mrs. Loney's condition. We were pleased to hear that she was coming along very nicely.


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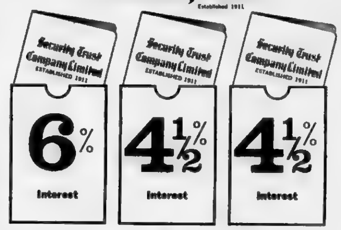


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## CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to thank Dr. Freeouty and the Nurses and Staff of the Tofield Hospital for the wonderful care and kindness I received while a patient there. Also, many thanks to my relatives and friends who visited me and brought flowers, cards, fruit and candy. It was very much appreciated.

—Mrs. Alma Undin. 43c-3338


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## PERSONAL

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—George C. Abernethy 42-43c-3334

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to Pauline Madeline Riczu.

PAULINE HANUSZ
(Signature)

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### NOTICE To Creditors and Claimants

IN THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM Chester Coombes, late of Tofield, Alberta, who died on the 25th day of April, 1966.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the "above" named must file with THE UNDERSIGNED by the 28th day of July, 1966, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

PUBLIC TRUSTEE,
Administrator of the estate of William Chester Coombes, Deceased.
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Edmonton, Alberta

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## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE to Creditors and Claimants

IN THE ESTATE OF MARY MACDONALD DAVISON, late of Tofield, in the Province of Alberta, who died on June 10, 1966.

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# Palmer-Earling notes

(Mrs. Joe Kondson)

PALMER - EARLING, June 17 — The Ernest and Harold Andersons have returned from a trip to the sulphur mines in Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rosen were recent visitors at Grande Prairie and Wanham.

Mrs. Mary Dragon of Edmonton, and the Ernest Anderson's were Sunday visitors at Mrs. Alma Steffen's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Adamson are on a motor trip to Victoria and other points in British Columbia.

The Melsweene Bros., Holden are building a dairy barn 34' x 80' for Peter Rosen and Sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pearse, Darlene and Wendy of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Smerlie of Holden and the Clarence Johnsons were Sunday visitors with the Lawrence Pearses.

The Theal Watlands of Camrose were Sunday guests with the Ed Kondsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell Sr. of Round Hill were Sunday dinner guests with the Cecil Stenstrude.

Mrs. C. Lien has returned home from the hospital. Elvold Aspenes is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose.

# Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Judy Finn of Edmonton who was visiting friends over the weekend was a Saturday dinner guest and afternoon visitor at the homes of Mrs. Ethel Wood and her daughter, Mrs. Lorne (Margie) Berreclath.

**WA MEETING**

The Lakeshore W.A. held their June meeting at the home of Mrs. John, (Alice) Warner Sr., in Tofield with 12 ladies present. After the meeting closed a very delicious [illegible] [illegible] was served by the hostess. Instead of a July meeting it was planned to have a picnic at the campsite west of Ross Creek Store on July 10th, weather permitting. Look for the announcement later.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton was a Saturday supper guest at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg.

Last Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Martha Tiedemann accompanied Mabel and Russell Ferguson to Lamont where Russell remained as a patient in the Lamont Hospital. Mabel and Martha returned home, coming through Elk Island Park.

On Wednesday of last week, Emil and Martha Tiedemann Emil's brother Bill and Mary and Sandy and Irene Scott of Lindbrook were evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Tiedemann at Deville.


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Summer Schedule
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Sunday, June 26th
10.15 a.m.—Worship Service.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, June 26th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Program by Young People.

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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, June 26th
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11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Divine Service.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, June 26th
10.00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 2.30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Anglican
Sunday Services
11:00 a.m.—1st Sunday July and August—Holy Communion.
11.00 a.m.—All other Sundays—Matins.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday Schools during June, but none during July and August.
Other services and meetings to be announced.

# Dodds-Ryley

(Mrs. O. Lohman)

DODDS-RYLEY, June 13th.—A baby shower was held in Ryley at the home of Mrs. Vernon Reth on Wednesday afternoon for Mrs. Walter Lutz. There were 20 ladies present.

Some folks from this district attended the Holden Sports on Friday. The Ryley Midget ball team played Holden, winning the encounter by a score of 20-13.

# Mrs. Stephens dies

On June 10, Mrs. Emma Virginia (Gray) Stephens of Calgary and formerly of Tofield, passed away, aged 80 years and 8 months.

Survived by two sons, John Gray of Summerland, B.C., Lowell Gray of Calgary, one daughter, Mrs. P. M. (Lucille) Morrison of Edmonton, seven grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Salmon Arm, B.C.

# Modern etiquette . .

Q. I've been told that it is impolite to comment on another person's clothes. Does this mean that one should not admire or compliment another person on his or her appearance?

A. I see nothing at all wrong with frank admiral of another person's dress or appearance. We all like to hear nice things said about us.

Q. Would it be proper for me to have a widow or divorcee serve as matron-of-honor at my wedding?

A. A widow would be perfectly proper, but it would be better not to have a divorcee.


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# Ross Creek and district news

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

The ladies report that the Lilac Tea held Saturday was successful and thank everyone who came to the affair

Doris Schacher, Winnie McLachlan, Mickey Niemetz and Mabel Hauer were Friday afternoon guests with Lil VanBuskirk

A number of people from the district attended the wedding shower at Delph honoring Diane Sadoway and Terry Cossey on Friday evening

On Saturday evening several families attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hyrnyk of Chipman, held in Edmonton

**Sympathy goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wells former district residents, whose daughter Linda, age 11 years was struck by a car when she was crossing the highway, near her home a mile west of the Alberta Game Farm.**

Mrs. Bessie Pederson of Edmonton spent the weekend visiting her relatives on the farm. She spent Saturday night with Mr and Mrs. Joe McLachlan and attended Church with them on Sunday

Mr and Mrs. Art McLachlan and Linda and Grandpa McLachlan also visited the MacLachlan families on Sunday and had supper with George's family before returning to Edmonton

Anyone interested in playing hard ball please be at the ball park any Wednesday or Sunday afternoon. Teams are chosen from those present and young and old all join in the fun

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice VanBuskirk, Judy and Jackie spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franklin at Bruderheim.

Mr. and Mrs. David Marler attended a family reunion at the Marler farm at Bremner on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferrel of Sherwood Park spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Malcolm.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Holtz of Beaverlodge spent a few days with Lewis' sister, Mrs Shirley Ford and her family

Mr and Mrs. Max Schacher entertained Doris' family at a weiner roast on Saturday evening

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lappenbush of Mayerthorpe were Sunday visitors at the Graham Snider home

The UCW entertained their husbands at a Father's Day party at the Neil Bailey home on Sunday evening No one went home hungry after the oversize banana splits were served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ford accompanied Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson to Isley to visit Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thor for the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Odiorne and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Ford also motored down Sunday to spend Father's Day with the rest of the Ford family

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## LOCALS . . .

Pete and Gisela Wiens and family from Welland, Ont., were last week visitors with relatives and friends in town and district.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Schacher arrived home last Wednesday night from Medicine Hat where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Schacher's sister, Mrs. Ben Lehr.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Lovell from White Rock, B.C., are visiting with relatives and friends here

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Mr and Mrs. Melburn Greenwood from Mitchell, Ont., are visiting with the Jim and George Francis families.

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and daughter, Edith Mary spent Father's Day at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson

## Lady bowlers end season's activities

Some 0 ladies enjoyed a wiener roast and pot luck supper at Shontz on Monday to mark the end of the spring bowling season Emma Kamar was high bowler for the season and Donna Oslund low Evelyn Dann who is moving to Sherwood Park was presented with a gift from the ladies bowling league and good wishes for all the best in her new home Anyone wishing to bowl in September, is asked to contact Marg Haworth or Gertie Pointer.

## Gun club . . .

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all local residents to drop in at the range, two miles north of the creamery, some time during the day, and if any local men (or women) would like to try their luck be on hand at 10 a.m. to register. Any gun designed to be used with black powder is eligible If in doubt, or for more information contact Al Warner or Larry Wilson

Many people think of this shoot as being for experts, but at the Provincial Shoot held in Edmonton two weeks ago, Jack Nolan of Tofield won the cartridge shotgun event, even though he had never fired in competition before and, despite the fact that he was using a borrowed gun that he had never shot before Entrance fee is only 25c per event and spectators of course watch free.

The local Boy Scouts will again be offering hotdogs, coffee, etc for sale, so for something a little different in entertainment, run out to the club range Sunday afternoon Many of the contestants come in costumes of early days so be sure to bring your camera along.

## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Communion and baptismal services will be held at the United Church on Sunday, June 26th, with the Rev. Roger York in charge. A good attendance is hoped for to welcome Mr. York who has spent the last year at a charge in Newfoundland.

**Deepest sympathy is extended to the Davenport families in the loss of Mrs. W. F. Davenport who passed away Friday evening June 17th.**

Most of the men in the district attended the estate sale on Thursday of the late Joe Siebert of South Cooking Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys of Ponoka were here for the weekend, at their farm home.

**UCW MEETS**

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson, Mrs. S. George and Mrs. Jim Roddick were guests at the home of Mrs Dick Wilson, Wednesday afternoon when she was hostess to the South Cooking Lake UCW.

**WINS TRIP TO TEXAS**

Young Gary Messerschmidt of Edmonton, eldest grandson of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Jones, was the winner of the 1600 boys of the "pitcheroo" contest held in Edmonton last Thursday Sometime in July he and his father will enjoy an all expense paid trip to Huston, Texas, where he will see major league pitchers in action

## Showcase . . .

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Viking and Tofield Little Leaguers play in their tournament.

The midway brought by Wally Ursulak and Hec Gervais will keep the little ones happy all day II and when they are hungry, the two booths have plenty to satisfy them At 4.00 p m , the barbecue will be opened and the barbecue supper served. The meat will have been cooking under Vince Bates' supervision since early morning (Incidentally, don't forget Vince's demonstration of sheep-shearing during the afternoon)

Since Showcase '66 is the major effort of the League in its struggle to retire the debt on our fine Community Centre, it is to be hoped that all residents of the area will participate in Tofield's big day. The 1st of July has been celebrated here since the 1890's, and Showcase '66 should be a worthy successor of other Fiests" It all depends on you!

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# 'See ya tomorra' at Showcase '66!

**Fly-in breakfast** Last week Mrs. Ken Nyback and family (right) had a flying visit from her brother (next to her in the picture) Capt. Fred Wagner and crew who are stationed at Wainwright for a month. Lieut. Ross Craddock is on the left and beside him is Sgt. Stan Larsen. The Nyback home, north of Camrose, is in the background.

Tomorrow is the big day! For weeks plans and preparations for the July 1st celebration, "Showcase '66" have been going on among many local committees, under sponsorship of the Tofield Community League; and now all that is needed for a successful day is co-operation from the weatherman Forecasts indicate a warm, sunny day, with only remote possibility of scattered showers, and TCL president, Lionel Borton is highly optimistic this year will be the best ever

Visitors are expected from a wide area at the annual event, and all ages from the youngest to the oldtimers have been considered in making arrangements. There are many new features this year, as well as many time-proven favorites on the agenda.

The Queen-Princess competitions have sparked keen interest the past few weeks, and the winners will be announced at the grounds. Another "first" is a sheep-shearing demonstration by expert Vince Bates.

**PARADE TO START**

The mammoth parade will set off activities in the forenoon and is expected to be the best in recent years. Entry classes are many and varied and will be headed by the Andrew Boy's Band

Baseball games in the tournament both Friday and Saturday will extend the celebration beyond the usual one-day affair. There are also teams entered in Little League and Pee-Wee ball. Doug Lehman will announce the plays at all games

The displays of handicrafts, school pupil's work and museum pieces of the Historical Museum Society have all been arranged for, these having attracted many visitors in previous years

Oldtimers are to be given special recognition and will be served free coffee by the Historical Society

**BARBECUE**

Climaxing the afternoon's activities will be the opening of the barbecue pit at 4.30 p.m. where Vince Bates will again prove his skill at cooking the beef to perfection. To go with the delicious meat will be a fine meal of many foods.

Other treats will be for sale throughout the day and a full course dinner served at noon. So none should go hungry

The Tofield Jumping Sweepstakes have roused great interest this year, and an open contest as well as an intermediate contest will be held

The midway brought by Wally Ursulak and Hec Gervais will keep the little ones and older people too, happy throughout the day

This is a very brief summary of what you can expect tomorrow, with many more attractions not mentioned here Since Showcase '66 is the major effort of the Community League in its struggle to retire the debt on the fine Community Centre, it is hoped all residents of the area will participate in Tofield's big day.

## Tofield gun club has annual competitions

The Tofield Gun Club held their 3rd annual black powder shooting competitions Sunday, on their range three miles north of Tofield

Marksmen were here from Hinton, Hargwyne, Bluffton, Camrose, Edmonton and Ryley. The club members were also gratified by a good turn-out of spectators to see the show

Following is a list of the winners and the guns they used

First in the muzzle loading rifle event was Bob Backman of Hinton, shooting a 50 cal percussion rifle of his own manufacture Paul Fuog of Edmonton took second place with his 40 cal Kentucky Flintlock replica, also of his own manufacture

Bob Backman, again in the muzzle loading pistol event, this time using an original 36 cal 1851 Navy Colt, was first Ron Willson came in second in this event, using a 44 cal 1860 Colt Army Replica

And again Bob Backman, in the cartridge pistol event, using a 38-40 Colt single action of 1873 vintage was first Paul Fuog, with a 9mm Dutch Beaumont revolver of about 1885, took second place

In the cartridge rifle event, Warren Werner of Bluffton showed the way, shooting a 45-60 Winchester model of 1876. Second place went to Tofield's Alan Warner and his 38-55 Winchester 1885 Hi wall

Next came the two shotgun events, Al Grey of Edmonton winning the Breech loading competition with a 12 gauge Neumann bro. double, and Gordon Jorgensen of Camrose coming second with a 12 gauge Blisset double. Charlie Nolan supplied some tough opposition in that one before bowing out in the final round Glen Riel of the Tofield Club won the prize for the muzzle loading shotgun, using a fine Purdey double-barrel percussion gun

After this some novelty events were run off Jack Nolan proved to be the best cowboy, being the only one to ring the bell in the bear target., shooting from the hip with a 44 cal Colt Army replica Warren Werner showed good form in winning the 100-yard pistol event with a 40-40 single action 1873 Colt Army revolver Al Warner won the moving target event with his 38-55 Hi-wall, outlasting Larry Willson and his 45-70 Hi-wall and John Allen of Hinton and his 57 cal Enfield muzzle loader

Arnold Bugge of Ryley, shooting a 38-55 Winchester model 1894,

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## New members added to church congregation

A number of interesting ceremonies took place at Tofield United Church on Sunday, June 26, before a large congregation.

Two girls, Rosemary Hallett and Ruth Ellen Sears, graduated from C.G.I.T At the graduation ceremony led by Mrs. C. Annis, assisted by Mrs. J. Wall, each girl received the traditional single red rose.

Thirteen girls and boys were presented with Bibles from the congregation on completion of Grade XII. The Rev. W. H. McDannold was assisted in the presentation by J. E. Stinson. Those receiving Bibles were Ruth Ellen Sears, Barbara McGinitie, Gloria Scott, Clarice Jacobson, Rosemary Hallett, Jackie Hunter, Sonja Christensen, Ellen Norton and Linda Schacker (both in absentia), Leslie Appleby, Phillip Shaw, Dale Christensen and Gregory Whyte

**NEW MEMBERS**

A large group of young people, mostly members of Teen Church for the past four years, became members of the United Church of Canada on profession of faith. These were Linda Fleming, Ruth Ellen Sears, Gloria Scott, Clarice and Donna Jacobson, Sonja and June Christensen, Rosemary and Margaret Hallett, Wendy Arnett, Garry Hardy, Frances Schultz, Jacklyn Hunter, Allen Everitt, Jim Allan, Leslie Appleby, Phillip

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## Bethel Sunday School has annual picnic

The Ryley Bethel Lutheran Sunday School had a very pleasant day for their picnic held on June 19th, with a very good attendance.

Following service in which Sunday school and cradle roll graduation participated, all drove to Lloyd Wickstrom's back lot where a pot-luck dinner was served by the ladies

The afternoon was spent in races, games and treats for the younger children, while older members and adults enjoyed a game of ball. All present had a pleasant afternoon of fellowship and recreation.

# Action at Ottawa

Watch for some fast action at Ottawa as opposing forces line up for a test of strength, or tests, if you will, because several are likely to be seen right away.

First off is Finance Minister Sharp's insistence on getting the Bank Act revisions under way before the summer recess, much against the will of some other pretty strong members of his own caucus. And second is the NDP's threatened filibuster if the government doesn't give in to its requested pension legislation.

The NDP's threat is that it will unseat the government rather than lose this point, but it's not well taken, or well advised at this juncture, for it's not important enough to tumble a government and force a general election. Welfare legislation is racing ahead too quickly for a large proportion of the people, anyway, and the country should be given a chance to catch its breath, and catch up on other areas that have been neglected for a longer period still.

One such is the Bank Act, which has been waiting in the wings far longer than is good for either the banks or other business in the country. It's no secret that Mr Sharp wants to see the lifting of the 6 per cent ceiling rate on interest banks can charge, his feelings being that this will help combat the inroads of the near banks which in recent years have flourished remarkably.

Other members of his own party, notably former finance minister Walter Gordon, disagree strongly.

For our own part, we're inclined to agree with Mr. Gordon, rather than Mr. Sharp, though we recognize the banks face a major problem getting money to lend when some trust companies are offering to pay only a fraction less than 6% for deposits left with them for as little as nine months. Obviously, if the banks can only charge 6% interest, they aren't going to be able to come very close on the interest they pay depositors.

One thing seems fairly obvious, although surprising, and that is the amount of money there is around the country. However, it's uneasy money, looking for a safe haven. For some reason unexplained there is more selling of government bonds than has been the case for years. And there is evidence some of this money is finding its way into equity stocks, either directly or through the mutuals, in order to share in the rising . . . or falling . . . price of the stock market generally. At least it tends to be a hedge against inflation, although it's also keyed directly to any deflation we may see.

There are other tests of strength on the Ottawa scene, not nearly so obvious as the Pearson-Diefenbaker combat, but running deeper, and possibly more serious in the long run. In any case, with an insistent demand for summer holidays this year (nobody wants to repeat last summer) there's bound to be some fast action upcoming.

# Good news for consumers

One bright light appears on the consumer horizon in Alberta, at least in most parts. As a result of Ottawa's decision to rebate 95% of the corporation tax levied on privately owned power companies and of the provincial government's undertaking it would pass on the rebates to the companies concerned, there is bound to be a reduction in rates to consumers.

Where the reductions will show up is anybody's guess at the moment, though it will bet the companies have it fairly well worked out. One thing seems fairly certain . . . since it's a political move at the moment the reduction is likely to be offered in as broad a base as possible, to keep the largest number of customers happy.

It was Colin Cameron of the NDP who objected on the premise that it was in the public interest that as many companies as possible become publicly owned, and this rebate of taxes would only hold off the happy day of attainment!

We think Mr Cameron misses one point. The public interest is served only when public ownership can provide equal or better service at equal or cheaper prices. When it cannot or fails, then we feel a good case can be made for the publicly owned corporation getting out of the field.

# Will you be here?

Will you still be around on July 5th, is the [illegible] question asked by the [illegible] Automobile Association. They [illegible] the National Safety Council predicts more than 100 Canadians and [illegible] Americans dead in traffic accidents over the joint holiday weekend.

Speed in itself is not the killer [illegible] the association. The [illegible] danger is driving at variance with existing traffic conditions. To make sure you're around after the holiday practice the code of the 3 C's—Care, Courtesy and Commonsense. Drive defensively always expecting a wrong move by other motorists. Start for home early to miss the final heavy hours of traffic. Stop often on longer trips to avoid fatigue which lowers reflex action.

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# Centennial Report

1867 1967 by JOHN W. FISHER CENTENNIAL COMMISSIONER

When I took over the job of organizing Canada's biggest celebration in history, I ran into a number of pessimists, even a few cynics.

This is the sort of line they gave me. "Canadians aren't noisy patriots. You'll have a tough job stirring up much flag waving for 1967".

Well, some of their facts were correct but the spirit in which those few pessimists presented their views to me was not what I accept as Canadian. I have travelled long and far enough in this country to know that Canadians really have strong positive feelings about their country.

I could agree with some of the statements by my pessimistic friends if they were in a different context. Canadians are not given to wild demonstrations of patriotism in their own country. Such things can embarrass us. I believe our kind of nationalism is more thoughtful than emotional and that is why I believe so fervently that our Centennial will be a successful and meaningful event in our history.

Yes, we may have difficulty at times in deciding what we are, what we are for and what we are against in the world. But we know what home is and though we may be embarrassed to express it we love our land. Perhaps I discovered this through travel abroad when I met Canadians far from home. When we are world travelling we are more apt to open up and reveal to other people our inner thoughts about our country. One particular instance comes to my mind. I was breakfasting at a small hotel in London, England a few years ago and became engaged in conversation with a young man across the table from me. He was a Canadian working at an airline office in London. With no prodding from me he poured out all his thoughts about home and about Canada.

"I'm not a nationalist", he said. "In fact I'm against nationalism. It causes a lot of trouble in the world. That's why I like my country. We're not aggressive nationalists. But really, mister", he said, "it's hard to describe my feelings about my country". He thought his feeling for his homeland was not just the house he was born in back in Ontario, nor was it necessarily his home town. It was the lake country where he used to go on canoe trips in the summer, the big rushing rivers and the roads that go forever.

"I always felt if I couldn't find a job in Canada I could always go to the north country and trap and hunt—something one couldn't do over here—and at least make a living", he said. He admitted it was just a "fancy of the mind"—probably he'd starve—but Canada always gave him a feeling of security, he said. "I always felt that the Rockies or the Gaspe wilderness were mine even though I didn't go there every weekend. I only saw the Rockies once."

The young man went on, exposing his mind and being very sentimental and patriotic. I thought to myself he probably would be far too inhibited and embarrassed to talk like that back home.

From now to 1967 Canadians, as individuals and in groups, large and small, are finding ways to express their true feelings about Canada. I'll tell you more about these in future reports.

# MacDuff Ottawa report

OTTAWA —On a Friday afternoon in February 1959 Prime Minister Diefenbaker announced in the House of Commons his Government's decision to abandon development of the CF-105 Avro Arrow fighter and its sophisticated weapons system. Instead Canada would buy Bomarc missiles from the United States.

No one could really quarrel with the decision. Design and development of the Arrow had been started in the days of the St. Laurent Government. Up to that time it had cost more than $400 million. It was an excellent plane and just what the RCAF wanted. But until relatively recently no one had bothered to find out whether any other air force wanted it. When both the United States and Britain declined the Arrow project was dead. A production program added to development costs would have meant the expenditure of $2 billion to meet Canada's requirements of [illegible] aircraft—$20 million per plane.

A [illegible] 1958 [illegible] work on the Arrow and the Iroquois engine that was to power it [illegible] and the final [illegible] that [illegible] summer. [illegible] meant an over[illegible] men and [illegible] to the United States [illegible] best technical [illegible].

It was [illegible] that [illegible] the Department [illegible] with a [illegible] beginning to pay dividends. Three facts they knew:

1. Canada would never go it alone in developing a sophisticated aircraft or a weapons system. It must be assured of a sufficient volume of sales to the United States or elsewhere which meant, in effect, that the complete aircraft would never be built in this country.
2. Canada's balance of payments was such that she could not afford to further military requirements outside the country without an offsetting income from defence exports. This had already been recognized by an informal arrangement for production sharing with the United States.
3. Without a major development effort directed to new products for the future it would not be possible to export and therefore impossible to maintain a Canadian defence industry.

The Canadian Government did two things. In Washington it persuaded a rather reluctant defence department to give Canadian companies an equal opportunity with American firms in bidding for defence contracts. [illegible] the end of last year Canadian [illegible] have [illegible] from the U.S. defence [illegible] somewhat [illegible] Canada's [illegible].

At home [illegible] to share with [illegible] the cost of developing new [illegible] use. The general [illegible] for the [illegible]

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## MacDuff Ottawa report

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ment grant of 50 per cent. In practice it has varied all the way from 20 per cent to 100 per cent. The 87 projects picked for assistance since 1959 have varied from the development of new airframes and engines to air navigation systems, small homing devices for planes and crash position indicators.

Of the 87 projects, 42 have [illegible] been completed and the plants concerned are in production. Development of their products has cost the taxpayer $44.5 million. Export sales already have mounted to a value of $250 million, most of them in the United States.

Companies getting the assistance are large and small. Some are subsidiaries of American companies who are farming out development work on defence contracts to the Canadian plant. A small company, Lee Instruments Ltd. which operates at Carleton Place near Ottawa, has received Government grants for the development of its crash position indicator, an electronic device that is thrown from the plane automatically if it crashes and immediately transmits a signal over the distress frequency channel. The company is selling to American, British and German Governments.

Canadian Marconi, with Government aid, has developed the Doppler navigation system, now selling at a rate of $20 million a year. Computing Devices Ltd., a subsidiary of Bendix Corp., has turned out a position and homing computer to give the pilot his course and position which is now carried on 4,000 planes. Export sales have mounted to $30 million with another $50 million in Canada.

The list is a long one and each item a tribute to Canadian know-how and Canadian initiative.

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**CAPITAL HILL CAPSULES**

The Soviet agreement to purchase 336 million bushels of Canadian wheat over the next three crop years and its purchase of 112 million bushels in the coming crop year starting August 1 has wiped out possibilities of surpluses in the near future. The big problem will be deliveries. But the political problem will be to satisfy the Western farmer that he is getting a good enough price. On the strength of the Soviet sale the [illegible] jumped its price by two cents a bushel but a [illegible] Opposition is [illegible] the Government for the of from 14 cents to 17 cents a bushel in the last year and a half. The Soviet is getting a [illegible] fixed price for all [illegible] delivered during the [illegible] year. As a rule deliveries are paid for at the going price. If world prices jump within the year the Government will be on a hot seat.

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Canadian workers have been doing better than [illegible] statisticians have been allowing them to believe. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics has found that the figures on which it was calculating its index of productivity—production per person employed and per man-hour—were 10 per cent lower than they should have been. But the new index could, at best, be a [illegible] blessing. It could intensify labour demands for higher wages at a time when unions are [illegible] all that the economy can bear and more.

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## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Leroy and Shirley Eaton and two children of Holden and Shirley's sister, Brenda, were recent afternoon visitors at the home of Leroy's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

**HOME FROM TRIP**

Verlyn and Ollie Moss returned home on Friday, June 24th, after a three week vacation. While in Ontario they visited Ollie's aunt and cousin at London, and Exeter, and also visited Niagara Falls. On the way home they travelled through the U.S.A. and visited Ollie's birthplace in North Dakota, then on to B.C. where they spent three days with Bill and Muriel Finn and family at Penticton, (former Tofield residents). At Golden, B.C. they spent a day with Ollie's brother Percy Cooper and family, then to Calgary where they spent one night with their daughter, Marilyn and Don Langille and children and back home the next day.

On Thursday, June 30th, Ollie and Verlyn [illegible] and [illegible] Bob are motoring to Vermilion to attend the graduating exercises of the Vermilion Agricultural Vocational College there. Bob is one of the graduating class, who finished earlier in the year and is returning for the graduation.

[illegible] and her mother, Mrs. Roberts motored to Camrose Tuesday where [illegible] had a session with [illegible].

On Sunday Emil and Martha Tiedemann and daughter Mary and Martha's father, Mr. Goubault, accompanied Peter and Yvonne Brown and Lucille Tiedemann to Edmonton to the home of Martha's sister, Adel and Cliff Gossell. Darryl and David Bertch were also there and all went to the Storyland Zoo for a picnic dinner and after dinner they went to the Jubilee Auditorium to see the craft display, from there to the John Walter's historical site then back to Adel's for supper, from there home.

## Blacklock installed new Lions' president

Members of the Tofield Lions Club and their ladies held their annual steak barbecue on Tuesday night at the Fort Scott grounds, when District Governor, Lion Ed Hay was present to install Lion "Chick" Blacklock as incoming president for [illegible] year.

Retiring president, Henry Paege gave a report of the activities for the previous year and was accorded a vote of appreciation for the [illegible] by the Club.

## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. James Reddick)

Communion services were held Sunday at the United Church, conducted by Rev. Roger York, who is visiting here from Newfoundland. Mr. York was student minister here four years ago and all his friends were pleased to see him.

Ronald Ferguson is a patient in Tofield Hospital and friends wish him a speedy recovery.

**MOVE TO VANCOUVER**

Lorne and Beverly Stevens of Edmonton have been spending some time with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Loch, before they leave Thursday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stevens to make their home in Vancouver.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy attended the wedding and reception on Saturday in Tofield United church of Miss Josephine Francis.

Ministik ball team were hosts to Hastings Lake ball club on Sunday afternoon coming and on the top end of the score.

Despite a rain shower, [illegible] people enjoyed the annual picnic held on Saturday. Mrs. F. Swabey was the convenor and wishes to thank all who came and all who helped in anyway. A large crowd attended the dance in the evening.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson spent Thursday afternoon and Friday in Edmonton staying Thursday overnight with her sister, Mrs. J. Potts.

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# The Ryley Times

# County of Beaver Sch ool Committee meets

**Minutes of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee meeting, Tuesday, June 14th, 1966. Business Arising from the Minutes**

In regards to the Viking Building Program Mr. Pike reported that fair progress was being made although not as fast as had been anticipated. It had been hoped that the library would be completed by June 1st, however, this had not materialized and there was still some work to be done on this room. It is now expected that the program might be completed by the middle of August.

Moved that the report be accepted. Cd.

In regards to the sale of old buses, the Sec.-Treas. reported that, after consulting with the Chairman, he had disposed of No. 18 bus for $300.00, the old Ford bus, that last year was used by the Public Works Foreman, for $350.00 and the small delivery van for $100.00. Moved that the report be accepted and action concurred in. Cd.

In regards to the housing situation for teachers Mr. Pike stated that at Bruce accommodation is required for a single female teacher, at Viking accommodation for two families and at Ryley accommodation for three to four families. Accommodation was also required for two single girls and Mrs. Harriet Ruddy had accommodation for these girls. It was decided to construct a duplex of 2-2 bedroom units in Ryley on the County owned land north of the school grounds plus a single 3-bedroom dwelling. Sixty-five to seventy thousand dollars would be required for the proposed building program and it was decided that money should be obtained under the five-year program for this purpose.

In regards to the School Budget the Sec.-Treas. reported that the Budget had been approved by the Department of Education.

Moved that the report be accepted. Cd

**Correspondence**

A letter from Louise Shewchuk of Grade 5A of the Tofield school, expressing the Class gratitude for having had the opportunity to go to Edmonton and St. Albert, was referred to the committee. Moved that the letter be received and filed. Cd.

A letter of Vegreville Association of Mentally Handicapped Children, requesting that the educational grant, increased from $640.00 to $850.00 per student per year for special education, be paid to this association, was referred to the Committee.

Moved that the letter be received and filed and the increased grant be passed on to the Vegreville Association of Mentally Handicapped Children. Cd.

In regards to the Principalship at the Ryley school the Superintendent reported that he had two applications, one from Mr. R. Lund, Principal at the Boyle school and from Mr. Joseph Lindberg, teacher on the Holden school staff.

Moved that Mr. R. Lund of Boyle be appointed Principal of the Ryley school as of September 1st, 1966. Cd.

An application from Graham Allan of Tofield for the position of permanent bus driver at Tofield, if an opening should arise, was referred to the Committee and it was moved that Mr. Graham Allan's application be accepted to be dealt with if and when a permanent driver is needed. Cd

Application from Wallace Myers of Holden applying for a position as school bus driver was referred to the Committee. Moved that Mr Wallace Myers be appointed as spare bus driver in the Holden area. Cd.

The Apprentice Course Report concerning Derek F Tiedemann's first year at the N A I T was referred to the School Committee It was noted that his score was 94 out of a possible 100, that he had attended the 228 possible hours of instruction and that his school rating was 87 per cent, the passmark being 60 per cent.

Moved that the report be accepted and that a letter of congratulations be forwarded to Derek Tiedemann Cd.

The Sec.-Treas referred to the Council the proposed sale of Pt. N.W 24-51-17-W 4th, Ustia School Site, to Mr Joseph Prazanoski in October of 1963. The sale price at that time had been $250.00, however, Mr Prazanoski was not prepared to pay this amount unless the old school ground was cleaned up to his satisfaction or he be allowed a certain amount for cleaning it up. The School Committee at the time was not prepared to make any allowance for cleaning the school grounds and the sale was not consummated. Mr Prazanoski was now offering $200.00 for the site containing 3.33 acres and it was suggested that the offer should be considered.

Moved that the offer of $200.00 for the Ustia School Site made by Mr Joseph Prazanoski be accepted. Cd.

Moved that the following appointments be approved effective September 1, 1966: Paul Kosiol, Tofield; Araceli Heyes, Ryley; June Keats, Holden. Donald Adams, Holden; June Adams; Holden; Elsie Merta, Viking.

Moved that the appointment of Ken Eastlick as Principal of the Tofield school be confirmed. Cd.

Moved that the following resignations be accepted as of August 31st, 1966: Mrs. Winogene Carpenter; Mr. Lawrence Nawrot; Miss Carol Mathews, Mr. Cal A_ats; Mrs. Diane Rude, Miss Susie Komarnisky; Mrs. Shirley Clark. Cd.

In regards to the Teachers Institute it was suggested by the Superintendent that the Institute be held on September 1st and 2nd and that the schools open Tuesday, April 6th, after the Labour Day weekend. He stated that it had been found that one

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## Drainage trustees have June meeting

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Trustees of Holden Drainage District No. 1 held their regular meeting Friday evening, with Trustees Afseth, Hans Huseby and Nick Laskoski and secretary-treasurer Ray Hovland present. The date for the Annual Inspection of ditches was discussed, and this was set for Monday, July 4th It was also decided that they would clean out the ditches this year, and more brushing would be done

The Trustees discussed the proposition made by the Field Branch Service of the County of Beaver No. 9, regarding the spraying of ditches and brush by air, to be done on an experimental basis.

The secretary was instructed to write the Minister regarding the procedure for recovery of a number of outstanding arrears of taxes.

## Library closes June 11 - 23rd

The borrowers of the library are asked to note that Tofield Library will be closed for two weeks of: July 11-23rd.

Please return books before leaving on your vacations.

Books at the library which will give many hours of enjoyable summer reading are:

Red Ivory by A. R. Channel— Ivory poachers camp in Congolese refugee camp.

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# Ministik news items

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Mrs. George Armstrong of North Surrey, B.C. came by plane last Sunday, visiting her family and to attend her mother's funeral.

**WATCH FOUND AFTER 30 YEARS**

Out in her garden last week Mrs. Alex Pearice unearthed a gold pocket watch, which had been there for nearly 30 years. It was the property of Dick Wilson who formerly put in the crops on that farm, when it was owned by George Hough. Except for a crack in the crystal, the watch was still in good condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe were Sunday supper guests of Mrs. S. George.

**FAREWELL PARTY**

Approximately 40 friends and neighbors gathered Wednesday evening at the hall to bid farewell to Jim and Robert Barber who have sold their farm and are moving this week to the Rosella district near Barrhead. Jim and Robert were each presented with a gold wrist watch from their many friends. A friendly social evening was had and 'For They Are Jolly Good Fellows' was sung.

## New members . . .

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Shaw, Gregory Whyte and Dale Christensen.

J. R. Francis was the elder, extending the right hand of fellowship to these new members. Clerk of Session, Arnold Swift was absent as he is on holiday with his family.

Three adults also joined the Tofield parish by transfer — Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Murray from Edson and Mrs. Eleanor Campbell from Sedgewick.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was observed at this service, partaken of by members of long standing, as well as the new members of the congregation.

# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Esther and Harry Ketchum and children of Rocky Mountain House, spent the weekend with Harold and Rennie Coombes and family.

**FIRST GRANDCHILD**

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carlisle announce that they are proud grandparents of their first granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Storms of Victoria, B.C. on June 22.

Sunday coffee guests at the Ron Coombes home were Rita and George Williams and Marie and Ivan Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carlisle and family attended the wedding of Judy Van Buskirk and Allen Franklin on Saturday at Fort Saskatchewan.

**Brian Schultz had the misfortune of fracturing his leg while playing ball in Tofield last Friday.**

Visitors with Mary and Ivan Mitchell for the past week were Mary's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Buchak of Vernon, B.C., her sister, Vicky Buchak of Los Angeles, Calif., and a relative John Winorowich of Hamilton, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Froese and Annie McGinitie motored to Olds where they visited with Buck and Nola Goodwin and family. Mr. and Mrs. Froese also visited with Mr and Mrs. Bill Pauls at Didsbury, where they were overnight guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown were Sunday visitors with Mr and Mrs. Leo Gudmunson at New Sarepta.

On Monday evening Dorothy and Roy Whillans attended the wedding reception and dance of their neice Marion Ovelson at Camrose.

## Pre-nuptial shower honors bride-elect

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

On Wednesday evening, June 22nd, the Roman Catholic Church parlors was the scene of a lovely shower when approximately 50 ladies met to honor Miss Patty Chupka, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka, whose marriage to Gunnar Anderson takes place July 16th in Edmonton. On entering the room the bride-to-be was presented with a beautiful corsage by Mrs. Beverly Manchur; and Mrs. Kay Chupka was presented with a corsage by Mrs. Annie Mielimaka. Mrs. Jean Lemko and Mrs. Beverly Manchur were in charge of the entertainment and a number of games were played.

Mrs. Grace Appleby made the presentation of the many lovely and useful gifts to the guest of honor with every good wish from all for happiness for her future very graciously for the many lovely gifts and good wishes. Lunch was served by ladies of the RC Aid group.

## Gun Club . . .

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won the bench rest competition with a score of 27/30 at 100 yards Arnold also got the best shot of the day trophy in this event, neatly taking out the exact center of the target with one of his bullets Don Holmes of Edmonton placed second in this event with a .577 cal Snider Rifle

In the big event of the day, the Stake Cutting competition for the Northwestern Utilities trophy, a team made up of, Warren Werner, Bluffton, with a 45-60 1876 Winchester, Jack Nolan, Tofield, with an 8x58R, Kerner of Suhl, Ron Wilson, Edmonton, with a 577, 450 Martini-Henry, and Arnold Bugge, Ryley, with a 38-55 1894 Winchester, won out by being the first team, of six, to shoot off a two by two stake hammered into the ground 40 yards from the firing point.

At the end of the day, during the presentation of trophies, Jim Allen of Hargwyne, one of the old time shooters, stated in his thanks, that the Tofield Gun Club's competitions were among the best organized and executed he had ever attended, and that they were undoubtedly the best in this part of the country today Mr. Allen no longer participates in the actual shooting, leaving this in his son's hands, but he faithfully attends every shoot that he is able to The Tofield Club was proud to present him with the trophy for being the Gol-dingest Shooter in attendance.

All present expressed enjoyment of the shoot and all expressed intentions to return for next year's shoot, which the Tofield Club will try to make better than ever.

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Town of Tofield
Rita E. Halverson
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(42-43-44)

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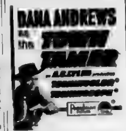

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## Church Notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, July 3rd
10:00 a.m.—Public Worship. Topic. "God Speaks to a Godless World".

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........10:30 a.m.
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**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Rev Art Dahlen, Pastor
Phone 672-6233
Sunday, July 3rd
10:15 a.m.—Worship Service.

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Sunday, July 3rd
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11 00 a.m.—Worship Service. Holy Communion.
8.00 p.m.—Christian Youth Fellowship.
Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. — Bible Study and Prayer.
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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, July 3rd
HOLDEN—
10 00 a m —Divine Service.
11 00 a m —Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10 00 a m —Sunday School.
11.00 a m —Divine Service.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Anglican
Sunday Services
The Venerable Archdeacon Langstone of St. George's Anglican Church Edmonton, will be the guest speaker on Sunday, July 3, at 11 00 a m. There will be celebration of Holy Communion.
11 00 a m.—1st Sunday July and August—Holy Communion.
11 00 a m —All other Sundays—Matins.
11 00 a m —Sunday Schools during June, but none during July and August
Other services and meetings to be announced.

# Worker rescued as 9 ft. ditch caves

Four miles east of Holden, on Highway 14 an AGT underground cable excavation caved in burying Mervyn Ward under four feet of dirt about 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday afternoon. The ditch was to a depth of nine feet to allow the cable to pass under the highway on the main line under construction between Bruce and Holden.

A back-hoe working at the site of the cave-in immediately dug away most of the loose dirt, and the remaining fill was quickly moved by hand freeing the young man.

The Holden Ambulance arrived and administered oxygen and first aid, then took the victim to Viking Hospital where he regained consciousness Wednesday morning. No statement as to his condition was released Wednesday afternoon as he was still undergoing thorough examinations.

## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE to Creditors and Claimants

IN THE ESTATE OF MARY MACDONALD DAVISON, late of Tofield, in the Province of Alberta, who died on June 10, 1966.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named must file with the undersigned by the 1st day of August, 1966, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY,
10080 - Jasper Avenue,
Edmonton, Alberta,
Executor.
43-44c

### NOTICE To Creditors and Claimants

IN THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM Chester Coombes, late of Tofield, Alberta, who died on the 29th day of April, 1966.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the "above" named must file with THE UNDERSIGNED by the 28th day of July, 1966, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

PUBLIC TRUSTEE,
Administrator of the estate of William Chester Coombes, Deceased.
10405 - 100 Avenue,
Edmonton, Alberta.
43-44c

# County School . . .

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day was hardly sufficient to disseminate all the information to the teachers and he suggested that the teachers meet on September 1st and the forenoon of September 2nd and that then the Principals have their meeting in the afternoon of the 2nd.

Moved that the Teachers Institute be conducted on September 1st and 2nd and that the County provide the luncheon on both days. Cd.

Moved that the schools open for the fall term at 9.00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 6th, 1966. Cd.

Moved that a school for the janitors be conducted by the Maintenance Foreman on Friday, September 2nd from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. and that the janitors be asked to attend the luncheon at 12:00 on that day. Cd.

Moved that bursary applications received from Barbara Ann McArthur and Ellen Norton be accepted. Cd.

The Sec.-Treas. asked for guidance in regards to the provisions of three weeks holidays after 10 years of service and mentioned that Ole Lund had worked for the County in 1949 and 1950, from 1952 to 1956 and continuously from 1960 to the present time. If the three periods could be combined in all he would have 11 years service, however, if only his last service was considered he only had 6 years of service.

Moved that the 10 years service to allow three weeks annual vacation requires 10 years of continuous service with the County. Cd.

The matter of the 1st year teacher that had made the most progress was discussed at this time and on recommendation of the Superintendent it was moved that Miss Barbara Arnett and Mr. Joel Fornal be given the first year award. Cd.

In regards to the award for the outstanding teacher of the year it was moved that upon recommendation of the Superintendent Mrs. Beatrice Fredericks be given this award. Cd.

As this was Mr. Pike's last Committee meeting, the Chairman, Cr. Hoddick, in a few well chosen words thanked Mr. Pike for his interest in the County's school affairs and the large amount of work that he had done on behalf of the School Committee and the County. Mr. Pike replied stating that he had enjoyed working in the County and wished the Committee all success in the coming years.

Moved that the meeting adjourn at 4:30 p.m. Cd.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, July 3rd
10 00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11 00 a m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8 00 p m.—Evening Service
Tuesday, 2 30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

## Kingman briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, June 28 — Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Hele attended the graduation and home coming at the Olds School of Agriculture on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Ness and girls of Edmonton were Friday visitors at the Ingvold Ness home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Meyers and girls of Wetaskiwin were Saturday visitors at the Pete Fjeseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. David Olson and boys, Richard Sikstrom and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Bronnum were Wednesday evening guests at the Clarence Skalin home to visit with their cousin Hendrick Mikkelson from Sweden.

John Johnson and Bert Asp spent Saturday at Forestburg Park and also visited with Bob Mickelson who is park warden there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Winder and family and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wideman and boys were Thursday evening visitors at the Gary Acres home to help Mrs. Acres celebrate her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Severson are away on a week's holiday to Hythe and parts in B.C.



# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Ellen Eaton)

Don and Deanna Niemetz and son Sheldon of Vauxhall arrived here Friday, June 24th, and are spending a week's holiday at the home of Don's parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz.

Walter and Evelyn Eaton and family of Edson were Tofield visitors Saturday evening. Brenda was a Saturday overnight guest of her cousin, Ruth Norton in Tofield. The other members of the family were Saturday supper, overnight and Sunday morning visitors at the home of Walter's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton on the farm. Walter, Evelyn and Brenda returned home while the boys, Donnie, Kevin and Brian, also Karen remained with their grandmother for a week or more of their summer holidays.

Roy Wickenberg was taken to the hospital on Saturday and was still a patient there at the time of writing. All wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Rachel Schultz of Edmonton, her brother, Lester Noland of Chilliwack, B.C. and their brother-in-law, Lawrence Rudebaugh from the state of Wash., U.S.A. were Friday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mary and John Wood.

Mrs. Ida Niemetz was hostess to 19 ladies at a tupperware demonstration and tea on Saturday evening. The demonstrator held a couple of contests and demonstrated the tupperware. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess and her daughter.

Gail Niemetz of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of her parents, George and Ida Niemetz. Bob Ozubko of Edmonton was also a Sunday visitor there.

Barbara Baines and a friend from Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald.

Harold Bethel of Edmonton was a Sunday afternoon coffee guest at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood. Later he was an evening visitor and supper guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Mary Wood.

**WEEKEND AT BANFF**

Lorne and Marg Bereclath left Saturday morning for a weekend at Banff and Calgary. They were Sunday overnight visitors at the home of Mary's cousin, Jack and Gloria Goubault in Calgary, returning home Monday afternoon. They left their son David with his aunt, Thoma and Glen Jones and family while they were away.

Janet Wickenberg of Edmonton spent Saturday evening, overnight and Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg.

Howard and Mae Ferguson and young son, Nelson were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of their daughter, Doris and Howard Brown.

Donald Jones, now of Edmonton was a Monday dinner guest at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg.

# Tofield pioneer woman passes on in 90th year

A long time resident of the Tofield district, Mrs. Emma Virginia Stephens (Gray) passed away at the Bow Crest Nursing Home in Calgary on June 18, after a long illness. Interment was at Salmon Arm, B.C.

Mrs. Stephens was born at Le Marrs, Iowa, U.S.A., on October 9, 1876. In 1894 she married John Louis Gray while still residing in the States. Prior to their move to Canada in 1902, a boy and girl were born. After their arrival to Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Gray homesteaded near Tofield, where two more sons were born, one passing away in 1930.

During the early days Mrs. Stephens worked with Dr. Tofield and later with Drs. Terwilliger and Law as a practical nurse in the Tofield and Ryley districts.

In 1928 her husband, John Louis, passed away and interment was in the Tofield cemetery. In 1930 she was remarried to Silas Bill Stephens, and moved to Lacombe, where they resided for a short time. Later they moved to Salmon Arm, B.C., where they resided until Mr. Stephens passed away in 1944. Mrs. Stephens then moved to Penticton, B.C., in 1950, where she took an active part in the W.A. In 1960 she moved to Calgary to live with her son.

Mrs. Stephens is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Margaret Lucille Morrison, of Edmonton; two sons, John William Gray of Summerland, B.C., and James Lowell of Calgary; one brother, in Vancouver; seven grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren.

### From the Scrap Book

A speech is like a wheel—the longer the spoke, the greater the tire.

—J.W.R.

# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs Mike Manchur and daughter Marilyn, of Edmonton, attended the shower held for Patsy Chupka on Wednesday evening of last week, driving here with Patsy and her sister Betty. They all returned to the city Wednesday night after the shower.

Walter Lutz, Leo Maruszeczaka, of Bruce, and Fred Laskoski attended the Rural Electrification Convention held in Red Deer on Saturday, June 25, as delegates from Bruce R E A

Mr and Mrs. Mike Zacharchuk of Edmonton, former Holden residents, have been receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Tracy Lee, born June 15 at the University Hospital. The new arrival is their fourth daughter.

**NEW STUDENT MINISTER**

Mr Bateman, the new student minister in charge of Bruce, Holden and Ryley United Church, and Mrs. Bateman and children arrived this past week and are getting settled in the manse. Mr. Bateman has just finished his first student year. Mrs. Bateman will be remembered by many in the district, as she is the former Dorothy Geeson, a daughter of Rev Geeson who was minister here for several years. Rev. Geeson wishes to be remembered to his many friends, and is hoping to renew friendships when visiting with his family.

Mr and Mrs. Olaf Chetney had their family, the Fortiers of Vancouver, B.C., visiting with them for several days last week.

## LOCALS . . .

Mildred and Findley Dunlop from Cadomin are spending a few days in town.

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Dr. and Mrs. Freebury returned home last week from their trip overseas.

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Ella Bryan of Winnipeg arrived Thursday and will visit for a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. Lars Ritland, and Mr. Ritland, and with her nephew and family, the Ernie Goods.

Mrs. James Ruxton held open house Thursday morning and afternoon, to say good-bye to the many friends she and Mr Ruxton have made during their stay in Holden while serving the Bruce, Holden, Ryley charge. Rev. and Mrs. Ruxton will be leaving the end of the month to make their future home at Redwater.

Mrs. Nels Hafso, Mrs. Clara Swanson, Mrs Louise Halvorson and a friend were last Friday afternoon visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. Mabel Sizer. The ladies also called on Mrs. Mary Andrews.

Melanie and Richard Hammer of Viking spent a recent weekend with their grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Sizer.

**Peter Lundblad and his son Gary are leaving Friday on a two-month tour, visiting several countries in Europe. They are making the trip by air, leaving from Nisku airport.**

Harry Appleby of Vialta Lodge visited with his families the end of last week.

Mr and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ruskenveld on Friday evening. Mr Ruskenveld is home after spending a few days in hospital.

A number of friends and old acquaintances called at the home of Mr. and Mrs Lars Ritland on Friday evening to congratulate Lars on his birthday and offer their good wishes.

HOME FROM NORWAY

Hans Huseby, who spent the past month visiting with relatives and friends in Norway, returned home a week ago Friday. Mr Huseby made the trip by plane.

Mrs. Hooper and son Melvin were in Edmonton last Thursday, visiting with Mr Hooper in the Good Samaritan Home. Mrs Mary James also went along on business.

Mrs Bert Carr, who is visiting with her sister, Mrs Campbell, was a Wednesday afternoon caller and coffee guest with Mrs. Lars Ritland.

Geo H Taylor, Co-ordinator of County of Beaver No 9 E.M.O. was in Tofield, Ryley and Viking on Wednesday, on E.M.O. business.

TO VANCOUVER

Mrs. J Lindberg and children are leaving Friday for Vancouver, B.C., to spend part of the summer holidays visiting with relatives. Mr Lindberg will be in Edmonton for two weeks marking departmental examination papers and then will leave to join Mrs. Lindberg and children.

Mrs. Lawrence Kaltamy entertained several ladies at a Tupperware demonstration on Thursday of last week.

RETURNS TO ENGLAND

Mr and Mrs. Ernie Merta and children, of the Viking district, were afternoon callers on June 21st with Mrs. Campbell, picking up their aunt Mrs. Gilbert Morris of High Wycombe, England, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs Campbell, for the past three weeks, then driving her over to Leduc, where she was an overnight visitor with her niece and family, Mr and Mrs Ken Campbell. Mrs. Morris left by plane from Nisku airport Wednesday afternoon on her trip home. She had a three-hour stop-over in Winnipeg and was met by her niece, Mrs. Barney Sigurdson (nee Dorothy Barlow). Mr. and Mrs Percy Barlow and Alex Barlow also drove over to Leduc with the Mertas and were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell.

Alan Tiedemann of Edmonton visited with his family, Mr and Mrs Henry Tiedemann, and brothers for a few days last week.

TRIP TO IRELAND

Jack Houston of Edmonton, a former Holden district farmer and oldtimer, left by Jet plane Tuesday of last week for a trip to Ireland. Mrs. Houston, who has not been too well for the past few months, was unable to make the trip, on doctor's orders. She is staying for the present in the Sherbrook Nursing Home, Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Adel were weekend visitors at Strathmore, where Mr. Adel has been transferred to the Royal Bank of Canada branch. He received word of his transfer Friday, to be there for work Tuesday morning.

Mr and Mrs. Bert Appleby and son Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Appleby and Glen, Mrs. Harriet Brown and daughter Patricia of Ryley visited their father, Harry Appleby, at Vialta Lodge last Sunday. Other friends calling on Mr. Appleby that weekend were Mrs. Coleman of North Burnaby, B.C., and Mr. and Mrs. G. Lentz of Edmonton.

Mr Smith, the relieving manager at the Royal Bank, was a weekend visitor in Edmonton with some of his family.

The Holden United Church Sunday School and members of the congregation held their annual picnic Sunday at the sportsgrounds. Members were also saying farewell to Rev. and Mrs. Ruxton and children, who left Holden for their new home on Wednesday.

Three young members of the United Sunday School joined the Church at the service held Sunday, June 26th. These were Marvin Semotuik, son of Mr and Mrs. John Semotuik, Terry Good, daughter of Mr and Mrs E. W. Good, and Sharon Larson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larson of [redacted]

VANDALISM AT CEMETERY

Members of the Holden Cemetery Committee were dismayed last week on holding their annual clean-up day to find the damage in the grounds. A severe reprimand is given to those responsible for shooting off the heads of flowers on graves, using the wall of one of the buildings for a target and making holes in the lunch tables and benches. These actions are not thought well of, and the use of the cemetery for target practice and other vandalism must stop, or action will be taken by the Holden Cemetery Committee.

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## Margaret Davenport is laid to rest

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK — Funeral services were held on Tuesday June 21st, at Ministik Hall for the late Margaret Davenport.

She leaves to mourn her loss her loving husband, William, two daughters, Mrs. George Armstrong of North Surrey, B.C. and Mrs Ralph Leach of Ministik, one son Joe of Ministik, eight grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Mrs. Davenport lived here with her husband for 48 years. She passed away in Camrose at the age of 82.

Pallbearers were Messrs. Matthew Ferguson, Peter Ward, Frank Swabey, Alex Boss, James Barber and George Kleinschroth.

Interment was in South Cooking Lake cemetery and Hoveland Bros. of Camrose were in charge of funeral arrangements.

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## Around the Town

Mrs. Hazel Patterson recently attended sessions of the Saskatchewan Rebekah Assembly in North Battleford. The Alberta delegation was headed by Provincial President, Mrs. R. Wallace of Calgary and vice-president, Mrs. D Allard of Edmonton.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stinson attended the funeral in [redacted] on Monday for the late Waldo F. Empey who was a former Inspector for Palm Dairies.

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Dry weather is beginning to show up in the condition of all crops in the district, and especially the pastures.

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Mr and Mrs. W. A. Swift, Joyce and Donald left via CNR on Saturday afternoon for Toronto where they will visit and on their travel in a new car.

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A large gathering of relatives, friends and neighbors were present to congratulate and bring good wishes to Leonard and Evelyn Stauffer at the Bardo Community Centre on Sunday last, on the occasion of their silver wedding anniversary.

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Mr Stockton is a patient in the University Hospital in Edmonton, where he underwent surgery on Tuesday.

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Stanley Schacher was the winner of the Tofield Community League $100.00 a month club for June.

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Sympathy of the district is extended to the Arnold Sagmoen family in the death of their infant daughter last Friday.

Eula and Gerhard Regehr, Jane and Warren from Summerside, Prince Edward Island, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. Haukedal and other relatives.

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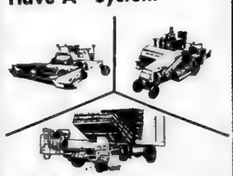
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# 'Showcase' is colossal

**A winner** A new entry and a very colorful one in last week's parade was this first place winner entered by the hospital. Spectators, as was as the nurses on the float, thoroughly enjoyed this one. Photo by Peter Nickel.

Despite cloudy skies, Showcase '66 was an unqualified success. The dull day failed to dampen the enthusiasm of the 2,300 people gathered to celebrate Canada's 99th birthday.

From the time the parade, led by two scarlet-clad "Mounties" and the Andrew School Boys' Band under the leadership of Leo Kerchinsky swung down Main Street until the last ball game was over, Showcase '66 offered entertainment for everyone.

QUEEN AND PRINCESS

A "first" this year was the Queen and Princess contest, which was won by Dorothy Brent and Marian Hostetter. The winners as well as the runners-up rode in state on the Community League float, which had been beautifully decorated by June Christensen, Margaret Hallet and Jane Chorney.

On arrival at the grounds, the Queen's float was met by Cal Annis, master of ceremonies, and Lionel Borton, president of the League. In a ceremony conducted by Mr. Annis, the Queen and Princess were crowned by Mr. Borton, and presented with gold watches.

All the contestants, Frances Shultz, Nettie Appleby, Louella Schacker, Ruth Dickson and Kathy Regehr, were given gifts by Mr Borton, on behalf of the Community League. Queen Dorothy Brent drew the lucky ticket, the owner of which was Mr Roth. Harvey LaRocque received a year's pass to the show for selling the most tickets.

PARADE WINNERS

Queen Dorothy was escorted to the ball diamond by Mr. Borton to throw out the first ball. She then announced the winners of the parade, as follows.

Non-Commercial Floats — 1st, Town of Tofield, 2nd, Hospital; 3rd, Junior High "Big 3".

Commercial Float — 1st, B-A Products, 2nd, Charlie's Place.

Decorated Horse and Rider—1st, Dean and Lillian McLeod; 2nd, George Campbell; 3rd, Tony McFall.

Novelty (based on originality) —1st, Moon Dawgs, 2nd, Library; 3rd, Pony Cart.

Decorated Car — 1st, Wheat Pool, 2nd, Lions' Club; 3rd, Dryden's Insurance.

Decorated Bicycle — 1st, Eddie Kuczera, 2nd Heather Bauer, 3rd, Red Clown.

Henry Page won the $100 bill; Hans Christensen the Black Lab donated by Leo Rurka and raffled on behalf of the Ball Club. Mrs. George Kleinschroth [illegible] Brand [illegible] raffled by the Historical Society.

120 OLDTIMERS

The Historical Society was host to 123 Old Timers, and the Handicraft Display record book showed 600 viewers of the display. The prize list for the school display is published elsewhere in The Mercury.

500 AT BARBECUE

The barbecue was shared by over 500 hungry people. The Tofield Jumping Sweepstakes and the Cutting Horse Contest was

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## Cutting horse competitions thrill a large attendance

Cloudy skies and somewhat cool weather did not interfere with the success of the Cutting Horse Association, Intermediate Contest and Tofield Jumping Sweepstakes in Tofield Showcase '66 on July 1st. This year 13 horses took part in the one Go-Round cutting contest, and entries thrilled the large crowd in the Intermediate and Open jumping horse events in two Go-Rounds.

Art Sullivan travelled from Calgary with his horse Rocky Brooks to take home the Tofield Cutting Horse trophy this year with the high score of 75. Marilyn Hoover scored 72 to place second, riding Leckie Bar from the "Flying D" Ranch of Winterburn. Third was Mickey Collins, showing Silver Sport of the Flying Red Wheel Ranch with a score of 71; Gordon Hood again rode well on his horse, Bunnie Hug, in fourth place, scoring 70.

The champion jumping horse in the final Open contest and winner of the Tofield Jumping Sweepstakes trophy was Son of Oregon, ably ridden by his owner, Marilyn Hoover. This was in close competition with Cathy Macdonald, showing the very fine horse C'est Bon, the reserve champion, from the Donald Macdonald Armdale Acres Ranch, North Edmonton. Other fine performances in the Intermediate and Open contests were given by the horses Pinnacle Dawn Patrol, Bartender, Dutch Treat, John Peel, C'est Le Guerre, Charlie Brown, Rocket and Irish Mist.

In addition to those mentioned the ranchers travelling to Tofield for the show were from the Cliff and Hales Ross "PV Ranch" of Evansburg, the George W. G. [illegible] den G Bar E of Devon, Jet and Tony Nobles, Lecoll Stables, Flo Harries, Tom Fox, John Tattersal, Harold Bannister, Jim Klein, Ian MacRae of Hardisty, Johnny Vert of Millet, and the

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### Tofield Little League wins memorial trophy

John Baergen, coach of the Tofield Little League ball team announced that on June 30 his boys won the Bob MacKay Memorial trophy for this season's schedule. The boys and their coach have reason to be proud of their achievement.

## Announce winners in school work displays

Published here is the prize list for Showcase '66 display of school work.

STORIES OR ESSAYS

Grade I—1st, Craig Klein; 2nd, Betty Weins; 3rd, Janet Schacker.

Grade II—1st, Denise Eastlick, 2nd, Michael Warner; 3rd, Debra Sware.

Grade III—1st, Joan Price, 2nd, Joan Clark; 3rd, Bernie Baergen.

Grade IV — 1st, Arnold Poetticker; 2nd, Debbie Miskew; 3rd, Glenda Carlisle.

Grade V — 1st, Ken Thiessen, 2nd, Joanne Riedeger, 3rd, Eileen Faulbroker.

Grade VI—1st, Barbara Clark and Rita Dickson; 2nd, Walter Riedeger; 3rd, Gordon Boettger.

Grade VII—1st, Ruth Dickson; 2nd, Elaine Hardy; 3rd, Donna Schmitt.

Grade VIII—1st, Marilyn Price; 2nd, Donna Mosby and Lillian Balzer; 3rd, Marjorie Ferguson and Clara Larson.

Grade IX—1st, Roland Balzer; 2nd, Beth Ingram; 3rd, Dennis Murray.

ART

Grade I—Betty Weins, 2nd, Loraine Funk; 3rd, Eddie Kuczera.

Grade II—1st, Lynn Dyck; 2nd, Arthur Poetticker; 3rd, Denise Eastlick.

Grade III—1st, Christine Young; 2nd, Elizabeth Balzer; 3rd, Joan Clark.

Grade IV—1st, Linda Eastlick; 2nd, Paul Halverson, 3rd, Mary Larrhuis.

Grade V—1st, Daniel Warkentin; 2nd, Debbie Neufeld; 3rd, Karen Dufour.

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### Jr. High award goes to Roland Balzer

Roland Balzer was presented with the Melynk trophy at the Tofield Jr. High School by Mr. Annis on June 22. This trophy is awarded annually to the Junior High student who in the judgement of classmates and staff, rates highest in ability in sports, in sportsmanship, in academic ability and in contribution to student activities.

John Sears, president of the Big 3 of Jr. High, presented Mr. Annis with a gift as a remembrance of his years as principal.

MEMORY-JOLTING FLASHBACK

## Flag for Wainwright

Wainwright will score a 'first', believes the Rev. W. A. Stevens of that district, with the introduction of a flag of its own for the town. Prepared by the Chamber of Commerce, the flag has been formally approved by the Town Council, and shows a rope ring encircling a brown buffalo, with the word Wainwright underneath in bold yellow letters, the whole on a blue field.

At first glance we're inclined to deprecate the interest in a town flag or even a provincial flag for that matter. We've been interested that Alberta as a province has so far not seen fit to authorize a provincial flag, following the lead of several others.

For some time, we have felt we'd better leave things alone until we can show more interest in our national flag. This notion about not flying a flag we don't like is nonsense ... but that argument is long since dead. The flag is a fact, just as surely as death or taxes, and we haven't noticed anyone skipping either of these simply because they don't like them.

But maybe Wainwright has a bright idea. Maybe if more of us became interested in flying the flag of our own town, we'd become flag conscious and interest might go on from there to provincial and national flags.

## More pay or they quit

Under this heading The Financial Post recently reported there will be a big increase in pay for armed forces this fall, some possibly equalling the 30% gained recently by the Seaway workers. The move isn't a bit popular with the Department of Finance, apparently, but Defence Minister Paul Hellyer has been convinced for some time there is no alternative as they see more and more men and women slipping out of the services, to enjoy their share of the national prosperity they believe they are missing out on.

We don't know what rates of pay are in the service today, and it may be they're slipping behind some what. But reports from all sides seem to indicate that life in the service isn't too bad at all, really, and one thing civilian life almost never provides is a fairly substantial pension at an age when a worker is young enough to move into other fields of production, and earn a second income in addition.

The defence department hopes, apparently, that by using the "most modern management techniques to increase productivity" the total manpower requirement can be reduced and the total wage bill kept more or less at a level.

Trouble with this is that other industries will feel the impact of higher wages in the military, and have to keep pace, notwithstanding the fact servicemen are quitting. And so the merry spiral goes on, as the demand for skilled and trained workers makes insatiable demands during a period of relatively full employment. The prosperity we all desire creates some of our biggest problems.


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# Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ethan Eaton)

Jean and Russell Jones and three children of Czar (former Lakeshore residents) arrived on Sunday June 26th and were dinner guests at the home of Russell's sister Marjorie and Morley Jacobsen in the afternoon they visited Russel's mother, Mrs. Joe (Ellene) Jones in the Tofield Hospital.

Their two children Kenny, 13, and Debbie 12, are both first-year members of the Czar 4-H club. Four 4-H Clubs from towns around held their Achievement Day together Kenny won Grand Champion in the Czar Club with his calf He also had the Grand Champion calf of the four clubs winning out over a class of 71 calves. His calf sold for 44c a lb. and was purchased by IGA of Wainwright Debbie placed 8th with her calf in the Czar 4-H Beef Club

Earl and Ann Jones and two children attended the Peanuts Stampede over the weekend of July 1st.

OBSERVE BIRTHDAY

Vi and Elmer Geoglein; Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and two girls Donna and Karen: Ronnie and Barbara Geoglein and little daughter Sydney. Percy and Lillian Fairbairne and daughter, Alta May. Mrs Mary Wood and Mrs Ethel Wood, all gathered at the home of Mrs Ollie Moos on Monday evening with a surprise party to help Ollie celebrate her birthday.

Ellen Eaton and Mervin Ross were Tuesday afternoon coffee guests at the home of Ruth and Roy Wickenberg in Tofield.


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## Round Hill oldtimer passes at 67 yrs.

Mrs. Katherine Evanchiw, a resident of Kingman and Round Hill district since 1908 passed away at St. Mary's Hospital at the age of 67 years. She leaves to mourn her loving husband, Fred, two daughters, Mrs. Rose Florko of Edmonton and Mrs. Mary Tomaszewski of Camrose, 7 grandchildren and one great grandchild, one sister, and one brother Prayer services will be held Thursday evening at 8 p.m. at the Greek Catholic Parish Hall and funeral services will be held Friday at 10:30 a.m. at the Greek Catholic Church at Round Hill, with Father Bazluk officiating. Burgar Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.


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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOME TO REDWATER

Rev and Mrs Buxton and children left Saturday morning after their final fortnights for Redwater. After settling in their new home they are planning to leave for a couple of weeks holiday in California, visiting relatives of Mrs Buxton

Mr. and Mrs Bateman arrived in Holden on Saturday and are getting settled in the manse Mr Bateman is the new student minister of the Ryley, Holden, Bruce charge of the United Church

HERE FOR ANNIVERSARY

Mr and Mrs Mike Gulpka of Vancouver are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kolumy and attended the 25th wedding anniversary party at Pybus Hall of Mr. and Mrs. John Heudel. Mike Gulpka was best man at the wedding of Mr and Mrs. Heudel

Mrs. Campbell and her sister, Mrs. Carr of Sudbury, Ont., were Saturday afternoon visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. Lars Rikland and her sister, Mrs. Ella Bryan, of Winnipeg, who is visiting for a couple of weeks

Mr and Mrs John Mothenki entertained about 35 guests Saturday evening, June 25, in honor of their son Ron and his wife, newlyweds, on their return from their honeymoon trip to various points in British Columbia

Mrs Alice Jones, of Edmonton, was a recent weekend visitor with her mother, Mrs Cerrie Olson. Mrs Olson and her daughter were callers on the Sunday afternoon with Mr and Mrs Lars Rikland.

David Good and children, of Edmonton, were holiday weekend visitors with his mother, Mrs. Lars Rikland, and Lars, also with the Erase Goods.


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# The Ryley Times



## Ministik resident for 45 years Mrs. Margaret Davenport dies

Mrs. Margaret A. Davenport, resident of the Ministik district for nearly 45 years, passed away in Camrose on June 17, 1966.

She was born in Lancashire, England on July 20, 1883, and came to Canada in 1911.

Left to mourn her passing are her husband, William F., one son, William Joseph, two daughters, Nell (Mrs. George Armstrong) and Lillian (Mrs. Ralph Leach), eight grandchildren, four great grandchildren; and two sisters, Mrs. S. Parkin of Durban, South Africa and Mrs. J. McKnight of Blackburn, England.

Funeral services were held in Ministik Memorial Hall Tuesday, June 21. Interment in the South Cooking Lake cemetery with Matthew Ferguson, Peter Ward, Frank Swabey, James Barber, Alex Boss and George Kleinschroth acting as pallbearers.

Hoveland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**Floral tributes** — The Family; Ron; Neil, Flo and Family; Claude, Connie and Chester; Laurie and Ron, Frank and Gladys; Margaret and Stan; Ellen, Peggy and Jean; Sid and Bella; Dick, Jeannie and Matthew; Isabel, Niels and Family, Rita and George, Ted and Morris; Mr. and Mrs. R. Rowland; Mrs. H. E. Williams, Keith and Betty.

**Memorials** — To Ministik United Church: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and boys; Archie Jock; Matthew; Mr. and Mrs. A. McSporran; Albert and Barbara; Mr. and Mrs. A. Kleinschroth; Norma and David; Gladys Roddick and Family; Bella and Alex; Mrs. Barnes; Joyce and Baden Bowerman; Kay and Archie MacLean.

Ministik United Sunday School — Mrs. George; Mrs. Hennessy; Grace Swabey; Margaret, Pat Ann and Linda; Les and Allie, Dolly and Jim; Mrs. Oliver; Jean George and Family.

To the Crippled Children's Fund — Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ward and Family.

To The Red Cross — Art, Corinne and Theresa; Mrs. Gladue; Al and Barbara; Kay and Lloyd.

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## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**RELEASED FROM HOSPITAL**

Mervyn Ware, A G T employee, who was a patient in Viking Hospital after his accident last week, in a ditch cave-in on Highway 14 where they were digging ditches for cables, was released from hospital Thursday. His condition was found satisfactory.

Mr. Rasko spent the holiday weekend with his family in Edmonton, leaving Thursday evening and returning Sunday evening.

Geo H. Taylor, co-ordinator for the County of Beaver No. 9 EMO unit, was a visitor in Tofield on Dominion Day, attending the demonstration put on by the County of Beaver EMO rescue team.

The children of the Holden Lutheran Church, and members of the congregation held their annual picnic Sunday, June 26, at the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Grosland.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL AWARDS**

At the closing of Sunday School of the United Church for the summer holidays, Marlene Kelly and Dennis Good were presented with a white Bible for memory work by the superintendent, Miss Ethel Brown. Several other children were presented with smaller awards. At the picnic held in the afternoon, Mrs. Campbell, on behalf of the congregation, presented a purse of money to Rev. and Mrs. Ruxton, and with a few appropriate words wished them well in their new home.

Eric Adel, who left for Strathmore the end of the month, returned Thursday evening to spend the holiday weekend with his wife, returning to Strathmore on Sunday evening. Mrs. Adel will be leaving the end of this week.

## Ministik news items

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Grades 1, 2 and 3 enjoyed a day at Storyland Valley Zoo, in Edmonton, before school closed for the two summer months. Alphonse Loch was the schoolbus driver, and he was assisted by Mrs. Joe Davenport and Mrs. Bill Roddick.

Doris Davenport is home for the summer holidays with her parents, the Joe Davenports.

Archie Ferguson was a Thursday shopper in Edmonton, going in with his nephew Glenn. He also visited the city on Monday.

The ball game, which was to have been held on Sunday afternoon at the local diamond between Hastings Lake and Ministik, was rained out.

Several people from the district attended the July 1st sports day at Ardrossan, others going to the Tofield sports.

**THE WINNER**

Mrs. George Kleinschroth was the [illegible] "brands quilt" raffled by the Historical Society in Tofield. The quilt was made by Mrs. Bill Tiedemann of Deville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick and family motored to Wetaskiwin on July 1st to explore the [illegible] Reynolds' museum. Later [illegible] went to Len's Parkland for lunch and the remainder of the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Verden Sears and Fang enjoyed the long weekend in the mountains, and also did some fishing there.

Mrs. S. George enjoyed the July 1st sports day in Tofield, and was an overnight and next day guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe.

Ronald Ferguson, who had been a patient in Tofield Hospital, returned home on Wednesday.

**WELCOME RAIN**

The farmers are wearing broad smiles after the lovely rain on Saturday evening and Sunday. Crop and hay prospects look much more promising.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Mulberry and Raymond have moved from the community, to make their home in Calgary.

Don't forget, ladies, the July meeting is at the local campsite, and the roll call is "An idea on how to get rid of garden weeds".

## Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Several district families attended the wedding of Terry Cossey and Diane Sadoway at Delph on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patmore of Pipestone, Man., have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Patmore.

Brock Snider and Monte Malcolm are attending Air Cadets camp at Penhold.

The Snider, Reinhardt, Odiorne and Ford families attended a family reunion, picnic style, at the home of Ruby Hutchinson at Ranfurly.

Joe Bilan took his sons on an overnight fishing trip to Mann Lake.

The 4-H Beef Club is having it's wind-up meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Moore.

***Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McLachlan will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary on July 8th.***

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kwasnecki and family spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey and family.

Milton and Rita Hennig, John and Joan of Andrew helped Graham Snider celebrate his birthday on June 30th.

Mrs. Doris Bailey of Chilliwack, B.C. is visiting with friends and relations for a few weeks.

**SWIMMING LESSONS**

Several district children are taking advantage of the Red Cross learn-to-swim lessons. Thanks to the services of Walter Babbik and his school bus the youngsters are able to travel to Fort Saskatchewan every day.

Maxine Schacher is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Doug Dann at Sherwood Park. Her sister Delores and brother Larry are spending part of their vacation with their grandmother, Mrs. Rolley Schacher of Edmonton.

**MOLSON APPOINTMENT**

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## Franklin-Van Buskirk vows exchanged on June 25th

(Mrs. Van Buskirk)

ROSS CREEK. — The First United Church at Fort Saskatchewan was the scene of a very pretty wedding Saturday evening, June 25, when Judy Irene, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice VanBuskirk, became the bride of Allan James Franklin, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franklin of Bruderheim. Rev. Raam officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The [illegible] looked lovely as she came down the aisle on the arm of her father. Her floor-length gown of white net over peau de soie was fashioned with a lace motif appliqued on the bodice and skirt, and lily-point sleeves. Her only jewelry was a double strand of pearls, gift of the groom, and she carried a cascade of red roses and white streamers with roses entwined.

Susie Lopishinsky was maid of honor, who wore a pink satin gown with a lace overlay. The bridesmaid was Maureen McLachlan, wearing a gown of turquoise crepe. Both girls carried identical bouquets of white carnations and white [illegible] with matching ribbons.

The groom was attended by his brother-in-law, Emile Theroux, and the bride's brother, Colin VanBuskirk. Ushering the guests were Ross Franklin and Colin VanBuskirk.

The bride's mother chose a dress of aqua crepe and lace with pink accessories, and a corsage of pink roses. The groom's mother was attired in a pink and white three-piece suit with white accessories, and white roses on corsage.

Following the ceremony a reception was held for 130 guests at the Fort Saskatchewan Golf and Country Club. Delores Schacher was in charge of the guest book. Ralph Cossey was master of ceremonies, and Charlie Niemetz proposed the toast to the bride, to [illegible] responded.

The groom's grandmothers, Mrs. J. Franklin of Tisdale, Sask., [illegible] Mrs. H. [illegible] Golburn, Sask., were [illegible] the out-of-town guests. Other guests were from Prince Albert, Rosebud, Barrhead, Seba Beach and Tawatinaw.

Before leaving on a motor trip to Jasper, the bride changed to a blue two-piece suit with white accessories, complemented with a white orchid corsage.

## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

***Mr. and Mrs. Brian Williams of Edmonton (nee Bernice McLeod) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Laurel Ann, on June 30, weight 7 lbs. 3 ozs., at the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton. The new arrival is a sister for Carla and the second granddaughter for Mr. and Mrs. Jim McLeod.***

**INFANT DIES SUDDENLY**

Nine-month-old Brent Ivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Babiltz of the Bruce district, passed away very suddenly in Viking Hospital on June 26. The little boy became ill the previous day and was taken to hospital, and on the Sunday morning his condition became worse. He leaves to mourn his loss: his loving parents, two sisters and three brothers, also his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong and Mr. and Mrs. Babiltz of Bruce. The funeral service was held on Wednesday, June 29, with interment in the Bruce cemetery, Pastor Schoepp officiating. Sympathy of all is extended to the bereaved families.


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## Around the town . . .

Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and daughter, Edith Mary and Mr. and Mrs. Aitken and daughters, Debra, Heather and Dorothy all of Edmonton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson and all enjoyed the July 1st celebrations at the fair grounds.

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**HOME FROM HOLIDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. J. Yakabuski [illegible] Tofield and their daughter and son-in-law, Margaret and Henry Lansink of St. Albert, spent two very enjoyable weeks in Longmont, Colorado, visiting Betty and Bob Conner and family. Betty is the former Betty Yakabuski. The past ten days the J. Yakabuskis, spent visiting their son and daughter-in-law, David and Maureen and Jim's brother, Stan and family, all of Edmonton.

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Rev. W. H. McDonnold and Mrs. McDonnold left Tofield on Sunday by automobile on holidays, and a trip to visit with their son, Lawrence and family at Port Arthur, Ont.

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"Young" 86-year-old A. B. Clutterham was again a visitor with daughter Eva and son Blake in Edmonton and his grandchildren. He then came to Tofield for the July 1st Community League Sports Day, to meet friends and acquaintances of former years in Tofield. This was the first year of many that he did not take part in the parade.

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Mr. and Mrs. Art Young from Vancouver Island were here to renew acquaintances, and to visit their son John after 18 years absence.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. Christensen, Dale and Bobbie are on holidays to visit with Georgia's mother, in Kirkland Lake, Ont.

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Rev. J. L. Scriven has again assumed his duties at St. Francis Church after a three week trip by air to England.

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Mrs. W. H. Freebury is visiting her mother in B.C.

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Uncle Bill Stairs of Abbotsford, B.C. visited with Edith and Bill, and Elizabeth Davision over the weekend.

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Postmaster Norman Glover is taking his annual holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Lee arrived home on Saturday from a holiday in the mountains and at the Coast, where they visited with friends and relatives at White Rock and Burnaby.

[illegible] Bert Everitt and Mrs. John Wall are at CGIT Camp at Pigeon Lake as of July 1st to July 10th.

## Supervisor here for Witnesses

Daniel Skinner, circuit supervisor for Jehovah's Witnesses, is visiting the Tofield congregation this week, July 5 - 10th as part of an integrated program of these ministers, to build interest and faith in the Bible as a guide to modern living.

Mr. Skinner is overseer of 15 congregations in this area and visits each one three times a year. His program for the week consists of a discourse on Tuesday evening, at which he discussed their ministerial activity. Throughout the week he has been demonstrating to local Witnesses ministers how to conduct a home visitation arrangement, offering free home Bible study courses to all interested persons.

## Camrose, Tofield '66 graduates from SAIT

The Southern Alberta Institute of Technology, Calgary has announced the names of students who have graduated this year. One of the eight who gained diplomas in Architectural Technology is Lorne Dwight Berg of Camrose. Only one student, from Calgary will receive an honors diploma in this subject.

Herbert William Davision of Tofield was one of the two students who graduated in Power Engineering Technology. Another two students from Innisfail and Cochrane will receive honors diplomas in this subject.

The subject in which the highest number graduated was Diesel Mechanics with 23 students receiving certificates, followed by 21 in Electronic Technology and 20 in Agricultural Mechanics who will receive diplomas.

## Cutting horse . . .

(Continued from Page 1)

Pine Brook Ranches of Calgary.

Cattle used in the cutting were from the farms of Tom Jacobs, Charlie Sears and Pat Sears of Tofield. The large crowd again viewed the show from the stands provided by George W. Golden. Don Macdonald, George Golden and Cliff Ross directed the show, and the announcers and commentators were Jack Riley and Jed Nobles. Judges were Cliff Ross and Hal Yerxa.

## Display . . .

(Continued from Page 1)

Grade VI—1st, Gordon Boettger; 2nd, Glenda Mosby; 3rd, Shirley Fairbrother.

Grade VII—1st, Donna Schmidt; 2nd, Charlie Thiessen; 3rd, Reinhard Meyer.

Grade VIII—1st, Lena Schroeder, 2nd, Robert Chubaty; 3rd, Dean Pike, 4th, Harvey LaRocque.

**WRITING**

Grade I — Scott Murray; 2nd, Lorraine Funk, 3rd, Gordon Schmidt.

Grade II—1st, Janice Epp; 2nd, Charlene Good; 3rd, Monica Itude.

Grade III—1st, Elizabeth Balzer, [illegible], Carol Ann Francis; 3rd, Elaine Jones.

Grade IV—1st, Linda Eastlick; 2nd, Sharon Haugen, 3rd, Ruth Quiring.

Grade V—Joanne Riedeger; 2nd, Lois Ferguson; 3rd, Irene Schmidt.

Grade VI—1st, Kathy Reil, 2nd, Dianne Stauffer; 3rd, Rita Dickson.

Grade VII—1st, Dith Dickson; 2nd, Tyler McLennan; 3rd, Judy Moore.

Grade VIII — 1st, Lyn Astley; 2nd, Evelyn Schmidt; 3rd, Clara Mae Larson.

### From the Scrap Book

The urge to help is deep within all men. It is part of God's Plan for humanity. Those of us who need help should not, by shyness or false pride, deny another the opportunity to conform to that plan.

—J.W.R.

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We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their floral tributes, memorials, messages of sympathy and acts of kindness extended to us during our recent bereavement.
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—Leonard and Evelyne Stauffer. 45p-3280

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Buxton wish to express their appreciation to all their friends in Ryley, Holden and Bruce for the many gifts and best wishes received as they prepare to take up their new appointment in Redwater. 45p-3755

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Summer Schedule
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First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
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No Services in Parish.

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Sunday, July 10th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Family Night.
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Psalm 19-v1—"The Heavens declare the Glory of God".
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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, July 10th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Anglican
Sunday Services
11:00 a.m.—1st Sunday July and August—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—All other Sundays—Matins.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday Schools during June, but none during July and August.
Other services and meetings to be announced.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, July 10th
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 2:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Robert and Dede Goubault and daughter Judy of Drayton Valley arrived here July 1st in the forenoon. Judy stayed with her cousin, Mary at the home of her aunt, Martha and Emil Tiedemann, and Dede and Robert had forenoon coffee with Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood. Later they left for Tofield where Mrs. Ted (Zip) Gray accompanied them on a motor trip to Manitoba to visit Zip's daughter, Mrs. Shirley Heinde and family.

Friday evening, July 1st, visitors and coffee guests at the home of John and Mary Wood were their daughter Evie and Vic Halwa and children and John's sister Esther and Joe Majakey, all of Edmonton.

Myrtle and Jim MacDonald of Okotoks arrived Sunday afternoon at the home of Myrtle's sister, Mary and John Wood, en route home from a visit with their son, Jimmy and Donna MacDonald at Glendon. They stayed overnight Sunday and until after dinner Monday before leaving for their home at Okotoks.

Mary Tiedemann and Judy Goubault left Saturday to spend part of their holidays with Mary's sister and Judy's cousin, Yvonne and Peter Brown.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Joe (Ellenor) Jones was able to return home from the Tofield hospital on Thursday. It is hoped she will soon be able to be out and around again.

Roy Wickenberg returned home from the Tofield Hospital on Monday forenoon after being a patient there the past ten days.

Ellen Eaton was a patient in the Tofield Hospital from Sunday to Tuesday, having x-rays taken.

Art and Ada Keeton and daughter Christine of Alix were Sunday visitors at the home of Ada's sister, Ruth and Roy Wickenberg. Art and Ada left for home Sunday evening, and Christine stayed over to visit with her aunt and uncle for a few days.

Walter Eaton of Sylvan Beach came here Sunday morning to take his four children home after they had spent a week's holiday on the farm with his mother and their grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton. They left for home after having morning coffee and lunch with his brother and family before they also left for home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whiting of Calgary arrived on June 29th to visit for a short time with their daughter, Eva and Joe MacLennan and two boys.

Mrs. Martha Tiedemann was a Monday forenoon visitor and coffee guest at the home of Eva and Joe MacLennan, where she also visited with Eva's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Whiting of Calgary.

Barbara Baines of Edmonton visited at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ethel Wood from Friday until Sunday.

Eddie and Nola Ferguson and four children left on Tuesday for a motor trip to visit friends near Regina, Sask. On their way home they will travel through Southern Alberta where they intend to stop over at Lethbridge to visit Eddie's brother, Frankie Ferguson and family.

**25TH ANNIVERSARY**

Merley and Marjorie Jacobsen attended the silver wedding anniversary supper and dance of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Tettemente at the Club Embassy in Edmonton on Thursday evening last week.

Mrs. Eva MacLennan and two boys accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whiting to their home in Calgary on Monday, July 4th, where she will spend a few days holidays.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Monday evening visitors, coffee guests at the home of Eddie and Nola Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whiting and their daughter Eva and Joe MacLennan and two boys were Saturday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Marjorie and Merley Jacobsen.

Deanna and Don Niemetz and son Sheldon left Thursday for their home at Vauxhall after having spent a week's holidays at the home of Don's parents, George and Ida Niemetz of Lakeshore.

**LENGTHY MOTOR TRIP**

Elmer and Vi Geuglein returned home on Thursday, June 30, from a month's holiday motor trip to Ontario and then into the United States and home. In Ontario they visited Vi's sister Ina and Ken McClelland and family and from there they motored to Fort Wayne, Indiana, where they were guests at the home of Elmer's sister Mrs. Emma Buesching. While there they visited several other relatives of Elmer's before leaving for home.

# Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**25th ANNIVERSARY**

Among the out-of-town guests attending the 25th wedding anniversary party held Saturday, June 25th in the Community Hall for Mr. and Mrs. Don Christiansen were a number of former Holdenites, now of Edmonton. They were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Logan; Mrs. Gertrude Wahl; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cadger; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Loagan and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Greenland; Mrs. Bertha Nolte.

**HERE FROM CHICAGO**

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Fallistick of Chicago, Ill., have been visiting with her father, John Nelson in Edmonton. Mrs. Fallistick is the former Jennie Nelson. They were Thursday dinner guests with Mrs. Mabel Sizer, when other visitors were John Nelson, Mrs. C. Hammer and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer.

A few friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Harry Rennie on Wednesday of last week, for afternoon tea and to wish her a happy birthday.

Mrs. Mary Hooper and her daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Densick were Friday afternoon visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. Mabel Sizer.

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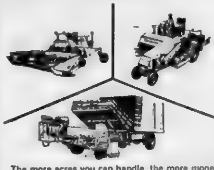

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## CARDS OF THANKS

Mrs George Kleinschroth was the winner of the Tofield Historical Society Brand Name Quilt. The Society wish to thank all those who helped in any way toward the success of the project, and particularly to Mrs Mary Tiedemann, who did the work of making the quilt. 45p-3278

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their floral tributes, memorials, messages of sympathy and acts of kindness extended to us during our recent bereavement.
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—Leonard and Evelyne Stauffer. 45p-3330

Rev and Mrs J S Ruxton wish to express their appreciation to all their friends in Ryley, Holden and Bruce for the many gifts and best wishes received as they prepare to take up their new appointment in Redwater. 45p-2755

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Sunday, July 10th
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11:00 a.m.—1st Sunday July and August—Holy Communion.
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Other services and meetings to be announced.

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Robert and Dede Goubault and daughter Judy of Drayton Valley arrived here July 1st in the forenoon. Judy stayed with her cousin, Mary at the home of her aunt, Martha and Emil Tiedemann, and Dede and Robert had forenoon coffee with Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood. Later they left for Tofield where Mrs. Tod (Zip) Gray accompanied them on a motor trip to Manitoba to visit Zip's daughter, Mrs. Shirley Heintz and family.

Friday evening, July 1st, visitors and coffee guests at the home of John and Mary Wood were their daughter Evie and Vic Halwa and children and John's sister Esther and Joe Majakey, all of Edmonton.

Myrtle and Jim MacDonald of Okotoks arrived Sunday afternoon at the home of Myrtle's sister, Mary and John Wood, en route home from a visit with their son, Jimmy and Donna MacDonald at Glendon. They stayed overnight Sunday and until after dinner Monday before leaving for their home at Okotoks.

Mary Tiedemann and Judy Goubault left Saturday to spend part of their holidays with Mary's sister and Judy's cousin, Yvonne and Peter Brown.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Joe (Ellenor) Jones was able to return home from the Tofield hospital on Thursday. It is hoped she will soon be able to be out and around again.

Roy Wickenberg returned home from the Tofield Hospital on Monday forenoon after being a patient there the past ten days.

Ellen Eaton was a patient in the Tofield Hospital from Sunday to Tuesday, having x-rays taken.

Art and Ada Keeton and daughter Christine of Alix were Sunday visitors at the home of Ada's sister, Ruth and Roy Wickenberg. Art and Ada left for home Sunday evening, and Christine stayed over to visit with her aunt and uncle for a few days.

Walter Eaton of Sylvan Beach came here Sunday morning to take his four children home after they had spent a week's holiday on the farm with his mother and their grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton. They left for home after having morning coffee and lunch with his brother and family before they also left for home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whiting of Calgary arrived on June 29th to visit for a short time with their daughter, Eva and Joe MacLennan and two boys.

Mrs. Martha Tiedemann was a Monday forenoon visitor and coffee guest at the home of Eva and Joe MacLennan, where she also visited with Eva's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Whiting of Calgary.

Barbara Baines of Edmonton visited at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ethel Wood from Friday until Sunday.

Eddie and Nola Ferguson and four children left on Tuesday for a motor trip to visit friends near Regina, Sask. On their way home they will travel through Southern Alberta where they intend to stop over at Lethbridge to visit Eddie's brother, Frankie Ferguson and family.

**25TH ANNIVERSARY**

Morley and Marjorie Jocobsen attended the silver wedding anniversary supper and dance of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Tettemente at the Club Embassy in Edmonton on Thursday evening last week.

Mrs. Eva MacLennan and two boys accompanied her parents, Mr and Mrs. Jim Whiting to their home in Calgary on Monday, July 4th, where she will spend a few days holidays.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Monday evening visitors, coffee guests at the home of Eddie and Nola Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whiting and their daughter Eva and Joe MacLennan and two boys were Saturday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Marjorie and Morley Jacobsen.

Deanna and Don Niemetz and son Sheldon left Thursday for their home at Vauxhall after having spent a week's holidays at the home of Don's parents, George and Ida Niemetz of Lakeshore.

**LENGTHY MOTOR TRIP**

Elmer and Vi Googlein returned home on Thursday, June 30, from a month's holiday motor trip to Ontario and then into the United States and home. In Ontario they visited Vi's sister Isa and Ken McClelland and family and from there they motored to Fort Wayne, Indianna, where they were guests at the home of Elmer's sister, Mrs. Emma Buesching. While there they visited several other relatives of Elmer's before leaving for home.

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# Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**25th ANNIVERSARY**

Among the out-of-town guests attending the 25th wedding anniversary party held Saturday, June 25th in the Community Hall for Mr. and Mrs. Don Christianson were a number of former Holdenites, now of Edmoton. They were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Logan; Mrs. Gertrude Wahl; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cadger; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Loagan and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grosland; Mrs. Bertha Nohr.

**HERE FROM CHICAGO**

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Fallistick of Chicago, Ill., have been visiting with her father, John Nelson in Edmonton. Mrs. Fallistick is the former Jennie Nelson. They were Thursday dinner guests with Mrs. Mabel Sizer, when other visitors were John Nelson, Mrs. C. Hammer and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer.

A few friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Harry Ronnie on Wednesday of last week, for afternoon tea and to wish her a happy birthday.

Mrs. Mary Hooper and her daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Densick were Friday afternoon visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. Mabel Sizer.

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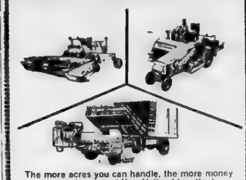

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann, Mrs. Herman Voigt and Mrs. Lillian Teska of Bruce motored to Edmonton Monday evening of last week to visit Mrs. Hammermaster of Bruce district, who is a very ill in the University Hospital.

Stanley Komarnisky is a patient in the Tofield hospital after having had recent surgery.

The Jack Stambaugh family and Kevin, and Robert Tiedemann spent several days over the Dominion holiday weekend at their cottage at Seba Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children of the Viking district were visitors with Mr. Taylor's parents a week ago Tuesday afternoon.

Chris Christenson was a Thursday visitor in Edmonton and brought his sister, Mrs. Elna Parsons, who is a guest at the Good Samaritan Nursing home, back with him to visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were dinner guests with Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Carr Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Manchur, who have been residing in the Bekstad house for the past three months, have moved into the residence owned by Peter Kryska. Miss Margaret Robertson, who has been living there, has moved into the County of Beaver teacherage, formerly occupied by Mr. Randell who has left the Holden teaching staff.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly and children spent the holiday weekend at Miquelon Lake.

Chris Christenson was a recent visitor with his niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Warren at Elk Point.

The ladies of the UCW met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hunchuk an evening [illegible] week, in honor of Mrs. Ruxton. The ladies presented her with a souvenier spoon and the good wishes of all for happiness in their new home at Redwater.

Mrs. Betty Koetke is assisting in the Post Office wile Mrs. Olga Bliyk is on annual holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Willans have returned from a two week vacation at Vancouver and Victoria, B.C., visiting their family.

**TRIP TO U.S.**

Robert Ruskenveld, his sister, Jacqueline and Art Olson left June 27th by car to travel to San Francisco, Calif., arriving there Saturday afternoon. Jacqueline is visiting with relatives there and then will be going on to New York with them for a vist, later visiting at Ottawa with Mr. and Mrs. Lou Ruskenveld and family. She will be away about a month. Robert and Art will be driving home from San Francisco.

A. J. Rasko of Edmonton arrived in Holden Monday of last week to take over the position of accountant at the Royal Bank. Mr. Adel left on the Tuesday evening for Strathmore where he has been transferred.

Mr. Fortier and son of Vancouver, who have been visiting for the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Chetney, left for Edmonton Saturday afternoon to meet Mrs. Fortier, who arrived by plane from Vancouver and visited with her mother, Mrs. Chetney and Olaf. They returned to Holden Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and David, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorenson and David, and Mr. and Mrs. John Semotiuk and children spent Dominion Day visiting at the Alberta Game Farm

Mr. and Mrs. McFadyen, Sr. of Innisfree were visitors over the holiday weekend with their son Don and family.

John Lemko and his brother Mike spent the weekend on a fishing trip at Mann Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Raeder were visitors in Edmonton over the holiday weekend.

The scales of justice might well be called the trial balance.


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# Showcase...

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enjoyed by a large segment of the crowd: and Vince Bates' demonstration of sheep-shearing was well received

The two-day baseball tournament could not be finished due to rain on July 2. The Camrose Cubs and the B.S. & B. Tankers were the two undefeated, and the Ryley team won the Little League tournament. The dance at night completed the first day's festivities

All in all, the Tofield Community League's first two-day Showcase was a success, and on behalf of the League, President Lionel Borton wishes to thank all those who helped to make it so.

# LOCALS...

Mr. and Mrs. Arney Klassen, and children, Mrs. Penner and Mrs. Isaac Froese spent Saturday at the Vern Froese home at Didsbury visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Froese and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Froese from Mission City, B.C.

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**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mitchell had as their guests over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKenzie, Patty and Bobby from Vancouver. Other Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jelbert and family, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mitchell, Mrs. Esther Henderson, Willard and Ruth Ferguson and son. Mrs. McKenzie is a niece of the Mitchells and will be remembered by many as the former Maude Wildman.

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Don Norton returned home on Sunday evening after spending the past two years attending Columbia Bible College at South Carolina, U.S.A.

## Ryley 4-H meets

The Ryley 4-H Dairy Club held it's June meeting on Thursday, June 16. Arrangements for Achievement Day were the main item of business, and was decided to hold the annual event at the Ryley Sports grounds on Wednesday, July 6. Judging was to commence to 1:00 p.m. and lunch served.


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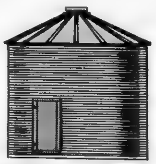

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**Red Coats**

It is a rare occasion nowadays to see the Mounties in their red coats but many spectators watched the local RCMP gracefully lead the July 1st parade, followed by the popular Andrew Band. Photo by Peter Nickel.

# 23 cars derailed in freak CN wreck

**Service on the Canadian National Railway line to Edmonton was broken late Friday night when 23 cars smashed up a mile south of Armena, ripping up a quarter of a mile of track. Damage has so far not been estimated in the freak accident, described by several railroaders as the worst they had seen in 20 years.**

Reason for the accident has not been decided yet, either, according to J. J. Thornton, railway representative in Edmonton.

Shortly before 11:00 p.m. Friday the southbound freight, hauling a mixed load of ore cars from Pine Point, loaded and empty boxcars, came to a halt a mile south of Armena, near the Miquelon Lake road, when 23 cars careened into a heap, twisting tracks and roadbed into a tangled mass.

Noise of the crash was heard by farmers all over the district, according to reports phoned in to The Mercury.

The smash involved 18 empty boxcars and five gondolas.

**FAST ACTION**

Almost immediately repair crews swung into action. Arrangements were made for a bulldozer to come from Edmonton by lowboy, while Ted Relten of Camrose was also retained. By early morning, roadcrews were on hand from several points in the region, and work commenced on clearing the track.

First consideration of the crews was simply to pull the wrecked material from the roadbed, and tumble it into the ditch for later removal. Wheels, axles, and other material left behind was also cleared away, then crews started removing twisted rails and broken ties.

Almost immediately, ties were replaced, and new rails were set in place, so that reconstruction work moved ahead as fast as possible. By night service was restored over the section, with salvage operations to continue over a more extended period.

**TRAINS KEEP RUNNING**

Trains continued to run during the interruption, being re-routed from Camrose north to Tofield, and thence in to Edmonton. After the break, the locomotive and cars still remaining coupled continued south, while those standing behind the break were drawn back to Edmonton again

No estimate of damage is yet available, said Mr Thornton, who reported that new boxcars cost about $18,000. Of course, he pointed out, with older cars, depreciation has to be taken into account. He offered no estimate of the price of the ore cars, which were almost new

As much as possible of the nickel concentrate will be salvaged, said Mr Thornton, since the refined product is valued at $2.0 per ton. There is much less value attached to the nickel ore in the two gondolas which upset he said, since this was still raw ore, pretty much as it comes out of the ground. Heavy shipments of ore as well as concentrate have been carried by the company from the new mine at Pine Point to the smelters at Trail.

Cause of the damage is still under investigation, The Mercury was told, with the remark that it appears at present that the equipment was not at fault.

# Bardo district couple mark 25th anniversary

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO — A large number of friends, neighbors and relatives gathered at the Community Centre on Sunday afternoon to honor Leonard and Evelyn Stauffer on their 25th wedding anniversary.

Miss Sylvia Stauffer was in charge of the guest book, and the lovely wedding cake was baked and decorated by Leonard's sister, Evelyn.

Leif Foshaug was master of ceremonies for the program, calling on Pastor A. Dahlen for the opening devotion. The ladies sextette sang a song, and Lester Severson, Evelyn Foshaug and Patricia Litwin gave a musical number on the guitar, ukulele and accordion

Mrs. Evelyn Stauffer read a poem which had been composed for the occasion, and Mrs. Herman Lawson, Evelyn's mother, sang a solo, accompanied on the piano by Bernice Heiberg and on the violin by Evelyn's father, Herman Lawson

As it was also Leonard's birthday, his sister Evelyn presented him with a birthday cake. Leonard's cousins sang a song, and Willard Burkholder did a bit of reminiscing from school days

Kenny Stauffer presented his parents with a gift from himself and Warren; Ivan Foshaug presented a purse of money from the community, friends and relatives; Leonard Lawson and Mrs Hilmar Haugen from the Campbell families.

The happy couple expressed their deep appreciation for gifts and everything that had helped to make the day such a pleasant one.

# Tofield Lions meet July 5

Tofield Lions Club held their first July meeting on Tuesday evening in the Community Centre with Lion "Chick" Blacklock, newly installed president, in the chair. Tofield Coffee Shop is now catering to the Club.

It was learned that Lion Henry Paege won the raffle of the $100 bill. Appreciation was expressed to those Lion members who spent time in making the interesting float for the July 1st parade

International Lion President Lindsay will be in Edmonton on August 1, an event which might not happen again in 20 years. The members were urged to attend if possible and have a good representation from District 37B

The matter of surrendering the Canadian Charter and continuing under the Head Office was discussed, and tabled until another meeting

Some ideas for variety entertainment were explored, and may be finalized later.

**4-H at work**

Believe it or not, but most of the paint did get on the buildings instead of the painters above, who are members of the Tofield 4-H club carrying out a centennial project of painting the booths and fences in the sports grounds. Paint was supplied by the UGG to all 4-H clubs wishing to take on such a project.

IF WE LIVE THAT LONG...

# Great Canadian

The death early Monday of Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton removes from the scene one of the comparatively few great Canadians' our country has produced. A remarkably clever man, he served his country in many fields, as diverse as it is possible to be. As scientist, he was for years before the war the head of the National Research Council, with many important developments to his credit.

During the war, he headed the Canadian Army overseas until relieved of his command, and it is a matter of record that he was warmly admired and highly respected by the same troops who boo'ed their prime minister. Whatever the official record shows, Canadian troops knew his removal was because his keen sense of principle would brook no compromise, and he was a thorn in the flesh of the British military hierarchy, who desired to split the unified Canadian Army into two corps

Returned to Canada, he was made minister of national defence, but found himself entirely unskilled in the guerilla warfare of politics, and he lost out in his bid to maintain the army on an entirely volunteer basis

Returned to civilian life, he served on Canada's U.N. committee and was for years chairman of the Canadian delegation to the joint U.S committee on water use. Here again, his unswerving devotion to Canada coupled with his intense honesty and fearless expression brought him into continual conflict, so that he was rarely out of controversy for any length of time

In this pre-centennial year, when so many of us are wondering what is the nature of the 'true Canadian,' here we have the best example we could look for in the life of Andy McNaughton.

# Junior citizens, anyone?

Countdown for the junior citizens nominations for this year is only a bare two weeks away, and so far The Mercury has only one nomination for this season

There must be more than one young citizen, 6 to 16, in this district, who has contributed far more than his or her bare minimum in helping to make things go, either at home or beyond

Anyone who knows of circumstances they feel are particularly commendable is urged to write a report and send it to The Mercury, or directly to Calgary Power. If you feel unable to write the story sufficiently well, please get in touch with Chuck MacLean editor of this paper, and have him fill in for you

But please don't delay July 31st is the deadline

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# Centennial Report

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by JOHN W FISHER CENTENNIAL COMMISSIONER

What small town or city in Canada has not been served, at some time in its history, by a Chinese restaurant or a Chinese laundry? Our communities have been built by the contributions of many cultures and it occurs to me that too often the contributions of the Chinese have been overlooked.

In earlier times the Chinese provided the backbone of labour for railroad building They were the cooks in mines and lumber camps Gradually they developed small businesses and provided services to communities which few others were prepared or able to offer They still do that today and scores of small communities would have no public eating places if it were not for Canadians of Chinese extraction Also, they provide a cultural addition to our cities with their glamorous and interesting modern "Chinatowns"

These contributions I have mentioned are some of the more noticeable ones. Chinese Canadians today are active as well in most other areas of modern society — in the arts, the professions in business, even in politics For example, Mr Peter Wing recently became the first Chinese Canadian to be elected mayor of a Canadian city, at Kamloops, B.C

The people of Vernon, B.C., are quite aware of the contribution the Chinese have made in the development of their community What has made them more aware recently is an offer by the Chinese community of Vernon to build a tea house as a Centennial project in the city park Walter Joe spokesman for the Chinese community's Freemasons and Dart Coon Club, told the city council that some of the oldtimers wanted to build the tea house as a reminder of the new and old cultures

I can agree heartily with the Vernon News which commented in one of its editorials "Chinese Canadians should be saluted on their desire to play a part in celebrating the 100th anniversaries of B.C and Canada In this way their part in the building of a nation, which we tend to overlook, can receive the recognition it deserves"

The first Chinese arrived at Vernon 60 to 70 years ago and the community reached 700 people around the time of the First World War The News states that they went to Vernon in force with the building of the railroad and earlier some took part in the Cherryville gold rush. "They stayed to provide the labour needed to operate canneries and the agricultural industry. It was menial labour because they lacked the education and knowledge of the language to get better jobs.

"But the Chinese established themselves as hard workers and good citizens Many became prosperous businessmen and played a significant role in the community's development" I might add that whenever the Chinese were allowed to bring up families in Canada, they strove to give their children higher education

It is easy to see that the Centennial is not only an occasion of celebrations It is a time when we are reminded that Canadians of all backgrounds have developed this country and that we cannot afford to think that any group of us can be self-sufficient in isolation I believe that the Centennial projects—the big ones being conducted on a national scale and the small ones like the Vernon tea house—will remind us that Canadians originated from societies and cultures all over the world and will increase our understanding of each other's way of life and point of view

# MacDuff Ottawa report

OTTAWA —In the fire and fury of the seven days dispute, the government has produced a broadcasting policy which Judy LaMarsh hopes will settle things for ten to twenty years to come

There have been some raised eyebrows at this statement by the ebullient Secretary of State who has recovered her spirits and drive since switching last year from the Health Portfolio to Canada's Ministry of Culture

But the Broadcasting White Paper tabled in the Commons last week was an [illegible] and moderate attempt to set out the various [illegible] of the Board of Broadcast Governors the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, and the Government so everybody will know what they have to do

## NEW STRUCTURED PLAN

It proposals is a structure with various areas of control and responsibility.

At the top Parliament is still supreme with power to enact the new broadcasting law which will follow the White Paper

Responsible to Parliament to set policy and draft the law is the Government But the Government proposes to give up some important powers to an enlarged and strengthened Board of Broadcast Governors

For example it will be the Board of Broadcast Governors, not the Cabinet that will issue broadcasting licences — subject only to technical checks by the Department of Transport.

## KILL PATRONAGE

By this device, the government hopes to remove the taint of political patronage from the broadcasting business And the new Board of Broadcast Governors will be given teeth to keep licence holders to the promises by which they obtained the [illegible]

Stiff fines against licence holders who fail to maintain quality will be levied Previously, it was possible only to levy small fines and the Board of Broadcast Governors hesitated to take the ultimate step of recommending revocation of the licence

Another step to eliminate politics [illegible] is the decision to provide the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation with a five year grant based on the number of TV households in Canada instead of having the corporation come hat in hand to Parliament each year

## BBC UP — CBC DOWN

As the Board of Broadcast Governors has been strengthened, the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation will have less independent authority. It will come under the Board of Broadcast Governors as will the private broadcasters and a new Federal Crown Corporation to be set up for educational and public broadcasting

Community antenna television will also come under Board of

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**Railway nightmare** "It's the worst I've seen in more than 30 years" commented one veteran railroader Saturday as he helped clear away some of the wreckage of the CNR train which piled up a mile south of Armena late Friday night. 18 boxcars and five ore-laden gondolas left the tracks and piled up the jumbled mass shown above. — Mercury Staff Photo.

# MacDuff Ottawa report

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Broadcasting Governors rulings. [illegible] ing Corporation itself, the government has moved to separate the areas of policy making and actual day-to-day operation. The President of the Corporation will be the Chairman of the Board which makes policy But the day-to-day business will be carried on by a Chief Executive Officer appointed by the Board with the approval of the Cabinet.

## [illegible]

The government has reserved the right to "guide" the Board of Broadcast Governors in action to prevent foreign control seeping into Canadian broadcasting and to halt the speed of monopoly control in legal situations where one owner has newspapers, radio and television stations

For the private broadcasters there's a guarantee against unfair commercial competition by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation. The government has decided that the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation should not try for more than its present share of the broadcast market—about 25 per cent of television revenues and four per cent of radio revenues.

## FREE HAND

Just how the changes will affect the futures of such persons as Alphonse Ouimet, President of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation will only be seen when the legislation is in effect some six months from now.

But the government will have a free hand since all appointments to the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation and Board of Broadcast Governors—(including Mr. Ouimet's recent appointment for another seven year term) lapse with the new law.

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eslen)

Dede and Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley were Saturday dinner guests at the home of her parents, John and Mary Wood, on their way home to the Valley after returning from a motor trip to Manitoba

Mrs. Emma Schacher and her brother, Bob Stock, both of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of their neice Ida and George Neimetz. Later in the afternoon Mrs. Schacher motored to Edmonton with Geo. and Ida to the home of Ida's sister, Emma and Ed Schultz where they attended a shower held in honor of Geo and Ida's daughter, Gail Niemetz whose wedding takes place July 30th.

Sunday callers at the home of Mavis and Carl Jacobsen were Mavis' nephew, Dennis and Jeanette Jacobson, also her father, Julius Jacobson, all of Edmonton, and Carl's parents, Hans and Martha Jacobsen also of Edmonton Mavis' father remained for a visit.

Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton were Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of their son, Morley and Marjorie [illegible]

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# The Ryley Times



## Ryley news briefs

O Olsenberg is home from University Hospital after several weeks stay there and is feeling much improved.

**BIRTHS**

Mr and Mrs Glen Knudslien are proud parents of a daughter, born on June 16

Born to Mr and Mrs Lloyd Wickstrom a daughter on June 27th a sister for Bobby, Sherry, Kent and Beverly

Garry Wiens, John Jensen, Sever Moore and Richard Mathews are holidaying at Jasper and Banff

Mr and Mrs Arnold Bugge and Kevin are spending two weeks in Winnipeg with their son Norman and Irene Bugge and children.

The Ryley Lutheran Sunday school has been holding vocational Bible school this week from July 11 to 15th 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. each day There will be a program by the children on July 15th

Windy Hryneu from Edmonton spent several days with Marva and Vanesa Maaren

Mr and Mrs C Mahlum motored to Viking hospital to visit Alice's father, Mr McMullin, who is a patient there.

**4-H PICNIC**

The three home making 4-H clubs of Ryley had a picnic at Miquelon Lake, with about 50 members and friends there They all had a grand time

**PEE WEE COACH LEAVES**

The Ryley Pee Wee baseball League presented their coach Tom Kerlee with a gift at their last game Mr Kerlee has been very kind and patient with the young members and will be missed when he returns to the U S

Patsy Stumbo and John Booth are home from College Heights for the holidays

Mr and Mrs J Roberts and Mr and Mrs O Bruce and Kathy were Saturday visitors with Mr and Mrs Olaf Oslund

Mr and Mrs Anton Knudslien returned from holidays in B C, where they visited relatives

Mrs Fred Lyons has returned from a trip to Holland

## Hastings Lake

**(Mrs. B. Gladue)**

Don't forget the Social Credit picnic on Saturday, July 16 This is an annual event, which is greatly looked forward to by all ages There will be races and ball games as well as the ladies serving refreshments at the booths Mr. Floyd Baker, MLA for Clover Bar will be in attendance

There will also be a dance in the evening.

There have been several work parties at the hall starting on the new addition, even the ladies were up a couple of days with their hammers.

Mr. and Mrs Rowland and Theresa left for a holiday to the U S last week.

The Social Credit group will meet at the Dunham home on Wednesday, July 20.

## News items from Ketchamoot

**(Mary Mitchell)**

Mr and Mrs Gordon Kyle and family attended the Highland Games at Coronation Park, Edmonton, on July 1

On Friday evening Ivan and Mary Mitchell called on Randy Sutton who has been confined to his bed for the past 14 weeks Later they spent the evening visiting Myrtle and Albert

Harvey Foss and Monty and Theresa of Dorothy, were last Friday overnight guests of Mr and Mrs Albert Sutton

Miss Ella Ingram left Monday to attend a session of summer school at the University for the next six weeks

Keith and Stanley Brown left on a trip to Foremost in southern Alberta, to visit with Mrs. Lyons and other relatives.

Weekend visitors at the Martin Lawson home were Mr and Mrs Tom Massey of Flint, Michigan, cousins of the Lawsons On Sunday evening they called on Mr and Mrs. Leonard Stauffer at Bardo.

Frances Schultz left on Monday for Gold Eve Camp, where she will spend about ten days

Yvonne and Peter Brown attended the Ponoka Stampede on July 1

Mr and Mrs Eldon Ray and children, of Alix, were Sunday visitors with Lalia and Milton Ray.

**Pete Poyd is leaving by plane on Friday for his homeland, Denmark, to visit his parents.**

Annie McGinitie motored to Holden on Tuesday to spend the day with her mother, Mrs. Brown, who is confined to her wheel chair.

Some much needed rain fell in this district over the weekend, which was welcomed by the farmers.

Jimmy Ingram and Bill Lancaster spent a few days last week touring Southern Alberta, and into the Cypress Hills in Saskatchewan

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Prose motored to Provost on Sunday to visit with relatives.

Miss Donna Ingram, of Edmonton, spent the weekend at home with her parents. Bill and Mae Ingram, and Wesley.

Last Thursday, Janet Lawson spent the day in Holden with her mother, Mrs. Brown.

**HERE FROM ONTARIO**

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. George Funk and family were George's mother, and brother John and wife and family, of St Catherines, Ontario They left Monday for the West Coast, planning to return in two weeks

Last Thursday a pleasant afternoon was spent by several ladies viewing the flowers in Mary Mitchell's garden. Later they enjoyed refreshments under the maple trees. On Monday they viewed Yvonne Brown's flowers and enjoyed a lawn picnic there.

Opal and Donnelly McGinitie were Sunday visitors with Mr and Mrs Pete Munkedahl at Ryley

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**HERE FROM CALIFORNIA**

On Sunday, July 3rd, Mavis and Carl Jacobsen had as early visitors and morning luncheon guests Mavis' cousin, Orris and Ann Flotten and five children of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mavis' father Julius Jacobsen of Edmonton.

On Tuesday of last week Mrs Ada Keaton of Alix arrived at the home of her sister, Ruth and Roy Wickenburg to get her daughter Christine and take her home, after having spent a few days with her aunt. Ruth and Roy. She was a Tuesday overnight visitor On Wednesday Ruth accompanied Ada and Christine to Edmonton where they spent a few days with Ruth's daughter, Mrs. Vivian Jones. Ruth returned home on Saturday afternoon with her daughters Janet and Vivian.

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## Holden district news items

**(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)**

Caroline Fodness, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Holstein Fodness of Oliver, B.C., is visiting for the summer holidays with Mr and Mrs Hans Brekstad and family

Mrs. Olaf Chetney was a Viking visitor Thursday afternoon of last week, taking Mrs. Mary Andrews to the doctor for a check-up.

Con Troudt and Miss Elizabeth Giebelhaus of Camrose, former north Holden district residents were last Thursday dinner guests with Mrs. Campbell They then went on to Vegreville and were evening visitors with Mr and Mrs Lars Ritland

Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow and their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertzs, left Friday for Calgary to visit for a few days with another daughter and family the Ted Andersons The young son of Mr and Mrs Anderson was to be baptized on the Sunday and they were all planning to visit on Sunday afternoon at Banff and were hoping to take in a day or so of Calgary Stampede

H S Bever lee is back at his duties at the Royal Bank after a month's vacation Mr Smith, the relieving manager, left for his home in Calgary last Tuesday evening.

Albert Koodcat is home after spending the past few weeks visiting with his daughter and family and other relatives in Edmonton

Sam Sroka of Edmonton has been spending the past two weeks of his annual holiday visiting his mother, Mrs. Tekla Sroka

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bilyk and youngest son Leslie spent a few days the weekend of July 1st visiting with relatives at Cranbrook, B C

**INJURED IN FALL**

Mrs Dora Loney is still a patient in Tofield Hospital after her recent bad fall, cutting her head badly but is making satisfactory progress. Her daughter, Mrs Frances Shand of Edmonton was visiting with her last Tuesday, and also with her father, Richard Loney

Mrs M L Campbell and her sister Mrs Carr were last Sunday visitors and supper guests with Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow

Mr and Mrs Nick Lukoski and daughters were visitors in Edmonton on Tuesday of last week.

Mr and Mrs Hilmer Olson and daughter Mona and Mrs Michael Stolick motored to Regina for the July 1st holiday weekend visiting with Robert Olson who is in training with the RCMP there

Douglas Hardy and a friend of Edmonton were visitors over the long holiday weekend with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Earl Hardy We hear that wedding bells will be ringing for Douglas the early part of August

Mrs. Lars Ritland entertained a number of friends and neighbours for afternoon tea Monday of last week to meet her sister Mrs Ella Evans of Winnipeg who is visiting with her and Lars.

Mrs. Edna Giebelhaus of Jasper has been visiting for several days this past week with her parents and family Mr and Mrs. J A Giebelhaus and also attended the 25th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Rwanke, who held open house at their farm home a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pederson of Camrose were also guests at the reception, their sister Edna driving here from Camrose with them

**BINGO WINNER**

Leonard Johnson of Camrose, former south Holden district farmer, was one of the four lucky winners in the recent newspaper bingo sponsored by the Edmonton Lions Club The other three winners who tied for the $2,000 were Edmonton residents The four split the winnings, each receiving $500

Dennis Cooper and Don Manchur are away at Comox, B.C., going with the contingent of Sea Cadets from Holden and Viking

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keith have their daughter Mavis and children visiting with them for several days during the holidays.

Mrs Hooper and son Melvin were Edmonton visitors with Mr. Cooper on Thursday of last week. Mrs Hooper also called on Mrs. Elna Parsons, who returned to the Good Samaritan Nursing Home after spending three days with her brother, Chris Christenson

**HERE FROM N.B.**

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carlson and family had Mrs. Carlson's sister Kathleen, from New Brunswick, visiting with them for a few days last week. She stopped off en route to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs Lamb, at Penticton, B.C., and was also planning to visit with Mrs. Gertrude Wahl in Edmonton. Mrs. Carlson and her sister visited with Mrs. Campbell on Tuesday evening, also meeting Mrs Carr, who has a daughter residing in the same locality as Kathleen.

Visitors on Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Story were Mrs. Storey's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wilde, of Edmonton

Freddie Dorm of Camrose was a business caller in Holden on Friday afternoon

## Tofield 4-H Club has wind-up party

**(Allan Korchek)**

The Tofield 4-H Beef Club held its annual wind-up party at the farm of the club leader John Moore on July 6 There were ball games for the younger and older members and later the top team of older members played a game against the men A wiener roast was held following the games

The year's activities were brought to a close by the return of the members' record books Top mark in the record books was awarded to Marjorie Moore.

I would like to extend my appreciation to all those who made possible my being reporter for the past season

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Knudslien are proud parents of a daughter, born on June 16.

Born to Mr. and Mrs Lloyd Wickstrom, a daughter on June 20th, a sister for Bobby, Sherry, Kent and Beverly

Garry Wiens, John Jensen, Steve Maare and Richard Mathews are holidaying at Jasper and [illegible]

Mr and Mrs. Arnold Bugge and Kevin are spending two weeks in Winnipeg with their son Norman and Irene Bugge and children.

The Ryley Lutheran Sunday school has been holding vocational Bible school this week from July 11 to 15th. 9 00 a m. to 3 00 p m. each day. There will be a program by the children on July 15th.

Windy Hryneu from Edmonton spent several days with Marva and Vanesa Maaren

Mr. and Mrs. C Mahlum motored to Viking hospital to visit Alice's father, Mr. McMullin, who is a patient there.

4-H PICNIC

The three home making 4-H clubs of Ryley had a picnic at Miquelon Lake, with about 80 members and friends there. They all had a grand time.

PEE WEE COACH LEAVES

The Ryley Pee Wee baseball League presented their coach Tom Kerlee with a gift at their last game. Mr Kerlee has been very kind and patient with the young members and will be missed when he returns to the U.S.

Patsy Stumbo and John Booth are home from College Heights for the holidays

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roberts and Mr and Mrs. O. Bruce and Kathy were Saturday visitors with Mr and Mrs Olaf Oslund

Mr. and Mrs Anton Knutalien returned from holidays in B.C., where they visited relatives

Mrs. Fred Lyons has returned from a trip to Holland

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

Don't forget the Social Credit picnic on Saturday, July 16. This is an annual event, which is greatly looked forward to, by all ages. There will be races and ball games as well as the ladies serving refreshments at the booths. Mr. Floyd Baker, MLA for Clover Bar will be in attendance.

There will also be a dance in the evening.

There have been several work parties at the hall starting on the new addition, even the ladies were up a couple of days with their hammers.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowland and Theresa left for a holiday to the U.S. last week.

The Social Credit group will meet at the Dunham home on Wednesday, July 20.

## News items from Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr and Mrs Gordon Kyle and family attended the Highland Games at Coronation Park, Edmonton, on July 1.

On Friday evening, Ivan and Mary Mitchell called on Randy Sutton, who has been confined to his bed for the past 14 weeks Later they spent the evening visiting Myrtle and Albert

Harvey Foss and Monty and Theresa, of Donatville, were last Friday overnight guests of Mr and M[illegible]

M[illegible] left Monday to attend a session of summer school at the University for the next six weeks.

Keitha and Stanley Brown left on a trip to Foremost, in southern Alberta, to visit with Mrs Lyons and other relatives.

Weekend vistors at the Martin Lawson home were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Massey of Flint, Michigan, cousins of the Lawsons. On Sunday evening they called on Mr and Mrs. Leonard Stauffer at Bardo

Frances Schultz left on Monday for Gold Eye Camp, where she will spend about ten days.

Yvonne and Peter Brown attended the Ponoka Stampede on July 1

Mr. and Mrs Eldon Ray and children, of Alix, were Sunday visitors with Lelia and Milton Ray

**Pete Foyd is leaving by plane on Friday for his homeland, Denmark, to visit his parents.**

Annie McGinitie motored to Holden on Tuesday to spend the day with her mother, Mrs. Brown, who is confined to her wheel chair

Some much-needed rain fell in this district over the weekend, which was welcomed by the farmers

Jimmy Ingram and Bill Lancaster spent a few days last week touring Southern Alberta, and into the Cypress Hills in Saskatchewan

Mr and Mrs. Isaac Frose motored to Provost on Sunday to visit with relatives

Miss Donna Ingram, of Edmonton, spent the weekend at home with her parents Bill and Mae Ingram, and Wesley

Last Thursday, Janet Lawson spent the day in Holden with her mother, Mrs. Brown

HERE FROM ONTARIO

Visitors with Mr and Mrs George Funk and family were George's mother, and brother John and wife and family, of St Catherines, Ontario. They left Monday for the West Coast, planning to return in two weeks

Last Thursday a pleasant afternoon was spent by several ladies viewing the flowers in Mary Mitchell's garden. Later they enjoyed refreshments under the maple trees. On Monday they viewed Yvonne Brown's flowers and enjoyed a lawn picnic there.

Opal and Donnelly McGinitie were Sunday visitors with Mr and Mrs. Pete Munkedahl at Ryley.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

HERE FROM CALIFORNIA

On Sunday, July 3rd, Mavis and Carl Jacobsen had as early visitors and morning luncheon guests Mavis' cousin, Orris and Ann Flotten and five children of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mavis' father Julius Jacobson of Edmonton

On Tuesday of last week Mrs Ada Keaton of Alix arrived at the home of her sister, Ruth and Roy Wickenburg to get her daughter Christine and take her home, after having spent a few days with her aunt Ruth and Roy. She was a Tuesday overnight visitor On Wednesday Ruth accompanied Ada and Christine to Edmonton where they spent a few days with Ruth's daughter, Mrs Vivian Jones. Ruth returned home on Saturday afternoon with her daughters Janet and Vivian.

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**Summer Sale**

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| CANNED POP - Shasta 10 oz. tins | 10 tins 89c |
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## Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Caroline Fodness, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Holstein Fodness of Oliver, B.C., is visiting for the [illegible] holidays with Mr and Mrs. Hans Brekstad and family.

Mrs. Olaf Chetney was a Viking visitor Thursday afternoon of last week, taking Mrs. Mary Andrews to the doctor for a check-up.

Con Troutt and Miss Elizabeth Giebelhaus of Camrose, former north Holden district residents, were last Thursday dinner guests with Mrs. Campbell. They then went on to Vegreville and were evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs Lars Ritland.

Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow and their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas, left Friday for Calgary to visit for a few days with another daughter and family, the Ted Andersons. The young son of Mr and Mrs. Anderson was to be baptized on the Sunday, and they were all planning to visit on Sunday afternoon at Banff and were hoping to take in a day or so of Calgary Stampede.

H. S. Beveridge is back at his duties at the Royal Bank, after a month's vacation. Mr. Smith, the relieving manager, left for his home in Calgary last Tuesday evening.

Albert Kondrat is home after spending the past few weeks visiting with his daughter and family and other relatives in Edmonton.

Sam Sroka of Edmonton has been spending the past two weeks of his annual holiday visiting his mother, Mrs Tekla Sroka

Mr and Mrs Gene Bilyk and youngest son Leslie spent a few days the weekend of July 1st visiting with relatives at Cranbrook, B C

INJURED IN FALL

Mrs. Dora Loney is still a patient in Tofield Hospital after her recent bad fall, cutting her head badly, but is making satisfactory progress. Her daughter, Mrs Francis Shand of Edmonton was visiting with her last Tuesday and also with her father, Richard Loney

Mrs. M. L. Campbell and her sister Mrs. Carr were last Sunday visitors and supper guests with Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow

Mr and Mrs. Nick Laskoski and daughters were visitors in Edmonton on Tuesday of last week.

Mr and Mrs Hilmer Olson and daughter Mona and Mrs. Michael Stelick motored to Regina for the July 1st holiday weekend visiting with Robert Olson, who is in training with the RCMP there

Douglas Hardy and a friend of Edmonton were visitors over the long holiday weekend with his parents, Mr and Mrs Earl Hardy. We hear that wedding bells will be ringing for Douglas the early part of August.

Mrs. Lars Ritland entertained a number of friends and neighbours for afternoon tea Monday of last week to meet her sister, Mrs Ella Ervan of Winnipeg who is visiting with her and Lars.

Mrs. Edna Giebelhaus of Jasper has been visiting for several days this past week with her parents and family Mr and Mrs J A Giebelhaus, and also attended the 25th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Swanke, who held open house at their farm home a week ago.

Mr and Mrs. Albert Pederson of Camrose were also guests at the reception, their sister Edna driving here from Camrose with them

BINGO WINNER

Leonard Johnson of Camrose, former south Holden district farmer, was one of the four lucky winners in the recent newspaper bingo sponsored by the Edmonton Lions Club. The other three winners who tied for the $2,000 were Edmonton residents. The four split the winnings, each receiving $500

Dennis Cooper and Don Manchur are away at Comox, B.C., going with the contingent of Sea Cadets from Holden and Viking.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keith have their daughter Mavis and children visiting with them for several days during the holidays.

Mrs Hooper and son Melvin were Edmonton visitors with Mr. Cooper on Thursday of last week Mrs Hooper also called on Mrs Elna Parsons, who returned to the Good Samaritan Nursing Home after spending three days with her brother, Chris Christenson

HERE FROM N.B.

Mr and Mrs. Melvin Carlson and family had Mrs. Carlson's sister Kathleen, from New Brunswick, visiting with them for a few days last week. She stopped off en route to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs. Lamb, at Penticton, B C, and was also planning to visit with Mrs. Gertrude Wahl in Edmonton. Mrs. Carlson and her sister visited with Mrs. Campbell on Tuesday evening, also meeting Mrs. Carr, who has a daughter residing in the same locality as Kathleen

Visitors on Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Story were Mrs. Storey's aunt and uncle, Mr and Mrs. Wilde, of Edmonton.

Freddie Dorin of Camrose was a business caller in Holden on Friday afternoon.

## Tofield 4-H Club has wind-up party

(Allen Korchok)

The Tofield 4-H Beef Club held its annual wind-up party at the farm of the club leader, John Moore, on July 6. There were softball games for the younger and older members, and later the top team of older members played a game against the men. A wiener roast was held following the games.

The year's activities were brought to a close by the returning of the members' record books. Top mark in the record books was awarded to Marjorie Moore.

I would like to extend my appreciation to all those who made possible my being reporter for the past season.

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## FUTURE DATES

**RUMMAGE SALE**

Anything you need? You might be able to pick it up at the Rummage Sale to be held at the Tofield Mennonite Church sponsored by the Young People's Group. Sale starts 10 00 a.m. Saturday, July 16 46c-2760

## CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends and relatives who visited with me while I was in the hospital, also for the lovely cards, and to Dr Freebury and the nurses who gave me such good attention —Sincerely, Mr Peter Erickson. 46p-3355

I wish to thank the nurses and staff at the Tofield Hospital, and a special thanks to Dr Freebury, for the excellent care I received while I was a patient there. —A. R. Wickenberg. 46p-3357

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## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mike Zyluk and his daughter of Edmonton were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Lemko last Friday. [illegible] agent in Holden, is being transferred from Edmonton to Winnipeg.

Mrs. Mary James was a business visitor in Edmonton Friday afternoon and Saturday, driving to the city with Mr. Zyluk.

Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Carr were supper guests with their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, a week ago Sunday.

# Church services

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
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Sunday, July 17th
10 00 a.m.—Public Worship.

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Other services and meetings to be announced

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, July 17th
10.00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
8 00 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday, 8.00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

We have just learned that Ernie Collins is retiring and having a sale at his farm on July 30th, and will be moving into Tofield to reside.

**NORTHERN HOLIDAY**

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and daughter Mary were Monday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Sandy and Irene Scott at Lindbrook. Irene had just returned by plane with her grandmother, Mrs Peter Lee of Tofield from Fort Smith, where they visited Mrs Lee's daughter and husband, Dorothy and Roger Ray.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. Alberta Herbert, Mrs. Jenette Damburger, Mrs. Mabel Ferguson, Mrs Ruth Ferguson and Mrs Martha Tiedemann went to the home of Mrs. Mabel Hopf as a surprise birthday party to help Mable Hopf celebrate her birthday.

Howard and Mae Ferguson and son, Nelson were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Howard's sister, Mickey and Charlie Niemetz.

Emil and [illegible] Tiedemann and Martha's father, Emil Goubault of Tofield were Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests at the summer cottage of Herb and Hazel Reynar at Westlake Beach.

**FOUR BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED**

Mrs. Barbara Geoglein and daughter Sydney, Mrs. Irene Sich and daughter, Jean, Mrs. Violet Bailey and two their two daughters Jane and Fay; Mrs. Winnie McLachlan, Mrs. Olga Eglinski, Mrs. Lil Van Buskirk and Mrs. Mickey Niemetz met at the home of Mrs. Doris Schacher where they held a birthday celebration for the following ladies of the group, namely Doris, Olga, Winnie and Barb. All their birthdays are within a short time of each other.


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# Ross Creek and district news

Monday afternoon callers at the home of Doris Schacher were Barbara Geoglein, Irlene Seib, Mickey Niemetz, Violet Bailey, Lil Van Buskirk, Winnie McLachlan and Olga Eglinski.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cranston of Partridge Hill were Sunday coffee guests at Ivan Malcolm's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Malcolm visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Motiuk on Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs Lester Odiorne took Doris Bailey of Chilliwack, B.C. to Edmonton on Sunday where she will visit for a few days before returning to her home.

Mr and Mrs. Maurice Beauregard and family spent Saturday at Miquelon Lake.

**AT WEDDING RECEPTION**

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Graham Snider attended a reception and dance at Bruderheim, in honor of Elma's cousin, Art Hennig and his bride. Art has just recently returned home after spending several years completing his education in the United States where he met his bride.

# Spilstead news briefs

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

The Spilstead Ladies Society held their regular monthly meeting on July 6th at Mrs. Hazel Ray's home.

The picnic on June 26th was very much enjoyed by all who attended.

Lennie Ferguson has been having a holiday with his grandparents, the Arthur Heflins.

Mr and Mrs. Jones, Delbert and Joyce Barnhard and family, Ronald, Mildred and Leona Newlove, all of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fairbrother and family from Consul, Sask., were Saturday evening supper guests at the C. A. Barnhard home.

The Jones and Berrecloth families were recent visitors at the Bob Berrecloth home. The Bruce Berrecloths were here from Taber to visit with the Bob Berrecloth family.

Mrs. Elias Ring from B.C., her daughter, Laverne and her grandson, [illegible] from California, have been visiting in the district, and staying at the C. A. Barnhard home. They lived in this district 25 years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitchell and family were visitors at the Ernest Belcourt home recently.

Ruth, Eileen and Marylin Fairbrother were visitors for nearly a week with their aunt and uncle, the John Fosters of Vegreville.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fairbrother and family from Consul, Sask., have been visiting in this district and Edmonton, with relatives and friends, and making their camping ground at the T. W. Fairbrother home.

Darrel and Debbie Sware are having holidays with relatives.

Larry Toloffson is spending his holidays at the Herb Sware home.

Torger Haugen has gone on a trip to Norway.

The Spilstead ball teams have had several games lately, with Kingman, Hastings Lake, Ministik and Lindbrook teams.

## From the scrapbook

"May the road wind sweetly before you,
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May the wind blow softly to your back;
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## Holden

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. Joe Shanley spent several days at the weekend at Miquelon Lake with their son and family, who have a cabin there.

Mr and Mrs J Lindberg entertained several friends on Sunday of last week after church. Mrs. Lindberg and children left for a holiday at Vancouver, B.C., the early part of last week to visit with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs Walter McLennan and family of Vancouver, B.C., have been spending several days' holiday with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Kennie McLennan, and brother in the Poe district, and also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen.

The regular meeting of the Pioneer Group was held on July 5 at the farm home of Mrs Mary Zwierschke, with 14 members [illegible] visitors present. [illegible] by Mrs. J A Giebelhause, [illegible] the lesson by Mrs. Campbell. Mrs Doris Story and Mrs Edna Ruskenveld each took a car - load of ladies to the Zwierschke home. There will not be a meeting in August, and the next meeting will be held September 7 at the home of Mrs. Joe Hooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor with their son and family, the Robert Taylors, were last Tuesday afternoon visitors at the Alberta Game Farm, also stopping at Lakeview for a picnic. While at the Game Farm they met Mr. and Mrs. G. Mealing of Edmonton, former Holden residents, and a friend from England who was visiting them. Mr and Mrs. Mealing wished to be remembered to friends in Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. Zane Bilyk, with the younger children and Mr. Bilyk Sr and friends from Vancouver, were also visiting at the Game Farm last Tuesday.

Visiting with her daughter, Mrs Sena Fjellstrom, this past week, was Mrs. Kjosnes, who is a resident in an Edmonton Nursing Home. Mrs Fjellstrom entertained several old - time friends for coffee Friday afternoon to meet her mother Mrs Kjosness, who is in good health and active for her age, is the grand age of [illegible] and hopes to celebrate her [illegible]th birthday February of next year.

Chris Hovland, who has been a patient in Providence Hospital, Daysland, for the past ten days, is making satisfactory progress, and is hoping to be able to return home the end of the week.

Mrs. Adel left for Strathmore last weekend, where she and Mr. Adel will be making their future home.

Mrs. Helen Tiedemann left for Vancouver, B.C., Monday to attend a convention of the Lutheran Church. Mrs. Tiedemann is a delegate from the Bruce Lutheran Church congregation and will be away about a week. Mrs Tiedemann also will visit with her mother and father, who reside in Vancouver, and other relatives while away.

Holden experienced an electrical storm Sunday morning, when the transformer east of town was hit, and was without power for over half an hour. On Sunday evening a heavy rain storm again hit the village, with some hail, but there was very little wind and damage was slight. About an inch of rain fell in the last downpour, the moisture being most welcome, as very dry conditions have been prevalent.

Joe Alexander, rural mailman, has been away this past week on a holiday fishing trip at Lake St. Vincent. Postmaster Gene Bilyk has been delivering the rural mail while Joe is away.

# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Miss Eloise Rimlahl and Dennis Ray were married on Saturday in the United Church, Camrose. A wedding dance was held in Kingman that evening. Guests from a distance included Muriel Tuck of Calgary, Paulie and Don Creamer and Gordon Ray of Edmonton.

Mrs. Richard Strong of Edmonton is staying this week with her sisters, and her father, Jimmy Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown returned last Wednesday from an enjoyable trip to Banff and the Okanagan Valley. They called on friends in Vernon, Kelowna and Keremeos.

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# Locals around town

Mr and Mrs Chas F Kallal and family are attending the Calgary Stampede, and will go on from there for a trip to Disneyland, California.

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Mr and Mrs. Ken Eastlick and family are on holidays in Eastern Canada and Montana, U.S.A.

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Mr and Mrs. Cal Annis and children and Miss Cindy Dindick are on holidays to their homes in Nova Scotia, travelling by Air Canada.

Beve Brown and children spent the weekend with Beve's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin McBride, at Kinsella.

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Miss Shirley M Stinson has returned to Edmonton, after spending some of her holidays in Toronto, New York, and attending a nurses' convention in Montreal.

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Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Patterson, son Neal, and daughter-in-law Weslie, spent last weekend at Banff, visiting with their daughter, Miss Glenda Patterson. Conrad and Hazel drove to Revelstoke and return before coming home, and the young folk went hiking.

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Mr and Mrs. Ben Lutz and small son are making their home with Kathleen Fraser, while Ben attends summer school at the University in Edmonton.

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Mrs Mable Jackson, sister of Mrs. Blanche Hardy, and their nephew, Merle Quigley and his wife Marguerite, all from Long Beach, California, arrived Monday, July 4, for a two weeks' holiday.

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Thelma and Bob Perry and children, from Dauphin, Manitoba, were Monday night visitors with their grandmothers, 'Granny' Hosler and 'Granny' Hardy.

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Chick Blacklock and two boys, Carey and Kevan, spent last week at Taber with Chick's mother, Mrs. Blacklock, and at Warner, where the two boys remained for a holiday with their other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKay.

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Dede and Robert Goubault from Drayton Valley, and Zip Gray returned home on Saturday, after spending nine days [illegible] Heintz and family at Gimenia, Manitoba.

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George and Bell Crampton, of Daysland, and Gertie and Don Pointer returned home on Sunday, after 10 days' holiday at Vancouver, Portland and home by way of Radium Hot Springs where they spent a few days.

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Lynda Ozubko spent a few days last week in Edmonton with Marlene and Jim McKay.

Betty Gray is holidaying with Evie and Alan Fair at Lacombe.

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Mrs. Annie Lee and Mrs. Sandy Scott returned home on Sunday, after spending two weeks at Fort Smith, N.W.T., visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Roy. They went by plane, enjoying the trip very much.

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Mrs Shirley McGillivray and son Randy, from Rimbey, spent last week with Shirley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E Lindsay. Mr. and Mrs. E. Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay accompanied Shirley and Randy to Rimbey on Sunday.

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Mr. Stockton is home from the University Hospital, and is much improved in health.

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**AT WEDDING**

Donna and Garth Franklin, of Bruderheim, and Mrs. Stockton, of Tofield, attended the wedding of their cousin and nephew at Semans, Saskatchewan, on July 2. They also visited with relatives at Regina, Raymore, Punnichy, Wynyard and Tisdale before returning to their respective homes.

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Peg and Bob Nahrebeski and family are holidaying at Banff.

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An enjoyable time was had by the Scouts last weekend, on a fishing trip to Floating Stone Lake. A hearty vote of thanks from the boys is extended to Hans Christensen, Bud Fitsen and the Don Hardys for their time and effort.

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Jack and Inga Hardy and Marian left Saturday for two weeks' holiday at [illegible] B.C.

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Mr and Mrs. J. B. Francis left international airport at Nisku on Tuesday evening for London, England, travelling with Wardair Canada Ltd., on a Co-op - sponsored trip. They will return August 10.

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The semi-final baseball game between Tofield and Bardo on Tuesday evening was a close one, ending in a tie. Next game will be on Tuesday evening at Bardo.

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**NASTY ACCIDENT**

Bill Glover had a nasty accident while working on a construction project at Wetaskiwin recently, when he fractured a bone in his right foot. He is now getting around with the aid of crutches.

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Lizzie Schacher is assisting in the post office while Postmaster Glover and Miss Edith Davison have holidays.

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Dr and Mrs Price and family left Wednesday on holidays to Jasper and points west.

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## Ross Creek district news briefs

(Mrs. L. Van Beekirk)

The Ross Creek ball team have been kept busy lately. Holden met Ross Creek at Ross Creek Thursday evening when the score was 17-7 in favor of Ross Creek. On Sunday the team travelled to Vegreville for a tournament, where they defeated Vegreville and Mannville in the first two games and lost against Vegreville All Stars 5-3 in the 3rd and final game.

Terry and Diane Cossey returned from their honeymoon trip to Prince Rupert on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Antoniuk, Vivian and Gordon motored to Radium Hot Springs for the weekend.

The Alvin Hauer and Stan Klatchuk families have gone on trailer trips to the mountains.

Monday afternoon visitors at the Ralph Cossey home were Mrs. Jornegan of Houston, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar of Kelowna, B.C. and Mr. and Mrs. Sadoway of Prince Rupert and their families. They all helped Ray Cossey celebrate his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Anderson are on holidays to Calgary and other points, commencing their trip this week.

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Misses Barbara Arnot and Lorraine Allan spent last weekend at Calgary.

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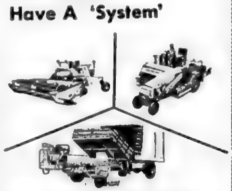
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# District farmers squeezed as Edmonton packers strike

Over 600 workers at Canada Packers in Edmonton went on strike against the company yesterday morning, joining those in seven other Canadian cities in the nation-wide walk-out. They are members of the United Packinghouse Workers of America, and the dispute is over social security, job security and wages. A picket line of 50 of the employees of the plant was already in action when the Edmonton plant at Fort Road and 76st street opened Wednesday morning.

The strike will have a wide spread effect in the Edmonton area, to producers and consumers alike. Many farmers, including those in the Tofield, Ryley, and Holden districts normally sell off any surplus cattle at this season when they are at their peak of fatness from the green grass. This is particularly true this year when hay crops are light and winter carry-over of surplus stock is not practical. Some producers too need the money from the sale of these cattle to carry on the expensive business of harvesting the crops, and hogs now ready for market will lose in value every day they are held over. While Canada Packers is not the only buyer of cattle and hogs it does handle over 40 per cent of the animals in the Edmonton area, and the crippling of their facilities by the strike will have an adverse effect on the [illegible] generally.

From the [illegible] point of the consumer [illegible] of fresh meat are almost certain to rise because of the demand on the available [illegible].

The management of Canada Packers [illegible] meat [illegible] perish.

*Theo Geneskie writes*

Many old-timers in the Tofield area will be delighted to see how fit Theo Geneskie is looking these days. Recently renewing his subscription to The Mercury, Mr. Geneskie commented on how much he enjoys receiving the paper with all the news of his old friends, though it saddens him to learn some have passed away. The photo shows him with two small grandchildren holding small chickens in their hands.

## 4-H trophies awarded at June 20th banquet

The last event of the season [illegible] had them presented [illegible] Mr. Monkedal. [illegible] trophies or cash [illegible] Hillrud, H Berke, [illegible] Larson [illegible] Loates, McArthur [illegible] Lyle Ha[illegible] Vergilin, and the presenting of [illegible]

## Shower honors bride-elect

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — A lovely shower was held Tuesday evening in the United Church parlors with about 45 ladies of Holden and district present, to honor Miss Edna Gebelhaus whose wedding took place in Edmonton on Saturday, July 16. The event was a complete surprise to the [illegible] who entered the room with Mrs. Dave Good, and a beautiful corsage of red roses was pinned on her by Mrs. Bill Kelly. [illegible] happiness in her new home and the good wishes of all. Edna thanked all for the lovely gifts and their kind wishes [illegible] served a delicious lunch.

## Holden oldtimer passes at 86 years

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Old time residents of Holden and district who were here when the CNR came through [illegible] Leslie Dodds. Mr. Dodds came west in 1909 to be the first station [illegible]

It was learned a few days ago that Mr. Dodds, a resident of [illegible] grandson and [illegible] great-grandchildren, all of Ed[illegible]

# Miquelon cottagers asked to sell to park

Owners of 10 lots on the south-east point of Third Miquelon Lake have received letters from the Department of Lands and Forests asking if they are prepared to sell them and at what price to the government.

At present there are four completed cottages on these lots which have been developed over the years by the owners and there are two more under construction.

It is the policy of the government to avoid private ownership of land in Provincial Parks and a recent sale of land to expand Miquelon Park means that these lots are now within its boundaries.

Originally intended as a community project, this park started in 1957 with the purchase of 104 acres by the Lions Club of Camrose which found the development of it beyond the means of the club and subsequently donated it to the provincial parks department on condition that the area would be made into a park. It is fast becoming one of the most frequently patronized parks in the province.

## The weather

| July | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 13 | 71 | 57 | 27.70 | .01" rain |
| 14 | 82 | 58 | 27.77 | ——— |
| 15 | 84 | 57 | 27.52 | ——— |
| 16 | 83 | 55 | —— | ——— |
| 17 | 76 | 53 | —— | ——— |
| 18 | 80 | 53 | —— | ——— |
| 19 | 84 | 55 | 27.50 | ——— |
| 20 | —' | 55 | 27.52 | ——— |

## Local men show winning steers

Two [illegible] ported to Edmonton packing houses for slaughter and for the final judging of the carcasses which was to take place Wednesday.

In the carcass judging, the animals will receive a maximum of 18 points for each carcass weight per day of age, area of loin eye, distribution of fat and fat thickness over loin eye and carcass grade conformation.

## Duane Sears wins [illegible]

Duane Sears, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sears of Tofield, was awarded the E. W. West Memorial Prize [illegible]

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

The tendency in most of us is to observe rather than act, avoid rather than participate, not to no rather than do, the tendency to give in to the sly, negative voices that constantly counsel us to be careful, to be controlled, to be wary and prudent, and hesitant and guarded in our approach to this complicated thing called living.

—J.W.H

# Hoiden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Don Christianson is a patient in Tofield hospital after recent surgery, entering a week ago Monday. Don and his mother Mrs. Laura Christianson visited with Erna Tuesday afternoon, and report she is making satisfactory progress.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pepper and family of Ohaton were last Sunday visitors and dinner guests with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kennie McLennan.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McLennan and family of Powell River, B.C., who have visited with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs. Kennie McLennan for two weeks returned home last Saturday.

Alan Tiedemann was a visitor the early part of last week with his father Henry Tiedemann and brothers David and Robert. Mrs. Tiedemann was in Vancouver attending a Lutheran Church Convention, being a delegate from the Immanuel Lutheran Church at Bruce.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell her sister, Mrs. Bert Carr, Mrs. Mary James and Ray Hovland were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow on Thursday, before Mrs. Barlow's sister, Mrs. Carr leaves for her home in Sudbury, Ont. Alex Barlow was also a dinner guests there.

Mrs. Lillie Grosland, Mrs. Bert Carr and Mrs. Campbell were last Saturday afternoon visitors and supper guests with Mrs. Laura Christianson.

**Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Grosland and girls were Saturday evening visitors at Viking with Mr. and Mrs. Grube Sr., who have recently returned from a trip to Germany.**

Mrs. Alfred Sorenson entertained a few friends and neighbours for afternoon tea Tuesday of last week, for Mrs. Carr who has been visiting here for the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow returned home Tuesday of last week after visiting for a few days in Calgary with their daughter, Muriel and family, the Ted Andersons and attending the Baptismal Service on the Sunday of their wee grandson. They made the trip with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta.

Mrs. Ronald McLeod and children of Edmonton have been visiting for a few days with her mother, Mrs. Joe Hooper, brother Melvin and sister, Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus.

Joe Alexander, rural mailman returned Monday evening of last week from a week's holiday on a fishing trip to Lake St. Vincent and is back on the job delivering the mail.

Hans Huseby was a recent Edmonton visitor for several days, driving there with Mr. and Mrs. A. Lefsrud.

**TO BAFFIN ISLAND**

David Hladilo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hladilo, who recently finished a two years cooking course at the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology, receiving his papers and certificate for same is employed as cook in a camp on Baffin Island on the Dew Line. David has signed a six months contract.

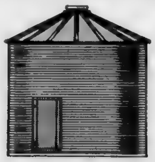
George Pederson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pederson of Camrose, former Holden residents, is employed during the summer months at the Columbia Icefields, driving one of the sightseeing snowmobiles.

## Ladies' Club has July meeting

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK, July 19. — On Wednesday afternoon members of the Ladies' Club met at the local campsite for their July meeting. Roll call was answered by "A way to get rid of garden weeds". After the business session two contests were conducted by Mrs. S. George. Mrs. Albert Horricks was the winner of the first, while Mrs Bruno Jeske and Mrs Keith Williams were winners of the second.

A most delicious picnic lunch was served under the trees, hostesses being Mrs. Pat Paterson, Mrs. Bill Roddick and Mrs. Jim Roddick. The next meeting will be held at the campsite, weather permitting.

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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Sherman Ferre has been taking annual vacation for the past few weeks, attended the Calgary Stampede and visited at the Chris Hovland home on Sunday.

Al Johnson of the Provincial Fire Commissioners' office, Edmonton, was a caller Friday, making inspection of fire hazards around the village.

Mr. and Mrs. M Fischer of Mayerthorpe were recent evening visitors and coffee guests with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorenson.

**LADIES AID MEETS**

The Lutheran Ladies Aid held their regular monthly meeting July 14th in the church parlors with a fair attendance of members. The devotions and Bible study were taken by Mrs. Irene Smorlie. Lunch was served by the hostesses at the conclusion of the meeting, with several visitors attending.

The Russel Slywkas of Sherwood Park were Saturday visitors with Mr. Slywka's mother, Mrs. William Slywka.

**60th ANNIVERSARY**

Reuben and Ray Hovland, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Komarnisky were July 10th visitors at Atlee in southern Alberta, and attended the 60th anniversary picnic there. The Hovland family are former residents of that district before settling south west of Holden.

Ray and Reuben Hovland were last Wednesday evening visitors with their brother Glen and family at Hillsdown, attending a barbecue supper there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson were home last Saturday and for the evening returning to Edmonton Sunday, where they have been staying for the last two weeks.

**INJURED IN FALL FROM HORSE**

Roger, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hrum, had an unfortunate accident last week. While riding a horse he was thrown off and fell against some machinery, fracturing his left wrist. He now has a cast from the wrist to the elbow. He says it certainly spoils his plans for the summer holiday and prevents his taking swimming lessons.

**AT WEDDING**

Many Holden and district residents were in Edmonton Saturday to attend the wedding and reception of Miss Betty Chupka, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. John Lemko, Mr. and Mrs Lawrence Kaluzny; Mr. and Mrs Alex Shyba; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols the Don Manchurs and Bill Chupkas.

Chris Hovland, who has been a patient in the Daysland hospital for the past two and a half weeks, returned home Saturday evening, feeling very much improved.

Visiting the past couple of weeks with relatives and friends in Holden and Bruce were Mr. and Mrs. George Zeuske of Salem, Oregon.

Mr. Bateman, the new student minister of the United Church, Mrs. Bateman and family have returned home after being away for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Carr and Chris Christensoc were visitors and supper guests Sunday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Jakobow and children.

**TROUSSEAU TEA**

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus entertained at a trousseau tea Thursday afternoon, July 14th in honor of her daughter, Miss Edna Giebelhaus whose marriage took place Saturday, July 16th in Edmonton. Attending were her sister, Mrs. Albert Pederson from Camrose who poured tea, her sister Mrs. Dick Courser and daughter Judith of Erith, other relatives and several close friends of the family.

several friends and relatives at Mrs. Lloyd Bell entertained a coffee party Friday afternoon, in honor of Miss Edna Giebelhaus.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sutton and Glenda of Grande Prairie visited recently with relatives in the district and were overnight guests of Albert and Mrytle Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whillan are holidaying in British Columbia, visiting with relatives in Vancouver. Mrs. Frank Thomas and her daughter Donna of Edmonton accompanied the Whillans on the trip.

Pastor and Mrs. McLean and baby Lorne were recent dinner guests of Albert and Myrtle Sutton.

On Thursday Agnes and Henry McGinitie called on their daughter Alice Munkedahl and family near Ryley.

Sunday visitors with Albert and Myrtle Sutton were their sons, Douglas and Larry, their wives and children from Camrose, Harold and Brian Sutton and Marie Mitchell.

Holidaying with Annie McGinitie last week were her two daughters, Doris and Bob Tipper and family of Winnipeg, and Nola and Buck and family of Olds.

Agnes and Earl Rose and girls were Friday evening visitors with Gordon and Louise Kyle.

Kay Coombes was pleasantly surprised on her birthday last Thursday evening when Rita and George Williams and Mary and Ivan Mitchell were callers. Rita made and brought a birthday cake for Kay.

Betty-Ann Schultz, Judy Mitchell and Raymond McGinitie, all of Edmonton spent the weekend at home with their respective parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olsen of Holden were Sunday dinner guests of Ron and Kay Coombes. Later they all spent the afternoon with Rita and George Williams.

Harold Coombes and Pete Oszubko were fishing near Ashmont over the weekend.

Greg Wick is holidaying with his cousins and his aunt and uncle, Kay and Ronnie Coombes.

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

A pleasant journey and a happy holiday were wished Mrs. Keith Williams and Marie on Saturday as they left for Detroit, Michigan, for a two-week holiday.

Grant Pearice was a weekend visitor to Kelowna, B C.

Mr and Mrs Fred McCrann and family of Lethbridge were Wednesday afternoon and dinner guests of their cousins, Mr and Mrs Bill Roddick and family.

**HERE FROM N.Y.**

Mrs. R Cook and family, of near Buffalo, New York, made brief visits last week at the Andrew Ferguson, Pat Paterson and George Kleinschroth homes. Mrs. Cook is the former Jean Morrow of Deville.

Tickets are being sold for a seven-piece patio set by the Ministik Community Club, with funds to go toward a permanent skating rink. This set will be raffled at their scheduled dance on August 6th.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson journeyed to Edmonton last Wednesday to see her sister, Mrs J Potts, off on a vacation by train to the West Coast.

**Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swabey received congratulations recently on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary.**

Grade 10 examination results have been received by Beverly Loch and Linda Holmes, and both have passed with a high standing.

Many people from the district attended the Social Credit annual picnic at Hastings Lake recreation grounds Saturday.


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# The Ryley Times



## Hunley-Heitman vows pledged at Tofield

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St. Francis of Assis church in Tofield was the setting for the recent wedding when Margaret Rose Heitman, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs. Henry Heitman became the bride of Fredrick J Hunley, eldest son of Mrs Annie Hunley all of Tofield

Rev Father McGee of St. Anthony's Parish, Edmonton performed the ceremony. Mrs E. Stinson was the organist

Given in marriage by her brother Richard since her father was confined to hospital the bride wore a floor length gown of white applique Sonesta styled in classic sheath lines with a sweeping train, round neckline and lily point sleeves. Her filmy chapel length veil was held in place by two white roses and lily of the valley, and she carried a cascade bouquet of red roses and lily of the valley

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Terry Heitman and Miss Elaine McKernan. Her niece, Beverly Heitman was flower girl Their similar gowns of pale blue brocade were floor length sheath style and they wore matching hair bands and white full-length gloves. Their cascade bouquets were of white mums

James Eggen and Glen Hunley, the groom's brother were best men, and the ushers were James MaKay and Don McKernan

The bride's mother wore a peacock blue lace ensemble, pink floral cloche, pink rose corsage and white accessories. The groom's mother chose a dresden blue linen ensemble, white picture hat and white accessories. Her corsage was of white roses.

At the reception for 100 guests held at the Community Centre, the bridal table was centered with a three tiered wedding cake.

Doug McNeice of Edmonton, the groom's uncle was the master of ceremonies, and Doug McKernan proposed a toast to the bride to which the groom ably replied. Mrs. Lorne Berrecloth was in charge of the guest book.

For a wedding trip to Jasper Park the bride donned a green and coral flowered suit with white accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunley are making their home in Edmonton.

## Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

Lorraine McLachlan, whose marriage to Sylvester Zazula will be an event of July 29, was honored at a shower at Ross Creek Community Centre recently Lorraine was assisted in opening the gifts by her bridesmaids-to-be, Sharon Reinhardt and Gayle McLachlan Betty Eglinski was unable to attend After Lorraine graciously thanked the ladies for the many lovely gifts, lunch was served by mothers of the brides-

Doreen and Elmer Borstad of Grande Prairie arrived Saturday to spend a few days with Doreen's brother Graham Snider and his family Craig Snider will accompany them home on Tuesday.


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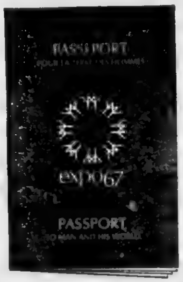


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Sunday, July 24th
10 15 a.m.—Worship Service.
Mr Alver Person of Camrose will be in charge of the service.

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Sunday Services
11 00 a.m.—1st Sunday July and August—Holy Communion
11 00 a.m.—All other Sundays—Matins.
11 00 a.m.—Sunday Schools during June but none during July and August
Other services and meetings to be announced

**MENNONITE [redacted] CHURCH OF [redacted]**
Sunday, July 24th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
A missionary from Mexico will be the speaker.
8:00 p.m.—Program and film, "The Church at the Crossroads".
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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, July 24th
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## Ross Creek district news items

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

**CARTER-McLACHLAN RITES**

Quite a number of couples from the Ross Creek district attended the wedding of JoAnne McLachlan and Jim Carter at the Ottewell United Church, Edmonton, and the reception at the Beverly Crest Motor Hotel on Saturday.

**140 AT RE-UNION**

About 140 members of the Schacher families attended the first family re-union held in six years. The affair took place at the Beverly Crest Motor Hotel. Families from various parts of Alberta and British Columbia came to enjoy dinner in the banquet room and hear a resume of the family history dating back to 1817. Following this they went to Borden Park where ice cream and soft drinks, etc., were served to the four generations represented. The afternoon was spent reminiscing old times and making acquaintances with new members of the families.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
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Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ... 9 00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ... 9 00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ... 10.30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12 00 noon.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
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**OPEN HOUSE**

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**OPEN HOUSE**

An Open House Reception will be held at the Ryley Legion Hall on Sunday, July 24, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter, who are celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary. Program begins at 2.00 o'clock. Relatives and friends are cordially invited to come and celebrate this occasion. 47p-2762

## CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to take this opportunity to express my thanks to Dr. Freebury, Nurses and entire Staff for making my stay in the Tofield Hospital as comfortable as possible. My appreciation, also, for visitors and the many cards, which were very welcome.
—Sam Cinnamon. 47-48p-3360

## CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to thank Dr. Freebury and the Nurses and Staff of the Tofield Municipal Hospital for the wonderful care I received while a patient there. Also, many thanks to relatives and friends who visited me and remembered me with cards.
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## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Campbell and her sister, Mrs. Bert Carr of Sudbury, Ont., left Friday for Leduc to visit for a few days with Mrs. Campbell's daughter and family, the Ken Campbells. Marjorie drove here from Leduc to pick them up. While at Leduc, Mrs. Campbell was the guest speaker at the Sunday service at Leduc United Church. Mrs. Campbell returned home on Tuesday, Marjorie bringing her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chamulke are away on a two week holiday, and the boys are in charge of the garage while Joe is absent.

Richard Jober of Edmonton is spending his summer holidays with his [illegible] and uncles, Joe and [illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Afseth had friends from Outlook, Sask., visiting with them a week ago. They left for home Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Carrie Olson with her son Harry and Mrs. Mary James motored to Edmonton Monday to see the Edmonton Exhibition parade.

**MOVE TO EDMONTON**

A number of ladies of Holden and district met Friday evening in the Roman Catholic Church parlors to honor Mrs. John Godbout, who is leaving Holden. Various games were played, and a purse of money was presented to Mrs. Godbout with the good wishes of all for happiness in their new home. The Godbouts have purchased a home in Edmonton, and Mrs. Godbout and the family left at the end of the week. John will be staying around Holden for a few weeks until business affairs are settled. The new owners of the Hardware Store were to take over the business this week.

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# Locals around town

Lorane and Bill Webb and daughter Kathy, from Edmonton, were Tofield visitors on Tuesday.

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Mrs Richardson is spending a week with her son Ralph and family at a lake resort.

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**A TRIP NORTH**

Petra Stauffer and her sister, Jennie Haukstad, accompanied their brother and sister-in-law, Pete and Loolah Lerbekmo, to the Grande Prairie district, visiting with relatives and friends at La Glace, Sexsmith and other points. They also attended the 50th wedding anniversary services of the Valhalla Lutheran Church started by the late H. N. Ronning, enjoying a lovely time among all former Bardo and Tofield friends.

Lee and Lois Burnett and Brian, from Jasper, are visiting with the Norman Glover and Jack Whyte families.

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Kay Blacklock and daughter Kelley are visiting with Kay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKay, at Warner.

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**BIRTHS**

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lutz (nee Inez Kauffman), on July 16, a son.

Born, to Bill and Irene Weiss, on July 13, a daughter.

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Betty Lindsay from Calgary is spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lindsay.

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Mr and Mrs. L. Hunter visited with Bob and Marlene Hunter and girls at Didsbury and on Sunday with friends at Olds.

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Leana Webb is spending two weeks' holiday at her home here.

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Betty (nee Webb) and Frank Jacobs and family from Vancouver Island visited in town on Tuesday.

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Joyce and Art Hardy and family are holidaying at Banff.

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Mrs Myrtle Donaldson and children from Swift Current, Sask., have been visiting with Myrtle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie LaRocque.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tiedemann and family, Keith Knutson and Dennis Foss spent several days last week camping at Miquelon Provincial Park.

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Mrs W. E. Pocock from Vancouver spent the past three weeks with her daughter, Georgia McKay and family. Georgia's sister, Mrs. McAlpine, from Unity, Sask., was also a visitor with them.

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Mrs. Doris Bailey of Sardis, B.C., arrived for Terry Cossey's wedding, and visited with friends and relatives while here.

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Ev Nolan and son Bob are holidaying at Banff and other areas.

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Alice Unraw and boys from Mico spent a few days last week with Edith and Ed Regehr and family.

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**MOVE TO "THE HAT"**

Al and Eileen Pike and Dean returned home on Sunday after [illegible] weeks holiday in southern Alberta. The Pikes will be moving to Medicine Hat on August 2.

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Mosley Sirdar of Red Deer is visiting with his grandmother Mrs Annie Sirdar.

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Jenny Kaptey from Edmonton visited with her mother Mrs Annie Sirdar on Tuesday night.

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Mr and Mrs. Frank Shupe and [illegible] visited with Mr and [illegible] Jesterman at Coaldale on the weekend.

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[illegible] of Victoria, B.C. [illegible] two weeks [illegible] Jim's parents Mr and Mrs. Jim Yakubusky [illegible] Dartmouth, Nova Scotia.

[illegible] Monday night, July 18, Tofield 8 Bardo 2. The game [illegible] played in Tofield.

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[illegible] are visiting [illegible] family [illegible] district.

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**TO P.E.I.**

[illegible] Mrs Regehr, June and Warren have returned to their home in Prince Edward Island, accompanied by grandparents Albert and Agnes Haukedal, who will return to Tofield by train.

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George Thompson is a patient in Tofield Hospital.

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Mrs. Alice Warner spent a few days last week with the Herb Warner family in Edmonton.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Swift and Shirley and Donald returned last Friday from their trip to Eastern Canada, travelling via the U.S.

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Mr and Mrs. W. M. Christensen and Dale and Bobbie returned from their holidays on Tuesday evening.

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Chas W. Sears and Chas. H. Roberge left on Wednesday of this week by CNR to pick up two school buses at Oshawa, Ontario.

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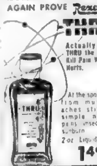


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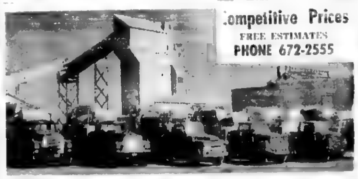


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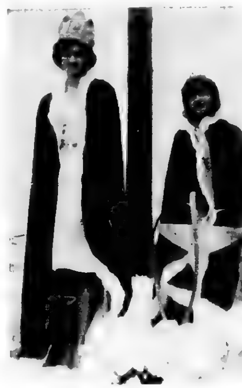
# Monday's rain saves burning crops

## . . . Hay crop very light



**Queen and Princess**

Shown here are the lovely winners of the Queen and Princess contest of the July 1st celebration this year. Queen Dorothy Brent and Princess Marian Hostetler found it a great honor to reign over the celebration and proved that with their good looks, personality and lots of friends it is easy to get the majority of votes. Photo by Peter Nickel.

Although coming too late to help some parched grain fields, nonetheless the rain, estimated at 9/10 of an inch which fell late Sunday and during Monday in the Tofield and Ryley districts, put an entirely new picture on the crop situation on most farms, from last week's report. Already the grain and gardens have responded to the moisture, and are in the best growing condition since spring. Other than a few scattered showers, the district has had almost no rain during June and July.

The extreme drought this year has had a damaging effect on the hay crop, too, which is very light. The rain has come too late to do much good here, as most hay is ready for the sickle now, or has already been cut. In Ryley district there is a very light hay crop, and some farmers have already had some shipped in to feed their livestock. It is hoped that the rain will revive the burnt pastures enough to feed the cattle for awhile. Speaking to the Alberta Wheat Pool agent at Ryley today, he said the wheat crop there could yield 15 to 20 bushels per acre, but that course grains are much lighter.

In a strip all the way from Killam on the south to Vegreville there has been hardly any rain fall since spring up until Monday's rain and sub-soil moisture is way below normal. The conditions improve somewhat closer to Tofield, but still considerably lower than usual. Even with Monday's rain, a half crop is the best that can be expected, most farmers say.

Early sown wheat on summerfallow appears to be the only crop which will yield anything like a worthwhile crop, although Monday's rain should bring on oats and barley so that they can at least be cut for feed for the cattle.

**CONCERN FOR CATTLE**

Not wishing to dispose of their basic herds of cattle, the prospect of insufficient feed looms large to farmers who depend to a large extent on the livestock to augment crops. For awhile farmers were concerned about the strike at Canada Packers in Edmonton and the effect it would have on the market for beef and pork ready for slaughter, but have been assured by cattle buyers that this should be slight as other packing houses have already increased their processing of meat in order to offset the effects of the strike.

The drought in north central Alberta is quite wide spread and goes all the way to Lloydminster and into Saskatchewan. In marked contrast southern Alberta which is usually much drier, has had rainfall way above normal, with literal downpours of two or three inches at a time in the Calgary area.

## School committee meets July 12

**Minutes of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee meeting Tuesday, July 12th, 1966**

Letter from Mr H. W. K. Hilliker, Band Master at Viking, was referred to the Committee. The letter indicated that the Band had had a very satisfying year with, in Mr Hilliker's opinion the best balanced band since he started School Band Instruction 6 years ago. He felt that it was possible to have a more advanced senior band next year and also suggested that a beginners band should be started. Mr. Hilliker stated that, if his services were required, he would be able to continue as Band Master.

Moved that the letter be received and filed that Mr Hilliker's offer to continue as Band Master for the 1966-67 school year be accepted and that a letter of appreciation be forwarded to Mr Hilliker. Cd.

Moved that a letter of appreciation from Mr. J. Fornal for having been chosen one of the outstanding beginning teachers for the year and also for the grant of $50.00 to enable him to attend the NCTM meeting in Calgary be received and filed. Cd.

Moved that the Financial Statement for 1966 for the County of Beaver No. 9 Sports Committee indicating a bank balance of $64.82 for the year's operation be received and filed. Cd.

Moved that Survey of Transportation Rates giving the information on the various methods of payments to school bus drivers and school bus owners in Counties and School Divisions in the Province as compiled by the Secretary-Treasurer of the Kil-

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## Ronning slated to open Camrose Fair

It was announced today that Dr Chester Ronning will officially open Camrose Agricultural Fair on Monday, August 8 at 7:00 p.m. Dr. Ronning of Camrose is well known in this area, having been principal of Camrose Lutheran College some years ago, and more widely known as Canadian High Commissioner to India before his retirement.

The [illegible] Dr Ronning a [illegible], but he was unable to accept until checking his calendar to [illegible] [illegible] by Ottawa, there is no thought of another trip to Hanoi.

### Chariot and wagon races at the Fair

Entries for the [illegible] since to be in the hands of the Fair secretary, J. E. Stuart, [illegible]

The racing committee, consisting of James Thrick, Orville McClure and L. D. Williams will appoint starter, judges and timekeeper.

# County Council meets

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of the Council of Beaver No. 9, held Thursday, July 14.

**Business Arising from Minutes**

In regards to gravel purchase [illegible] were tied up by Rudyk's Construction, Brager Construction and C. MacDonald of Ohaton. Mr MacDonald's quotation as mentioned previously, was government rates and he was not prepared to hire any local trucks. No quotation had been received from Brager Construction and therefore it appeared that the only source this year would be through Heiberg and Rudyk.

It was moved and carried that the report be accepted and that arrangements be made to deal with Heiberg and Rudyk for the gravel requirements in the westerly divisions.

In regards to gravel deposit on N.E. [illegible]-55-17 W4th, the secretary-treasurer stated that as requested he had contacted the District Engineer to find out if he could use his good offices to allow the County to use the gravel deposits on the above described land. The Chief Construction Engineer in his letter of June 23 indicated that they planned to use the gravel source in two other locations.

The District Engineer had indicated that he had no knowledge of the intention of the Construction Branch and that it would be somewhat difficult for him to approach the Chief Construction Engineer in this matter. The owner of the land, Harold Henning had indicated that he not make any deal with the Department of Highways. It was felt that the County had a perfect right to obtain this gravel, if it was available and it was considered that possibly a lease on the gravel deposit should be obtained.

It was moved and carried that Crs. Kropielnicki, Knudslien and Weatherill be appointed a committee to, if at all possible, obtain the gravel deposit at N.E. [illegible] 17 W4th and to make some arrangements to have a two or three year lease on the land.

In regards to the police prosecution in regards to the regulations concerning [illegible] permits dealt with at the June 16th meeting, Cr. Weatherill stated that he

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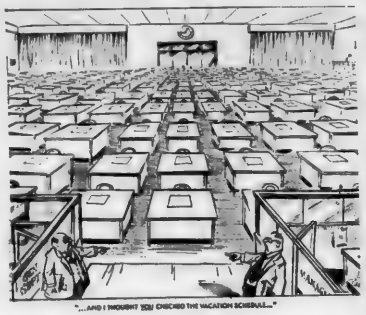


## Reverse English

The International Nickel Company is trying a new twist in labor relations seeking permission to sue several employees for engaging in an illegal strike. Indications are the suit may be permitted.

It brings to mind an interesting commentary on the attitude of unions themselves to the illegal strike. It seems that responsible labor unions could pretty well eliminate the illegal strike if they were really sincere, simply by suspending or cancelling membership privileges of members engaging in illegal walk-outs.

Actions speak louder than words, they say.

## Square peg

Recent complete disinterest of anyone in the motel business in building tourist accommodation in lower Lake Louise helps to prove how far off base is the Hon. Arthur Laing, minister governing Canada's national playgrounds, in trying to develop the park's business pattern along government lines rather than economic thoughts. It probably also indicates the business world isn't too interested in the new groundrules laid down by Mr. Laing for leases

The idea that any lease in the future reverts to the Crown at the end of forty years may be considered reasonable, since anyone entering the deal knows the rules. But we maintain Mr. Laing . . . and the Canadian government . . . cannot maintain their intention of ignoring leases made in 1958 as a "perpetual" basis Mr. Laing has objected to lessees holding to these "obscure agreements", which reminds one of Hitler's amazement that Britain would be so concerned over a "scrap of paper."

It is unthinkable that Canada should follow the same lead. If the government's agreements can't be trusted, then the integrity of the state means nothing. We have already seen too much of this sort of thinking regarding our treatment of the Indians . . . and we've been told the reason we can't alter present-day rules for the Doukhobors and the Hutterites is because of decades-old agreements which can't be changed.

If mistakes were made in granting leases into perpetuity, it is too bad, and should not be repeated in the future. But governments, like individuals, inherit the mistakes of the past, and must live with them. After all, time itself is on the side of the government, as these things have a way of righting themselves.

The parks were nothing without the developers who took risks the government wouldn't face. The parks were built by these people, not plundered by them. We abhor it when the Communists, the Nazis, the Fascists, and others break their solemn undertakings. We must not be guilty of the same shortcoming within our own system.


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## Centennial Report

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By JOHN W. FISHER
CENTENNIAL COMMISSIONER

A television series about the drama of life in New York City used to end this way: "There are eight million stories in the Naked City. This has been one of them".

Around Centennial Commission headquarters at Ottawa we are beginning to look at Canada's 1867 celebrations in the same way. There are many thousands of national, provincial and local projects under way across Canada to mark our 100th birthday and they all make stories. The big national projects alone are numbered by dozens — the Confederation Train and Caravans, a 4,000-mile canoe race, the Canada Festival, the Youth Travel program; programs for the performing arts, visual arts, folk arts, athletics, tree planting, new buildings for arts centres, museums, and so on.

I am going to tell you in this column of one of the national projects about which I am quite excited It is the Armed Forces Tattoo, the big big cross-Canada show which will be mounted by the Department of National Defence.

At the time of writing I am particularly excited about this event because I have fresh in my mind an advance look at the program. At Centennial Commission headquarters recently Brig. C. Arnold Peck and Captain Ian Fraser of the Department of National Defence centennial planning staff described the two-hour show—of which there will be 147 performances in 49 cities across the country—and provided storyboard illustrations and taped excerpts of the stirring music especially composed for the Centennial

I can predict that Canadians will be given a thrilling surprise when they see the Armed Forces Tattoo, which will be one of the highlights of the 1967 reinforcement. The advance presentation which we saw and heard at Ottawa showed that the Forces' project is being conducted in a highly professional manner.

There will be 48 colorful selections in 13 major scenes of the Tattoo with static bands, marching bands, pipes and drums, scenes from history as far back as 1665, a novel gun-handing race over obstacles, a drummer boy's idea of what war was like in 1812, 150 sailors dancing a hornpipe, action scenes on the battlefields— even an actual World War II Spitfire in an enactment of a Battle of Britain "scramble".

The Armed Forces Centennial team has done research deep into history, through the years to the period when the early French and British regiments were stationed in Canada, and they have produced not only the music of the regiments but also the servicemen's songs of life canteens and messes which also have been sung by the citizenry of yesterday and today.

Research also has been done for the Tattoo in Europe by Captain Fraser for considera'ion of the best military tattoo productions and techniques at Edinburgh and on the continent. Captain Fraser, it has been pointed out, produced the Armed Forces show at the Seattle World's Fair which proved to be one of the highlights of that exhibition.

After seeing the very professional advance work done by the Defence Department's Centennial staff, I do not hesitate to recommend that you watch for the date of the performance, whether it be an indoor one or an outdoor one, nearest to your area, and be sure to attend

## School committee meets July 12

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lam School Division be received and filed Cd

The Youth Travel Program as instituted by the Federal Provincial Agreement in connection with the 1967 Centennial was referred to the Committee The Program had been brought to the attention of the Chairman by organizations in the Town of Viking with a suggestion that something should be done to have students from the County being able to take part in this program

The Program, as outlined by the Registrar of the Dept of Education was read to the Committee and it was moved that the action of the Sec-Treas in obtaining the information be concurred in and that if the County can be accommodated in the Program for 1967 the School Committee agrees to act as sponsors for the project Cd.

The Sec Treas informed the Committee that W Osada had offered for sale 8 acres of land located north and west of the Ryley school for $4 000 00 cash

Moved that Mr Osada be advised that the County is not interested in the purchase of this land at the present time Carried unanimous ly

In regards to the Building program at Viking, Mr Symyrozum stated that the work was progressing quite well and that the building would be ready for occupancy by September 1st He was of the opinion that more blackboards were required in four of the new classrooms.

The Chairman, Cr Roddick, reported that the library had been completed.

Moved and carried unanimously that additional blackboard space be provided as requested

Mr Symyrozum suggested that some consideration should be given to an intercom system at Viking school

Cr Roddick reported that the fence at the Viking school had been completed and that 97 Avenue had been graded but would require some fill in places

Moved and carried that the various reports in regards to the Viking school be accepted

Cr Gibson mentioned that he had been approached by different parties in the Village of Holden offering houses for sale He had instructed these parties that it was not expected that any further housing was required at this time It was moved that at the present time no further arrangement for teacher housing is required in the Village of Holden. Carried unanimously

The Bus Supervisor stated that a second winch truck was needed as the Public Works Crews required a winch truck from time to time and he suggested that Bus No 19 a 1955 GMC or Bus No 29 a 1957 GMC could be converted for this purpose A 7¼ ton winch complete except for cable would cost $600. The question arose whether or not these two buses would be required as spare buses during the coming school term and Mr Reed was

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Bob MacKay Trophy

Tofield Little League's, above, proudly accepted the hardearned "Bob MacKay Trophy" recently, recapturing it from Holden who has now had the trophy for three years. The proud winners are, left to right, front row: Campbell Young, Carlie Bowick,. Richard Hardy; back row: Lyle Heiberg, Rodney Baergen, Kerry Blacklock, Doug Finnoth and Daye McMann. Not present for the picture-taking were Tom Christensen, Don Swift and Gordon Dyck. —Photo by Peter Nichol.

# County Council meets

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had interviewed Cpl. Murray at the Tofield Detachment, who had informed him there had been three convictions to the date of the interview. It was, however, felt that the regulations needed updating and this was in receive consideration at a later meeting.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted

In regards to the Beaver Hill Lake Park, Cr. Kropielnicki stated that he had arranged for certain improvements to the beach, having hired a cat and dozer for this purpose at an approximate cost of $300.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and the expenditure approved.

It was moved and carried that the Alberta Pacific Grain Ltd. be advised that the fertilizer shed that the Company has at Dodds is in a satisfactory location and meets with the approval of the Council.

**Correspondence**

A letter from the Alberta Wheat Pool Agent at Bruce advising that the Wheat Pool plans a fertilizer shed at Bruce, 25 feet west of the Annex. The building will be 30 by 36 feet and the approximate cost is $4,800. A request for the approval of this structure was made.

Moved and carried that the Alberta Wheat Pool be advised that the location of the fertilizer shed at Bruce is satisfactory to the Council

An offer from Nick Petrowski of Innisfree to lease the W. ¼ of Sec. 16-49-11-W4th containing 80 acres, more or less, for 1966, was referred to the Council. The Council was informed that George Gotobed also asked about leasing this parcel.

It was moved and carried that Mr. Gotobed be asked to submit a tender and that Mr. Petrowski be advised of this so that, if he so desires, he may submit a higher tender. The land will be leased to the highest bidder.

A letter from Supervisor of Soils Department of Agriculture, concerning Stubble Burning By-Law Permits, was referred to the Council. Reference was made to prosecutions under a By-Law pursuant to the Soil Conservation Act in an adjoining Municipality. In this connection it was noted that the Agricultural Advisory Committee had recommended to the Agricultural Committee that no Stubble Burning By-Law be passed by the County of Beaver No. 9. It had also been requested that representations be made to the Provincial Government to have the Domestic Animals Act amended so that it would be legal to charge transportation costs in taking animals to pounds.

Moved and carried that the correspondence be received and filed, and the requests of the Agricultural Advisory Committee noted.

Harry Tkaczyk interviewed the Council requesting improvements to the road to S.W. 19-49-13-W4th, approximately a mile and a half of road being involved.

Moved and carried that Cr. Davis consider the request and take any action he considers advisable.

A letter from the Department of Public Health concerning licensing of pesticide applicators was referred to the Council.

It was moved and carried that Phildonus Bas Boylan be elected.

Information from the office of the Fire Commissioner, advising of the Summary of Fire Losses in the County for the period ending April 30, 1966, was referred to the Council. The information indicated that a fire loss of $2,050, estimated, had been sustained by Weltlee Farms Ltd. at Lindbrook.

Moved and carried that infor-

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## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Elton Eaton)

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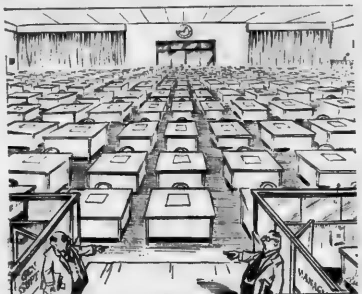

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# Reverse English

The International Nickel Company is trying a new twist in labor relations seeking permission to sue several employees for engaging in an illegal strike. Indications are the suit may be permitted.

It brings to mind an interesting commentary on the attitude of unions themselves to the illegal strike. It seems that responsible labor unions could pretty well eliminate the illegal strike if they were really sincere, simply by suspending or cancelling membership privileges of members engaging in illegal walk-outs.

Actions speak louder than words, they say.

# Square peg

Recent complete disinterest of anyone in the motel business in building tourist accommodation in lower Lake Louise helps to prove how far off base is the Hon. Arthur Laing, minister governing Canada's national playgrounds, in trying to develop the park's business pattern along government lines rather than economic thoughts. It probably also indicates the business world isn't too interested in the new groundrules laid down by Mr. Laing for leases.

The idea that any lease in the future reverts to the Crown at the end of forty years may be considered reasonable, since anyone entering the deal knows the rules. But we maintain Mr. Laing . . . and the Canadian government . . . cannot maintain their intention of ignoring leases made in 1888 on a "perpetual" basis. Mr. Laing has objected to lessees holding to these "obscure agreements", which reminds one of Hitler's amazement that Britain would be so concerned over a "scrap of paper".

It is unthinkable that Canada should follow the same lead. If the government's agreements can't be trusted, then the integrity of the state means nothing. We have already seen too much of this sort of thinking regarding our treatment of the Indians . . . and we've been told the reason we can't alter present-day rules for the Doukhobors and the Hutterites is because of decades-old agreements which can't be changed.

If mistakes were made in granting leases into perpetuity, it is too bad, and should not be repeated in the future. But governments, like individuals, inherit the mistakes of the past, and must live with them. After all, time itself is on the side of the government, as these things have a way of righting themselves.

The parks were nothing without the developers who took risks the government wouldn't face. The parks were built by these people, not plundered by them. We abhor it when the Communists, the Nazis, the Fascists, and others break their solemn undertakings. We must not be guilty of the same shortcoming within our own system.

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# Centennial Report

1867 1967 by JOHN W. FISHER CENTENNIAL COMMISSIONER

A television series about the drama of life in New York City used to end this way. "There are eight million stories in the Naked City. This has been one of them".

Around Centennial Commission headquarters at Ottawa we are beginning to look at Canada's 1967 celebrations in the same way. There are many thousands of national, provincial and local projects under way across Canada to mark our 100th birthday and they all make stories. The big national projects alone are numbered in dozens — the Confederation Train and Caravans, a 4,000-mile canoe race, the Canada Festival, the Youth Travel program; programs for the performing arts, visual arts, folk arts, athletics, tree planting, new buildings for arts centres, museums, and so on.

I am going to tell you in this column of one of the national projects about which I am quite excited. It is the Armed Forces Tattoo, the big big cross-Canada show which will be presented by the Department of National Defence.

At the time of writing I am particularly excited about this event because I have fresh in my mind an advance look at the program. At Centennial Commission headquarters recently Brig. C. Arnold Peck and Captain Ian Fraser of the Department of National Defence centennial planning staff described the two-hour show—of which there will be 147 performances in 40 cities across the country—and provided story-board illustrations and taped excerpts of the stirring music especially composed for the Centennial.

I can predict that Canadians will be given a thrilling surprise when they see the Armed Forces Tattoo, which will be one of the highlights of the 1967 celebrations. The advance presentation which we saw and heard at Ottawa showed that the Forces' project is being conducted in a highly professional manner.

There will be 80 colorful selections in 12 major scenes of the Tattoo with static bands, marching bands, pipes and drums, scenes from history as far back as 1665, a naval gun-hauling race over obstacles, a drummer boy's idea of what war was like in 1812, 150 sailors dancing a hornpipe, action scenes on the battlefield—even an actual World War II Spitfire in an enactment of a Battle of Britain "scramble".

The Armed Forces Centennial team has done research deep into history, through the years to the period when the early French and British regiments were stationed in Canada, and they have produced not only the music of the regiments but also the servicemen's songs of the canteens and messes which also have been sung by the citizenry of yesterday and today.

Research also has been done for the Tattoo in Europe by Captain Fraser for consideration of the best military tattoo productions and techniques at Edinburgh and on the continent. Captain Fraser, it has been pointed out, produced the Armed Forces show at the Seattle World's Fair which proved to be one of the highlights of that exhibition.

After seeing the very professional advance work done by the Defence Department's Centennial staff, I do not hesitate to recommend that you watch for the date of the performance, whether it be an indoor one or an outdoor one, nearest to your area, and be sure to attend

# School committee meets July 12

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lam School Division be received and filed. Cd

The Youth Travel Program as instituted by the Federal-Provincial Agreement in connection with the 1967 Centennial was referred to the Committee. The Program had been brought to the attention of the Chairman by organizations in the Town of Viking with a suggestion that something should be done to have students from the County being able to take part in this program.

The Program, as outlined by the Registrar of the Dept. of Education was read to the Committee and it was moved that the action of the Sec.-Treas. in obtaining the information be concurred in and that if the County can be accommodated in the Program for 1967 the School Committee agrees to act as sponsors for the project. Cd

The Sec.-Treas. informed the Committee that W. Osada had offered for sale 8 acres of land located north and west of the Ryley school for $4,000.00 cash.

Moved that Mr. Osada be advised that the County is not interested in the purchase of this land at the present time. Carried unanimously

In regards to the Building program at Viking, Mr. Symyrozum stated that the work was progressing quite well and that the building would be ready for occupancy by September 1st. He was of the opinion that more blackboards were required in four of the new classrooms.

The Chairman, Cr. Roddick, reported that the library had been completed.

Moved and carried unanimously that additional blackboard space be provided as requested

Mr. Symyrozum suggested that some consideration should be given to an intercom system at Viking school

Cr. Roddick reported that the fence at the Viking school had been completed and that 57 Avenue had been graded but would require some fill in places

Moved and carried that the various reports in regards to the Viking school be accepted

Cr. Gibson mentioned that he had been approached by different parties in the Village of Holden offering houses for sale. He had informed these parties that it was not expected that any further housing was required at this time. It was moved that at the present time no further arrangement for teacher housing is required in the Village of Holden. Carried unanimously

The Bus Supervisor stated that a second winch truck was needed as the Public Works Crews required a winch truck from time to time and he suggested that Bus No. 19, a 1955 GMC or Bus No. 20, a 1957 GMC, could be converted for this purpose. A 7½ ton winch complete except for cable would cost $686. The question arose whether or not these two buses would be required as spare buses during the coming school term and Mr. Reid was

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**Bob MacKay Trophy**

Tofield Little Leaguer's, above, proudly accepted the hard-earned "Bob MacKay Trophy" recently, recapturing it from Holden who has now had the trophy for three years. The proud winners are, left to right, front row: Campbell Young, Co'lin Bowick,, Richard Hardy; back row: Lyle Helberg, Rodney Baergen, Kerry Blacklock, Doug Finseth and Daye McMann. Not present for the picture-taking were Tom Christensen, Don Swift and Gordon Dyck. —Photo by Peter Nickel.

# County Council meets

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had interviewed Cpl. Murray at the Tofield Detachment, who had informed him there had been three convictions to the date of the interview. It was, however, felt that the regulations needed updating and this was to receive consideration at a later meeting.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the Beaver Hill Lake Park, Cr. Kropielnicki stated that he had arranged for certain improvements to the beach, having hired a cat and dozer for this purpose at an approximate cost of $300.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and the expenditure approved.

It was moved and carried that the Alberta Pacific Grain Ltd. be advised that the fertilizer shed that the Company has at Dodds is in a satisfactory location and meets with the approval of the Council.

**Correspondence**

A letter from the Alberta Wheat Pool Agent at Bruce advising that the Wheat Pool plans a fertilizer shed at Bruce, 25 feet west of the Annex. The building will be 30 by 36 feet and the approximate cost is $4,800. A request for the approval of this structure was made.

Moved and carried that the Alberta Wheat Pool be advised that the location of the fertilizer shed at Bruce is satisfactory to the Council.

An offer from Nick Petrowski of Innisfree to lease the W. ½ of Sec. 16-49-11-W4th containing 80 acres, more or less, for 1966, was referred to the Council. The Council was informed that George Gotobed also asked about leasing this parcel.

It was moved and carried that Mr. Gotobed be asked to submit a tender and that Mr. Petrowski be advised of this so that, if he so desires, he may submit a higher tender. The land will be leased to the highest bidder.

A letter from Supervisor of Soils Department of Agriculture, concerning Stubble Burning By-Law Permits, was referred to the Council. Reference was made to prosecutions under a By-Law pursuant to the Soil Conservation Act in an adjoining Municipality. In this connection it was noted that the Agricultural Advisory Committee had recommended to the Agricultural Committee that no Stubble Burning By-Law be passed by the County of Beaver No. 9. It had also been requested that representations be made to the Provincial Government to have the Domestic Animals Act amended so that it would be legal to charge transportation costs in taking animals to pounds.

Moved and carried that the correspondence be received and filed, and the requests of the Agricultural Advisory Committee noted.

Harry Tkaczyk interviewed the Council requesting improvements to the road to S.W. 19-49-13-W4th, approximately a mile and a half of road being involved.

Moved and carried that Cr. Dorin consider the request and take any action he considers advisable.

A letter from the Department of Public Health concerning licensing of pesticide applicators was referred to the Council.

It was moved and carried that the Fieldman, Rex Boyles, be licensed.

Information from the office of the Fire Commissioner, advising of the Summary of Fire Losses in the County for the period ending April 30, 1966, was referred to the Council. The information indicated that a fire loss of $2,050, estimated, had been sustained by Wellico Farms Ltd. at Lindbrook.

Moved and carried that infor-

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# The Ryley Times



## Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

David Tiedemann is employed at the Holden Coffee Shop during the summer holidays.

Ludvig Sandbeck, who is presently residing at Vialta Lodge, Viking, sold his farm recently to Cecil Slensrud.

Harry Appleby of Vialta Lodge, Viking, was a visitor this past week with the Ed Applebys and Bert Applebys.

Mr. and Mrs. John Semotuik and family were in Edmonton on Monday of last week to attend the Klondike Parade and Grandstand show at the Edmonton Exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brekstad of Winnipeg are spending a three weeks' holiday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad. Leslie is stationed with the RCAF there. Also visiting with the Brekstads was Mrs. L. Brekstad's sister, Miss Linda Faught, of Sudbury, Ontario. She returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were Sunday visitors with their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas, at Viking.

Mrs. Ella Bryan who was visiting her sister, Mrs. Lars Ritland and Mr. Ritland for three weeks, returned to her home in Winnipeg last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunchuk and young son were away on holidays last week, driving to various points in the mountains and B.C., and to Vancouver. They returned home early this week.

Laval Good was a weekend visitor with his mother Mrs. Lars Ritland and Mr. Ritland having returned from taking the children out to Kelowna, B.C. where they are visiting with an aunt for a few weeks.

Mrs. Ethel Flemming was a Thursday afternoon visitor and coffee guest with Mrs. Ritland.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy returned home at the end of last week, after being in Edmonton since the beginning of the month, when Earl has been marking departmental examination papers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson, who have been away since early in July, returned home at the weekend.

Mrs. Pearl Allan is attending sessions of Summer School at the U. of A. in Edmonton.

Sherman Forre was a visitor at the Chris Hovland home last weekend. Mr. Forre, Mr. Hovland and sons Rueben and Ray were Sunday visitors and dinner guests with Sherman's brother and wife at Tofield.

HERE FOR WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kashman and family of Bellvue have been visiting this past week with the Bill Kashmans and the Nick Bilyks. They also attended the wedding and reception of Jean's brother Lawrence Bilyk to Miss Judith Auch on July 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Kashman and children were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kashman and attended the wedding reception of Miss Judy Auch and Lawrence Bilyk. Miss Jane Kashman was also a weekend visitor with her parents and attended the wedding.

CALL FROM ENGLAND

Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor had a very pleasant surprise Sunday morning on receiving a phone call from her son Brian and wife in Godstone, Surrey, England, wishing her a happy birthday, also speaking to her young grandson, Ernest, who wished Grandma happy birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka visited in Edmonton over the weekend and met their daughter Betty and husband who were leaving for Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Story were visitors in Edmonton for a few days last week, attending the Klondike Parade and Edmonton Exhibition, also visiting with their daughter Florence and family, the Koop Spannenbergs, returning home Thursday.

Geo. H. Taylor was a Viking caller last week on E.M.O business.

—Photo by Jun Mah

## Schmidt-Erickson vows pledged on June 18th

A pretty summer wedding was held on June 18th at the Tofield United Church, when Wayne Peter Schmidt, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Schmidt of Kingman, took as his bride, Linda Marie Erickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mikal Erickson of Tofield. Rev. A. Dahlen of Kingman performed the double-ring ceremony. Mrs. Andy Heiberg was the organist and Mrs. A. Dahlen soloist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father was radiant in a floor-length slim gown of white bengaline, styled in the princess line with full chapel length train. A pearl crown held in place her bouffant veil of silk illusion, and she carried a cascade bouquet of red roses.

Maid of honor was Miss Janice Ferguson, and bridesmaids were Miss Diane Fortieu and Miss Yvonne Kozack. They wore identical floor length gowns of pale pink peau de sole styled in empire lines, with sheer trains. They wore wrist-length gloves and carried bouquets of white daisy mums.

The little flower girl, Miss Laurel Erickson, neice of the bride was dressed in similar fashion.

Master Guy Schmidt, brother of the groom acted as ring-bearer.

Attending the groom were Reg Thompson as best man, his brother, Donald Schmidt, and Randy [illegible]

Ushers were Bjorne Erickson, brother of the bride and Leonard Winder, uncle of the groom.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held for 170 guests in the church parlors.

Harold Schultz acted as master of ceremonies and the toast to the bride was given by Eystein Heiberg. Miss Linda Campbell was in charge of the guest book.

The bride's mother chose a pink dress of silk knit with matching deep pink hat, and a corsage of pink roses. The mother of the groom wore a two-piece blue ensemble, with white accessories, and a corsage of pink roses.

For travelling the bride wore a two-piece biege suit with blue accessories, and a corsage of blue carnations.

Following a honeymoon trip to Jasper, the happy couple will make their home in Camrose.

## Bardo district news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

Sam and Selma Cinnamon are are holidaying at Kelowna B. C..

UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. Ragna Heiberg underwent surgery on her hip at the University Hospital in Edmonton this week, and is making favorable progress.

Cathy Look from Edmonton is visiting at the home of her grandparents, Elmer and Alice Sitler and uncle and aunt, Harold and Betty Ann Sitler. On Sunday the Sitler families joined the Herman Swansons and Glenn Sitlers for an outing at Elk Island Park.

## Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Brock Snider and Monte Malcolm have returned home from Cadet Camp.

Grant Cossey is attending camp at Goldeye Lake, sponsored by the local Farmers' Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McLachlan, Betty Eglinski, Sharon Reinhardt, Gayle McLachlan and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eglinski were among the guests who attended a mixed shower party for Lorraine McLachlan and Sylvester Zazula at Wostok.


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## County Council meets

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mation be received and filed.

Moved and carried that advice from the Department of Highways, that the bridge located WNW. 21-49-14-W4th, bridge file 8103, was completed on July 5 and transferred to the control of the County, be received and filed.

Moved and carried that the decisions of the Alberta Assessment Appeal Board respecting appeals from decisions of the 1966 Court of Revision of the County of Beaver No. 9, as referred to the Council at this time, be received and filed.

Information from the Alberta Centennial Committee, advising that the Centennial plaques would have to be placed on all Centennial Grants projects and that the Centennial Officer had been directed to withhold $100 on each Centennial Grant until such time as the required plaque was purchased, was referred to the Council. A catalogue of different plaques was enclosed with the letter.

Moved and carried that the information be received and filed.

Application forms from the Prairie Farm Assistance Act was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that each Councillor submit the estimated yield in his division at the August 11 meeting.

Cr. Knudslien referred to the reconstruction of the Natural Resources Road W. of N.W. 11-49-18-W4th, Nugget Lake. He stated that on June 30th he and the secretary-treasurer had met with the Assistant Director of Mines concerning the road being washed away at this particular point. Mr Melsor the assistant director of mines, had indicated that some assistance could be obtained from the Department of Mines and Minerals to overcome the sluffing away of the bank at this place, and Cr. Knudslien referred to various ways in which this could be accomplished.

The situation was discussed quite fully, and its was moved and carried that the report be accepted and Cr. Knudslien's action in this matter concurred in.

Cr. Weatherill referred to the dangerous condition of the road intersection at the S.W. corner of Sec. 4-51-20-W4th, located in the County of Strathcona, and Cr. Weatherill was requested to discuss this matter with the Councillor for that Division in the County of Strathcona, possibly at the July 25th meeting.

Cr. Knudslien reported that he had levelled off the banks of the [illegible] in the Round Hill Flood Control Project, as this had not been done previously, and his action was approved by the Council.

It was moved and carried that Cr. Weatherill be reappointed Deputy Reeve for the balance of 1966.

### Veterinary Clinic

Cr. Weatherill referred to the fact that some years ago the Vegreville Veterinary Clinic promised that they would set up an office in the Village of Ryley on the same basis as they now have in the Town of Viking as soon as they had personnel to take care of the area efficiently. It appeared that they now had four veterinarians and that they had set up an office in the northern part of the area, that they serve, and the secretary-treasurer was requested to contact the Vegreville Veterinary Clinic in this matter.

## Groundwork started on seed plant

Work has already started on the new Alberta Wheat Pool seed plant south of Highway 13 and east of the CNR tracks, with heavy earth-moving machinery preparing the site.

A contract, worth roughly $1,000,000, was awarded a Calgary firm, Apex Seed and Plant Construction Ltd., to construct the seed plant, which will be the major portion of the new complex. Facilities for handling bulk fertilizer will also be constructed, but this will be a separate job.

To be completed by August next year, the seed plant will be the first step in development of just over five acres of land, bought from the City for $30,000.

A spur line from the CNR track will also be constructed to the property, providing access both by rail and highway. The plant was a heavy shipper in the past, with truck and train both coming in for major shares of the loadings, which reach out to areas all over the world.

The new building will replace the plant used since inception of the seed growers, in 1942, at 47th Street and 50th Avenue. In time, this had been a wholesale supply house and liquor store before being bought by the seed growers co-operative.

## School Committee meets July 12

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advised to bring this matter up at a later meeting when he has made up the bus list for the year.

In regards to the teacher situation Mr. Symyrozum stated that a commercial teacher was required at Tofield, a French teacher at Holden, and a Physical Science teacher at Viking.

He stated that he might possibly have teachers for the positions at Viking and Holden but nothing available for Tofield at the present time.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Moved that the following teacher appointments be approved: Mr. Ginn Pohar, Tofield; Mrs. Lorene Francis, Viking; Miss Teresita Encarnacion, Bruce, Miss Eugenia Marquez, Viking; Mrs. Wilhelmina Reichenbaugh, Viking; Mrs. Elsie Miciak, Bruce. Carried unanimously.

Mr. Symyrozum mentioned the fact that no space was available for the Principal's Secretary at the Holden School and he suggested how by some alterations this space could be made available. This work is to be done by the County's Maintenance Crew.

Moved and carried that the suggested alterations be approved and that the position of Secretary to the Principal at the Holden school be advertised in the Holden Herald and the Tofield Mercury.

The Committee was advised that Mr. Boris Stashko would like to have a garage at the teacherage he is now renting in Ryley. It was felt that finances would not permit construction of any garages this year and it was moved that Mr. Stashko be advised that his request cannot be acceded to this year. Carried.

Mr. Symyrozum informed the Committee that an additional duplicator was required at Viking. He stated that there were two duplicators there now but, as there were three sections in the school, a third duplicator should be obtained. The price of this machine was in the neighborhood of $300, although this had not been provided for in the current year's budget, it was moved and carried that a duplicator be purchased for the Viking school.

Mr. Symyrozum mentioned that the Vegreville Health Unit would like to rent accommodation for a Public Health Nurse at Holden and that it appeared that the upstairs in the Calo house might be available. It was decided that, for the time being, the place should not be rented and that, if and when it was rented, it should be the understanding that 30 days notice could be given at any time.

NOTICE

**Town of Tofield**

**Monday, August 1st**

—1966—

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**Civic Holiday**

FOR THE TOWN OF TOFIELD

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46-47-48

## Friendship Group aids China mission

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — The Friendship Group met Wednesday afternoon, July 20, at the home of Mrs. Mary Hooper. Mrs. Mary James was in charge of the meeting and Devotions were taken by Mrs. Carrie Olson. While several memberas were away, the ladies spent a pleasant afternoon visiting.

A letter was read acknowledging receipt of $38 sent by the group for their protege in Hong Kong for his schooling and supplies. A letter of thanks was also received from the Mission in Hong Kong for the parcel of quilts and children's clothing.

There will be no meeting in August, and the September meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Campbell.

## Varied roster discussed at Lions Club meeting

Tofield Lions Club held their last meeting for July in the Tofield Community League meeting Community League meeting room. Five members of the Daysland Club were present and extended greetings.

Projects discussed were a Variety Night for later in the year; numbering of business and dwelling premises in conjunction with a plan by Northwestern Utilities Ltd.; addition to skating rink of a hockey penalty box; a wading pool in the playground; surrender of Charter; inducing farmers and others to wear hard hats, and a Fall Bingo.

The members were advised that Tofield is now in District 37F for reason of mobility, and for convenience of other Districts.

The Bruce School Basketball Trophy is now on hand and will be delivered shortly.

Members were again reminded to turn out in Edmonton on Aug. 1st to meet International Director Lindsay. Lion Graham Allan offered to see the Town of Tofield Utilities Committee regarding supplying water for the proposed wading pool. It was realized that this would entail great responsibility for safe operation.


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## CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to take this opportunity to express my thanks to Dr. Freebury, Nurses and entire Staff for making my stay in the Tofield hospital as comfortable as possible. My appreciation, also, for visitors and the many cards, which were very welcome.
—Sam Cinnamon.
[illegible]

I wish to thank Dr. Freebury and the Nurses and Staff of the Tofield Municipal Hospital for the wonderful care I received while a patient there. Also, many thanks to relatives and friends who visited me and remembered me with cards.
—Ronald Ferguson.
48p-3263

I would like to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to all my relatives and friends who so generously supported me with cards and flowers during my recent stay at the Tofield and University Hospitals. A very special thanks to all doctors, nurses and staff.
—Lucy Desjarlais.
48p-4770

## ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roth are happy to announce the engagement of their daughter, Patsy Joanne, to Mr. Glenford Ray Detwiler of Iowa City, Iowa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Detwiler of Heston, Kansas. A fall wedding is planned. 48c-3367

## SERVICES

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## LOST AND FOUND

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## Church Notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, July 31st
10:00 a.m.—Public Worship.

**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Rev. Art Dahlen, Pastor
Phone 672-4233
Sunday, July 31st
10:15 a.m.—Worship Service.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Anglican
Sunday Services
Archdeacon G. W. Wilson will be the celebrant at Holy Communion on Sunday, July 31, at 11:00 a.m.
11:00 a.m.—1st Sunday July and August—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—All other Sundays—Matins.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday Schools during June, but none during July and August.
Other services and meetings to be announced

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, July 31st
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
August 2nd and 3rd, 7:30 p.m.—Youth Caravan. (For Young People).
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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, July 31st
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of [illegible] month ............10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month .............9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ............9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ............10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor [illegible]
There will be no church service on July 31st or August 7th.
The Miquelon Bible Camp will be from July 31st until August 7th.

## THIS IS SPORT?

"OH, THAT'S OL' COLONEL LONGSHOT. KNOWS MORE ABOUT HORSE RACING THAN ANY MAN ALIVE TODAY."

# Ruby Keehn and partner top talent show in duet

Mrs. Andrew (Ruby) Keehn of Camrose with Robert McDonald, Wetaskiwin, were winners of the CFRN Klondike Days talent contest in Edmonton on Saturday. Their talent was demonstrated in a duet, Mr. McDonald playing on a handsaw accompanied at the piano by Mrs Keehn. The saw, with resin applied to one side, vibrated to the strokes of a violin bow, and the pieces played were, "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms", "The Cattle Call" and "Heart of My Heart".

The contest was advertised prior to Klondike Days and began on the Tuesday with 60 entries. Participants performed each day up to Saturday and one entry was selected as winner for the day. Mrs. Keehn and Mr. McDonald entertained for the first time on Saturday and later the same day competed successfully against the four other winners. Among the judges was Johnny Forest who was touring with the Don Messer group.

Prize for the winners was a combined television, stereo and radio set. Asked which of them was to have it in their home, Mrs. Keehn laughed and said, "Guess we'll have to cut it in half"

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**VISITORS HERE**

Visitors in Holden on Wednesday of last week were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sanders and children of High Prairie, former Holden residents. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus, Mr. and Mrs. Geo H. Taylor, Mrs. Laura Christianson and the John Semotuiks. Jack was employed in the former school division office with Mr. Smailes, and on his retirement became secretary-[illegible] until the [illegible] division became County of Beaver. He is now secretary-treasurer of High Prairie school division, which is the largest in Alberta, moving there in 1957.

Paul Strilchuk, who is employed at Inuvik, NWT, has been spending the past few weeks at home with his family and working on the farm.

H. A. Pike was a visitor in Holden on Wednesday of last week.

**AT ELKS' CONVENTION**

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Grosland left early Saturday evening for Regina, Sask., going by way of Medicine Hat, where they were leaving their daughter Paddy to visit with Lyle's sister and brother, the Sid Handleys. Mr. Grosland is attending the Supreme Lodge Convention of the [illegible] Elks, July 25-26-27, as delegate from Holden Lodge BPOE. Their eldest daughter is visiting in Edmonton with the Walter Groslands. Cheryl Grosland, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Grosland, is staying with her grandmother, Mrs. Lillie Grosland, while her parents are away.

Sharon Jeffery has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Ash, in Viking.

Mr. and Mrs. Don MacFadyen and children were visitors Wednesday of last week with Mrs. Ada Parfett in Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lutz are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, July 16, at Tofield Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kaluzny attended the Golka wedding and reception in Viking on July 23.

Robert Tiedemann attended Vacation Bible School of the Lutheran Church in Edmonton this week, driving in Sunday with Pastor and Mrs. Schoepp and staying as their guest during the week.

# County Council meets June 16th

Following are the minutes (in part) of the regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver, No. 9, held Thursday, June 16th:

**Diesel Fuel Tank**

In regards to the diesel fuel tank at the old Municipal grader shed at Tofield, Cr. Weatherill reported that this 500-gallon tank was in good condition with 14 feet of good hose and fittings. It was suggested that this tank be moved to Holden to replace a 300-gallon tank, that is located at the grader shed there, and that the 300-gallon tank be mounted on wheels and used by the Public Works Crew as the present storage facilities are not large enough.

It was moved and carried that the report be accepted and the suggested recommendations carried out.

**Sewerage System for Kinsella**

At this time, A. B. Samuel, Professional Engineer with the Associated Engineering Limited, appeared before the Council in connection with the tenders called for the construction of a sewerage system for the Hamlet of Kinsella. He stated that nine contractors had originally taken out specifications, but only four tenders were received. The low tender was submitted by Whimell Enterprises Ltd. of Westlock for a total tender of $41,744.70. The total estimated cost for the project would be $48,587. This of course was much above the $40,000 authorized by bylaw, and Mr. Samuel suggested that the line on Railway Avenue be deleted, at least for the time being, effecting a saving of $11,005. This would bring the estimated cost down to $37,563, being within the terms of the bylaw. The Council gave some considerable consideration to the project and, as had been the case during previous discussions, it was felt that the County as a whole could be saddled with a very large portion of the debenture in case the population in the Hamlet of Kinsella was being reduced by people leaving the Hamlet.

After some careful and extensive consideration, it was moved and carried (Cr. Dorin voting against the motion) that the proposed sewerage system for the Hamlet of Kinsella be not proceeded with.

Cr. Johnston stated that C. N. Kjorlein of Kinsella Welding and Machine Shop had requested permission to pipe water from the well in the Hamlet to his workshop in order to be able to install the required rest-room facilities. Cr. Johnston stated that, in his opinion, this would be quite in order as there was an abundant supply of water.

Moved and carried that permission be given for the piping of water from the Hamlet water well to Kinsella Welding and Machine Shop.

**Fire Permits**

In regards to the enforcement of the fire permits, it was mentioned that the RCMP Detachment at Tofield was enforcing these permits very closely and that some of the regulations in the Act concerning the permits were entirely out of date. In the opinion of the Council the regulations did not apply to present day conditions. It was felt that some amendments to the Forestry Act should be requested and also that the RCMP Detachment at Tofield should be requested not to prosecute for minor infractions, and Cr. Weatherill was asked to interview Corporal R. Murr[illegible] in this regard.

**Correspondence**

A letter from Alberta Pacific Grain Ltd., requesting approval of their fertilizer shed at the elevator at Bruce, was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the necessary approval be given.

The Council was advised that the Alberta Assessment Appeal Board would hear appeals from Decision of the 1966 Court of Revision beginning on Monday, June 20th, to Tuesday, June 28th.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Moved and carried that Form "A" as submitted at this time be approved as the tentative program for 1966 with the understanding that the total amount for road construction and gravelling should not exceed the sum of [illegible]

Moved and carried that advice from the Dept. of Highways that an allotment of $50,000 has been approved for work on the Special Contingency Road north of Holden to the County boundary be accepted and correspondence received and filed.

Cr. Knudslien stated that Kenneth and Lawrence Kallal of Kallal Hereford Ranch Ltd. wished to drain a slough on Sec. 34-50-18-W4th on to Section 33-50-18-W4th and hence into the creek on this parcel, and they had requested a culvert on the road between the two sections.

Inasmuch as the proposed drainage was of no benefit to the County's roads, it was moved and carried that Kallal Hereford Ranch Ltd be advised that they may install a culvert on the road allowance at their own expense, providing for at least a 22-foot top on the road.

It was moved and carried that bridge authorizations providing for 72-inch culverts at WNW 2-51-16-W4th and WNW 1-51-16-W4th be accepted.

The matter of proposed teacherages were discussed at this time, and it was decided to provide for full basements in the proposed Duplex at Ryley as well as in the single teacherage. Tenders to be submitted by June 30th and buildings completed by August 15th.

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie

Mrs. Ellen Eaton

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Loretta Weir, daughter of Howard and Mae Ferguson, who was critically injured in a car-bus accident in Edmonton recently, has not yet regained consciousness. We all hope she will soon be on the road to recovery.

A community picnic is being planned by Lakeshore-McKenzie ladies for Sunday, Aug. 7th, to be held in the Arnold Jones pasture, eight miles north of Tofield. Anyone caring to attend is welcome. Come along and bring your picnic lunch.

Sunday visitors and dinner and luncheon guests at the home of Mrs. Ella Eaton were her son Leroy and Shirley Eaton and two children of Holden, and Roy and Ruth Wickenberg of Tofield.

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# Locals around town

Daisy and Les Young and family are on a two weeks' holiday to South Dakota and other points

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**HERE FROM CALIFORNIA**

Mrs William Riel from Pomona, California, spent a few days last week with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs. [illegible]

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Mr and Mrs. Alvin Wiklun of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Mr and Mrs Walter Wiklun

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Francis and Joan Campbell and girls of Edmonton spent two days last week with Francis' parents, Mr and Mrs. Jim Campbell, and little Michel Young from Camrose spent a few days with his grandparents, the Jim Campbells

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Mrs. Pete Wall from British Columbia is visiting with the Baergens and other relatives here

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Mr and Mrs. Pete Wiens and family of Ryley have taken up residence in the new house north of the Anglican Church.

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Richard and Judy Kindley of Edmonton are visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Ferguson and Mr and Mrs. A. Kindley

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**IT'S A BOY!**

Born, to Mr and Mrs Henry Jans (nee Yvonne Blake) of Edmonton, on July 20, at the University Hospital, a son, Bruce Jeffrey

* * *

Emily and Ernie Roberge of Edmonton were Saturday visitors with Emma and Lionel Ferguson.

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Edith Davison and her two nieces, Karen and Marylin Davison, left on Sunday by car for Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Litke, of Fawcett, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown, of Edmonton, were Friday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

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The score in the baseball game between Holden and Tofield at Tofield last Thursday, was Tofield 11, Holden 4

In the double header between Tofield and Andrew, in Tofield on Sunday the score was 12-7 in favor of Tofield in the first game, and 6-3 for Tofield in the second

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Mrs Clifford Appleby entertained at her home last Monday for Mrs. Bertha Seale and her daughter, Mrs. Glyn Roberts of Edmonton, when many friends of both were present. Mrs. Seale and Miriam and family are moving to Toronto about August 13, where both Mr and Mrs. Roberts will be teaching in their respective fields.

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Mrs. B. A. Everitt returned from a recent holiday at Fairmont Hot Springs, B.C

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Doug Everitt is at Calgary attending a three weeks' instruction course in band music and the clarinette

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Rev. W. H McDannold and Mrs. McDannold have arrived in Calgary en route home from holidays at Port Arthur, Ontario, and will be in Tofield early next week

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The Bill Tiedemanns and Sandy Scotts drove to the city Sunday for a picnic dinner in Walterdale Park. They visited the John Walter Museum and had a very enjoyable ride on the "Little Klondike Queen". They also toured the Parliament Buildings, and later Sharon and Gloria took them to their house for supper.

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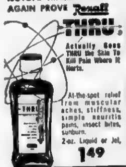

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## Legion Auxiliary has July meet

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion held their monthly meeting Tuesday evening, July 19. Regular business was attended to and reports of committees given.

Plans were discussed and made for the Old-Time Dance which they are sponsoring, to be held in the Community Hall on August 26th. Tickets are now being sold by the Auxiliary and Legion members. Tickets were also given out for the raffle of a crocheted bedspread which was made by one of the members, Mrs Oscar Ruskenveld

Lunch hostess was Mrs. Geo H Taylor

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Several car loads of young people of Tofield and district attended the Widynowski - Wagner wedding at Stony Plain on Saturday.

Patsy Sears of Calgary spent a long weekend at home with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Stanley Sears and the family.

**BIRTH**

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harboway (nee Verna Lawson) a daughter, Catherine Edith on July 18 at the University Hospital in Edmonton. The new arrival is the first grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lawson.

Terry Thomas of Edmonton is staying with his cousins, Leroy and Barry Whillans for a few weeks

Mrs. Martin Lawson was an Edmonton visitor last week. She visited with her daughter, Verna and her little granddaughter in the hospital.

On Sunday Mr and Mrs. Eldon Ray and family of Alix visited with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ray.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ray Herndon, Tom and June and a friend of Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Dorothy and Gene Carlisle and family.

Donald Watt of Prince George and Bill Paydon of England are staying with their cousins Bill and John Sears for the next month

Frank Nelson of Calgary and three of their children called on Mr and Mrs. Stanley Brown recently. Mr Nelson once worked for the Browns when they farmed in this district

Recent visitors at the Stanley home were Mrs. Bert Watt and her mother, Mrs McCrea of Camrose

Brian Anderson of Camrose is staying with Jimmy Kyle for the week

Mrs Ernest Tuff and children of Edmonton visited with the Gene Carlisle family on Sunday Debbie and Gwen remained for a vacation with their cousins

## From the scrapbook

There is more power in the open hand than in the clenched fist —J W R

# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. R. Laney, who was a patient in Tofield Hospital for several weeks, was taken to Edmonton and stayed with her daughter, Mrs. Francis Shand for a few days before entering the newly opened Nursing Home at Leduc as a guest

Mr and Mrs Bill Sawers and family, who have been residing in Vermilion for the past few years, moved to Donalda the beginning of the month, where Bill has purchased the butcher shop and locker plant. Mr and Mrs Clint Armstrong visited with them the early part of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Zane Bilyk and family were Edmonton visitors Monday of last week, and attended the Klondike Parade and Exhibition

Mrs. N. L. Campbell returned home Tuesday evening of last week, after visiting with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell and sons Bill and Jim, over the weekend. They also saw Mrs. Carr off by train on her trip home to Sudbury, Ontario, Monday night. Mrs. Campbell visited for an afternoon with Mrs. Robert Emond Sr. Marjorie and her husband Ken took Mrs. Campbell home and were supper guests with her before returning home.

Leroy Eaton, village constable, is taking his annual holidays, and Stanley Wandio is relief constable.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chernuike have returned home from their holiday trip.

Dennis Cooper and Don Manchur returned home last week from Comox, B.C., where they were on annual training with the Sea Cadets.

Mrs Jack Stambaugh and son Kevin are spending holidays at their cottage at Seba Beach, with Mr Stambaugh joining them at the weekends.

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## Nolan dog tops field trials

Charlie Nolan of Tofield, owner of the Tofalta kennels had reason recently to be very proud of his dog, Creachainn Nick, a member of the Chesapeake Bay breed. On June 4, at the field trials held at Devon, Creachainn Nick won a third-prize ribbon. On June 18 at the Cooking Lake field trials sponsored by the Chesapeake Club, Creachainn Nick won the trophy. Up to the present time, this prize-winner has the second highest number of points in the junior class in Alberta and his owner has high hopes of his performance in the coming fall field trials.

Creachainn Nick's sire is the Amateur Field Trial Champion, Atom Bob owned by Dr. John Lundy of Boise, Idaho, and his dam is Chesgord Jugears owned by William Gillies of Bremner, who sold him to Mr. Nolan.

Owning and training dogs has been a life-long hobby with Mr Nolan but only during the last ten years has he entered his dogs in competitions. He has won several second and third prizes before winning the trophy in [illegible]

It is also of interest to Tofield residents that the trophy recent-

(Continued on Page 6

## Marilyn Price gains honors in exam

Information from the Western Board of Music, University of Alberta, Edmonton shows that Marilyn Price of Tofield was successful in the Board's recent theory examination

Marilyn gained first class honors in Grade 1

## Locals . . .

Word has been received of the passing of George G Wood of Edmonton, formerly of the Sumner School District where he was born and grew up.

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Mrs. Oliver Lehman, Calvin and Warren of Ryley are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. O Hjelter

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Debby Grinde of Holden spent a few days last week with the Hjelters

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Bill Finn from Penticton, B.C., spent a few days here last week The Finns will be moving to Edmonton this month

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Graham and Ella Allan, Stewart and Heather are spending a week at Jasper

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Born to Vic and Sylvia Rudzcki on July 29th, a daughter, at the Tofield hospital

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Sunday visitors at the T Gray home were Pat and Ken Raby from Calgary, Evie and Alan Fair from Lacombe, Jack and Gloria Grover and family, Patty Roberge, Butch Beaupre, and Doreen Williams, all from Edmonton, Edna Johnson and Danny from Fort Saskatchewan, Peg and Bob Nohrebeski and family Jack and Inga Hardy, Helen Grover and Kay and Chuck Blackett.

## Ryley Dairy Club holds achievement day July 6

The Ryley Dairy Club held a very successful Achievement Day on July 6th. Listed here are the top placings achieved by the members.

Pee Wee Class: 1. Terry Magnuson; 2. Marlene Magnuson; 3. Cheryl Magnuson; 4. Bruce Booth; 5. Grace Booth; 6. Barry Westmacott

Calf Class: 1. Barry Stumbo; 2. Lorne Booth; 3. Bob Deck; 4. Donald Chappell

Yearling Class: 1. Bob Deck; 2. Tom Annelio; 3. Doug Booth; 4. Roland Owen

Two-Year-Old Class: 1. Tom Annelio; 2. Roland Owen; 3. John Patterson; 4. Ken Hillerud

Herd Class: 1. Tom Annelio; 2. Roland Owen; 3. Doug Booth; 4. John Patterson

Records: 1. Ken Hillerud; 2. Lorne Booth; 3. John Patterson.

**SUMMARY OF EVENTS**

Judges: Jack Bailey and Reg. Moreau; Grand Champion — Tom Annelio; Reserve Grand Champion Barry Stumbo; Efficiency Award Jim Smetham; Judging Competition Lorne Booth; Master Showman Gordon Kirkland

**FIRST FOR FLOAT**

The Club is happy to report that its float in the Vegreville Parade won first prize. Theme of the float was "Key to Success", and club members wish Parade won first prize. Theme designing and making the float.

## Rolf Foss dies

On July 28th Rolf Foss of Tofield passed away

He is survived by his loving wife, Victoria; one son Roy of Danatville, three daughters, Mrs. Allan (Dolly) Sutton of Ryley, Mrs. Albert (Myrtle) Sutton of Tofield and Mrs. Jerry (Hazel) Lawrence of Edmonton.

Funeral services were held on Monday from the Tofield Anglican Church, with Archdeacon C. W. Wilson officiating. Interment was in the Legion plot of the Tofield cemetery

## Pioneer of Bardo observes 100th birthday

Mrs Alice Rorem of Camrose celebrated her 100th birthday July 7 in Bethany Hospital. On the day before, seated in her chair and dressed in a lovely black and gold gown, she received members of her family and friends. Among her gifts was a gay arrangement of flowers from the family of white and yellow chrysanthemums, blue-tinted carnations and red gladioli.

On the actual date, a service for Mrs. Rorem was conducted in the Bethany Chapel by Chaplain O. H Haugen. Her son-in-law, Rev Palmer Anderson from Minneapolis, gave the address, and her nephew Dr Chester A. Ronning of Camrose, extended congratulations to the grand old lady from her family and friends. Her daughter, Mrs. Palmer Anderson expressed thanks to the management and staff of Bethany Home and Hospital and introduced the visitors.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

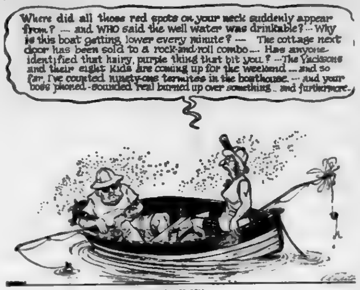
A birthday party with an appropriate cake and flower bedecked table was held in the dining hall of the Home. Guests numbering about 60 included the [illegible]

Relatives present for the occasion were her son, Lyman Rorem, his wife and son Torgrim from Grande Prairie, her daughters Mrs Palmer Anderson and husband from Minneapolis, Mrs Nora Olson and daughter Gladys of Edmonton, and Mrs Ruby Helvet of Salem, Ore., nephews Dr Chester A. Ronning, Camrose, Rev Talbert Ronning and his wife from Chicago, Ted Rorem, Grande Prairie, and Dr Harold Ronning and his wife from Pasadena, Calif., and her niece Hazel and husband Rev Julius Hansen of Oakland, Calif., Mrs Ann Anderson of Bardo also visited Mrs. Rorem, who lived in that district with her husband and family after coming in 1907 from Iowa, where she was born.

Mrs. Rorem lost her eyesight several years ago and is very frail, but on both days of the festivities in her honor, she was remarkably alert and able to respond to all the good wishes extended to her. She is the third resident of Bethany Home and Hospital to reach the venerable age of 100 years.

*Her centennial*

Mrs. Alice Rorem is shown with her daughter, Mrs. Palmer Anderson of Minneapolis behind her chair, her niece, Mrs. Hazel Hansen, Oakland, Calif., and nephew Dr. Chester Ronning of Camrose. Mrs. Rorem celebrated her 100th birthday July 7th. She received visitors at Bethany Hospital on the previous day and a party was given for her on the actual date which was attended by residents of the institution, family and friends. Camrose Canadian Newsphoto




THE FUN SEASON

# Farm Safety Week

Last week was Farm Safety Week, and it seems particularly fitting a major Canadian farm machinery manufacturer should have chosen this week, either by accident or design, to announce that roll-bars will be available to buyers of new tractors as optional extras. As one eastern writer puts it, the 15 mph farm tractor and the 150 mph racing car will soon have one thing in common.

Since they're optional, and extra cost items, we imagine they won't have any more initial impact than safety belts did in automobiles. However, it probably won't take very long to build support for them if the farm housewife adds her two cents to the tractor deal, or if the insurance agent starts doing a bit of arithmetic.

Partly, the innovation reflects concern over criticism directed at the machinery industry, partly their concern over safety of their products. This year, for example the Canadian Medical Association convention endorsed tractor roll bars. A spokesman for the machinery industry also predicted that within a year, all manufacturers would be offering as options not only the roll bars but also safety frames and seat belts.

# It's lawlessness

The outburst of suspected arson in three cases over the week-end as close to home as Calgary more or less brings home to many the explosive type of situation which can develop in the case of labor strife. People who may be more or less reasonable, tolerant citizens can lose all sense of proportion when engaged in a labor struggle, and obviously, those who never were tolerant to begin with may easily be persuaded to abandon any sense of responsibility they may have held.

In Calgary, gratefully, swift action seems to have been taken, but the question arises, when is this same action going to be regarded as inevitable, just as inevitable as it was when a gang of young people decided to run amok in Calgary the night before the Stampede started?

What are our lawmakers doing to ensure swift and certain action in these cases, so law-abiding citizens can live in the peace and security they are entitled to? What, for instance, are Cliff Smallwood or Chester Sayers doing in this regard? Both have been elected to look after our interests . . . it seems reasonable to turn to them in this instance and ask.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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor were Sunday afternoon visitors and dinner guests with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children in the Viking district.

**OORP CONVENTION**

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Grosland returned home the end of last week from Regina, Sask., where Lyle attended the Supreme Lodge of the BPO Elks as delegate from Holden Lodge.

Ronald and Donald Fedluk, sons of Mr and Mrs. Nick Fedluk of Calgary, were visiting for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Afseth.

Mr and Mrs. Robert Afseth and children and Mrs. Inga Afseth of Wainwright were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Afseth a week ago.

Mr and Mrs. Jack Houston of Edmonton and Fred Nordwoski of Ryley were visitors Friday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ritland. Mrs. Houston visited with Mrs. Ritland for the afternoon while Fred drove Jack to inspect their land west of Holden. Mr. Houston has recently returned from a trip to Ireland.

Mrs. Olive Good and youngest daughter Denise were visiting with her father Norman Armstrong at Sedgewick last Friday, also with her sister and family, returning home Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lorne Bell (nee Millie Giebelhaus) of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus while her husband was on a fishing trip during the weekend.

Lloyd Bell left Friday evening on a fishing trip returning home on Sunday, his son Lorne also returning to Holden with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bilyk and children attended the Vegreville Fair and Exhibition Tuesday of last week.

**Sherman Forre who is on annual holiday and is stationed in the Bahamas with the Royal Bank called on old friends around Holden Tuesday morning of last week.**

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow received the good news last week that their grand-daughter, Marilyn McDougall, eldest daughter of their daughter Connie, had passed her grade 12 examinations and is expecting to enter the University of Alberta in the fall.

The M. P. Komarniskys were in Vegreville Monday of last week attending the fair and parade.

George Hunchuk is assisting in the Alberta Liquor Store while Dennis Shavchook and his wife and daughter are on their annual holidays.

Bruce Appleby was a visitor over the weekend with his family, the Bert Applebys.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brekstad who have been visiting the former's parents for a couple of weeks left last week on a trip for a few days to various points in the mountains.

Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus is away from the M & M store for two weeks annual holiday. Mrs Ida Mason is helping Mrs. Florence Giebelhaus while Dorothy is away.

Glen Hovland of Hillsdown and a friend were last Wednesday evening visitors at the home of his father Chris Hovland and brothers Rueben and Ray.

Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor was a Saturday evening visitor with Mrs. Lars Ritland.

**TO CONVENTION**

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson left the early part of last week with their trailer for Regina, Sask., where they planned to stop over for a couple of days while Lars attended the Supreme Lodge Convention of the BPO Elks. Mrs Olson attended the Supreme Lodge of the OORP as a visitor. They were planning to camp at various points enroute home.

Joe Komarnisky and Geo. H Taylor attended the Bruce Stampede, taking the ambulance there to stand by in case of necessity.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell was a visitor on Monday with Mrs. Lars Ritland, while Lars was at the Bruce Stampede.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were Edmonton visitors Saturday evening, attending the wedding reception of [illegible]. They also spent the weekend there returning Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly and children are away on their annual holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Good were Edmonton visitors Monday, July 25th, when they attended the marriage of Mrs. Dorothy Giebelhaus to their brother David Good

Many residents of Holden and district took advantage of the fine day Monday and attended the Bruce Stampede.

**TRUSTEES MEET**

The Trustees of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 held their monthly meeting, Friday evening, July 29th, with all trustees, Oscar Afseth, Nick Laskoski, Hans Huseby and secretary treasurer Ray Hovland in attendance. Regular business was attended to and bills presented for payment. The cleaning of ditches was discussed and the trustees gave their report of the annual inspection tour of the ditches. A report of the brushing which had been done was also given.

Mrs. Francis Shand of Edmonton was visiting this past week with her father, R. Loney. Mrs. Loney is now at the Nursing home at Leduc and we hear from her daughter that she is feeling much better and improved in health.

Mrs. Don Manchur and Mrs. [illegible] Lemko were business and shopping vistors in Viking last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Chetny and Mrs. Laura Christianson spent Sunday at Elk Island Park, attending the 13th Annual Scandinavian Day picnic and concert.

Mrs. Campbell was a Sunday vistor and dinner guest with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs Percy Barlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Yates of Edmonton were Saturday visitors and overnight guests with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, returning home on the Sunday evening.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Bessie and Ralph Barnes of Red Deer visited with relatives and friends in the district over the weekend.

Beth Ingram had her friend Gale Halwa of Edmonton staying with her for several days last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Parent (nee Eunice Sutton) a son, Darren Murray, on July 26th at the Grande Prairie Hospital. The new arrival is a brother for Kenny.

Born to Doreen and Walter Webber (nee Doreen Lee) in Calgary on July 23th, a daughter, (6 lbs. 10 oz.) Sherrie Lee, a sister for Mark.

Guests at Annie McGinitie's home to visit with Doris and Bob Tipper were Mr. and Mrs. Hal Tipper, their three daughters and Kathy Bray of Grande Prairie, and Mrs. Walter Quick and Danny of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kyle and family joined Mr. and Mrs. Rod Rudacki on Sunday for a family picnic at Elk Island Park.

Mrs. Martin Lawson is a patient this week in the Tofield Municipal Hospital.


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## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sears motored to Edmonton on Sunday afternoon to visit with Mrs. Ella Sears in the Good Samaritan Home.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz were guests of Mr. and Mrs. McHall at their summer home at Lindbrook.

Nancy and Bill Mitchell and Franlin Ray of Edmonton were Sunday evening callers at Lillia and Milton Ray's home.

Arnold and Bernice Wick of South Edmonton were Sunday visitors with Kay and Ron Coombes and family. Janice returned home to spend a few days with them, while Daryl Wick remained at the Coombes home.

Harold Sutton and his family and the Gordon Kyle family attended the Bruce Stampede on Monday.

Three grandchildren of George and Rita Williams are staying with them this week while their parents, Jean and Eddie Williams are away to Blueberry Montain for several days.


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## Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and daughter, Linda, of Onoway arrived at the home of their daughter and sister, Gloria, and Johnny Wood for a visit. They also stayed over while Gloria and Johnny went on a motor trip to their farm at Blueberry Mountain, leaving home on July 21st and returning on July 24th. Mr. and Mrs. Miller returned to their home at Onoway on July 26th, while Linda remained with her sister, Gloria, for a longer visit.

**Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grimaud of Seattle, Wash., were visitors at the home of Ollie and Verlyn Moos for a few days last week.**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe of Tofield were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of John and Mary Wood. Evening visitors and coffee guests there were John's sister, Esther and Joe Majakey of Edmonton and their two grandsons Lee and Bill Majakey of Tennessee and John and Esther's cousin Mrs. Mabel Hannan and grandson David of Edmonton en route home after having visited Elk Island Park.

### HERE FROM ONTARIO

On Saturday, July 23rd, Harry and Mary Kozak of Windsor, Ontario, were visitors in Tofield and around the Lakeshore district, where they lived prior to moving to Windsor. Among the places they visited in the Lake[illegible] home now the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McLennan and at the home of Emil and Martha Tiede[illegible] during the afternoon. They were evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of John and Mary Wood, and were supper and overnight guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Chobaty in Tofield. On Sunday, July 24th, they were attending a family gathering of Harry's relatives at Mundare before returning to Ontario.

On Saturday evening, July 23rd, George Miller and Bill Flemming of Edmonton visited the Westlake and Lakeshore districts. They called at the home of George Lust and at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

### BRIDAL SHOWER

On Saturday evening, July 16th a shower was held in the Tofield United Church basement for Gail Niemetz whose wedding to Bob Ozubko took place on July 30th. There were aproximately 50 ladies present. The gifts were brought in and Gail and her helpers opened the many lovely and useful articles. This was followed by a delicious lunch served by the ladies of the Lakeshore UCW and their helpers. Gail thanked all for the lovely gifts and invited them to call on her in her future home. The party ended by all wishing Gail happiness in her coming marriage.

### HERE FOR WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Niemetz of Ladner, B.C., arrived at the home of their son, George and Ida Niemetz on Thursday to attend the wedding of George and Ida's daughter Gail. They [illegible] when they accompanied George and Ida to [illegible] the wedding. At present they are visiting their daughter Erma, and Fred Onys[illegible] in Edmonton before returning to the McKenzie [illegible] to visit other members of the family.

### RETURN TO ONTARIO

Mrs. Rita Niemetz and two girls Linda and Sherry of An[illegible] early on Monday [illegible] August 1st, for their [illegible] having spent two [illegible] home of their [illegible] grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton. They also visited [illegible] and friends while here and attended the wedding of Gail Niemetz to Bob Ozubko on Saturday. Brenda Eaton daughter of Walter and Evelyn Eaton accompanied her aunt Rita to Ontario to spend the remainder of her holidays with her cousins Linda and Sherry. Brenda had also spent the past week on the farm with her cousins.

Walter and Evelyn Eaton and children of Seba Beach arrived Saturday evening and spent the long weekend on the farm of Walter's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton, also visiting with Walter's sister, Rita, while there.

### FAMILY RE-UNION

On Sunday, July 31st, a family re-union of the Eaton family was held at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton. Those present were Ellen's three children and their families namely Walter and Evelyn Eaton and their five children of Seba Beach, Leroy and Shirley Eaton and two children of Holden and Shirley's mother, Mrs. Vera Roper and two children and Bill McCutcheon of Lavoy, and Ellen's daughter, Mrs. Rita Niemetz and two children of Ancaster, Ont. There were 20 present at the family supper. Later, callers at the home were Evelyn's sister Mrs. Alice Mazurenko and her daughter, Mrs. Patsy Carson and little daughter, and later Johnny Wood called and visited with Walter, Evelyn and Rita before they returned home.

Mrs. Vivian Jones and son, Donald of Edmonton motored here Saturday morning and took Vivian's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg back to the city to visit their son, Lyall Wickenberg who is a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital. On Sunday, they all motored to Clive to the home of Roy's cousin, Mrs. Eleanor Walin, where they attended a family gathering of Roy's relatives in honor of Eleanor's sister, Alice, who was visiting there from Los Angeles, Calif. There were about 100 relatives there, including Roy's two sisters, Mrs. Rosie Haverstock of Castor and Mrs. Lillie Knight of Tees and their children and grandchildren. After the family re-union, Roy and Ruth and family returned home to Tofield on Sunday night.

Mrs. Rita Niemetz and girls, Linda and Sherry of Ancaster, Ont., and Rita's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton were evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Rita's brother in law and his wife, George and Ida Niemetz.

Fred and Grace Jacobsen and boys of Edmonton were Monday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Fred's brother, Morley, and Marj Jacobsen. Also there for supper and the evening were Fred and Morley's parents, Hans and Martha Jacobsen, who are staying at the farm of another brother, Carl, and Mavis Jacobsen for a short time.

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## MINISTIK NEWS

(Mrs. J. Roddick)
(Intended for last week)

Visitors at the T. A. Jones home last week were Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and Sandra from Clover Bar, Miss Helen Jones of Vancouver and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones and family of Edmonton. Friday evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Messerschmidt and family. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Benson and Marvin of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and boys of Beaumont, making 22 supper guests. Misses Belinda and Teresa Messerschmidt remained to spend a few days' holiday with their grandparents.

Mrs. Effie Nasichuk returned home Sunday, after spending a few days in Tofield Hospital.

Miss Edna Roddick returned to Edmonton on Sunday evening, after spending a week of her vacation with her parents, Dolly and Jim Roddick.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport and Lorraine were Edmonton visitors on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys, of Ponoka, spent the weekend at their farm home.

### TO WASHINGTON

Mrs. S. George motored with her son and family, the Douglas Georges, to Wenatchee, Washington, to spend a week there.

Alex Penrice was an Edmonton shopper on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McIntyre, of Westward Ho, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre at the store over the weekend.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie

### OZUBKO—NIEMETZ RITES

A very lovely wedding of local interest took place in Edmonton Saturday, July 30th, when Gail, only daughter of George and Ida Niemetz became the bride of Bob Ozubko, son of Pete and Josie Ozubko (all of Tofield and district). Quite a number of relatives, friends and neighbors from Tofield and districts as well as other points attended the wedding, reception and dance. Guests from distant places were Ida's brother and Gail's uncle, Vic Ulrich from California; their sister and aunt, Mrs. Elsie Carson from Toronto; Gail's aunt and cousins, Mrs. Rita Niemetz and two girls, Linda and Sherry of Ancaster, Ont.; also Gail's brother, Don, and Deanna Niemetz from Vauxhall, Alta., and her grandparents and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Niemetz and Mrs. Elsie Welburn from Ladner, B.C., and others.

Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and three girls and Mavis's father, Julius Jacobson of Edmonton, left on Monday, July 25th, on a motor trip to visit relatives in North Dakota and other parts of the U.S.A. They arrived in North Dakota on July 26th, and planned to be gone almost two weeks. Carl's parents, Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton are staying on the farm while they are away.

On Saturday, July 23rd, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McEachern of Santa Monica, Calif., were visitors at the home of his sister, Ellenor and Joe Jones of Lakeshore. Later, they all motored to Edmonton where they were dinner guests at the home of another sister, Bessie, and Tom Jones.

**Lorne Nelson of the Bethany Home in Camrose passed away on Sunday. Sympathy goes to his sister, Marj, and Bill Wolfe and family, also his other sisters and brother and all relatives of the Nelson family.**

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whiting of Calgary spent the weekend at the home of their daughter, Eve, and Joe McLennan. Joe's father, Mr. McLennan Sr., has been a patient in the University Hospital in Edmonton where he had a leg amputated. Reports are that he is improving and al wish him a speedy recovery.

Elaine Sorrell of Lakeshore and Linda Schacher, formerly of McKenzie were successful in their grade 12 exams.

### LINDBROOK PICNIC

The Lindbrook ball team held their picnic at the ball diamond on the Dutchy Goubault farm in the Lakeshore district. There was quite a large turn out of people from all around for the ball games which were followed by a delicious pot luck picnic supper. Everyone reports having an enjoyable time.

Don't forget the Lakeshore-McKenzie community picnic at the Arnold Jones farm eight miles north of Tofield. Come one and all and bring your pot luck dinner for between 12 and 1 p.m. Everyone welcome.

## Palmer-Earling notes

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER - EARLING, August 1 — Many local people attended the Golden Wedding anniversary open-house for Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter Sunday at Ryley at the Legion Hall.

The Art Hodges have as their guests their daughter and family from Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Livingstone of Elk Point and Mrs. Reiten of Ryley were Saturday overnight guests at the Don Campbell Jr., home. Mrs. Carl Nelsen of Elk Point was a Saturday overnight visitor with the George Campbells, coming to attend the Hjelter Golden wedding.


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## Anderson-Chupka vows solemnized July 16th

A lovely summer wedding was held Saturday, July 16th at St. Josephats R. C. Cathedral, Edmonton, when Patsy Katherine Chupka, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka became the bride of Mr. Gunnar John Anderson of Edmonton, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson of Burns Lake, B.C.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Father Pawluk. The bride, given in marriage by her father was radiant in a full length white silk gown with train and veil of French lace and she carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds, stepanhotis and ivy.

Sister of the bride, Mrs. Betty Bellman was the matron of honor and the bridesmaids were Miss Elva Anderson, sister of the groom, from Calgary and Miss Marion Yasinsky of Lamont, cousin of the bride. They wore identical gowns of blush pink silk and wore crystal tiaras and matching accessories and carried bouquets of white daisies.

Attending the groom were Glen Anderson, Bob Kruziak and Gordon Lakusta.

The bride's mother chose a blue dress of Peau de Soie with matching blue hat and beige accessories and wore a corsage of talisman roses. The mother of the groom wore a blue lace dress with matching hat and accessories and wore a crosage of Talisman rosebuds.

A reception was held in the evening at the Saxony Motor Inn, Edmonton.

Stephen Bellman, brother-in-law of the bride, acted as master of ceremonies and also gave the toast to the bride which was ably responded to by the groom.

For travelling the bride wore a two-piece green suit with beige accessories and a corsage of Talisman roses.

The happy couple left for a short honeymoon at Calgary, Banff and Jasper. They left for Montreal by plane Sunday, July 24th where the groom is presently employed and will be making their home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephan Bellman left Sunday, July 17th, after the wedding of Mrs. Bellman's sister for a three week vacation to California to visit relations stopping at various points en route.

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### CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks to our children, relatives and friends who assisted in so many ways to make our 50th wedding anniversary such a happy and memorable day.

A special thanks to all who sent cards, gifts and a purse of [illegible]

Your kindness will be treasured memories always. May God bless you one and all.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter 49p-3374

### IN MEMORIAM

VERGETTE — In loving memory of my husband, Herbert, who passed away August 6th, 1956:

Far and off our thoughts do wander
To a grave not far away.
Where they laid dear Herbert
Ten years ago today
You are gone but not forgotten
By the ones who loved you best.
And our love with you will linger
Till we too are laid to rest.

—Ever remembered and sadly missed by his wife, Mildred, and his children, Judy, Betty, Lois and Jim. 49p-3372

VERGETTE — In loving memory of Herbert Vergette who passed away August 6th, 1956

A loving one from us is gone,
A voice we loved is stilled.
A place is vacant in our hearts,
Which never can be filled.

—Ever remembered by Mom and Family. 49p-3371

### ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. John Matkoski are happy to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Victoria, to Jerry Routledge of Edmonton, eldest son of Mr and Mrs R H Routledge of Edmonton. 49c-2774

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### LEGAL NOTICES

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## Church Notes

TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH
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Sunday, August 7th
10:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "Empty Vessels Are Noisy"

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Other services and meetings to be announced

LUTHERAN CHURCH
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, August 7th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

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First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ......10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ...... 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ...... 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ......10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor Don McLean
There will be no church service on July 31st or August 7th.
The Miquelon Bible Camp will be from July 31st until August 7th.

## Nolan dog...

(Continued from Page 1)

ly won by Mr. Nolan was won in 1964 by Mr. Leo Rurka of Tofield with his Black Labrador, which has since been sold to a New York dog owner.

Mr. Nolan is the Tofield agent of the Alberta Wheat Pool and his Tofalta Kennels are located near the Wheat Pool elevator.

### From the scrapbook

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# News from Ministik and district

Mrs. J. Roddick

A large attendance at church on Sunday enjoyed services conducted by Tom Stephens.

MINISTIK WINS

In a closely-fought battle, the Ministik ball team came out on the top end of the score in the first of a best of three series for the lovely trophy donated by Mr. Harold Dunham of Hastings Lake. Ministik and Splistead are playing off for this, and the score for the first game was 3-2 in favor of Ministik.

Several of Keith Horricks' chums gathered at his home last Saturday, to honor him on his birthday.

Alex and Bella Boss spent a week in Calgary visiting with their brother and family, the Archie Bosses, and a cousin, David Wright. They also attended the Calgary Stampede. On their return, they spent a day at Klondike Days during Edmonton Exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowland have had their three eldest grandchildren staying with them for part of their summer holidays.

Mrs. S. George returned home on Sunday afternoon, following a most enjoyable nine days in Wenatchee, Washington.

ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Roddick were honored Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pearman of Fultonvale, on the occasion of their wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Foss of Vancouver recently spent three weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Penrice. Mrs. Foss and Mrs. Penrice are sisters. A happy family gathering was held at the South Cooking Lake campsite, where a picnic lunch was enjoyed.

Barbara Mortenson of Alix is spending some time at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wilson, and uncle Matthew.

EYE SURGERY

A speedy recovery is wished Mrs. W. C. Barnes, as she is in the city having a cataract removed from her eye.

Last Wednesday, approximately 100 people gathered to enjoy a wiener roast around a big bonfire, the event being sponsored by the Community Club and held on the Joe Davenport farm.

WINS AWARD

Friends will be interested in hearing that Victor Wright, after serving his apprenticeship in Culinary Arts, received his award and commences teaching in the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology on August 2nd.

Another native of Ministik is also doing very well for himself. Steele Murdoch, who has been stationed at Taylor, B.C., is being transferred to Shuswap Lakes, B.C.

Ronald Ferguson commutes daily to a position with a steel company in Edmonton.

HERE FROM CALIFORNIA

Recent visitors with Mrs. Helen Hennessy were her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schonn of Los Angeles, California. Mr. and Mrs. Jim [illegible] are now visiting for a [illegible] days [illegible] [illegible]tecourt.

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## Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Ross Creek Community League is holding their annual Sports Day on Saturday, Aug. 6th. First game is at noon between Tofield and Ross Creek Pee-Wees. Horse shoe, ball games, entertainment and a refreshment booth are planned for the day, so [illegible] and meet your friends.

Grant Cossey was the winner of a proficiency scholarship in leadership for Young people, while attending FUA Goldeye Teen camp.

Mrs. John Herchuk and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zaptichey have returned from a trip to Victoria. While there they attended a wedding of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Van Buskirk and boys have returned from an enjoyable trip to Vancouver and Seattle. Enroute they visited with the Ray Herndons, former district residents and Cecil Baileys at Chilliwack.

On Wednesday Ralph Cossey and Raymond McLachlan took their Pee Wee team to Holden for a game; Ross Creek won with a score of 5-0.

MOVE TO EDMONTON

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Franklin have moved to an apartment in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Elserman and Tina of Medicine Hat visited friends in the district while here to attend the wedding of Dora's nephew, Wayne Widynowski.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Malcolm and family attended the Bruce Stampede.

The Ford families have left on a trip to Utah and other points in the U.S.A.

A. Snider visited his son Graham and family over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McLachlan had numerous callers on Saturday and Sunday to view the gifts their daughter Lorraine received at her wedding to Sylvester Zatola on Friday. Congratulations and best wishes go to the happy couple.

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

FAMILY REUNION

Recently the relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ingram held a family reunion at their home. Present were Mrs. Ingram's sister Mr. and Mrs. Hood and family of London, Ont., her father, Mr. Hollings of Maple Creek, Sask., her sister Doris Hornibrook of Calgary, her daughter Sharon and husband Richard Strong of Edmonton

Visiting with Francis Schultz is her teen-age cousin, Wendy Kidder of Corvallis, Ore

Francis returned home Friday after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Hunter at Didsbury for five days

Mr and Mrs Doug George and family of Edmonton spent the weekend with Lil and Harold Schultz and family. On Monday they all spent the day boating at Miquelon Lake.

Betsy Ann Schultz is spending this week at home with her family

## Weather . . .

| July | Max. | Min. | Bar. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 27 | 75 | 46 | 27.60 | |
| 28 | 80 | 54 | 27.65 | .13 rain |
| 29 | 70 | 56 | 27.60 | .03 rain |
| 30 | 69 | 54 | 27.66 | .30 rain |
| 31 | 71 | 50 | 27.71 | |
| Aug. | | | | |
| 1 | 80 | 51 | 27.80 | |
| 2 | 81 | 54 | 27.75 | |
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# Around the town

**AT WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Glover and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whyte and family attended the wedding of Dale Burnett and Miss Phyllis Litzenberger at Stony Plain July 29th. Dale Burnett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burnett of Jasper. The newlyweds will make their home in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Barlund, Edmonton, visited friends in Tofield on Monday and were dinner guests at the Reger home and afternoon callers were their two nieces, Judy and Mary, and nephew Roger of Edmonton, and Mrs. Chilkewich, Evelyn and Carolyn.

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Emma Reger accompanied Mr and Mrs. Ole Hjelter and granddaughter, Debbie, to Round Hill Sunday to attend Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heiland's 40th wedding anniversary.

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stinson, daughters Holly, Mary and Jennifer, of Milton, Ont., are visiting at the Stinson home for a few days, and will also spend four days at Jasper.

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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Blake and two daughters of Vancouver, B.C. former Holden residents, have been visiting this past week with relatives in the district, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chamulke and the John Chamulkes, also calling on friends in the district.

Albert Pederson of Camrose was a business caller in Holden and district Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorenson left for Oroville, Wash., U.S. Thursday of last week, to spend a week [illegible] with their son Garry and his wife. David has [illegible] visiting with [illegible] the [illegible] month.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robinson and son of Edmonton [illegible] [illegible]tors in Holden Thursday of [illegible] week bringing a friend from Edmonton to visit with Mrs. Lars [illegible], whom [illegible] met while a patient in the University Hospital. Mrs. Robinson and friend visited for the afternoon, while Ed and their [illegible] called on friends [illegible] the village.

Sherman Forre and Ray Hovland were visitors Sunday afternoon and evening a week ago with Ray's brother and family, Mr and Mrs. Glen Hovland at Hillsdown, near Red Deer.

Robert Tiedemann, who spent this past week in Edmonton, attending Vacation Bible school, while staying with Pastor and Mrs. Schoepp, returned home Friday evening.

Lana Black is spending some of the holiday vacation attending camp at Pine Lake.

Art Olson left last Friday for a few days holiday in points west and through the mountains, visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kalunny and Mr. and Mrs. John Lemko attended the Vegreville Fair Tuesday evening of last week.

Mrs. Mabel Siser and Mrs. Charles Siser left Monday, July 25th to visit with relatives and friends in Vancouver.

A friend from Halford, Sask., visited with Mrs. Lemko one day last week.

Sherman Forre who is visiting relatives here while on vacation, and Frank Stewart of Camrose were visitors and dinner guests with Mr and Mrs. Sam Black.

Mr and Mrs. Peter B[illegible] and daughters were visitors [illegible] coffee guests for an evening last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black.

Mrs Alice Jones [illegible] visitor with [illegible] mother, Mrs. Carrie Olson. Mrs Bertha Nohr also of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. Olson. Mrs Olson returned to [illegible] with [illegible] spent the week visiting with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGinnis of Edmonton at their cottage at Lake Wabamun. Mr. and Mrs. McGinnis were Friday visitors with Mrs. Olson. They were hoping to do some fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Zadoromy and girls have been spending a week's holiday at Lake Wabamun.

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## LOCALS . . .

**TOFIELD WINS CUP**

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Dick and Irene Harris and Colin from Milk River visited for a few days in town last week.

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Jack and Koreen Innis and girls are visiting with friends and relatives.

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Lee Swanson is holidaying with his aunt and uncle, Barbara and Lyle Penner and family in Winnipeg.

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Len and Mary Lawson, daughters, Kim and Karl of Calgary, spent the long weekend with Len's parents. Kevin Lawson, who has been holidaying with relatives for a month, returned home with them.

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# Man, wife injured in two car smash-up

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story were unfortunate early last week in being in a car accident in Edmonton. The other car involved drove through a stop-sign and hit their car badly. Mrs. Story was badly shaken up and bruised, but Arthur's injuries were more extensive, having two ribs broken and both lungs collapsed. He was taken to the Royal Alex Hospital in Edmonton and was still in the Intensive Care Ward last Saturday when we were speaking to his son Gordon.

However, we were pleased to hear he is making progress, but is likely to be in hospital for some weeks. Mrs. Story is staying with her daughter and family, the Koop Spannenbergs, to be near her husband. Arthur and Doris and the Spannenbergs had been planning on a holiday trip to Penticton, before the accident occured.

## ATA conference convenes at Banff

Three district teachers will be among 200 representing all locals in the province attending the Eighteenth Annual Conference of The Alberta Teachers' Association which commences this Sunday at the Banff School of Fine Arts. Those attending will include Earl Hardy of Holden, Thomas M. Kerlee, Ryley, and Lars Olson from Holden.

Hans J. Bergeron, Executive Secretary of the California Teachers' Association, Northern Section, will address the whole gathering on Monday evening. Other guests or consultants include Dr T C Byrne, Deputy Minister of Education, Dr H T Coutts, Dean of the Faculty of Education, University of Alberta; Dr J W G Ivany and N M. Purvis from the University of Alberta, and Oscar Fadum, Superintendent, County of Mountain View.

# Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter mark Golden Wedding

Relatives, friends and neighbors numbering over 300 gathered in Ryley Legion Hall on Sunday, July 24th to celebrate the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter. There are four children and grandchildren.

The afternoon's entertainment featured a program in which relatives and friends took part. Ed Magnesson was master of ceremonies and introduced the participants. Orval Hjelter, third eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter, made the presentation on behalf of the family of a set of dishes.

Earl Hjelter made the presentation speech on behalf of the grandchildren, Mrs. Ernest Blades on behalf of the Bruce brothers and sisters and Clifford Harmstra on behalf of the nieces and nephews.

On behalf of the Community Eddie Chappell presented the Hjelters with a purse of money.

On behalf of Ernest C. Manning, Premier of Alberta and Grant MacEwan, Lieut.-Governor, Province of Alberta, Mr. Earl Hardy of Holden presented Mr. and Mrs. Hjelter with certificates. They received other messages of congratulations from John Diefenbaker, Lester B. Pearson, Prime Minister, C. S. Smallwood, MP, Battle River-Camrose, Frank J.W. Fane, MP for Vegreville.

The couple thanked everyone for coming to help them celebrate this occasion.

The bridal table was centred with a three-tiered wedding cake, baked by Mrs. Phoebe Drasak and decorated by Miss Edith Wideman. Seated with the bride and groom of 50 years were their attendants, Hjalmer Hjelter, brother of the groom, Mrs. Jessie Blades, sister of the bride and Mrs. Vira Nelson. Mrs. Bill Holowatchuk, a niece was in charge of the guest book. There were relatives and friends from Victoria, Vancouver, California, Sioux City, Iowa, Windsor, Ont., Bowden, Newbrook, Edmonton, Calgary and nearby places.

In the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter held open house at their home in Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Selgur Hansen and family of Vancouver, B C are visiting with relatives and friends in the Tofield and Ryley districts.

## Note to ratepayers

Thanks four your interesting letter to The Mercury, headed "A Better Place to Live In."

Unfortunately, you forgot to sign your letter. The Mercury welcomes letters to the editor, but insists the writer be identified only to prove good faith. It is of course not necessary that your name be printed.

We're holding the letter for a week, and hope you'll oblige by forwarding your signature.

Eldon Norum (right) a farmer-inventor from Simpson, Saskatchewan, and a friend examine the power bin cleaner, a labour-saving device invented by Norum in his farm workshop. The simple machine now being manufactured by Smith-Roles is claimed to move over 600 bushels per hour. The manufacturer states the power bin cleaner, which weighs only 60 pounds, can be used safely inside the bin. It is said to outperform two husky men with shovels. Norum "had to" invent the machine when a doctor ordered no shovelling because of a heart condition.

# Former district woman passes away July 30th

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

The sad news was received by friends last week that Mrs. Olive Moisey, had passed away. She was the wife of William Moisey, of Edmonton, formerly the D.A. with County of Beaver at Ryley, several years ago. Death came on Saturday, July 30th, after Mrs. Moisey had been in poor health for some time. She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, one daughter, Eileen (Mrs. Gordon Elkeer) of Toronto, one son Edward of Edmonton, and four brothers.

Prayer service was held Wednesday, August 3rd and the funeral service was held Thursday, August 4th, with Rev. M. Yuriwsky officiating and interment in the Edmonton cemetery.

Sympathy is extended to the bereaved family, as Gordon Elkeer who was visiting in Edmonton with his wife was recalled to Toronto on the death of his mother a few days before Mrs. Moisey passed away.

## The weather

| Aug. | Max. | Min. | Bar. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3 | 81 | 50 | 27.90 | .38" rain |
| 4 | 71 | 56 | 27.75 | .52" rain |
| 5 | 68 | 50 | 27.72 | 1.13" rn. |
| 6 | 66 | 52 | 27.86 | .93" rain |
| 7 | 67 | 45 | 27.96 | |
| 8 | 70 | 49 | 27.65 | |
| 9 | 73 | 50 | 30.00 | |
| 10 | | 55 | 28.81 | |

# Home reception honors newly-wed couple

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus and family held a reception Sunday, July 31st, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Weeks (nee Edna Giebelhaus), who had just returned from their honeymoon trip to California, and visiting with her youngest sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frolich.

All Mrs. Week's brothers and sisters and families were present for the occasion (excepting Lorraine and her husband), namely Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pederson of Camrose; Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Giebelhaus and family of Stony Plain; Mr. and Mrs. Cramer and family of Erith; Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Bell of Edmonton; Dr. and Mrs. Earl Giebelhaus of Rimbey. Other out-of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy; Mr. and Mrs Fred Woida; Mr and Mrs. Brimacombe, all of Edmonton. The happy couple will be making their home in Jasper, where Mrs. Weeks is on the teaching staff of the school there.

# Ryley couple marks silver anniversary

On the 31st of July, Mr. and Mrs. John Kropielnicki celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary. A service was held in St John Mary Vianney Catholic Church. During the mass the couple received communion under both species as allowed on special occasions in the new liturgical practices following Vatican Council II. Renewal of their marriage vows was held and Father Scriven blessed their wedding bands, which were gifts from their children and grandchildren.

After mass, the family and friends gathered at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Walter Kropielnicki, where a dinner was held in their honor. Father Scriven led with grace. Thomas Kropielnicki, their nephew, was master of ceremonies and also gave the toast to the celebrants.

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**Mr. Kropielnicki died early this morning (Thursday) in hospital.**

**He was taken to hospital only last evening, and passed away a few hours later. No warning had been given, nor had he been sick prior to yesterday.**

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Telegrams of congratulations were read from Archbishop Jordan of Edmonton, Her majesty the Queen, Prime Minister Lester B Pearson, John Diefenbaker and Frank Fane and his family.

Words of congratulations and best wishes were also given them by Father Scriven, A. Podruzney and Thomas Kropielnicki. One of their original attendants of 60 years ago was present, Mrs. Alex Chupka of Poe, and also Joe Ludwig of Chipman.

Ron Kropielnicki, their grandson, presented them with a clothes hamper from the guests. Mr and Mrs John Kropielnicki have two sons, ten grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

## Fast action

Tuesday brought the announcement from the acting minister of education, the Hon. A. O. Aalborg, that the government will be setting up some kind of a board to evaluate teacher training, for the purpose of salary considerations. While no details were spelled out, it seems fairly obvious it will go a long way toward meeting the insistent demands of many school trustees, as well as those of many municipal councils, including every one of the bodies concerned in Camrose.

Another striking feature of the announcement is the urgency it seems to indicate. For one reason or another, the matter couldn't even wait until the arrival back home of the minister of education, who is attending a conference in British Columbia. It would be interesting to know what political situation required that no delay could be tolerated in making the announcement . . . that even a few days would be too long to wait. Can it indicate the government's complete agreement with the trustees that no time should be wasted in warning the teachers' association not to overreach itself?

## Another milestone

Living near the Joarcam oilfield, as we in the Tofield area do, anyone familiar with the importance of its development some fifteen years ago will be keenly interested in an editorial comment in the August issue of the Imperial Oil Review which points out.

"Coincident with all the celebrations of our hundredth anniversary next year, the Canadian oil industry will also mark a milestone. On balance, Canada is going to become self-sufficient in petroleum in 1967. For the first time the value of petroleum industry exports will equal the value of imports.

"This is a big change. Less than 20 years ago, we imported 90 per cent of our oil, and Canada's one major oil field — Turner Valley in Alberta — was declining steadily. Then Imperial discovered the Leduc field, and the country was on its way to the goal it will reach next year.

"Since Leduc came in, Canada has invested $71½ billion in oil exploration and production in western Canada. A lot of this capital was generated by the industry itself and ploughed back into more exploration and development, but a lot also came from abroad. This foreign capital was essential to the development of the western oil fields. In fact, it wasn't until 1962 that the annual gross revenues from oil and gas operations began to exceed annual expenditures. But the industry's cumulative deficit still totals more than $2 billion.

"Why didn't the oil industry get all its capital inside the country? Canada simply lacked the capital resources to finance the oil development as well as the other major developments of the postwar period.

"Many people did invest in oil in those days, of course, but to a large extent Canadian risk capital was "hard-rock" oriented. Investors were familiar with mining, but wary of big-scale oil exploration and development, which was new and strange.

"We were lucky that foreign capital was available 19 years ago when we needed it. Without it we could still be an oil-poor nation. . . ."

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Any qualified elector may make application for the correction of any error or omission in the said Voters' List by serving notice to the Secretary-Treasurer in writing before the 7th day of September, 1966.

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## Lakeshore-McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The Lakeshore UCW will hold their August meeting in the Tofield United Church basement on Tuesday, Aug. 16th, at 2 p.m. Members please bring your dishtowel for the church kitchen. Visitors are welcome.

Mavis and Carl Jacobsen and girls and Mavis' father, Julius Jacobson of Edmonton returned Wednesday evening of last week from their motor trip to North Dakota and Minnesota. Mr. Jacobson remained at his home in Edmonton while the others returned to their home. All report a very enjoyable trip with no mishaps.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Niemetz of Ladner, B.C., were guests of their son, Charlie and Mickey Niemetz from Tuesday to Friday last week.

Richard and Mary Norton and girls, Ellen and Jeanette were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

Julius Jacobson of Edmonton was a weekend visitor at the home of his daughter, Mavis, and Carl Jacobsen, and while there, he attended the Lakeshore-McKenzie community picnic on Sunday and renewed many old acquaintances.

Howard and Nellie Malcolm of Ross Creek were Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

**AT DRAMA SEMINAR**

Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and girls were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Don and Ella Hardy in Tofield. Donna remained overnight there and accompanied Don and Ella and their daughter, Gerry and their son, Richard, to Drumheller. Donna Jacobsen and Gerry Hardy are spending two weeks attending the drama seminar at Drumheller before returning home.

**RAINY HOLIDAY**

Leroy and Shirley Eaton and two children were Tuesday evening and overnight guests at the home of Leroy's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton. Wednesday morning Ellen accompanied them to Tomahawk where she visited her sister Grace (Mrs. Frank Hallett) while Leroy and Shirley and children returned to Seba Beach to visit with Leroy's brother, Walter, and Evelyn Eaton and family. Ellen also visited at the home of Evelyn's parents, Vernon and Bertha Woodruff at Tomahawk, and spent Saturday overnight with Walter and Evelyn before returning home Sunday forenoon with Leroy and Shirley. It rained every day of the holiday excepting Sunday morning when they left for home.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Reynolds of Bremner visited Joe and Ellenor Jones while attending the Lakeshore-McKenzie community picnic on Sunday.

## Dodds-Ryley news items

(Mrs. O. Lehman)

Harold Vergette of Ryley and Miss Julia Burkholder are patients in the Tofield hospital.

Many friends of this neighborhood attended the [illegible]th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heiland at the Trondhjem [illegible] in Round Hill on Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Rall of Ontario, California, is visiting in the Ryley and Tofield districts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter of Tofield and Ola Berau of North Surrey, B.C., were supper guests at the Gerald Owen home [illegible]day of last week.

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

On Monday evening, July 25th, a shower was held in the Grand Forks Community Centre for Miss Sylvia Yoder and Murray Lauber who are being married on Saturday.

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## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Esther, Harry, Lyn and David Ketchum spent the weekend with Harold Coombes, also called on Ron and Kay Coombes and family.

Mrs. McCrea of Camrose is staying with her daughter, Jeanie Sears and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kline of Calgary and Mrs. Gould of Tofield were recent visitors with Louise and Gordon Kyle and family. The Klines are Louise's aunt and uncle.

Ron and Jerry Coombes, Geo. Williams and Ivan Mitchell left Tuesday for a week's vacation trip. They plan to go down the David Thompson Highway west of the Rocky Mountains to the Okanagan Valley and return by southern Alberta.

**TO CALIFORNIA**

Johnny Sears joined his uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. George Watt and family of Prince George, B.C. on Saturday and left for a trip to California.

Danny McLeod of Lindbrook spent two weeks with his grandparents, Ivan and Mary Mitchell.

Isaac Froese is a patient in the Tofield Hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitchell of Tofield and Mr. Pugh and Mrs. Roberts of Shed, Oregon were Saturday visitors with Pat and Jeannie Sears.

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## Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Quite a number of friends and neighbors and their visitors attended the Lakeshore-McKenzie community picnic held at the Arnold Jones farm last Sunday. Everyone attending enjoyed the get-together and hope to continue having one every year.

**FAREWELL GET-TOGETHER**

It was also a surprise farewell get-together in honor of Ernie Collins who [illegible] his farm and is leaving the district where he has resided for over 30 years and is moving into Tofield later this fall. A gift [illegible] was given him from the families of the community and all wished him happiness in his new home.

Mrs. Sybil Nelson of Lacombe spent from Saturday afternoon to Monday at the home of her sister, Ruth, and Roy Wickenberg in Tofield.

Ernie and Ellen Westling of Edmonton visited with Ernie's cousin, Roy, and Ruth Wickenberg and other friends while attending the Lakeshore-McKenzie community picnic on Sunday afternoon.

Janet Wickenberg of Edmonton is on her holidays, part of which she is spending at the home of her parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg.

Jim and Buelah Gimmell and Wayne Rodway and his friend, Shirley, all of Edmonton, were Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Buelah's father, and Wayne's grandfather, Jack Johnston.

Mrs. Vivian Jones and son, Donald, of Edmonton were Saturday overnight and Sunday visitors at the home of Vivian's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg in Tofield.

**IT'S A BOY!**

Congratulations go to Peggy and Art Bauer of Grand Centre on the birth of their son, Anthony Arthur, on July 26th at the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton. The new arrival is a brother for Maureen and Colleen. Peggy was the former Peggy Schmaulzbauer of the Lindbrook district and is also well known in the Lakeshore district.

Charlie and Edith Duncan of Stettler and Jack Johnston were Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood on July 31st.

Robert and Dede Goubault of Drayton Valley were Sunday evening and overnight guests at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood.

Mrs. Mary Wood, Mrs. Ethel Wood, Mrs. Gloria Wood and little daughter, Cathy, and Gloria's sister, Linda Miller of Onoway motored to Viking on Tuesday where they were on a berry-picking expedition on the farm of Mary's daughter, Lorene, and Jim Francis. They report very successful picking.

**HERE FROM CALIFORNIA**

Vic Ulrich of California spent from Wednesday to Friday at the home of his sister, [illegible], and George Niemetz. While there, George, Ida and Vic were Wednesday evening visitors at the home of Mrs. (Tillie) Joe Yurkowski in Tofield, helping her celebrate her birthday.

George and Ida Niemetz motored to Edmonton on Monday afternoon to attend a family gathering of the Ulrich family (namely Ida's brother and sisters and their families) at the home of Ida's sister, Emma, and Ed Schultz.

Tuesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton were Mrs. Mary Roberge of Tofield, and Wilfred and Marjorie Jahn and children, Charlie, Donnie and Sally of Coquitlam, B.C.

Mrs. Ila Walker has her sister, Mrs. Mildred Wheeler of Pomona, Calif., visiting her and while here they attended the Lakeshore-McKenzie community picnic on Sunday and met many of their neighbors and friends.

Martha and Hans Jacobsen of Edmonton were guests at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen and all attended the community picnic on Sunday. They returned to their home in the city on Monday.

Bob Myers and two small daughters, Shauna and Laura, of Edmonton, were Sunday morning visitors and dinner guests at the home of Verlyn and Ollie Moos. Bob is the son of the late Merl Myers, a former Tofield district resident.

Sandy and Irene Scott and daughter, Betty Ann, of Lindbrook were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Martha and Emil Tiedemann.

Judy Goubault and Brenda and Glenda Ashmead (twins) of Drayton Valley, arrived late Sunday afternoon on their motor bikes and were overnight and until noon Monday visitors at the home of Judy's aunt, Martha, and Emil Tiedemann, guests of Judy's cousin, Mary Tiedemann.

Robert and [illegible] Goubault of Drayton Valley were Sunday supper guests at the home of Robert's sister, Martha, and Emil Tiedemann.

## Spilstead news

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

Mrs. Leonard Ferguson and family have been visiting with her parents the, Arthur Hoflin family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoflin and Mrs. Alice Limburner [illegible] recent visitors with Mrs. Hoflin's father, Andrew Breum who is a patient in the Killam Hospital.

**MISSIONARIES TO INDIA**

Mrs. Louise Winder accompanied her daughter Hazel and son-in-law and family, the Lloyd Raines to Vancouver to see them off to India as missionaries. Mrs. Winder also visited for several weeks in Kelowna, B.C., with her daughter Elsie and son-in-law, the Bob Swhirns.

Mrs. Maunder returned recently from the Tofield Hospital with a new baby son.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Belcourt attended the Stampede at Bruce last Monday.

Conrad and Gail Winder visited Mrs. Louise Winder recently.

The Norman Stauffers and Petra Stauffer visited the Bob Berrecloths one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Nelson and Stewart from New Westminster, B.C., were visiting with the Floyd Erickson family recently and Stewart is staying with them for his holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Erickson visited the Allan Sware family on the Sware's 28th wedding anniversary.

Murray Balascak form Edmonton is having two weeks holidays with his granparents, the Ernest Fairbrothers.

Miss Myrtle Stauffer, two nieces and a nephew from Edmonton spent a couple of days visiting with the Ernest Fairbrother family.

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## CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to take this opportunity to express my thanks to Dr. Freebury, Nurses and entire staff for making my stay in the Tofield Hospital as comfortable as possible. My appreciation also for visitors and the many cards which were very welcome.
—Marg Haworth.

## IN MEMORIAM

STAUFFER—In loving memory of our dear daughter and sister, Marilyne Stauffer, who passed away August 9th, 1957:
Sweet are the memories silently kept
Of one we loved and will never forget.
Though absent, she is ever near,
Still loved, still missed and ever dear.
—Fondly remembered and sadly missed, Daddy, Mama, Kenneth and Warren. 50p-3378

## ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Harald C. Schultz announce with pleasure the engagement of their eldest daughter, Betsy-Ann, to Mr. Claude Gallinger Jr., eldest son of Mrs. Dorothy Gallinger and the late Mr. Wilbur Gallinger, all of Tofield, Alta. The wedding to take place October 1st, 1966, at Tofield United Church at 3:00 p.m. 50p-2777

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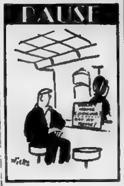

## Church Notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnold, B.A., B.D.,
Sunday, August 14th
10:00 a.m.—Public Worship. Mr Dick Bateman.
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**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, August 14th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service
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Sunday Services
11:00 a.m.—1st Sunday July and August—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—All other Sundays—Matins.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday Schools during June, but none during July and August.
Other services and meetings to be announced

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, August 14th
Sunday, August 7th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
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Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ............10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
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10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**WIN PRIZES**

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta of the Viking district attended the Vegreville Fair the latter part of July. Mr. and Mrs. Barlow had several entries in various classes at the Fair, with Mrs. Barlow winning a first prize for hand knitting, first for peanut brittle and some other awards. Their granddaughter had entered an entry for baking powder biscuits for which she was awarded 1st prize, and an additional prize from the Magic Baking Powder Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hovland and children of Hillsdown were visitors Monday of last week with his father, Chris Hovland and brothers Ray and Rueben.

Their son Roger spent the week visiting with his grandfather and uncle on the farm.

The Robert Afseths of Wainwright are visiting with relatives and friends around Holden while on annual holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children of the Viking district were Sunday visitors and supper guests with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor.

Harry Rennie is taking his annual holiday and are planning on visiting with friends at Wainwright part of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow returned home Friday evening after spending the week at Viking on the farm with their daughter [illegible] and family, the Ernie Mertas.

**AT SISTER'S FUNERAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Low Blair of Taber have been visiting this past week with Mrs. Blair's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden. Mrs. Liden left with the Blairs to attend the funeral of their sister, Margaret, which was held Tuesday in Calgary.

Members of the United Church Board of the Ryley, Holden and Bruce charge attended a meeting Friday evening in the church. Rev. McDonnold of Tofield was present and in charge of the meeting to meet with Mr. Bateman the new student minister. Services commenced Sunday, August 7th and are held at 10:00 a.m. for the Holden Service.

Mr. and Mrs. David Good have returned home from their trip and also brought the children home from Kelowna, B.C. where they had been visiting with their aunt and family for the past two weeks. They were visitors during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lars Hitland.

**MOTHER PASSES**

Mrs. Lyle Grosland was called to the bedside of her mother, in Calgary, Thursday of last week, who had been in poor health for the past few months. She passed away Friday afternoon, and the funeral was held Tuesday in Calgary. The sympathy of friends and residents of the district is extended to Mrs. Grosland and family in their sad loss.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly and children returned home from their holidays last week.

Mrs. Melvin Carlson, daughter Vivian and son Eric have been visiting for the past week with her family at Penticton, B.C., to see her sisters who were also visiting their parents. Melvin took them by car to Calgary from where they left by plane.

Vincent Wallie of Edmonton was a Saturday afternoon visitor in Holden, calling on Ray Hovland. Mr. Wallie was formerly employed on the Hovland farm.

Mrs. Irene Strilchuk, Mrs. Zane Bilyk, Mrs. Mary Semotuik and Mrs. Olga Bilyk attended the shower of a relative and friend in Mundare on Wednesday evening.

**ILLNESS MARS HOLIDAY**

Mrs. Mary James who had been expecting her son Arthur and family of Vancouver to visit with her for several days during their holidays received word Friday afternoon [illegible] they would be unable to make their planned visit as when they arrived at Kamloops for an overnight stop all the children became ill with the 'flu and they were having to return home.

Mrs. James was expecting her daughter Irene, her husband and children of Victoria, to arrive about Tuesday to visit for several days holiday.

A. J. Rasko of the Royal Bank staff was visiting over the weekend with his family in Edmonton.


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# MINISTIK NEWS

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

A very good attendance at the United Church enjoyed services Sunday, conducted by student minister, Tom Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Bowerman and boys of Ponoka were weekend guests at their farm home here.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Chester Leach is a patient in the Colonel Mewburn Hospital where he will be taking physiotherapy treatments on his hands and feet. A return to good health is wished him soon by all his friends.

A most successful dance was sponsored by the Ministik Community club on Saturday evening and a good sum of money was realized from it and the raffle of the patio set. Funds from these are to go toward a community skating rink in the fall.

The second in the series of three ball games for the H. Dunham trophy was cancelled on Sunday due to a wet ball diamond at Spilstead. This will be played at a later date.

Mrs. Melvin Loch is enjoying three week's holiday, most of which will be spent in the Okanagan Valley at Kelowna, B.C.

Weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Jones were Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and Sandra and Mrs. Otto Messerschmidt and three daughters. Sunday dinner guests also included Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones and family, who now make their home at Lakeview, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and boys.

Gordon Kilfoyle spent the week end at his farm home here.

Most of the men of the district attended the Tom Waters auction sale Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter George and Melvin were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. S. George, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas George were Sunday evening guests there.

Last Thursday Mrs. T. A. Jones sister and brother-in-law, the Robert McCaigs of Edmonton called on the Jones family. Also Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brooks (a niece) of Winnipeg, Man., and Miss Debbie Jamieson of Edmonton.

Friday and Saturday callers at the Jones home were Mr. and Mrs. Blanchette of Sherwood Park, and Mr and Mrs. John Jones and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Benson and Marvin and Oliver Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thor and family were Sunday guests at the Alex Penrice home.

# Spilstead news

(Mrs. G. Fairbrother)

The regular monthly meeting of the Spilstead Ladies Society was held August 3rd at the home of Mrs. Birdie Brunner. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent. Next meeting to be held at Mrs. Lillian Berricloth's home in September.

Early in July a weiner roast was held at the T.W. Fairbrother home while the Leslie Fairbrother family of Consul, Sask., were visiting here. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fairbrother and five children, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fairbrother and Sharon and Shirley, Debbie and Derrel Sware, and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fairbrother and girls.

Mrs. T. W. Fairbrother, Marylin and Eileen spent nine days in Hinton visiting Mr. and Mrs. T Roycroft and family and babysat a few days while Mrs. Roycroft went to Vancouver. When they came home Ruth returned to Hinton with her uncle Tom for a couple of weeks holiday.


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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. John Lemke and children left on their annual holidays the beginning of last week to visit with relatives at Hafford, Sask.; planning to drive on to Waskesiu Lake in Prince Albert National Park to spend several days.

Mr and Mrs Lars Petersen have been visiting with their son Karl and family for several days this past week and in Edmonton. Karl and family have moved from Manning, where he was teaching school, to Edmonton.

Robert Tiedemann returned to Edmonton after being home over last weekend, and has been attending another week of vacation Bible school, staying with Pastor and Mrs. Schoepp.

Mrs. Olaf Chatney with Mrs. Mary Andrews were Viking visitors Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Andrews who is under the doctors care going for a check-up.

**AT FUNERAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chamulke who spent the past week in Edmonton returned home at the weekend. While in the city they attended the funeral of Mrs. William Moisey, which was held on Thursday.

**NEW EMO DISASTER**

Lars Olson has been appointed as the director of EMO for the Village of Holden, taking the place of Joe Chamulke who resigned from this office a short time ago. Joe has held this post for the past several years since the EMO was organized in the Village. The Chamulkes are expecting to move to the city in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson have returned home from their trip to Sask. Lars attended the Supreme Convention of the BPO Elks held in Regina the latter part of July.

**INJURED IN FALL**

Richard Loney had a fall last Thursday injuring his hip and leg, and was taken to Vegreville in the ambulance. However, he was unable to get a bed there and had to be taken to an Edmonton hospital.

Mrs. John Pooke, who was a patient in the University Hospital for several days having x-rays and tests, returned home.

Mr and Mrs Leslie Brekstad of Winnipeg, who have been spending a three week holiday with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad, left Wednesday on their trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason and children of Wetaskiwin were Wednesday afternoon visitors and supper guests with Mr. Mason's parents, Mr and Mrs. Mason.

The small daughter of Mr and Mrs. Leroy Eaton has [illegible] visiting for a few days at Seba Beach with her uncle and aunt, the Walter Eatons; Leroy and his wife [illegible] the middle of the past week to bring her home.

Marvin Giebelhaus of Edmonton was here last Wednesday checking at the store and visiting his family. He returned to Edmonton Thursday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and boys spent last Sunday afternoon at Miquelon Lake.

Mrs. Tiedemann was visiting with friends in Edmonton Monday of last week.

Leonard Johnson and Ludvig Hoveland, both of Camrose were last Monday visitors at the home of Chris Hovland and sons.

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# LOCALS . . .

Mrs Jim Campbell, Mrs. Harvey Young and 10-year-old Susan Young left Tofield on Thursday to join the plane leaving Edmonton for Corning, New York, on Friday. They will visit relatives Miss Nan Currie and Mrs. Mary Oliver (twin sisters of Mrs Campbell) and Mrs. Howard Cook and family at Corning. Mrs. Howard Cook is the only child of Mrs. Mary Oliver.

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Mrs. Doris Oslund accompanied Mr. and Mrs. F. Campbell and girls on a trip to Calgary and other points, also visiting relatives and friends in Calgary.

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**HERE FROM ENGLAND**

Raymond Garford from Kent, England, who is on his way to Victoria, B.C., where he will attend university, visited for a few days with his grandmother, Mrs Sydney Garford and his uncle and aunt, Gordon and Frances Garford.

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**SISTER PASSES**

The sad news was received two weeks ago of the death of Jim Campbell's sister, Mrs. Jessie Fraser of Nairn, Scotland.

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Evelyn and Henry Rempel and three children from Chilliwack, B.C., spent ten days with Evelyn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boergen.

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Mr. and Mrs. Don Schmidt and daughter, Karen, from Washington, D.C., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Boergen.

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Dick Marlow returned home one day last week after a ten-day holiday with relatives in Saskatchewan.

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Sam Mostowich was the winner of the Community League $100-a-month club for July.

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Dick and Clara Peck from Deer River, Minnesota, and Donna and Roger Peck of Green Bay, Wisconsin visited for a few days with relatives the Gray families.

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Ray Pittel left on July 31st for a month's holiday with relatives in Scotland.

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**Top 4-H members**

Seventeen of Alberta's top 4-H members who spent 12 days from July 23 to August 5 with 4-H families in British Columbia. They were accompanied by R. Westmancoat of Ryley and Mrs. Nellie Deering of Mayerthorpe, and all expenses were covered by the Canadian Centennial Commission.

Back row, left to right: Margaret Prodaniuk, Radway; Jerry Wosik, Endiang; Dick Ballhorn, Wetaskiwin; Richard Anderson, Rosedale; Lynn Weelliams, R.R. 4, Calgary; Dale Winsness, Ryley; Elaine Jouan, Tomahawk; Adolph Baskiw, Beauvallon; Theresa Lang, Heisler; Russel Scheideman, Duffield; Bruce Akitt, Eckville; Robert Stachniak, Clandonald; Dorothy Hillaby, Camrose. Front row: Geraldine Kozak, Ryley; Margaret Plew, Duchess; Mrs. Deering; J. R. D. Findlay, Centennial Co-ordinator; Mr. Westmancoat; Janet Graham, Spirit River; Marie Stenson, Twin Butte.

— Alberta Government Photo.

# Area 4-H'ers are major award winners

Senior 4-H members from Camrose and district were among those who won major awards in the provincial 4-H eliminations held at Olds Agricultural and Vocational College earlier this month.

Janet Olesen of Daysland, member of Rosalind Beef and Dairy Club, and Marie McClure, Ohaton, member of Camrose Swine Club, were selected for the popular award trip to the National 4-H Club conference in Ottawa and Toronto.

Annette Trisko, Strome, member of Heisler Clothing Club, will be one of the delegates for inter-provincial 4-H exchange to be held in July, 1967. Another award winner from Strome is Kenneth Eshpeter of Wavy Lake Beef Club, who is one of those selected to represent Alberta at the 1967 Centennial Seminar at L'Esterel, Quebec.

Selected to represent Alberta as one of a Canadian delegation of ten to the U.S. National 4-H Congress, Chicago, in November is Reg Mischau of Bruce and member of Viking 4-H Beef Club. This is the second year for Canada to send an official 4-H delegation to Chicago.

Nearly 230 top-ranking senior 4-H members took part in the provincial 4-H eliminations.

# AGT switches to dial in Holden and district

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

On Wednesday, Aug. 3rd, the Holden Community Hall was filled to capacity with many standing in the hall, to see the Alberta Government Telephones show of the new Dial System, which now is in effect in Holden and district with a greatly enlarged number of subscribers, and also to receive pertinent information on use of the system.

The speakers from A.G.T. were introduced by a few words from Mayor Bruce Budd. A. L. Gibson, president of the amalgamated Holden Mutual companies, was one of the speakers, giving a short resume of the telephone system of the Holden district and of the Mutuals.

Mrs Bertha Sanderson, who has been the A.G.T. agent here for the past 15 years, was presented with a certificate and cheque from the A.G.T.; Lyle Grusland, on behalf of the Mutual company, presented her with a transistor radio, and, on behalf of Holden, Mayor Budd presented her with a purse of money.

Saturday, Aug. 6, the Holden office of the A.G.T. was closed and the new exchange was in operation, with the dial system going into service at 12:00 o'clock midnight. While this is progress for Holden and the district, one has some regret that one will not be able to have a personal contact with the operator and obtain information from them.

# Former district lady is 'budding' poet

(Mrs. J. [illegible])

MINISTIK—Mr and Mrs. Bert [illegible] and [illegible] of eight, of Quesnel, B.C., have been visiting relatives and friends in Ministik [illegible] surrounding area, [illegible] them being Mr. and Mrs Russell Rowland and Joan. School chums and friends will remember Mrs McLean (nee Frances Kephart) when she attended school here for some time, staying with her grandmother, the late Mrs. C. Murdoch, and her aunt, Mrs. [illegible].

After marrying, she moved to the [illegible] of British Columbia, near Quesnel, and soon saw that [illegible] could be written about that country. She received a very good sum of money as royalty for her [illegible] booklet of poems entitled "Barkerville Ballads".

She has had a second book published recently, and it is hoped she's as fortunate with it as she was with her first.

Frances is the eldest of five children of Jake Kephart and the late Lillian Kephart, of South Cooking Lake.

# Tofield Lions meet August 9

Tofield Lions Club held their first August meeting in the League Centre on Aug. 9th., with President Lion "Chick" Blacklock in the chair. One visitor was present.

It was learned that the Variety Night, previously planned for August 20th., could not be held for reason of absence of one entertainer on holidays. The Club was informed that the wearing of hard hats by construction workers is a Compensation Board regulation and as farmers are not covered by them, cannot be included. The Club would request however, that farmers wear hard hats at all times for their own safety.

Details regarding a wading pool are that the Dept. of Public Health does not approve of same, and Town Council would require more information if this might in [illegible] be feasible. The matter of numbering of houses and setting up street signs is near the final stage by the Gas Co., and may be a reality in the near future.

CNIB have again asked the Club to conduct a canvass for them this year.

Lions Ed Regehr and Horace McHeffey, in company with Mrs. Regehr, had attended the visit

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# Invasion of privacy

It may not be on the increase, but the needless and senseless invasion of privacy in this machine age is far too prevalent. A number of instances come to mind, one of the more recent having to do with the provincial government's homeowner grant of $50.

One of the questions asked on the form is the applicant's date of birth, and among some homeowners it is raising a storm of protest. What possible difference could this make in any circumstance? Many properties are listed in the wife's name, many in the names of widows. What happens to the women who are perennially "29", or who usually add one year to their age every third birthday? And by no means all our citizens who are reluctant to tell their age are women, either. We know several men personally who feel it's nobody's business.

But how could it affect ownership of the house, or repayment of the $50, as long as the householder meets the qualifications?

Why require birthdate for a driver's licence for someone more than obviously old enough to qualify, yet far from the senile area? Why not, instead, use the method accepted in beer parlors: if there is enough doubt to inquire, the onus of proof is on the customer.

We know some application forms which ask as a matter of course the applicant's religion, and while this has nothing whatever to do with the job, it can on occasion influence the selection.

A student applying to another school jurisdiction recently was asked not only about his own background, but so many questions about the birth date and place of both parents, and their early origins that he had to go home for information. Really, what bearing would it have on the student's progress?

The list could easily be extended.

For ourselves, it really doesn't matter. A working newspaperman tends pretty well to live in a glass bowl, and we [illegible] few sensitivities in these areas. On the other hand, we know many people who have, and we understand their feeling that these questions constitute an unnecessary invasion of privacy, serving no purpose. And we feel there are already too many incursions of this kind not to [illegible] they should be curbed and restricted.

# Progress

We used to talk about the 'march of science' and that was almost the head for this item, till we realized we weren't thinking about a march but almost headlong flight.

A quicky survey shows even mid-teeners recall the general introduction of transistors, so it can't be very many years since these amazing little devices fascinated adults by combining and replacing the functions of radio tubes, resistors, condensers and so on far bigger than they. It was one of the most impressive steps in miniaturization.

Only a few years ago, and already the transistor is obsolete. It's well on the way to being replaced by infinitely more complex units known as 'integrated circuits', which again will perform the work of many transistors, condensers, resistors and so on. They are so small that three, combining more than fifty varied functions, can easily be placed on a silver dollar, with room to spare.

The fact they're appearing commercially now means they've been known for some time, and probably have contributed tremendously to the space program. Military and scientific programs of this nature naturally would come first, and the domestic market later.

How long till they'll be obsolete?

# Don't open the tap

The MacDuff report on this page enlarges on recent statements by resources minister Hon. Arthur Laing that Canada's water resources are not now and may never be negotiable for sale to the United States, where many an eye is being cast at our supposed vast surplus

We've differed strongly with Mr. Laing on his policy of going back on Canada's pledge insofar as national parks leases are concerned, but we're with him all the way insofar as keeping our water, now and in the future. Either he is voicing the government's new policy, after Prime Minister Pearson chose to equivocate on the matter at the time of the last election, or he is in the unhappy position of espousing a much more intransigent attitude than his leader.

On at least two counts, though, Mr Laing's position is correct. In the first place, there is not yet any demonstrated need for Canadian water on the American side of the border, and many Americans feel there would never be if only Americans would take strong action both to protect their present resources, and to research the field of use and re-use.

In the second place, Canadians are only looked on as equal partners when they have something the States wants. History is replete with examples of the door being shut tight when there's something we want, and there are many examples today, even.

Today's best example lies in the auto parts reciprocal agreement, for instance, which is killing several small Canadian firms. Look at the co-operation in the field of copyright, which permits American publishers to steal the work of any Canadian author which sells more than 1,500 copies in the States. In most cases, American manufacturers and producers have almost limitless access to Canadian markets, hampered only by occasional protective tariffs. Yet ask the Canadian farmer about access to the livestock markets across the border.

We'll need all our own water before long, with no chance to shut off the tap once it's opened. Let's not get any further involved in a fifty-fifty partnership basis on the basis of one horse, one rabbit

# MacDuff Ottawa report

**NO TRESPASSING**

OTTAWA. — A classic range-war situation in Western folklore is the fenced creek or waterhole [illegible] thirsty cattle bawling and [illegible] outside the wire. Inside [illegible] the grim-faced defenders with [illegible] and [illegible] ready for man or beast that tries to break the fence

Canada's boundary with the United States is beginning to look like one of those [illegible] fences. On one side are the thirsty American cities and industries.

On the other are Canadian rivers tumbling [illegible] to [illegible] oceans and a [illegible] group of defenders led by Northern Affairs Minister Arthur Laing.

Mr. Laing chose the recent American Bar Association convention in Montreal to post "no trespassing" signs around Canadian water.

"Canadian water is not now negotiable and I am not certain that it will ever be", Mr. Laing told the American lawyers.

[illegible] plans to divert northern rivers to arid [illegible] the United States are not acceptable to Canada, Mr. Laing stressed, pointing out that Canada has its own arid areas.

And he was probably understating the situation when he commented that use of natural resources would be one of the great controversies of the future.

As the U.S. thirst for Canadian water increases, there will be added pressure on Canada. So far, there has been no official U.S. government endorsement of the biggest proposed diversion project, the multi-billion dollar North American Water and Power Alliance (NAWAPA).

Developed by a private engineering firm in California, the plan would treat the rivers of the North American continent as one unit, turning the northern-flowing rivers to feed the south.

**NOT ALL AGREED**

Eventually, the U.S. Government itself may join in the pressure for some such project. And the persuasive devices available can be powerful, as Canadian finance ministers have found when they had to trim economic policy to fit U.S. efforts to fight the American dollar drain.

Nor does Mr. Laing have a united Cabinet behind him in his determination to hang onto Canadian water for future Canadian use

In resources as well as in economic policy, there are continentalists as well as nationalists in the Pearson Cabinet. Even the Prime Minister himself, during last year's election campaign, spoke of exporting water in the future as Canada now exports wheat or oil. At that time, Mr. Pearson didn't say the negotiations would be easy or quick. But neither did he say Canadian water was not negotiable. The same kind of difference was evident between spokesmen for the Conservative party during the [illegible]

**[illegible]**

For several years now, there has been a kind of creeping continentalism in Canada's resource policy. This has changed the long-standing Canadian policy against export of energy, on grounds that energy should be retained in Canada to build up industry in this country.

One turning point was the national oil policy adopted by the Diefenbaker government and carried on by the Liberals. In this policy, the Canadian government officially put its authority behind the export of oil. Exports of natural gas were also sanctioned, so that of Canada's daily production of 2.9 billion cubic feet, about 1.2 billion cubic feet go to the United States.

Another important break in energy policy was the 1963 Columbia river agreement—making possible development of an international river on the basis of export of the Canadian-owned downstream benefits. The principle of export of hydro power has since been applied to Hamilton Falls in Labrador and to the ultimate development of the Nelson river in Manitoba, neither of them international rivers.

**TWO VIEWS**

At the same American Bar Association meeting where Mr. Laing was taking a firm stand on Canadian water, an oil company executive was proclaiming that the "continental energy concept" was firmly established in North America, although far from mature.

The lines between nationalists and continentalists in the use of natural resources are not yet sharply drawn. Nobody, including Mr. Laing, is refusing to sell any Canadian water, ever. And even the most convinced continentalist believes that Canada should meet her own needs first and use remaining resources as a bargaining lever, getting the highest price possible from the Americans.

The argument is likely to develop [illegible] timing and terms of exports and over the amount of reserves needed for Canada's future growth. And this will have to be based on studies on both sides of the border.

**GET THE FACTS**

In the United States, Secretary of the Interior Stewart Udall has said his first job is to make a complete inventory of American water resources and to formulate a U.S. water policy. Only then will the United States government know whether it needs water from Canada, and how much.

No such complete study has been started in Canada, although it could be done by the new Department of Energy and Resources which is to come into being Sept. 1. But it is in the process of starting in bits and pieces. The recently agreed Saskatchewan-Nelson survey, covering the main rivers of the prairies, is an example

And until the studies are done, men like the late General A. G. L. McNaughton and like Mr. Laing will continue to ride the international fence to make sure nobody steals our water.

# Her feet hurt

She was middle-aged, she looked tired and she was going down a flight of stairs one at a time. Her feet hurt and, no matter what may be the opinion of the cartoonists, this is no subject for humor. The reason her feet hurt was that she had walked instead of taking a bus, because the drivers were subjecting the transit company and its riders to a slowdown in rush hour.

She was an unhappy consumer of the services offered by the publicly-owned system. If she had had a paper she could have read the swan-song speech of Senator Thomas A. Crerar while she rested and she might have found some comfort in it.

The senator, out of the wisdom of his almost ninety years, said this. "I would say to labor we are going to establish a court. We will put the most impartial and fair-minded men we can find on that court, and we will tell that court that in the end they have to take into account not only the rights of labor, not only the rights of business, but also the rights of the public . . ."

He was speaking of labor under federal jurisdiction but the public does not make fine distinctions. One day it will rise up on its aching feet and the result will be compulsory arbitration. The Hon. Mr. Crerar, if he's around to see the day, will have the right to say, "I told you so".

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# Former Tofield resident, Rolf Foss passes July 28

Rolf Foss passed away July 28th in an Edmonton Hospital after a lingering illness at the age of 78 years.

Married to Victoria Adeline Nern on Oct. 30, 1920, Mr. Foss served in the First World War from 1915-1918. After his return from the army they lived in Tofield until 1930, when they moved to Donatville where they resided until 1958. On his retirement they moved to Ryley in 1958, when he was taken to the city and placed in a Hospital, where he passed away.

Mr. Foss leaves to mourn his passing, his loving wife Adeline, one son [illegible], three daughters, Mrs. Allan (Dolly) Sutton of Ryley; Mrs. Albert (Myrtle) Sutton of Tofield, Mrs. Jerry (Hazel) Lawrence of Edmonton, and 28 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon, Aug. 1st from the Tofield Anglican Church, with Rev. H. Shell of Hinton officiating.

Pallbearers were Casper Foss, Ralph Cretney, Jerry Lawrence, Jim Tiedeman, Joe Hefner and Almer Hefner.

Interment was in the Legion plot of the Tofield Cemetery. Howard-McBride Funeral Directors were in charge.

**Donations to the Family:**

Richard Foss; Henry Foss; The Grandchildren; Evelyn and Leroy Nelson; Casper and Doris Foss; Hazel and Jim Grey; Joan McLean and family; Doug and Velma Sutton; Eunice and Ed Parent; Randy and Wanda Sutton; Great grandchildren; Deanne and Brian Nelson; Marvin and Lori Sutton; Ricky and Pamela Sutton; Kenny and Darren Parent, Mrs. Pearl Quall.

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**To Anglican Church, Tofield:**

Mr. and Mrs James Fisher; Tofield Holy Trinity WA afternoon branch

**To Trondhjem Church, Round Hill**

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wade; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Foss.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank all our friends, relatives and neighbors for their kind acts of sympathy during our recent bereavement.

Adeline Foss and Family.

# Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ingram and Wesley were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ratigan, their two daughters and granddaughter, Donna Ingram and Marjorie Huff, all of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lancaster and Mr. and Mrs. Reg Crispin of Tofield.

Several carloads of families, the Peter Browns, Sandy Scotts, Bill and Emil Tiedemann, Darryl Berich and Wayne Oliver spent Sunday touring museums and historic places, including Andrew and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz attended the silver wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Blades, of Ohaton, on Sunday afternoon.

Mabel Lawson of Edmonton is holidaying in the district, visiting with her brothers, Herman and Martin, and families.

Cameron and Darryl Runka of Edmonton spent a week with their aunt and uncle, Lilly and Harold Schultz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harboway and baby of Edmonton called on Janet and Martin Lawson on Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kyle took their son Jimmy to Edmonton on Sunday, where he joined a busload of other boys to spend a week camping at Pigeon Lake. Later the Kyles went to view the airport at Nisku.

Annie McGinitie and Edith Turner picked up Marie Mitchell and Mrs Richardson on Monday afternoon and motored to Holden to visit with Mrs. Brown and Ethel While there they viewed several flower gardens.

**17TH ANNIVERSARY**

About 30 friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs Gordon Kyle on Saturday evening on the occasion of their 17th wedding anniversary A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all

Tracy and Todd Whillans of Edmonton, grandchildren of Dorothy and Roy Whillans, left for home after spending a week here while their parents were away on holidays

Harvey and Pauline McGinitie and family of Viking spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGinitie Their son Raymond, of Edmonton, spent Sunday at home with his parents.

# From the scrapbook

The only man who never makes a mistake is the man who never does anything.

—J W.R.

# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. N. Taylor)

Mrs. Mabel Siser returned home Wednesday from her holiday trip to Vancouver. While there she visited with relatives, and with Mrs. Nina Ritland and with Mrs. Ritland's mother, Mrs. Nehr, who is the grand age of 95 and still in very good health. En route home, Mrs. Siser travelled on the train from Vancouver to Edmonton with Mrs. A. Nelson, a former Holden resident.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stambaugh and relatives in Ryley were Mr. and Mrs. Navrot (nee May Doris) and family of Bagotville, Que., who were on vacation. Mr. Navrot is with the RCAF station there.

Harry Appleby of Viking Lodge, Viking, visited with his sons and families the past week.

**Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Grosland and Mrs. T. A. Lider left August 9th for Calgary to attend the funeral of Mrs. Grosland's mother and Mrs. Lider's sister, who passed away suddenly the end of the previous week.**

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson have been on holiday, visiting at Banff and other points in the Rockies.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Slywka of Sherwood Park were Monday and Tuesday visitors last week with his mother, Mrs. William Slywka.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Slywka left August 7th on holidays for a couple of weeks, visiting at various points en route to Vancouver. They were also planning to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steffans at Chilliwack, former Holden district residents. Mrs. Vernon Peterson of Bruce is in charge of the Egg Grading Station while they are away.

# McKenzie Lakeshore -

(Intended for last week)

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Niemetz of Ladner, B.C., were guests at the home of Elmer and Vi Geoglein from Sunday to Tuesday. On Tuesday, Elmer and Vi motored to Innisfree taking Mr. and Mrs. Niemetz to visit Mrs. Niemetz's cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Teierle there. On the way home, Mr. and Mrs. Niemetz stopped at the home of their daughter, Irlene, and Harold Sieb for a visit before leaving for their home in B.C. on Thursday.

Recent visitors at the home of Harold and Margaret Weatherill were Margaret's sister, Lucy, and George Nelson and Lucy's son, Edward, and Hilda Smith and two children, all of Saskatchewan. They spent a week there, also visiting other relatives during their stay.

Brian Weatherill of Edmonton is spending part of his holidays at the home of his uncle, Harold, and Margaret Weatherill, and cousin, Laurie. On Wednesday, all motored to Vermilion for the day.

We were sorry to learn that Colleen Walker, young daughter of Vernon and Kay Walker, is back in the Tofield hospital. All wish her a speedy recovery.

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# The Ryley Times



# Alaskan visitor tells how to guess weather

## ...with aid of computer

"Mr. Weatherman, tell us how you work the oracle of weather forecasting." John Loopstra, leading forecaster with the United States Weather Bureau at Anchorage, Alaska, was kind enough to do so while on holiday in Camrose, visiting Mrs. Loopstra's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Spiers.

A weather program begins at thousands of observation points all over the world. Mr Loopstra said he believed two-thirds of them are in the northern hemisphere, the southern hemisphere is lagging behind in gathering weather information. The bureau at Anchorage receives teletyped weather reports from well beyond Japan, from most of Russia, which is co-operative in this respect, from northern Europe, some from China, all Canadian reports except from the extreme east and all U.S. reports except from the very south-east.

Information is gleaned from ships of several nationalities plying between Canada, the U.S. and Japan, but most of the recording ships are Japanese. One of the most important points in the northern Pacific is the Canadian weather ship stationed in the Southern Gulf of Alaska, a little over 1,200 miles south of Anchorage. At the bureau, it is known as "Ship Poppa" and its importance lies in the fact that Poppa not only takes surface observations, but observations of the upper air as well. Every 12 hours a radiosonde attached to a balloon is released and this supplies information about the temperature and humidity at upper levels. By tracking the balloon from the surface, it is possible to commute what the winds are at those levels.

This formidable collection of information is handled by a "map spotter" whose rather tedious job it is to plot it on a weather map which is passed on to a forecaster. He, in turn, analyses it in terms of pressure gradients — the most important elements received from the surface. He figures out where the pressure systems are and then anticipates the direction in which they will move and so arrives at a forecast. The difference between the high and low pressure systems is usually the measurement of the wind, so the greater the difference between these systems, the stronger the wind is going to blow. This enables them to give valuable forecasts for mariners. The Anchorage bureau sends out over the Aleutian chain and also forecasts for long aviation flights between Alaska and Japan and for all the State of Alaska. It transmits forecasts by teletype or telephone to radio stations and by marine teletype or telephone to marine and aviation users.

**COMPUTER COMES IN**

"It is getting to the point now", said Mr. Loopstra, "where even the weather business is computerized". The forecasters make a prognostic chart and anticipate weather 24, 36 or 48 hours ahead. This chart can now be made better by a computer than subjectively by a forecaster. This method took a long time to develop, having begun in the early '50s, but a few years ago the computer had begun doing as good a job as a forecaster with quite a lot of experience. Even the computer errs occasionally—usually for lack of data at the time it is required.

Mr. Loopstra was asked if the computer was putting forecasters out of jobs. "On the contrary", he said, "relieving us of drawing a chart for the future enables us to direct our efforts into other directions — to do things which should have been done before, such as forecasting for fire weather, humidity and on-the-spot forecasts of wind directions in the case of forest fires. With more men to do these jobs, users are getting more service", he said.

Another big thing coming in is the agricultural forecast, not only in the broad sense but more specialized, dealing with fruit frost, for example, which is critical in such a short season. Weather bureaux can now rotate employees between these forecasts and in research during the slack months.

**FEEL RESPONSIBLE**

Excitement? Yes, forecasters get excitement when a storm is developing and they are concerned when it develops stronger than they anticipated. On the Alaska coast there are terrific storms at times and the forecast may, on occasion, not indicate their severity. Barges may be driven ashore and fishing

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## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Reddish)

Mrs W C Barnes returned home last Monday, after undergoing surgery in which a cataract was removed from her eye. Her granddaughter, Elaine Miller of Whitecourt, is staying with her at present to assist with necessary duties.

**MICHIGAN HOLIDAY**

Mrs. Keith Williams and Marie returned home last Wednesday after a most enjoyable 2½ weeks spent in Detroit, Michigan, visiting relatives and friends, some of whom she had never before met.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swabey and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leach enjoyed a four-day fishing trip at Smith, Alberta, last week. Donna and Brian Leach stayed with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach, while their parents were away.

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs Irene Strilchuk has been spending the past week on the farm, visiting with her sister and brother and families. Larry is spending some time during the holidays with his father at Inuvik, N.W.T., and Brian left last week with the Sea [illegible] for Comox, B.C.

**Mr. and Mrs. Ron Selk of Edmonton (nee Lorna McLeod) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, weighing 7 lbs. 4 ozs., at the Royal Alexandra Hospital on Tuesday, Aug. 9. The new arrival is another granddaughter for Mr. and Mrs. Jim McLeod.**

Mr and Mrs C E Williams, who have been residing in Holden for the past few months, moved to Ryley the end of July, and will make their [illegible] home there.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Sorensen, who have been on holiday for a week and a half visiting their son Gary and wife at [illegible]lle, Washington, returned [illegible] Tuesday of last week, stopping at points in the mountains en route home. David, who had been visiting with his brother for five weeks, returned home with his parents. We [illegible] the [illegible] did some fishing while away, making some really good catches.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sandeman [illegible] family of Victoria, B.C., arrived Monday evening of last week to visit for a few days with Irene's mother, Mrs. Mary [illegible]. They left on their return home Thursday evening. They have been camping at various points during their trip to [illegible]den.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and son Robert, and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor were business visitors in Edmonton Monday of last week.

Mr and Mrs. Alvin Locke of Edmonton were Saturday evening visitors and overnight guests with Mrs. Locke's sister, Mrs. Bertha Sanderson, a week ago.

The R. Raltons of Edmonton were evening visitors with Marilyn's aunt, Saturday, Aug. 6, and overnight guests with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ferum.

Alan Tiedemann, who is employed in Edmonton, visited for a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Tiedemann, and brothers, [illegible] back with them on the [illegible] evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visiting with their daughter and family, the Ernie Mertes, in the Viking district, [illegible] were out picking saskatoons.

Mike Cwhula [illegible] sons of Winnipeg are visiting around the district with his brothers, John and Paul and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black and Milton spent a f[illegible] days recently holidaying at Banff, and enjoyed lovely warm weather while there.

Joe Alexander has been busy the last while "counting noses" around Holden, in preparation for the new voters list.

Lana Black, who has been spending the past three or four weeks at camp at Pine Lake, returned home Sunday [illegible]ing. While at camp, Lana [illegible] part in some of the plays put on by the teaching staff, one of which was filmed and will be shown in some of the schools in the near future, to encourage young people to take part in these endeavors.

Mrs. Lars Ritland entertained several friends and neighbours for afternoon tea last Monday.

**GARDEN RAIDERS**

Mrs. Mary James was very surprised on going to her garden last Friday morning, to find that three cauliflower which were ready for use had already been cut by someone. She hopes the party responsible enjoyed them! There has been quite a bit of "garden-raiding" around Holden, in some instances pulling up the whole plant.

Mike and Joe Ozipko of Edmonton were visitors with relatives in the district over the weekend.

On Sunday, Aug. 14, Rev. W. H. McDannold of Tofield was in charge of the service at Holden United Church, while Mr Bateman took the service at Tofield United Church. This is part of a team ministry, embracing Tofield, Ryley and Holden, and will occur once a month.

**AT SON'S WEDDING**

On Saturday, Aug. 6, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy attended the marriage of their only son, Douglas, to Miss Patricia Norma Mallard in Edmonton. The happy couple will make their home in Edmonton.

Sam Sroka of Edmonton was a visitor over the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Tekla Sroka.

Postmaster Gene Bilyk is taking his annual holiday. Mrs. Mary Semeliuk is helping during his absence, and Mrs. Betty Koetke on a part-time basis.

Earl Hardy, vice-principal of Holden School, and Lars Olsen, former principal, have been attending the 18th annual conference of locals of the A.T.A., which was held at the Banff School of Fine Arts, as delegates from the local A.T.A.

Robert Taylor and small son [illegible] Sunday afternoon callers at the home of his [illegible] Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor.

Mrs. W[illegible] Johnson is taking a three weeks' annual holiday from her duties at the Holden Drug Store. She is visiting with her mother in Ryley, and her sister, who is here on a trip from England.

[illegible], who was relieving [illegible] Constable [illegible] was taking his holidays, left last week for British Columbia, where he is planning to reside, having sold his farm in the district.

Albert Johnson, who is employed with a road construction crew near Drayton Valley, has been home the past two weeks, the weather being too wet to do road work in that district.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story are reported to be progressing favorably from injuries received in a car accident.

## The weather

| Aug. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 10 | 70 | 55 | 29.81 | .22" rain |
| 11 | 48 | 44 | 29.90 | .18" rain |
| 12 | 63 | 37 | 30.12 | .01" rain |
| 13 | 62 | 48 | — | — |
| 14 | 71 | [illegible] | — | .03" rain |
| 15 | 72 | [illegible] | 29.92 | .02" rain |
| 16 | 50 | 51 | 29.93 | .04" rain |
| 17 | — | 43 | 30.25 | — |

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# PUBLIC NOTICE!

The Special Committee of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta appointed for the purpose of enquiring into and receiving representations and recommendations as to:

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2) The educational opportunities presently being offered in elementary and secondary schools, and

3) The problem of centralization and consolidation in the rural areas and smaller cities with particular reference to vocational high schools.

will meet at the following centres:

- LACOMBE—Elementary School Gymnasium August 22 at 10:00 a.m.
- INNISFAIL—High School Gymnasium August 22 at 3:00 p.m.
- OLDS—Elementary School Gymnasium August 22 at 7:30 p.m.
- CREMONA—High School Gymnasium August 23 at 9:00 a.m.
- HIGH RIVER—Memorial Centre August 23 at 7:30 p.m.
- FORT MACLEOD—Court House August 24 at 10:30 a.m.
- FOREMOST—Community Hall August 24 at 4:00 p.m.
- IRVINE—School Auditorium August 25 at 9:30 a.m.
- BASSANO—School Auditorium August 25 at 4:00 p.m.
- BEISEKER—Memorial Hall August 26 at 11:00 a.m.
- MORRIN—School Auditorium August 26 at 4:00 p.m.
- CAMROSE—Vocational School, Audio Visual Aids Rm. August 29 at 10:30 a.m.
- PROVOST—Community Hall August 29 at 7:30 p.m.
- WAINWRIGHT—School Auditorium August 30 at 9:30 a.m.
- DEWBERRY—School Auditorium August 30 at 4:00 p.m.
- ST. PAUL—Court House August 30 at 8:00 p.m.
- RADWAY—High School Auditorium August 31 at 10:30 a.m.

Meetings will be open to the public and all persons interested are invited to attend.

Persons and associations who forwarded written submissions to the Committee will be advised to the locations where their Briefs will be heard by the Committee.

R. B. Lamothe, Chairman,
Legislative Committee on School Centralization,
313 Legislative Building,
Edmonton, Alberta.

**Bethany Busy Bees**

Residents of Bethany Home and Hospital who attend therapeutic classes under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Fjeldheim. With the exception of several who were unable to be present when the photograph was taken, they are prizewinners in the handicraft sections of both the Camrose Fair and the Edmonton Exhibition this year. Back row, left to right: Mrs. Ida Sand, Olav Pederson, Mrs. C. Leiren. Front, left to right: Miss Alma Harber, Mrs. Lena Olson, Mrs. Emma Hagen, Mrs. Caroline Davick, Mrs. Anna Watland, Mrs. Mary Petersen, Mrs. Anna Sandahl, Mrs. Tilda Prestlien, Mrs. Jenny Haakstad, Mrs. Anna Haugen, Mrs. S. Olesberg. Mrs. Margaret Fjeldheim, occupational therapist, is standing behind Mrs. L. M. Gunderson in wheelchair. Prizewinning handicrafts are displayed and include quilts, crochet, knitting, rugs, tatting, basketry, leathercraft, lamps, novelties and other items, all beautifully finished. —Camrose Canadian Newsphoto.

# Fine and original work comes from Bethany

Residents of Bethany Home and Hospital won a large number of prizes at Camrose Agricultural Fair and at the Klondike Days exhibition in Edmonton. Altogether they presented 112 items in the handicraft sections, and the production of them required a great deal of time, patience and skill.

Originality was the characteristic of quite a few of their exhibits. One example of this was a wall ornament. The base was a broken light fixture, a square of narrow bands of black metal; the background, stucco wire sprayed with a copper tone. A tastefully grouped spray of plastic flowers in a half-pint fruit basket and all sprayed with the same tone, was attached to the wire; the result was extremely effective. It was made by Mrs. M. Vialeed.

The white knitted dog with a long body, made by Mrs. Haakstad, looked like a cuddly toy for a child, but had a practical use undiscovered until the tail was lifted. Pressing the spray cap released a stream of air freshener.

**SUPPORT FROM BUSINESS**

Mrs. Margaret Fjeldheim, occupational therapist at Bethany, said in an interview that between 30 and 40 persons attend the therapeutic classes. She added that local stores are thoughtful of their needs. For example, the plastic flowers used in the ornament described above were donated to the institution by Builders' Hardware following the fire on their premises, and Safeway's gave them the fruit baskets.

## From the scrapbook

Gaze into your dreams, but despise not life. To live with what talents we have, amid what circumstances we know, meeting what opportunities we face, doing our best in all things and giving our best to all men.

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## Palmer-Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, August 12 — Mr. and Mrs. John Bruce and Merlin were weekend visitors with the Roy Elanders at Calgary.

Janet Bruce is attending the McTavish Business College in Edmonton.

The Ralph and Alvin Knudsons Chester Throndsons and Clifford Carlsons attended the wedding of their neice Sharon Knudson in Saskatchewan, August 6.

Myrtle Oslund, Ryley, spent the week at the Laurence Pearse home.

Theodore Grue, Edmonton, was a business caller Thursday.

Pastor and Mrs. Martin Knudsen and Carol of Wynyard, Sask., are visiting relatives and friends in the district.

The Hemming Naslunds and Mrs. Karen Pederson returned from a month's trip by plane to Sweden and Denmark.

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# Cossey-Sadaway rites solemnized July 2nd

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

Summer flowers made a pretty setting at the Avonmore United Church on July 2 for the wedding of Diane Lillian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Sadaway of St. Michael, and Terrance Ralph Cossey, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cossey of Tofield. Rev. Simpson officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride looked lovely in a floor-length classic sheath of white crepe, with lace bodice and lace lily-point sleeves. Her veil, made of chantilly lace, extended into a beautiful sweeping train. She carried a cascade bouquet of talisman roses.

Mrs. Robert Canart, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and bridesmaids were Leon Jarigan, niece of the bride, Daphne Eglinski and Cheryle Pollock. They wore identical gowns of pale yellow satin shantung with matching shoulder-length veils of nylon tulle. Each carried a bouquet of white shasta 'mums with yellow ribbons. Dressed in similar fashion was the flower girl, petite Marcella Malynk, niece of the bride.

Best man was Robert Canart. The groom's other attendants were Grant Cossey, Robert Antonuik and Jim Kotouychuk. Ushering the guests were John Jarigan and Ross Cossey.

The soloist sang two selections, "Wedding Prayer" and "The Lord's Prayer".

For the occasion, the bride's mother chose an afternoon dress of powder blue lace with biege accessories and a corsage of pink roses. The mother of the groom wore a rosewood crepe and lace ensemble with white accessories and corsage of white roses.

A reception was held in the Delph National Hall for 600 guests. A four-tiered wedding cake flanked by flowers centered the head table. Master of ceremonies Alex Kuryle called on John Warner to propose the toast to the bride, to which the groom responded. Honored guests at the head table were the groom's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cossey and Mrs. J. Bailey, all of Tofield.

Out of the province guests were Mrs. Jarigan, John and Lona and Miss Sharon Lane, all of San Antonio, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Edstrom and family of Kelowna, B.C. Zenon Sadoway from Nova Scotia, Mrs. Cecil Bailey of Chilliwack, B.C., Miss Cheryle Pollock of Winnipeg and Mrs. Jeffries of Campbell River, B.C.

Before leaving on a motor trip to the Prince Rupert area in B.C., the bride changed to a turquoise terrylene [illegible] dress with white accessories and wore a rose corsage.

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**Novelty for N.B. student**

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—Camrose Canadian Newsphoto.

## Hastings Lake notes

(Intended for last week)

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

The Ladies Club met at the home of Mrs Kruger on July 14th. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. R. Peterson August 19th.

**Sympathy is extended to Mr. R. Norman whose father passed away last week.**

Mrs. Weslake is still very ill in the Leduc Hospital.

Mrs. B. Berrecloth has returned home after being camp cook at the Hasting Lake Bible camp for four weeks.

Mrs. Skaret and Mrs. Hendrickson of Camrose visited the Berrecloths on their way home from camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson and family of Edmonton, Lorne and Marg Berrecloth were at the Berrecloth home Saturday evening. Brian and Gloria Berrecloth were home Friday evening


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vessels lost. "We feel responsible. We ARE responsible", Mr. Loopstra said. "Forecasting can be repetitious or a challenge; encouraging, if one has to make a difficult decision and it turns out right, discouraging if it is wrong. Sometimes it's a toss-up and it might be more fair to tell the public we don't know, but we get together and make up our minds. A marine forecast and an aviation forecast in the same locale must be consistent. It takes a man possibly a year or two on a station to interpret what the particular pattern of a chart means in that location.

**FIELD RECONSTRUCTION**

What about training for this work? Mr. Loopstra said some of the people at Anchorage received training while in the Air Force but he and others took the 4-year course at university, most of them winding up with a B.Sc. "Some men go on to take a master's degree", he said, "but if they have a doctorate, they usually work in research at, say, Washington, D.C. The field of employment in weather work has become rather restricted. There was more opportunity earlier when it was growing". Mr. Loopstra was stationed at Washington in 1956-57. It is the principal centre in the U.S. from which most of the guidance material is derived

Mr and Mrs. Loopstra and family left for Anchorage on Sunday, after a tour in Canada and the U.S They will not come out of Alaska again for another two years when their next six-weeks' vacation is due.

## Ministik news items

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

**T. H. Pollman of 9909 - 73 Avenue, Edmonton, was the winner of the 7-piece patio set recently raffled by the Community Club.**

Mrs. Genevieve Smith of Litchfield, Minnesota, has been visiting with her cousin, Mrs. Irene Williams, for a week. On Friday and Saturday they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Williams, and visited Mrs. S. George on Saturday afternoon.

**HERE FROM OTTAWA**

Mrs. Morris Tudor and Gerry of London, Ontario, are visiting for a week with Mrs. Tudor's mother, Mrs. Alma Holmes, and her brother and family, the Jim Holmes. One of her chief reasons for making a trip West was to see her son Jim graduate as an R.C.M.P. at Regina He has been posted to Nova Scotia. Jim stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Happy Holmes several years ago on the farm.

Mrs. Alex Pearice was an Edmonton shopper last Thursday.

Mrs. S George spent the weekend in Edmonton with her son and family, the Walter George family

**SPILSTEAD WINS TROPHY**

In the second ball game played for the Harold Donham trophy, Spilstead were the victors, defeating the Ministik team by a score of 15 to 5. The game was played at the Spilstead diamond.

Mrs Andrew Ferguson has been a victim of the stomach 'flu the last few days.

## Ladies' Club meets at local campsite

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK —The August meeting of the Ministik Ladies' Club was held at the local camp-site, with 11 members and one visitor present. Some plans were made for the annual fall bazaar. Entertainment was in the form of a spelling contest with Mrs Albert Horricks in charge. Best spellers were Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and Mrs. S George

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## CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our many relatives, friends and neighbors for their kindness, expressions of sympathy, beautiful flowers and memorial gifts received during our bereavement. Special thanks to the ladies who served and assisted with the lunch.
—Mrs. Gladys Steffen and Girls. 51p-3385

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Sunday, Aug. 21st
10:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
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**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, Aug. 21st
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service
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Sunday, Aug. 21st
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10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

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Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
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## Hastings Lake

(Intended for last week)

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lawrence and family have returned to St. Helen, Portland, U.S.A. after spending a 10 day holiday here with Bertha's mother, Mrs. M. Gladue.

The Ralph Teed family have returned to Yellowknife, N.W.T. after being here for the summer holiday with Ralph's aunt, Mrs. M. Gladue.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gladue of Trail, B.C., were in the district last week visiting relatives and old friends.

Holly Teed, daughter of Joy and Dennis Teed of Yellowknife, is visiting with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. P. Ward.

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# Lakeshore-McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

On Sunday of last week, after attending the Lakeshore-McKenzie community picnic, Clarice Jacobsen went home with her friend Elaine Walker and was an overnight and Monday guest of Elaine's before returning home.

Emery Phillips and his son and daughter-in-law, Clarence and Jean Phillips, all of Edmonton, were Friday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton on the farm.

Vi and Ted Kremsater and daughter Janet of Edmonton were Saturday supper, overnight and Sunday until late evening guests at the home of Vi's sister Ida and George Niemetz.

Clarice Jacobsen spent from Thursday to Saturday visiting her friend Florence Stutzman at her home.

John Wood was a visitor in Edmonton Friday and was an overnight guest at the home of his daughter Evie and Vic Halwa. On Saturday afternoon Evie and Vic and son David motored to Lakeshore and brought John home with them. They were Saturday supper and evening guests of John and Mary before returning home.

Mrs. Johnny (Gloria) Wood and little daughter Cathy and Gloria's sister Linda Miller motored to Onoway to the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller. Gloria took Linda home after she had spent a month of her holidays with her.

Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen were Monday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Joe and Eva McLennan.

**ANNUAL PICNIC**

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and daughter Janet motored to Ma-Me-O Beach on Pigeon Lake, where they joined about 75 or more relatives and friends of both Roy and Ruth, from Alix, Clive, Tees, Lacombe, Edmonton and other districts on Sunday for their annual picnic and had both dinner and supper there. They stayed overnight with relatives, returning home Monday evening, and report a very enjoyable time had by all.

**MUSEUMS VISITED**

On Sunday Sandy and Irene Scott and daughter Betty Ann of Lindbrook, Bill and Mary Tiedemann and daughter Sharron of Deville; Yvonne and Peter Brown and Yvonne's sister Lucille all of Ketchamoot. David Bertch of Edmonton and Emil and Martha Tiedemann of Lakeshore joined in a motor trip, with accompanying picnic baskets. They motored to Andrew to see the large collection of antiques belonging to Mr. Nick Cebuliak, and ate their picnic dinner at the campsite at Andrew. After showing the antique collection Mr. Cebuliak accompanied them across the ferry to Pakan to see that Fort Victoria Museum and near the museum an old house over 100 years old, now the home of James Mitchell. They also visited the graves of the children of the late Rev. Geo. McDougall, early missionary at Pakan. After this sight-seeing trip they returned home Sunday evening, all reporting having a very enjoyable day.

**BIRTHDAY OBSERVED**

Vern and Kay Walker entertained members of the Walker family at a family get-together and birthday party on Sunday in honor of Vern's mother, Mrs. Ida Walker whose birthday was on Monday. Among those attending were Ila's family, namely her two daughters and families, Jean and Dick Jenkins and family and some friends of Grassland; Pauline and Sandy Petrovich and girls of Edmonton. Ronnie Walker at home with his mother; her son Melvin and Rose Walker and family as well as Ila and her sister, Mrs. Mildred Wheeler of California, who is at present visiting her.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton and Mervin Ross were afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg on two occasions last week.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg left Tuesday afternoon with their daughter Janet, and will be overnight guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Vivian Jones. On Wednesday Roy and Ruth will accompany Janet and Vivian on a motor trip to Vancouver and other points in B.C.

Don Rolands and wife Jackie of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and tea guests at the home of Don's aunt, Mrs. Ethel Wood.

Mrs. Isabel Rudacki, Mrs. Rose Walker, Mrs. Katie Baergen and Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen called on Mrs. Mary (George) Schroder last Wednesday afternoon to help her celebrate her birthday.

## LOCALS . . .

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Davison enjoyed a week holiday visiting friends at Cadomin, Howe Pass and Rogers Pass to Revelstoke, returing home via Red Deer.

Dennis and Louida Reil took care of things and looked after the milking of 23 head of cows during their absence.

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## UCW marks birthdays at August meeting

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The Lakeshore United Church Women held their August meeting in the Tofield United church basement on Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 16. After the completion of the meeting several of the Tofield Senior UCW arrived, making a total of 24 ladies present to enjoy a delicious birthday luncheon, served by some of the Lakeshore ladies in honor of Mrs. Ila Walker, whose birthday was August 15, and Mrs. Isobel Rudzcki whose birthday falls on August 18th. The birthday cake was baked and decorated by Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen, and all joined in singing "Happy Birthday" to Mrs. Walker and Isobel. It was also a farewell for Mrs. Walker's sister, Mrs. Mildred Wheeler of California who will be leaving on Thursday to return to her home.

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# Ross Creek news

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

Shelley Schacher of Sherwood Park is holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Schacher and Tracy.

The Malcolm boys report a successful trip to Mann Lake last weekend, in spite of the rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Schacher visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wally Yux on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey have left on a holiday to the Okanagan in British Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Schacher visited with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice VanBuskirk on Sunday evening to see the pictures they took on their recent trip to the coast.

**Among the students who successfully completed their grade nine exams were Maxine Schacher, Norman McLachlan, Evelyn Ferrel, Gordon Antoniuk, Lucille Stadnick and Pat Shaptiekl.**

"Grandpa" Cossey celebrated his birthday on Sunday, and nearly all his family were home for the occasion. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cossey and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Halberg of Ross Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cossey and family of Bon Accord, and Mrs. Emma Borstad, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schneider and Cindy and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Cossey, all of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Cossey and Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Zazoola spent the weekend camping at Mann Lake.

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# Locals around town

**HERE FROM ONTARIO**

Miss Kathy May of Belleville, Ont. has been visiting for the past week with her uncle and aunt and cousins, the John Moore family, her grandmother Mrs Mary Moore, and the Francis families in Tofield. She also visited Wayne Moore and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs V. May in Edmonton Thursday. She will leave by CNR for Vancouver to visit with the J. E. Pedersens, Louise Moore and her aunt and uncle Mr and Mrs Bert Lovell, White Rock, B.C.

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**LAWN PARTY**

Guests at Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ericsson on Sunday for a lawn party were, Bill and Muriel Kleinschroth and family, Mrs. Ollie Kleinschroth, Brian Meehan, all of Edmonton, Gene Kleinschroth of Foymount, Ont., George and Alma Undin, Rudolph and Louisa Undin and family, Clifford and Ruth Gibson and family, Ellen, Ronnie, Barbara, Gordon and Glen Eckdahl, all of Kingman, Mary Bigelow of Violet Grove; Parnell Lee of Round Hill; Helge and Emma Reger and grandson Darell Heigeland of Camrose, and Mrs. Annie Sirdar.

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Mrs. Annie Sirdar, along with her daughter Jennie and Alice, returned home on Friday after a two-week holiday in southern Alberta and Vancouver, coming home via the Rogers Pass.

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Roger Kleinschroth of Edmonton is spending a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Erickson.

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Mr and Mrs Andy Jelbert and family from Edmonton were Sunday guests with Mr and Mrs. W. A. Mitchell. Sheila and Andrea remained for a holiday with their grandparents.

## Lions . . .

(Continued from Page 1)

of International President in Edmonton on August 1st., at which time they learned that the major project for the year is a $50,000.00 Peace Essay Contest. Matters of repairs to existing projects were discussed, to be attended to before winter sets in.

Marg Haworth and son Tim and Marg's sister, Mrs. Cunningham from Edmonton, spent from Thursday until Monday at Tisdale, Sask., visiting relatives. Kerry Haworth, who has been visiting there for the past six weeks, returned home with them.

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Zip Gray spent from Thursday to Monday with Dede and Robert Goubault at Drayton Valley. On Saturday they motored to Cadomin to visit with Mildred and Findley Dunlop, returning to Drayton on Sunday night.

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Barbara and Kris Knutson from Estevan, Sask., Bob and Alberta Hafner from Fort St. John, B.C., Tommy Mitchell from Vanderhoof, B.C., Alan Ratcliff from Salmon Arm, B.C. and Stan Jenkins from Edmonton are visiting with the Walter Tiedemann family.

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Peggy and Red Fulton from Portland, Ore., spent the past ten days with Peggy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Pointer.

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Annie Chilcowich and Carolyn motored to Fort Saskatchewan on Friday to help Toni move into his new home on Saturday. Annie's brother, Mike Bolenchuk from Warspite is assisting his brother-in-law, Pete Chilcowich with his new garage.

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Floyd and Netty Kendall and Kenny from Edmonton spent Sunday with Floyd's mother, Mrs. [illegible]

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Pat Rabby and baby daughter Dawn Marie from Calgary are spending two weeks with Pat's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tod Gray.

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Mrs. Alma Foshaug returned recently from a trip to La Glace, where she visited her son Talbert and family and other friends.

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Capt Donald E. Stinson, Mrs Stinson, daughters Mary and Jennifer returned to Milton, Ont., Wednesday afternoon of last week. Holly Stinson stayed over for a week longer visit with her grandparents here.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jefferson of Coaldale, were in Tofield on Wednesday and Thursday of last week on a business trip. They were overnight guests with Mr and Mrs. D. W. Jacobs.

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Mr and Mrs. Chas. F. Kallal and family have returned from their holiday trip to the U.S., and Disneyland. They report excellent weather every day of their outing. Jimmie did not make the trips as previously reported.

**HOME FROM TRIP**

Rev. W. L. and Mrs. Hammett returned on Friday of last week from their three month trip to Britain, Norway and other points. They report varying weather conditions but enjoyed the trip very much.

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Mr and Mrs. J. R. Francis returned on Tuesday of last week from their four-week trip to Britain, where they visited with relatives. They report cool weather ther and quite a lot of rain during their stay there.

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**[illegible] BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. D. W. Jacobs was honored on her [illegible] birthday last Saturday by daughters, Esther Anderson, Ida Carey, and daughter-in-law, Ingrid Jacobs at the home of the former. Quite a number of friends were present for tea and a visit. On Monday she was again the guest of honor when Mrs. C. R. Burchard had friends for dinner at her home.

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Mrs. W. H. McDonald had as guests for a week, her sisters, Mrs Lova Finter of Vancouver, Mrs. A. A. Sanford and Miss Ruth Ball of Edmonton. They returned to Edmonton Sunday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Allan, Stewart and Heather returned Monday of last week from a holiday at Jasper.

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Dr. Stephen Fushtey, Mrs. Fushtey and four children of Guelph, Ont., were weekend visitors at the Everitt home. Mrs. Fushtey and Mrs. Everitt are sisters.

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Mrs Editha Davison, nieces, Karen and Marilyn have returned from Winnipeg and other points and are away to visit at Drayton Valley.


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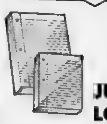

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Champion York boar

Knute Berg, Camrose, is shown with his Yorkshire boar, White Cloud 5W which was champion at Edmonton, Vermilion and Red Deer, and Reserve champion at Calgary and Camrose agricultural shows this year.

## Local girl volunteers in C.U.S.O. program

A local girl, Phyllis Milligan of Tofield is one of twelve students from the Edmonton area who are presently studying at the University of British Columbia, and Loyola University, Montreal, in a six weeks training period to prepare for Canadian University Overseas Volunteer Service.

Miss Milligan, 22, will go to India as a volunteer nurse for a two-year period; and among the subjects being covered in the preparatory training classes are a study of the background and customs of the country to which they are assigned, languages and proper health care.

There are 400 young people from Canada assigned to 35 different foreign countries in the C.U.S.O. program. While they work there they will receive only the same salary as native workers. They will leave in September for their various destinations.

## ARDA to survey pastures shortly

Headed by Ken Miller, survey chief, an ARDA survey team will move into this area in the near future to check on a number of items in connection with pasture use and development here. Farmers in the district will form part of the body of more than 600 farmers whose answers will be used to develop possible changes in regulations governing grazing lands, reports Frank Kehoe, district agriculturist.

A pasture research grant totalling $43,700 has been awarded the Department of Agricultural Economics at the University of Alberta by the ARDA. The purpose of the two-year grant, according to Dr H. C. Love, Project Director, is to examine the costs and possible benefits of improving public lands for increased grazing capacity in Alberta.

The pressure on grazing lands in the Province is rising. During the ten year period 1951-61, the number of head of grazing livestock in Alberta increased by 55 per cent. During this same period, however, grazing land acreage increased by only 1½%. The problem is further complicated by the fact that with population increases, Canadians eat more beef annually.

Phase two will include a survey interview with more than 600 farmers and ranchers in Alberta who are using the public grazing lands. Data from this phase will provide provincial Administrators with much of the information needed to allocate public funds for the development or improvement of eight grazing areas in the province. Comparisons of the rate of improvement on public and private lands will be estimated.

The first phase of this study was conducted during the summer of 1965 and examined pasture problems in the province from the viewpoint of the individual farmer or rancher in order to assist provincial Administrators in estimating the demand for public grazing lands and the need for increased development.

Dr. Wayne Fuller of Iowa State University visited the University of Alberta during the week of June 6th to assist with the planning of this project. Dr. Fuller is an internationally famous statistician whose specialty is in the area of designing survey projects which will yield the greatest amount of reliable information in the most efficient manner.

## Auctioneer dies after long illness

A well known Edmonton auctioneer, Donald Clare Ball, 35, of RR1 Ardrossan died Thursday after a lengthy illness.

Since 1946, Mr. Ball has been associated with Ball, Jacobs, Ball Auction Service. After his father, Donald Ball Sr., died in 1964, the firm became known as Ball and Jacobs Auction Service.

The firm handled all auction sales for the Edmonton Exhibition Association.

Born in Red Deer, Mr. Ball moved to Edmonton in 1941 where he attended Victoria Composite High School, before attending auctioneers school at Decatur, Indiana.

Mr. Ball was the past-secretary of the Alberta Auctioneers Association, a member of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Roman Catholic Church in Sherwood Park and a member of the Belvedere Golf and Country Club.

He is survived by his wife, Norene; one son, David; four daughters, Karen, Lynn, Janice and Marilyn at home; his moth-

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## Community bids farewell to Laubers

Mrs. Oliver Lehman

DODDS-RYLEY, Aug. 23rd. Relatives and friends met at the Grand Forks Community Centre to bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lauber and family who are leaving the community and moving to Edmonton, to make their home.

A program was held consisting of a reading by Thelma Vaeglin and a song by Edith Boettger's Sunday School class. There were speeches by several people, and a community singsong. Maynard Stauffer presented Clarence and Wilma with a purse of money from the community. The couple thanked everyone for coming and making the evening such a memorable one, and invited all to visit them in their new home.

## Camrose lad drowns in Mirror Lake

5-year-old Phillip Jonathan Skiba drowned in Mirror Lake Saturday evening, shortly after supper, as he and some playmates played on the old bridge. Apparently he fell into the reservoir, and was unable to clamber out.

Playing with him at the time were his brother Vernon, 8, and possibly his sister, Linda. City police are under the impression the older boy ran for help, but police were alerted by an unidentified adult.

The accident took place on the old bridge, immediately north of the RCMP barracks, which has been closed to vehicle traffic for some years. As part of the Mirror Lake park, however, pedestrians frequently use the bridge.

Dr. H. F. MacInnis, whose home is at the north end of the bridge, and Dr. F. M. Smith were at the scene when the body was recovered by fire department members. Doctors, firemen and police combined to apply artificial resuscitation immediately the body was recovered, but without avail. No inquest was required.

The lad is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Skiba, his brother and sister, his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Skiba, his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Shaward, and his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Frank Ostrowski.

Funeral services were held this morning at 10.30 from St. Francis Xavier Church, with Rev. Finlay MacDonald officiating. Burial followed in Camrose Cemetery. Burgar's Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

## Theatre re-opens

The Tofield Community Theatre will re-open on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 2 - 3, with the feature "Cat Ballou". Show time both nights 8.00 p.m.

The theatre has been closed for the annual two months holiday season, during July and August.

## Make choices soon for Royal

The Alberta Department of Agriculture will again assist livestock breeders with an exhibit at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair in November.

Breeders planning to nominate beef or dairy cattle, sheep and horses should forward their nominations to W. C. Gordon, Livestock Commissioner, Alberta Department of Agriculture, Legislative Building, Edmonton, prior to September 10.

Because there may be a few changes in classifications, breeders planning to nominate should write to the Royal for a 1966 livestock prize list as soon as it is available.

## Pen still mighty

If the pen is mightier than the sword, the typewriter which has largely replaced the pen must be mightier than whole armies.

The theory seems borne out in a recent article by Erle Stanley Gardner, well known criminologist and possibly dean of the mystery story writers, in which he commends the recent book by Isabel LeBourdais titled The Trial of Steven Truscott.

While the material forwarded to The Canadian is frankly promotional, still Mr. Gardner's comments deserve some attention as he goes on to say "This Truscott case is a typical example of what can happen when authorities grasp a seemingly obvious solution, decide a suspect is guilty, and then start looking for evidence to bolster their contention. . . .

" . . . it is high time the public generally realized how very easy it is to reach wrong conclusions in cases of this sort, and how dangerous it is to first get a suspect, and then try to fit the facts to the case . . . "

"If competent newspaper reporters had been present at the trial and had been writing up the testimony, I doubt very much if the highly significant testimony on behalf of the defense would have been so generally dismissed as being fabrication or unimportant."

Mr. Gardner's statement may be made from the viewpoint of American courtroom procedure and American reporting, but his experience and broad background demand a good deal of consideration be given his remarks. Only as a minor point, we find the importance he attached to press coverage is highly flattering.

## Stiff competition

A businessman friend recently commented rather acidly on the manner in which so many important business corners are being bought up by the banks for their operations, leaving only somewhat poorer business locations for the merchandising world. It's a trend which has occasioned comment in many centres, too, as the number of branch banks increases almost by mathematical progression.

Our friend may forget, of course, that banking, no less than retailing, is a highly competitive business, and if a location can be considered good for one business serving the public, it probably would be just as logically a good location for a bank.

All the same, when businesses are competitive, prices usually are pretty sharp, and retailers find it hard to explain why banks always seem able to outbid them, even paying incomprehensible prices at times.

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## Challenge for Canadians

How do you make increased ownership of Canadian industry by Canadians palatable to outsiders and attractive to Canadians themselves. In a recent address to a life insurance group, W. Harold Rea, said he felt the "erosion of Canadian ownership of industry to foreign interests" was proceeding at an alarming rate.

As chairman of Great Canadian Oil Sands Ltd., Mr. Rea speaks with considerable authority, but if memory serves us correctly, Mr. Rea was also head of Canadian Oil Company, before its shareholders sold out to Shell for an inflated figure, and on this basis would speak with even more knowledge and background of his subject.

Mr. Rea made some suggestions, The Financial Post has offered some more, and more yet are expected from the Carter Royal Commission on Taxation.

Suggestions to spur Canadians into buying shares of their own companies include the thought the government might allow them to deduct half or even all of their Canadian dividend from personal income taxes payable, instead of the 20% credit now allowed. Estate taxes might be waived on the part of an estate invested in Canadian ownership securities, if indeed, estate taxes aren't eliminated completely. Ways might be found to encourage more pension and insurance money to move into the area of equities.

The challenge, comments one noted writer, is to devise a climate that encourages Canadians with imagination and drive to grasp the opportunities that country offers in abundance. Tax incentives are only one method. Canada's best brains ought to be put into the effort to find other workable incentives as well.

And during the process, no little thought should be given the damaging effects of the runaway inflation which is destroying the value of money saved and laid aside against the future.

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**TOWN OF TOFIELD**

VOTERS' LIST

NOTICE is hereby given under provisions of the Town & Village Act that the Voters' List of the Town of Tofield has been prepared and that a copy of the said Voters' List is posted in the office of the Secretary-Treasurer. The list is open for inspection during regular office hours.

Any qualified elector may make application for the correction of any error or omission in the said Voters' List by serving notice to the Secretary-Treasurer in writing before the 7th day of September, 1966.

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## Lakeshore-McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Alvin and Ellen Steen of Calgary arrived on Wednesday and were guests at the home of Ellen's mother, Mrs. Ila Walker. On Thursday, Mrs. Walker and her sister, Mrs. Mildred Wheeler of California returned to Calgary with them. Mrs. Wheeler intended taking the plane from there home and Mrs. Walker planned to visit with Ellen and Alvin for awhile.

We were glad to report that Colleen Walker was able to return home from the hospital on Saturday and all wish her a complete recovery.

**FAMILY GET-TOGETHER**

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## Pen still mighty

If the pen is mightier than the sword, the typewriter which has largely replaced the pen must be mightier than while armies.

The theory seems borne out in a recent article by Erle Stanley Gardner, well known criminologist and possibly dean of the mystery story writers, in which he commends the recent book by Isabel LeBourdais titled The Trial of Steven Truscott.

While the material forwarded to The Canadian is frankly promotional, still Mr. Gardner's comments deserve some attention as he goes on to say "The Truscott case is a typical example of what can happen when authorities grasp a seemingly obvious solution, decide a suspect is guilty, and then start looking for evidence to bolster their contention. . . .

" . . . it is high time the public generally realized how very easy it is to reach wrong conclusions in cases of this sort, and how dangerous it is to first get a suspect, and then try to fit the facts to the case . . . "

"If competent newspaper reporters had been present at the trial and had been writing up the testimony, I doubt very much if the highly significant testimony on behalf of the defense would have been so generally dismissed as being fabrication or unimportant."

Mr. Gardner's statement may be made from the viewpoint of American courtroom procedure and American reporting, but his experience and broad background demand a good deal of consideration be given his remarks. Only as a minor point, we find the importance he attached to press coverage is highly flattering.

## Stiff competition

A businessman friend recently commented rather acidly on the manner in which so many important business corners are being bought up by the banks for their operations, leaving only somewhat poorer business locations for the merchandising world. It's a trend which has occasioned comment in many centres, too, as the number of branch banks increases almost by mathematical progression.

Our friend may forget, of course, that banking, no less than retailing, is a highly competitive business, and if a location can be considered good for one business serving the public, it probably would be just as logically a good location for a bank.

All the same, when businesses are competitive, prices usually are pretty sharp, and retailers find it hard to explain why banks always seem able to outbid them, even paying incomprehensible prices at times.

And all at just six per cent, too! My, my!

## Challenge for Canadians

How do you make increased ownership of Canadian industry by Canadians palatable to outsiders and attractive to Canadians themselves. In a recent address to a life insurance group, W. Harold Rea, said he felt the "erosion of Canadian ownership of industry to foreign interests" was proceeding at an alarming rate.

As chairman of Great Canadian Oil Sands Ltd., Mr. Rea speaks with considerable authority, but if memory serves us correctly, Mr. Rea was also head of Canadian Oil Company, before its shareholders sold out to Shell for an inflated figure, and on this basis would speak with even more knowledge and background of his subject.

Mr. Rea made some suggestions. The Financial Post has offered some more, and more yet are expected from the Carter Royal Commission on Taxation.

Suggestions to spur Canadians into buying shares of their own companies include the thought the government might allow them to deduct half or even all of their Canadian dividend from personal income taxes payable, instead of the 20% credit now allowed. Estate taxes might be waived on the part of an estate invested in Canadian ownership securities, if indeed, estate taxes aren't eliminated completely. Ways might be found to encourage more pension and insurance money to move into the area of equities.

The challenge, comments one noted writer, is to devise a climate that encourages Canadians with imagination and drive to grasp the opportunities that country offers in abundance. Tax incentives are only one method. Canada's best brains ought to be put into the effort to find other workable incentives as well.

And during the process, no little thought should be given the damaging effects of the runaway inflation which is destroying the value of money saved and laid aside against the future.


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## Lakeshore-McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Alvin and Ellen Steen of Calgary arrived on Wednesday and were guests at the home of Ellen's mother, Mrs. Ila Walker. On Thursday, Mrs. Walker and her sister, Mrs. Mildred Wheeler of California returned to Calgary with them Mrs. Wheeler intended taking the plane from there home and Mrs. Walker planned to visit with Ellen and Alvin for awhile.

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# Holden and district news items

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Olah Skybora has purchased the Joe Chasmuke residence and will be moving into it the early part of September. The Chasmukes have bought a house in Edmonton, where they will make their future home.

Alan Tiedemann of Edmonton was visiting for a couple of days during the week with his family, the Henry Tiedemanns.

Mr. and Mrs. Olah Skybora and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burke left on holidays the early part of last week.

Glen Hovland of Hillsdown was a Thursday visitor at the home of his father, Chris Hovland, and brothers, last week. His son Roger, who has been visiting at the farm for two weeks, returned home and the eldest boy, Rodney, is staying for several days' holiday with his grandfather and uncles.

**IN EDMONTON CONCERT**

A concert was held Aug. 4 in Edmonton, given by students from various points in Alberta who had been attending the Music Workshop in Calgary, which Mrs. Campbell's grandson, Jim Campbell, of Leduc, had also been attending. Jim was the only student selected to play solo parts at the Edmonton concert, the first one on the clarinet and the second on the saxaphone. This orchestra was composed of outstanding musical students who had been at the workshop, and it played at several other cities in the Province, including Lethbridge, Calgary and Grande Prairie. This is the third year that Jim has attended the Workshop, having been awarded bursaries to attend.

Mrs Leo Laskosky is employed at the new Woolworth Store in Camrose, driving there each day.

Mrs. Tom Bratrud of Camrose was visiting with her brother, Lars Ritland, and Mrs. Ritland on Wednesday afternoon of last week. Mrs. T. A. Liden was also at the Ritland home to visit with Mrs. Bratrud.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell entertained at coffee Wednesday afternoon in honour of Mrs. Bateman, the former Dorothy Geeson.

Mrs Eleanor Blair of Taber arrived last Wednesday evening and assisted Metro Pooke in looking after Liden's store for three days while the Lidens were away for a few days at Jasper

Bob Carlson of Red Deer visited for a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carlson, and his brother and sister

**TWINS ARE BORN!**

Mr. and Mrs. Armand Nielson of Stony Plain, former Holden residents, have been receiving congratulations on the birth of identical twin daughters, at Stony Plain Hospital, August 14, one weighing 5 lbs. 5 ozs., the other 5 lbs. 6 ozs. Mrs. Nielson is a niece of Len Sawers, Camrose, one time resident of Holden

Leonard Johnson of Camrose was a Thursday morning visitor at the home of Chris Hovland, both doing some shopping and visiting in Holden later in the day.

**MISSIONARY FOM KENYA**

Mrs. Olga Bilyk had a pleasant surprise last Friday when a former school friend, Albert Werbiski, called on her. Mr. and Mrs Werbiski and family have been in Canada for the past year on furlough from Kenya, where he has been a missionary for the past 4½ years. Mr Werbiski had been visiting with his family in B.C., and was an overnight guest with Mr and Mrs. Mike Zowtuik and family. He was then going to Vegreville to visit with his godfather, who is 80 years old, and then to Regina, where his wife and children were visiting with her family before their return to Kenya.

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Garnet Burnstad,
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## Dodds-Ryley

Mrs. O. Lehman

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sundll of Ryley were recent guests at the Ole Hjelter home in Tofield.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Reil a son, in the Tofield Hospital on Aug. 19th.

Many people from this district attended the Rude-Lauber wedding in the Tofield United Church on Saturday.

Relatives gathered at the Rinold Grinde home recently, to help Mrs. Jean Grinde celebrate her birthday. There were two birthday cakes with lots of other goodies for the birthday lunch

**TO ORIENT**

Byron Lauber is leaving on Thursday for the Orient, and all wish him a safe journey there

Visitors at the Ole Hjelter home on Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lehman and Gordon Whillans.

Master Larry Grinde is spending a few days with his grandparents in Tofield

COUNTY OF BEAVER NO. 9

## HOMEOWNERS' TAX DISCOUNT

Application forms for The Homeowners' Tax Discount are enclosed with the Tax Notices, that were mailed on August 22nd. Extra forms are available and may be picked up at the County Office by those who did not receive one with the tax notice or who may require an additional form.

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# Hastings Lake notes

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

EDITOR'S NOTE: News in this column last week, we learn, was written by Mrs. Gladue more than a year ago, and has caused some concern to a number of our readers, for which we are very sorry. A thorough check has been unable to turn up any acceptable explanation, and The Mercury is still wondering how this exceptional circumstance could have developed. Had the dates been clearly inconsistent, the item would have been questioned. The fact they easily matched a current calendar helped to contribute to the blunder.

The C.W.L. met at the home of Mrs. M. Gladue on August 11th.

Mr. Dunham had a pleasant surprise recently when his sister, Mrs. Davies, arrived from England to spend a few days with him.

Karen and Holly Peterson have returned home after spending a few days with their Uncle Emery in Camrose. Their three small cousins returned with them to visit for a few days.

Mr and Mrs. Bruce Hall of Portland, Oregon, are visiting with Mrs. Hall's grandmother, Mrs. M. Gladue.

The Ladies' Club met at the home of Mrs. R. Peterson on Thursday, Aug. 18th. Plans were made to hold the annual Thanksgiving Supper on October 8th, at the Hall.

# Ministik

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

In the absence of Tom Stephens, who was attending camp at Pigeon Lake, Mr H. Dunham conducted services at the United Church. A visitor from England was welcomed by the congregation. She was Mr. Dunham's youngest sister, Mrs. N. L. Davies of Sutton, Surrey, England, who has been a guest at the Dunham home for the past week.

Mrs. Jean Etheridge and Wayne, of Busby, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horricks.

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# Ross Creek News

Mrs. L. VanBuskirk

Mr and Mrs Gene Carlisle and family, and Mr and Mrs Allan Franklin were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs Maurice VanBuskirk

Maureen McLachlan has returned to her home, after spending the summer holidays working in Edmonton

Mr and Mrs George Oslund of Edmonton, and Mrs. D Oslund of Tofield were Monday visitors with Mr. and Mrs Max Schacher.

Mr and Mrs. Lester McLachlan and family of Fort Saskatchewan were Sunday visitors with Lester's brothers, George, Joe and Raymond.

## Church Notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Aug. 28th
10:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "Lean on the Everlasting Arms".
"A critic is a legless man who teaches running" —C. Pollock.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, Aug. 28th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service
Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. — Bible Study and Prayer.
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**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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Rev. Art Dohlen, Pastor
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10:15 a.m.—Worship Service.
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**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Anglican
Sunday Services
11:00 a.m.—1st Sunday July and August—Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m.—All other Sundays—Matins.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday Schools during June, but none during July and August.
Other services and meetings to be announced

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**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month .......... 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month .......... 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
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MINISTIK—
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## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. John Lamko and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kaluzny were Saturday afternoon visitors in Viking

Mrs. A. Richardson of Tofield was a visitor with Mrs. Brown and Ethel a week ago Monday. Accompanying Mrs. Richardson was Ethel's sister.

Mrs Laura Christianson was a last Sunday evening visitor with Mrs Campbell.

Mrs. Ernest Good entertained at a coffee party last Wednesday morning in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. David Good

Melanie Hammer of Viking has been visiting the past two weeks with her grandmother, Mrs [illegible]

Gene Bilyk and his eldest son, Garry, and daughter Judy left early Monday morning, August 15, for a holiday trip through the Rockies, on their way to visit with Mrs Bilyk's brother Nestor and family at Chilliwack, and various other points in B C They also motored on to Vancouver with the Deputans to attend the exhibition being held there

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were Friday morning visitors with Mrs Barlow's sister, Mrs. Campbell


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Louise and Gordon were married at the home of her parents, the late Frank Gould and Mrs. Louise Gould, who at that time resided at Lindbrook. The Rev E. N. P. Orme officiated, and after the ceremony, guests sat down to a lovely reception dinner. Some of the guests of Saturday night were also present at the wedding 17 years ago.

At the anniversary party, a [illegible] board was used for entertainment, with the motto, "you do it—or else!" Nearly everyone proved to be a very good sport, and much fun and hilarity was enjoyed. The game, "How well do you know your partner?", a questionnaire for Mr. and Mrs., also caused much amusement, following which there was a coffee lunch.

A lovely lunch was served, assisted by Gordon and Louise's two eldest daughters, Mary and Margaret. A wedding cake, adorned with bride and groom, was cut by the happy couple and served by one of the male guests. An offering was taken to benefit the Anglican Church.

## Auctioneer . . .

(Continued from Page One)

er, Mrs. Lily Ball and one sister, Mrs. Maury (June) Jacobs of Edmonton.

Funeral services were held Clare's Roman Catholic Church at 10 a.m. Monday from St. and burial was in Holy Cross Cemetery in Edmonton.

Andrews - McLaughlin Chapel Ltd. is in charge of arrangements

## Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Sympathy of the district goes to Mrs. Don C Ball and family on the death of their husband and father Don Ball Jr. last week. It also goes to his mother, Mrs. Don E. Ball and his sister (June), Mrs. Maurie Jacobs and family and all other relatives. Don was well known in Tofield and districts around as well as having relatives here.

Brian Eaton, son of Walter and Evelyn Eaton of Seba Beach, is at present spending a few days on the farm with his grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Bill Taylor of Hanna was a Wednesday evening and overnight guest at the home of his sister Vi and Elmer Googlein.

Murley and Marjorie Jacobsen and family left Tuesday of last week on a motor trip to Kelowna, B C. While there, their daughter Gwendolynn met a pen pal (Beverly Mills) with whom she had corresponded for over four years. She spent one day and overnight there. They returned home on Saturday evening and report a very enjoyable trip.


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# Around the town

Peter Foyd has returned from a trip of a month to his former home in Denmark He reports that country is moving fast industrially since the Second World War

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The Camrose Canadian, of August 17, 1916, and August 12, 1936 reports varying degrees of frost in that district August 14, 1936 reports of a bumper harvest

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Mr and Mrs G E McFadzean have returned from a week holiday when they travelled to the Grande Prairie, Dawson Creek, B.C., and to see the big storage dam being built at Hudson Hope, B.C

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Mrs Edith Rogers returned to Tofield on Sunday, after a visit of two months with her son, Dr. Max Rogers and family of East Lansing, Mich

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Mr and Mrs E L Brooks the Shirley Stinson and Dr Beth Empey of Edmonton were supper guests at the Stinson home last Sunday

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Mr and Mrs Stockton had a [illegible] surprise last Sunday [illegible] when their daughter and son-in-law, Delores and Bill Stewart of San Jose Cal. arrived Donna and Garth [illegible] from Kimberley and Sherryl [illegible] Bruderheim were also home for the day

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Mr and Mrs Bill [illegible] family from Oliver, B.C [illegible] visitors with Elna Bowick [illegible] family Mrs Taylor is [illegible]

Donnie King, who has been visiting with her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Stockton, returned to Edmonton Saturday with her mother Christine is staying for a week longer with her grand parents before returning home

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Doug Grover left on Sunday to spend a week at Banff, where he is attending the United Nations Seminar

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Jack and Gloria Grover and family from Edmonton spent Saturday and Sunday with Jack's parents, Mr and Mrs Stan Grover

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Mr. and Mrs. H Penner of Matsqui, B.C., have been visiting at the home of Mrs. K Penner and Mrs Mary Hemple and other relatives in the district

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**HERE FROM ENGLAND**

Recent visitors with Mr and Mrs. Stockton were Mrs Mc Kean and Mr and Mrs. Burley of Yorkshire England Bill Lawson and daughters Sandra and Deby of Irma and Mr and Mrs Carl Nelson of Provost

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Keith and Elsie Appleby and family are holidaying at various points in B.C

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Mr and Mrs Jack [illegible] from Edmonton and Mr and Mrs Frank [illegible] spent the weekend [illegible] of Provost

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Elna Bowick and family [illegible]

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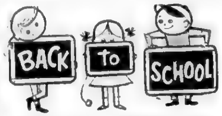



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# Two die, one hurt in 2-car collision

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Residents of Holden Bruce and district were saddened and shocked by the tragic accident which occurred early Saturday morning about 2:00 o'clock, when two district youths were killed and one badly injured in a car collision on Highway 14 about two miles west of Bruce.

Involved in the accident was Eugene Stefanishen, a son of Mr and Mrs John Stefanishen of the Bruce district who was instantly killed. The driver of the other car was Lawrence Tchir of Edmonton son of Mr. and Mrs Fred Tchir of Holden. His passenger Richard Kawaliak son of Mr and Mrs Joe Kawaliak of south Holden district was dead on arrival at hospital, and young Tchir is in hospital with a fractured leg, ribs and a possible broken arm, as well as severe cuts and bruises

It is not known how the accident occurred. It is understood the car driven by Stefanishen was well over on the right side of the road. He was driving east on his way home and the car driven by Tchir was travelling west

Both vehicles were badly damaged and had to be towed away from the scene of the accident. The RCMP detachment at Viking were notified of the accident and are investigating

*Flying to freedom*

Ring-necked pheasants from the government hatchery at Brooks were released earlier this month between Daysland and Heisler. The 11-week-old birds were let out of crates in flocks of 100 at each of four points, 50 males and 50 females in each flock and within minutes they flew hundreds of yards away and settled in wheat fields or brush. In charge of bringing and releasing the birds were Dale Jacobson and Sam Porter, employees of the Brooks hatchery, supervised by Bob Hennig, fish and wildlife officer, Camrose.

## Drainage Board not satisfied with spray job

Mrs. G. Taylor

The trustees of Holden Drainage District No. 1 held their monthly meeting Friday evening August 26th in the office of the Secretary-Treasurer. All trustees Oscar Afseth Hans Huseby, Nick Laskoski and the secretary, Ray Hovland were present.

The Board was advised of the grant receivable and Nick Laskoski gave a report of the ditch cleaning that had been done to date, also a report of the spraying of several ditches. Sponsored by the Agricultural Field Service Branch the spraying had not been very satisfactory, and Mr. Rex Boyles had advised them he was not satisfied with the job. Plans were made and discussed for further ditch cleaning

## Community 'farewell' honors Joe Chamulkes

Mrs. G. Taylor

About 100 residents of Holden and district gathered in the Holden Community Hall Wednesday evening August 24 to bid farewell to Mr and Mrs Joe Chamulke who have sold their house and are moving to Edmonton where they will make their future home.

The evening was spent in dancing and a purse of money was presented to the guests of honor to purchase something for their new home

Joe has been in business for many years in Holden when he and his brother-in-law purchased the Harding Henderson garage. Later when his brother-in-law left the business he moved to the present location. Mr Chamulke served for several years on the Village Council and has been active in E.M.O. being the co-ordinator for the Village of Holden since its inception and attending many of its courses

The two eldest boys Bennie and Gordon are taking over the management of the garage and have living quarters over the garage.

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## Holden NADP takes butter first at CNE

The Holden NADP was one of only three first prizes awarded by the Canadian National Exhibition for butter making.

Branches of the Northern Alberta Dairy Pool Limited won a number of prizes at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto.

Among their successes in the class for Creamery Solids, commercial make, are: 1st prize for their exhibits from Holden with a total score of 98 1; 3rd for exhibits from Daysland, score 97 1; 3rd for Camrose exhibits, score 96 6, and 3rd with the same score for exhibits from Wetaskiwin

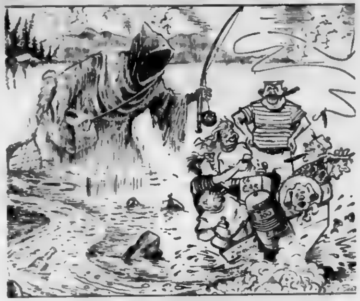
In the class for Creamery Prints salted, there were no first prize winners, but NADP won a 2nd prize with exhibits from Holden with a total score of 97 7, 3rd prize with exhibits from Daysland, score 96 8, and a 3rd with exhibits from Wetaskiwin with same score.

Altogether there were 53 entries for the award at the exhibition out of which three received first prizes, 28 seconds and 18 thirds

## 4-H'ers enjoy tour of Lethbridge area

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Robert Halwoychuk, Harvey Stadnick and Ross Cossey who are all 4-H members attended a tour with 45 other members, in the Lethbridge area for about three days. Travelling by bus, they stopped overnight with local 4-H members. They report an interesting time visiting various branches of farming such as sugar beets, truck farms and touring the sugar refinery.



THE BIG FISHERMAN

# Ride 'em, cowboy

Digging in his spurs, gritting his teeth, and fanning for all he's worth, the cowboy does his best to ride out the few seconds he's aboard the bronc someone dumped him on.

And just about the same situation faces Mike Pearson, as the Prime Minister digs in his spurs for the rough ride he's already been getting, and is going to continue getting. The only difference is that somehow or other, Cowboy Mike has to make sure he finishes his ride still in the saddle.

Whether you agree with his proposed legislation or not, Canada would face an intolerable situation of anarchy if he were to be thrown from the saddle during this ride.

We're not Mr. Pearson's warmest supporter, but we're all for him in this move. The jockeying for position seen from the N.D.P. and the Tory chiefs seems ill-considered, at least. The final legislation may differ somewhat from the present proposal, though we doubt major alterations can be made without weakening it seriously. What the Prime Minister has done is to serve notice, not only to the railway unions, but to all unions and indeed to all employers, that there are definite limits to the freedom of operation they may enjoy, especially when this freedom of operation infringes on the higher rights of the public generally.

Only with the most irresponsible, or with the communist, can there be any thought of ignoring the government order . . . such a step must lead inevitably to major curtailment of rights and privileges now enjoyed by labor [illegible].

We applaud the P.M.'s decision to call a halt to the unreasoning rounds of demands completely out of touch with the ability of the nation to pay, for the action which must be construed as applying to other fields as well. The western grain grower, the western stock breeder and the western consumer all know from painful personal experience just how seriously affected they can be.

## Centennial Report

1867 1967 by JOHN W. FISHER CENTENNIAL COMMISSIONER

It is still possible to put a canoe into our Canadian rivers and tributaries and paddle to one of the oceans.

Eric W. Morse, an expert on our fur trade history who has traversed and written about the old canoe routes of Canada, says there are as many miles of inland waterways in this country as in all other nations of the world combined. In fact it is estimated that one quarter of all the fresh water in the world is to be found in Canada.

In an article published a few years ago, called "Canoe Routes of the Voyageurs", Eric Morse suggested that, sometimes, as much history can be learned from a canoe as from a history book. If that is the case—and I believe he is right—many of us are going to learn more about Canada's history when our attention is attracted to the 100-day Centennial Voyageur Canoe Pageant next year. From Rocky Mountain House, near the Alberta - British Columbia border, canoers will dip their paddles and follow in the wake of voyageurs and fur traders along the early inland waterways. Their destination — Expo 67 at Montreal, a distance of some 4,000 miles!

The Centennial Canoe Pageant will create considerable excitement because it is to be a "race" between teams chosen by the various provinces of Canada and the territories. The race will be conducted according to rules similar to those of a car rally so that competitive spurts and stops can be made at communities for the teams' participation in local Centennial Celebrations. Like the old fur brigades, they will travel in flotillas and judging will be done on a points system.

While the race will create excitement it also will stir our imaginations. It will remind us how some of our colorful pioneers travelled and developed the early economy of Canada. It is incredible, as Eric Morse describes it, that in an age before air travel, in a land devoid of road or rail, on a route beset with obstructions, dangers and difficulties, men burdened with hundreds of tons of fur and trade goods succeeded each year in crossing over half a continent and back again in the scant five months between break - up and freeze-up.

The modern day "voyageurs" who have been chosen for the 1967 pageant have been getting into shape for the big event and this summer they will participate in advance trials. One of the test races will be held in August in conjunction with British Columbia's Centennial celebrations, from Fort St. James down the Stuart River to Prince George and then down the Fraser river through Quesnel to Soda Creek. The crews will portage by trailer to Yale and then paddle on to Hope, New Westminster and Vancouver and across the strait to Victoria.

In the other test race crews will shoot the treach[illegible] Lachine Rapids [illegible] the boundaries of Metro[illegible] Montreal and on to Ex[illegible] site. From Montreal, the paddlers will move up the St. Lawrence, down the Richelieu through once hostile Mohawk country, to Lake Champlain then on to New York for the Labor Day weekend. There, silhouetted against the Manhattan skyline and dwarfed by the sleek and modern ocean ships their journey will end for this year.

Twelve canoes of special design, resembling the old Northern canoe type used by the early voyageurs, are being built in Fredericton, N.B., for the pageant. The first was tested in April on the North Saskatchewan River near Rocky Mountain House, Alberta.

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## MacDuff Ottawa report

# CANDU—maybe

OTTAWA—If Canada's 200,000 kilowatt nuclear power station at Douglas Point on Lake Huron is completed by the end of the year —the expectation of the moment —it will be just a year and and a half [illegible] schedule. It had been planned to have it in operation by the middle of 1965.

Atomic Energy of Canada Ltd., [illegible] the Ontario Hydro Electric [illegible] in the Douglas Point venture is anxious to find out why in detail and has asked for a report from its power project division in Toronto to be presented to a nuclear power symposium on October 14 and 15.

This is not an attempt to lay blame at [illegible] door but rather to make sure that no lesson to be learned falls by the wayside where it will bear no fruit for the future.

[illegible] been expressed in some informed quarters that Canada is in danger of losing the competitive position for the heavy water natural [illegible] type reactor (CANDU - PHW). These fears may be exaggerated. The only serious customer in the market at the moment, Finland, which is planning a 300,000 kilowatt [illegible] has [illegible] its choice to three countries, the United States, Canada and West Germany which is manufacturing under American licence. Both the United Kingdom and France are out of the picture.

It is difficult to make comparisons, particularly since Canada's main competitor, the United States, using costly enriched uranium fuel, has still to prove its estimates of power cost. It is expected that the Oyster Creek project will come through with power at 3.7 mills per kilowatt hour and that the two 1,100 megawatt stations planned by the Tennessee Valley Authority will do better than that.

The Douglas Point plant is expected to produce 5.9 mill power. Capital cost of the Canadian reactor is higher, operating cost lower. AECL is confident that the CANDU on balance can stand up against competing types. Its annual report states the Corporation's conviction that in an area which can accept reactors with capacity for 500,000 kilowatts or more and remote from undeveloped hydro sources nuclear power is the most economical. The larger the capacity, of course, the lower will be the unit costs. The first of four 500,000 kilowatt units is in preliminary stages of construction for the Ontario Hydro in Pickering Township near Toronto.

[illegible] actor size the lowering of nuclear [illegible] pend for the most part on two developments:

1. New break-throughs in developing variations and improvements in the CANDU reactor. The first major variation is in the plan[illegible] stage and has promise of success. The first design has been completed as well as feasibility studies for a reactor using ordinary light water in place of heavy water as a coolant. The CANDU - BLW eliminates the heat exchange unit where pressurized heavy water was used to produce steam from light water. In addition to this the CANDU - BLW will need [illegible] of the costly heavy water. It uses it only as a moderator. Quebec agreement [illegible] into partnership with AECL in the building of a 250,000 kilowatt CANDU - BLW reactor has been delayed by the change in government but should be forthcoming soon.
2. Reduction in the time of construction. This is why detailed study of the causes of de-

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## Centennial report...

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The big race in the summer of 1967 will be one of the highlights of the Centennial. Many Canadians who live on the route will be able to witness the pageant and the others will enjoy following the teams by way of press, radio and television reports during the 100 days.

Think of it! — 4,000 miles in 100 days. This includes portages over slimy rocks, up mountain sides — lifting their canoes and heavy loads of equipment—sleeping outdoors — soaked hundreds of times—tired, worried, stormbound; plagued by black flies, sand flies, mosquitoes. Well! I have two comments: our forefathers did it; I'm glad I was not invited.

## MacDuff Ottawa report

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lay at Douglas Point can prove invaluable. The additional year and a half occupied in construction at Douglas Point has pushed costs only about $3 million above the orig[illegible] $81.5 million estimate. This original estimate, however, had already allowed generously for all contingencies. If the reactor had been finished on schedule the cost would have been $5 million to $7 million less than the estimate.

In general terms the major causes of delay are known. Too much time was spent in the early stages of design and planning. If the peak had been moved forward later stages could have been speeded quite considerably. This is something quite common to development in this age of very sophisticated equipment. It was particularly true in Canadian development of the destroyer escort and pushed costs to an astronomical level.

The designer and researcher are continually coming up with new ideas and improvements. No absolute cut-off date is fixed at which acceptance of improvements, however good, will cease. With both AECL and Hydro heavily staffed with technical experts the partnership may have been particularly vulnerable to delay from this quarter.

Another serious problem to overcome is the lack of experience on the part of contractors for components as well as inability to provide clear specifications. This, too, is something that dogged the steps of the navy in earlier days but has largely disappeared. In some cases preliminary work by manufacturers has had to be scrapped and started again from scratch.

It is probable that study of the problem will produce improvements on both sides. In any event time will cure inexperience. In the later stages there has been some unjustifiable time lag on the part of manufacturers. As the deadline for the entire project was pushed back there has been a tendency to slacken on individual jobs.

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CAPITAL HILL CAPSULE

Rapid strides being made in the United States in development of nuclear power is pushing the clock forward in setting the time when demand for uranium will overtake supply. In the last two months American programs have been started for development of 8,000 megawatts. Westinghouse and General Electric have contracts representing a total investment close to $3 billion. By 1973 the United States will probably again be a net importer with a total demand for 16,000 tons for nuclear power projects. Of Canada's four producing mines, Rio Algom, Eldorado, Denison and Stanrock only Rio Algom and Eldorado are doing any exploration work in preparation for this day. Americans, however, are looking with interest at the field. Kerr McGee Ltd. has recently purchased claims in the Blind River area.

### From the scrapbook

Rudeness is the weak man's immitation of strength.

—J.W.R.

# County School Committee meets

Tuesday, August 9th, 1966

In regards to the winch truck, it was stated, that as the bus routes were not set up, it was not known what bus would be available. It was decided that this matter be tabled to a later meeting.

In regards to the alterations at the Holden school, Mr. Symyrozum advised that the plans for this renovation had been finalized, that the staff room adjacent to the Principal's office would be made over into an office and the so-called Conference room would be classified as a staff room. The work was to start next week.

It was noted that one fire exit was to be closed and the Secretary-Treasurer suggested that in order to avoid any complications with the Fire Commissioner's office this should be brought to the attention of the Fire Commissioner's office for permission to close the fire exit.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted, that the proposed alterations be approved and that the Fire Commissioner's office be contacted in regards to the closing of the fire exit.

In regards to the Secretary for the Holden school, Mr. Symyrozum advised that he had received two applications.

He suggested that hours of work for the Secretaries in the Principal's offices should be from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., that the Secretaries should be full time as they could relieve the Principal of much detail work. This suggestion was accepted by the Committee providing the Secretaries were actually used full time. The matter of rate of pay was also discussed and it was moved that the rate of pay for the Secretaries at the Tofield, Ryley, Holden and Viking schools be $250 per month for ten months of the year for experienced personnel. If full time assistance is not available the payment to be at a rate of $1.50 per hour. Carried unanimously.

It was understood that inexperienced assistants would receive a lower rate of pay and all the Secretaries would be on 60-day probation.

In regards to the construction of teacherages in Ryley, the Committee was informed that the work was progressing very favorably. The basement floors were being poured this day and Mr. Otto had stated that the suites would be ready for occupancy on Monday or Tuesday, August 15 or 16. Moved that the report be accepted. Carried.

A letter from Wm. Ogrodnick expressing his appreciation to the School Committee, for making it possible for him to attend the leadership course July 11 to 23, 1966, was referred to the Committee. Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed.

A letter from Mrs. Annie Tymchak of Holden offering a house for sale was referred to the Committee, as was the Secretary-Treasurer's reply in which he stated that no additional housing was required at the present time. It was moved that the letter be received and filed and the Secretary-Treasurer's action concurred in. Carried unanimously.

A number of items in regards to the "Evaluation of Teachers" submitted by the A.S.T.A. and the A.T.A. was referred to the Committee and it was felt by the Committee that the stand taken by the A.S.T.A. should be supported by the County.

The following resolution was then moved and carried, that:

Whereas, education is a social service and a responsibility of the Provincial Government which represents all the people of Alberta; and

Whereas, control of education is accordingly a public prerogative; and

Whereas, A.T.A. control of teacher evaluations could seriously limit the number of immigrant teachers with drastic accumulative effects on teacher supply; and

Whereas, neither party to salary agreements, the A.S.T.A. or the A.T.A., representing respectively school boards and teachers, should control teacher evaluations; and

Whereas, the Department of

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# The Ryley Times



## Ryley district resident, Mrs. Alma Steffen dies

**ALMA C. STEFFEN**

Alma Christine Steffen was born in Millbank, South Dakota on January 17 1882. She moved to Canada with her parents, the late Mr and Mrs Hans Wicklun in 1902, where they resided on a farm south of Ryley. United in marriage to Ben Steffen on Feb. 11, 1915, and this union was blessed with one son, William. Predeceased by her husband in October 1960 and by son William on Jan. 26, 1966, and one brother Alvin on July 21, 1941.

She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter-in-law, Gladys Steffen of Edmonton; two granddaughters Ionne and Wanda of Edmonton; one sister, Mrs. Esther Reil of Onoria, California; two brothers Walter Wiklun of Tofield and Edof Wicklun of Ryley, together with a host of relatives and friends.

Services were conducted by Pastor Ruxton in the Ryley United Church. The Mennonite quartet sang "Goodbye Down Here and Hello Up There".

Interment followed in the Ryley Cemetery. Pallbearers were Ed Chappell, Art Scobar, Bill Mainland, Joe Knudson, Ted Graftaas and Ernest Anderson. Andrews & McLaughlin Funeral Home were in charge of arrangements.

**Floral Tributes**

Ione and Wanda, Gladys and Granddaughters, Sister Esther Reelst, Edof and Maggie, Betty and Larry, Mavis, Evelyn and Bernard, Art, Clara, Gary and Rose, Mrs G. Randahl, Mr and Mrs C. Budinand and Victoria, Stan Johnston and Family, Russ Coney and Family, Ernest and Glen, Harold and Kay, Robert and Eva, Ed, Mary and Girls.

**Memorials**

To Ryley Lutheran Church—Mr. and Mrs Geo Campbell, Mrs. Tillie Brames, Mr and Mrs. Olof Oslund, Mr and Mrs. Hans Hillerud, Mr. and Mrs Glen Hillerud, Mr and Mrs. C Peterson, Mr and Mrs O. E. Orbeck, Mr and Mrs. T. Mahlum, Mrs. Alma Adams, Mrs. J. L. Kay; Mr. and Mrs. Hans Normann, Mr and Mrs. Ole Hagen; Mr. and Mrs. W. Klawitter, Mr. and Mrs. N. Kushnir, Mr and Mrs. W. Oslund and Meifort; Oliver, Clara and Family; Mr and Mrs. Ole Hjeltar.

To Catholic Church Building Fund—Mr and Mrs Edwin Klawitter and Family.

To Polio Fund Orlen, Arlene and Family Geo and Sophie.

To Crippled Children's Fund—Mr. and Mrs Donald Campbell, Mr and Mrs Cliff Forre, Don and Agnes Campbell Mr and Mrs F J Forre, Hjalmer and Helma Hjeltar.

To Heart Fund Harold and Clara Vergette, Kae and Jack Clark; Leo and Carol Rurka, Orval and Helen Hjalmer, Reinhold, Jean and Family, Julia, Art and Robert, Mr and Mrs. Garnet Burnstad and Family.

To United Church—Inga and Lawrence Pearce; Ted and Ruth Graftaas; Joe and Emma Knudson; Mr and Mrs. J. Davidson; John, Clara, Geraldine and Evelyn; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harris; Mr. and Mrs. J. Fawcett.

To Bethany Home—Mr. and Mrs. Larry Johnson.

To Trondhjem Lutheran Church—Mr. and Mrs. J. Bruce; Beulah Burnstad; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burnstad.

To Ryley Cemetery Fund — May and Harvey Johnston, Mr and Mrs. Nick Kushnerich and Family, Mary Dragun and Clayton; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Betts; Mr and Mrs. Walter Wiklun; Mr and Mrs. Fred Bellbum and Family; Mr and Mrs. Melford Wiklun and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Paradis and Guy; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wiklun and Family, Mrs. Rose Kundstein and Boys; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gosta and Family; Fred Dorin, Emma and Elaine Gilbertson; Mr and Mrs. Carl Sorensen and Ivan, Stan, Ida, Earl and Marilyn; Harold Olsen and Anne, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Charles Reinhart, Mr and Mrs. Ezra Reil; Gerald, Louis and Family; Pete and Ruby Hanka; Ann Vergette; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson; Leonard Haugstead and Family; Alma Wiklun, Glen and Helen, Eileen and Marvin; Lorraine and Leonard; Mr. and Mrs S. Booth, Mr and Mrs. Ole Snortheim, Gladys Annebo, Selmer and Marie Helgeland, Gerald and Millie Helgeland, Sigvert Helgeland and Sylvia, Mr and Mrs. E. Chapell, Mr and Mrs. Fred Loades, Mr and Mrs. Berger Helgeland, Mr. and Mrs Peter Weins, Mr and Mrs. O. G. Bruce, Mr and Mrs. Wm. Oeda John Knudstein, Mr and Mrs Bob Hammer Mr and Mrs C. Penner, Mrs. Mabel Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Renhalm, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mulham, Mr and Mrs. J. Fish; Mrs. Amy Pope; Mrs. Albert Johnson; Bea Goodall, Mr and Mrs. E. Lundin; Mr and Mrs. Jake Dueck, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lysle.

To Cancer Fund—Lyle, Margaret and Lyn Olstad, Lud and Alma Lysle Mrs. Nancy Stefura.

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## Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

A number of district people motored to Vegreville on Saturday to attend the wedding of Betty Eglinski of Ross Creek and Ron Babiuk of Lavoy. Many friends and relatives gathered at the bride's home on Sunday, when the young couple opened their wedding gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Coney and Grant and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Coney attended the wedding in Edmonton of Barbara Coney and Arnold Willoughbee. Barbara is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Coney of Bon Accord formerly of this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McLachlan and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rustand attended a Saturday wedding in Lamont when Linda Strand became the bride of Niel Westcott. Linda's father Boyd Strand was a former proprietor of the Ross Creek Store.

Harvey and Alva Hauer attended a birthday party on Saturday for Donald Yez.

**Four year old Lorraine Schacher suffered a broken arm when she fell off her tricycle last Friday. However, she is proudly displaying the autographs on her cast.**

Little Randy McLachlan is recuperating in the Archer Memorial Hospital at Lamont following an appendectomy.

**WINDFALL CONTESTANT**

Ed Bailey will be leaving on Sept. 1st for Vancouver where he will appear as a contestant on Windfall. The show will be taped and will be released on Sept. 10th.


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VOTERS' LIST

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Any qualified elector may make application for the correction of any error or omission in the said Voters' List by serving notice to the Secretary-Treasurer in writing before the 7th day of September, 1966.

DATED at Ryley, Alberta, this 10th day of August, 1966.

Garnet Burnstad,
Secretary-Treasurer.

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## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

John and Mary Wood and baby daughter Cathy motored to Viking on Sunday and were dinner guests at the home of their son Johnny and Gloria and their daughter and sister, Lorene and Jim Francis and family.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton and Mervin Ross motored to Holden on Monday afternoon and were supper guests at the home of Ellen's son, Leroy and Shirley Eaton.

**LOTS OF RAIN**

More than three inches of rain has fallen in the district this week with several farmers having crops swathed and others with haying still to be finished.

**AT MEMORIAL SERVICE**

Mrs. Ethel Wood met her brother Doug and Fran Baines and family of Edmonton at the junction of Highways 14 and 21 on Sunday morning and accompanied them on a motor trip to Stettler. There they picked up their mother, Mrs. Baines Sr., and continued on to Gadsby to attend the Legion decoration Day and Memorial service at the cenotaph in the Gadsby cemetery. Ethel reports a very lovely sunshiny day and a large turnout for their 38th annual service. Enroute to Stettler Ethel and [illegible] and [illegible] and children stopped at the home of their brother Art and Dorothy Baines and family at Nevis and had dinner with them.

Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Emil's brother Bill and Mary Tiedemann and daughter Sharron of Deville, also Emil's and Bill's cousin Carl and Marvel Reese and Rev. and Mrs. Fox, all of Edmonton.

Gail and Bob Onubko were Sunday evening visitors and overnight guests at the home of Gail's parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and daughter Mary were Friday evening visitors at the home of Sandy and Irene Scott at Lindbrook. Also there for the evening were Emil and Martha's two daughters, Yvonne and Peter Brown and Lucille Tiedemann and Peter's mother, Mrs. Keitha Brown and her two grandchildren Wayne and Don Oliver, all of Ketchamoot. All were helping Sandy celebrate his birthday.

Geo. and Ida Niemetz were Edmonton visitors Monday afternoon and later were evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of George's sister Erma and Fred Onyschuk before they returned home.

Joe McLennan and his mother Mrs. McLennan Sr., of Edmonton returned Tuesday evening last week from a motor trip to Chilliwack and other points in B.C.

**WED AT VEGREVILLE**

Charlie and Mickey Niemetz were among the many families who attended the reception and dance, following the wedding of Betty Eglinski of Ross Creek to Ron Babiuk of Lavoy at Vegreville on Saturday. The reception and dance were held in the hall in Vegreville.


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THIS WORLD OF OURS

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## Modern etiquette

Q. When invited to someone's home and the hostess has small dishes of candy and nuts placed on tables about the room, is it proper for a guest to help himself without being asked?

A. Since obviously these dishes are there for the guests, it is quite all right to help yourself.

Q. When eating in a restaurant and small butter pats are served in paper containers, is it proper to let the knife rest on the pat when not in use?

A. Never. The knife should rest along the upper right part of the plate — never with the handle resting on the table.

Q. Is it now considered proper for a woman or a man to shake hands with gloves on?

A. Quite proper — and no excuse for the gloves are necessary either.

Q. I see more and more paper napkins being provided at meals in other people's homes. Is this really proper?

A. While at one time this was considered out of the question, today for all informal entertaining, paper napkins are perfectly proper — and very practical [illegible]

Q. Is it proper to speak inquiring "[illegible]", instead of "Hello", when answering the telephone?

A. Although "Hello" is the more widely accepted manner of answering the phone, there's nothing wrong with saying "Yes?" The most important thing is a pleasant, friendly, manner of speaking.

Q. Is it considered poor form for a woman, at her second marriage, to have three or four bridesmaids?

A. Yes. The second marriage should be as simple and informal as possible, and the bride should have but one attendant.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Dixie Wright, Rea Carmichael and Fran Griswad, all of Edmonton were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Marjorie and Morley Jacobsen.

Joe and Eva McLennan and boys were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen.

Art and Ada Keeton and daughter Christine of Alix and Mrs Sybil Nelson of Lacombe called at the home of Ada and Sybil's sister Ruth and Roy Wickenberg Tuesday, where Sybil remained to be an overnight visitor while Art and Ada and Christine motored on to Wainwright to spend the night. They were to be back at Ruth's on Wednesday to pick up Sybil on their return trip home.


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## County of Beaver Agricultural Committee meets

**WEED CONTROL**

Dry weather until June 30, followed by rains totaling 5.32 inches to date, has created weed problems throughout the County that were difficult to control. Deep rooted perennial weeds made steady growth throughout the dry period while annual weed seeds did not germinate in time to spray when crops were tolerant. Farmers who sprayed for control of thistles did a good job and damage to crops by spraying does not compare with yield losses by excessive weed growth.

Toad Flax and White Cockle is increasing in the district and farmers are urged to report infestations and co-operate in eradicating them. Bladder Campion was found in this County this summer and [illegible] patches destroyed. It is impossible for weed inspectors to cover the district in search of the persistant perennials which include: Leafy Spurge, Hoary Cress, Knapweed, Field Bindweed, Toad Flax and Campion. These weeds are more persistant than Thistles and will spread rapidly if not controlled when first discovered.

Farmers who do not know these weeds are urged to contact us for positive identification.

**PESTS**

Insect infestations increased during the dry weather, [illegible] in shelterbelts and rape. [illegible] measures and equipment was supplied to farmers who inquired regarding these pests. The Elston Pocket Gopher Poisoning Machine is available for use this fall. Good results were obtained last spring with this machine; 70 to 80 per cent were killed where this poisoning program was carried out.

Farmers are making good use of magpie traps and report up to 40 magpies destroyed in one week. Let's see more of these traps built by farmers and avoid the scramble for our demonstration models. The County is paying a bounty of 5 cents a pair for magpie feet. We will take them any time and send out cheques the end of the month.

Release of Coyote poison pellets has been very low this summer. This indicates that coyotes are not causing a great deal of damage so far. It is possible that 1080 will not be used in this County this winter. It depends on the number of requests we have for 1080 before October 31. Please keep this date in mind.

**BRUCELLOSIS VACCINATION PROGRAM**

Bangs vaccination for heifer calves within the proper age group will be carried out this fall under the voluntary plan. Our plan of notifying last fall worked out very well and I expect we will have Dr. Bildfeil to do the vaccinating for the entire County. No second calls will be made except under extreme circumstances. Prices will remain the same.

**TREE PLANTING**

Available trees from Oliver this year are: Caragana, Green Ash, Manitoba Maple, Lilac, Honeysuckle, Siberian Larch, Mountain Ash, White Spruce and Lodge Pole Pine. Ornamentals from Brooks will be available. Trees may be in short supply next spring, and ratepayers are asked to get their orders in early. No rooted North-West or Russian Poplar will be available next Spring.

**ROADSIDE AND BACK-SLOPE SEEDING**

We will be sowing grass seed on roads again this fall. Farmers who intend to do extra work on backslopes or sow grain on these slopes are requested to contact me before September 30. The County provides free seed for backslopes if properly worked.

I will be away on holidays till September 16. Please direct weed complaints to Chas. Sears or Reg. Meeks. Inquiries regarding other ASB projects may be directed to the County Office.

Rex Boyles, Agricultural Fieldman, County of Beaver No. 9.


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# County Council meets Aug. 11th

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9, held Thursday, August 11th:

P. A Bourree, Gravel and Sand Locator, of 7007 - 142 St., Edmon who had attended the special meeting on August 4th, attended the meeting at this time reporting on his findings He stated that he had checked the aerial photographs that he had borrowed from the office and had also made some field spot checks Twp. 51 20-W4th looked promising to Mr Bourree, this being along Islet Lake with some of the sand and gravel located in the water He stated there was some 20 feet of overburden on the top of the ridge Cr Weatherill stated that he had found sand but no gravel in the vicinity In 50-20-W4th and 51 19-W4th, Mr Bourree stated that there was some indication of gravel. Cr. Weathevill stated that he had taken out gravel in these townships in small pockets but that gravel was not found in any large amount Mr Bourree was borrowing some more township plats and would report back to the Council on any further findings

In regards to gravel deposits on N.E. 35-55-77 W4th, Cr Kropelnicki stated that inasmuch as the M.D. of Lamont No 82 had decided to use this gravel pit as well it would not be possible for the County to take a lease on this land Arrangements were, however, made for the crushing of 15,000 yards of which 12,000 would be stock-piled with some 3,000 yards being used this year.

In regards to Nick Petrowski's offer to lease W 1 2 16-49-11-W4th, the secretary treasurer informed the Council that Mr. Petrowski was now offering $500 cash to purchase this land, Mr Gotoled, who had also been interested in leasing this land had withdrawn his tender Cr Johnston was of the opinion that the land should be sold, but was wondering if Mr Petrowski would want a road into this land, and if so it would be a very costly situation

It was moved and carried that the offer to purchase W 1 2-16-49-11-W4th be accepted subject to the condition that the County be not requested to construct any roads to this land

In regards to the Veterinary Clinic, the secretary - treasurer stated that he had written Dr Bildfell on July 20th but had received no reply to date

J Machonie and J Rudy attended the meeting at this time in connection with the Wakwei Flood Control Scheme They were disappointed about Cr. Kropelnicki not being present, but stated that a meeting had been held with 12 of the 14 farmers affected by this proposed Flood Control Scheme and all being in favour of the scheme which, as mentioned at the special meeting on August 4, would be handled as a Flood-Irrigation Scheme under the P F R A The farmers realized that they would have to make some cash contribution to this scheme Inasmuch as Cr Kropelnicki or the engineer, Mr. Kroeger, were not present, no further action could be taken at this time

L. Kroeger, P. Eng., P.F.R.A Vegreville, attended the meeting later in the day and stated that the meeting that had been held with the farmers affected by the proposed scheme had been generally in support of the scheme. The flood conditions appeared to be getting worse for the past 30 years. He stated that it would cost the farmers $5 to $7 per acre benefit. At the meeting on August 4, Mr Kroeger had voiced the opinion that P.F.R.A. would possibly pay 70% of the cost However, on further examination, he now suggested that the P.F R A. would possibly pay 60% and at the cost of $25,000 this would leave $10,000 to be paid by the County He also mentioned the fact that this system could be extended as time went on No further action was taken

A letter from H. W. Voigt of Holden on behalf of A. F. Steinwand, concerning a drainage problem on S.E. 21-49-16-W4th, south side of Highway 14, was referred to the Council. The complaint was about a culvert under Highway No. 14, and in the opinion of the Council this was a matter for the Department of Highways It was, therefore, moved and carried that this matter be referred to the Dept. of Highways and that Mr. Voigt be so advised

A letter from Selmer A. Hafso of Viking concerning a drainage problem in N.W. 20-47-12-W4th was referred to the Council.

It was moved and carried that this be referred to the Department of Water Resources for assistance with advice that other land could be drained as well.

In regards to the proposed lowering of the water level at Nugget Lake, the secretary-treasurer reported that he had written the Area Manager of the CNR requesting certain culverts. A letter from the Assistant B & B Master indicated that he had inspected the culvert situation and was of the opinion that no further culverts were required. However, Cr. Knudslien stated that, although he agreed the two culverts referred to by the Asst. B & B Master were in good condition, a new culvert was required along the road right-of-way where the railway crosses the road at Dodds

Moved and carried that the matter be referred back to the Asst. B. & B. Master with a full explanation as to what is required.

Further, in regards to Nugget Lake, the Council was advised that the Mines Division had been contacted concerning the use of pile driver to drive piles on the west side of the Lake to stop the sluffing away of the road at this point. The Department of Highways pile driver could be made available to drive these piles. The secretary - treasurer had, therefore, contacted the Department and the Assistant Director of Mines, P. Melson, had suggested that Cr Knudslien endeavours to make arrangements for the piles, obtain a cost estimate and refer the matter back to Mr Melson so that it can be taken up with the Minister of Mines and Minerals.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and action concurred in

In regards to application for assistance under Sec. 3 of the P.F.A. Act, 1939, now referred to the Council, it was moved and carried that the following estimated average yields of wheat per acre be reported

46-10-4, 14 bushels. 47-10-4, 13 bus.; 48-10-4, 12 bus., 46-11-4, 14 bus., 47-11-4, 13 bus; 48-11-4, 12 bus.; 49-11-4, 12 bus.; 46-12-4, 12 bus; 47-12-4, 13 bus., 48-12-4, 12 bus.; 49-12-4, 12 bus; 50-12-4, 12 bus., 46-13-4, 12 bus., 47-13-4, 12 bus.; 48-13-4, 8 bus.; 49-13-4, 8 bus.; 50-13-4, 12 bus.; 46-14-4, 12 bus.; 47-14-4, 8 bus; 48-14-4, 8 bus.; 49-14-4, 8 bus; 50-14-4, 8 bus.; 47-15-4, 8 bus., 48-15-4, 8 bus; 49-15-4, 8 bus., 50-15-4, 12 bus.; 51-15-4, 12 bus; 47 16-4 10 bus.; 48-16-4, 12 bus, 49-16-4, 12 bus.; 50-16-4, 12 bus; 51 16-4, 12 bus; 48-17-4, 15 bus.; 49-17-4, 15 bus.; 50-17-4, 15 bus.; 51 17-4 12 bus., 49-18-4, 5 bus; 50-18-4 15 bus., 51-18-4, 12 bus; 52 18-4 15 bus., 49-19-4, 15 bus, 50-19-4 15 bus.; 51-19-4, 15 bus.; 52-19-4 15 bus.; 50-20-4, 15 bus 51 20-4, 15 bus, 50-21-4, 15 bus.

The Council was advised that one yearling Hereford bull with horns had been impounded in the pound kept by Ole Hagen on S W 30-17 W4th on July 11 1966, and had been sold on July 23, 1966, for $10. The expense was $29, leaving a net deficit of $19.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted


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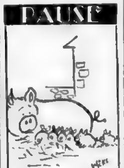

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# Modern etiquette

Q Is it quite proper and acceptable nowadays to type social letters?

A Yes, and it's increasingly popular, too Typed letters should be written on a single sheet, with only one side of the paper used. And be sure that your signature at the end of the letter is written by hand

Q. I have just received an invitation to a bridal shower on a girl whom I scarcely know. Would I be justified in ignoring this invitation?

A. This would be rude to the hostess who invited you. You are, however, justified in telling her that you are very sorry, but that you have another engagement for that particular date.

Q Is it customary to give your nurses a gift when you leave the hospital?

A Although not necessary, it's a thoughtful gesture A private nurse may be given candy, cologne, a book, etc And when you have been cared for by staff nurses, it's nice to leave a box of candy at their station, something they all can share.

Q. For a second marriage, is it permissible for me to have a close relative as my matron of honor, and for my groom to have an attendant?

A. Certainly you should each have an attendant, and each of these, incidentally, acts as a witness, too.


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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor)

Mrs Lew Blair of Taber, who has been visiting with the Lidens for several days and looking after the store while they were away for a few days at Jasper, was a luncheon guest Monday with Mrs. N L. Campbell, and returned home Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs Don Allan left Thursday morning for Regina, Sask., to visit with Mr and Mrs Dave Bell and family, now residing there. They were expecting to be home Monday or Tuesday of this week.

Percy Barlow and his son-in-law Barny Sigurdson, who was visiting with the Barlows, were Edmonton visitors last Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Mike Zacharchuk and four daughters of Edmonton are visiting in the district. Mike was a business caller in Holden Wednesday afternoon of last week and his wife and children stayed on the farm.

Mr. and Mrs Cliff Foran have been in Edmonton on holidays for the past two weeks. While there, Cliff became ill and has been a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital for examinations and tests.

Mrs Otto Hurum was a Thursday afternoon visitor last week with her daughter Carol and family in Viking.

Geo H Taylor was a business caller in Viking on Thursday of last week.

HERE FROM WINNIPEG

Mr and Mrs Barney Sigurdson and children of Winnipeg have been visiting the past week with her parents, Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow, also with Dorothy's sister and family, the Ted Andersons, in Calgary. The Sigurdsons and Mr and Mrs. Barlow were supper guests and evening visitors with Mrs. Campbell. On Wednesday they, with Mr and Mrs. Barlow, Mrs. Campbell and Alex Barlow of Poe, were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta and family in the Viking district. Mr and Mrs. Sigurdson and children left later in the afternoon on their return trip to Winnipeg. They are then leaving for Ontario, where Mr Sigurdson has been employed with the Ford Motor Co. They expect to be there for two years.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Story returned home Wednesday afternoon of last week, their daughter Florence (Mrs. Koop Spannenburg) driving them home. Mr. and Mrs Story have been in Edmonton since the early part of the month after they were involved in a car accident, with Arthur being a hospital patient. Mrs. Story is feeling well, but Arthur will be convalescing for some weeks yet. Besides having two broken ribs, he also suffered a fractured collar bone and ruptured bronchial tube.

Mrs. H Raeder entertained several friends and neighbours at coffee Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gorrie of Vancouver, B.C., and family arrived Friday on holidays, visiting with Mr. Gorrie's mother, Mrs. Roy Nichols, and Mr. Nichols, also calling on other relatives in the district.

**Mrs. Henry Hussky and children moved to Daysland the end of last week, where they will be making their future home.**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tchir and family of Vancouver have been on holiday and visited with his family, Mr and Mrs. Mike Tchir, and the Harry Tkaczyks.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hardy of Edmonton were week visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson were visitors Friday of last week at the home of their daughter Kay, Mr. and Mrs Coombs and family in the Tofield district, taking home their granddaughter who had been visiting with them for several days.

Mr and Mrs. Bruce MacDonell and family returned home last Friday, after spending several days on holiday, visiting at various points in B C.

Mr and Mrs. Lars Olson were visitors in Wetaskiwin at the weekend, attending the wedding and reception of a relative of Mr. Olson.

Mrs Winnie Johnson is back at her duties at the Holden Drug Store after three weeks' holiday, visiting her mother and family at Ryley, and her sister and brother-in-law and their daughter, who have been visiting from England.

Mr and Mrs Henry Tiedemann were business visitors in Edmonton on Monday.

Alex Harris and son, of Edmonton, were visitors with Mr. and Mrs Hans Brekstad over the weekend. Mrs. Harris is on a trip to her parents in Holland, going by plane.

Melanie Hammer of Viking, who has been visiting for a couple of weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Sizer, has returned home.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Holden branch of the Royal Canadian Legion sponsored a very successful Old Time Dance on Friday evening, Aug. 26, in the Holden Community Hall.

The children of Mr and Mrs. Koop Spannenburg of Edmonton have been visiting for several days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story, on the farm.

OLDTIMER VISITS HERE

A Saturday afternoon visitor and supper guest with Mrs. Campbell was a former old-time resident of Holden, Jimmie Bush of Edmonton. Mr Bush was employed in the Royal Bank during 1916 and later, when the late George McVittie was bank manager. He was later transferred to Bruce and was manager there for some time. Mr. Bush, with Mrs. Campbell, also called on Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ritland, to renew friendship.

Mr and Mrs Oscar Burnstad of Edmonton were Saturday afternoon visitors with Mrs. Laura Christianson. They drove to Holden with Mr. Jim Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Good from California, U.S.A., arrived Monday evening to visit for several days with his mother, Mrs Lars Ritland, and Mr Ritland, also visiting with their brother and family, the Ernie Goods. Mr and Mrs. Madsen (Mrs. Good's parents), also from California, drove up with them and are visiting with relatives at Lamont, and will be visiting in Holden about the end of the week.

# County School...

(Continued from Page Three)

Education, Government of the Province of Alberta, a neutral body insofar as salary agreements are concerned, is the only body which can impartially determine teaching eligibility for the teachers of publicly supported and operated school systems.

Therefore, be it resolved that the Department of Education must retain control of the evaluation of teachers' credentials for salary purposes lest any developing structure make inroads upon determining teacher eligibility.

The Secretary-Treasurer was instructed to forward the resolution to the Minister of Education.

A motion carried unanimously that the following teacher appointments be confirmed: Mr Samuel Chelliah, Viking; Mrs. Jean Courchesne, Holden.

Moved that the following bursary applications be approved: L. Annette Vergette, Rose Marie Hallett, Robert Lysio, Elida Helgeland, Erwin Wiens, Victor Petruk. Carried unanimously.

Howard Giebelhaus of Holden interviewed the Committee at this time in regards to supplying milk for the milk dispensers at Tofield, Ryley and Holden. He would supply the milk at the same rate and under the same conditions as the present supplier. As the Principals at the schools concerned were looking after this matter, the office not having anything to do with it at the present time, it was moved that this matter be brought up by the representatives from the School Committee at the next Principal's meeting. Carried unanimously.

Mr Bruce suggested that he would like the school to start on September 1, at 9:00 A.M., that the pupils would only be called in for half a day, school being dismissed at 12:00. It was moved that motion 287 66, providing for the schools to open for the fall term at 9:00 A.M. Tuesday, September 6, be rescinded and that the schools in the County open on September 1 at 9:00 A.M. Carried unanimously.

In regards to the building program at the Viking school Mr. Symyrozum reported that the work was progressing on time and that the building would be ready for occupancy on September 1st.

It was moved and carried that the Superintendent Mr. Marvin Bruce, be and hereby is appointed Chief Executive Officer for the County's School System.

Moved that Mr Nestor Semotiuk be appointed to attend the next Principals' meeting on behalf of the School Committee. Carried unanimously.

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# What to do if you shoot a banded bird

Four hundred pheasants were released earlier this month between Daysland and Heisler and another 400 on August 22 between Dhaton and Kelsey. The birds came from the government hatchery at Brooks.

The upland game season opens October 14 and continues until December 3. It would be appreciated by the Fish and Wildlife department if hunters who shoot down a banded bird would send particulars either to the department in Edmonton or in Camrose. They require the number on the band, when and where the bird was shot.

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# County Council holds special meeting Aug. 4

Following are the minutes, in part, of special meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9, held Thursday, Aug. 4.

A letter from the Alberta Centennial Committee, concerning the road over which the Centennial Caravan will travel over the County's roads in October of 1967, was referred to the Council. District Highway 3435 would be used to move the Caravan from Viking towards Camrose.

It was moved and carried that the Centennial Officer be [illegible] that the County will maintain this road in the best possible condition on the day [illegible] the Caravan travels over it but [illegible] it be suggested that, if the Caravan went on Highway 36 down to Killam, it could then travel over Highway 13 to Camrose, having a hard-surface road all the way.

An inspection report concerning the general assessment was referred to the Council. The report indicated that the assessment on the whole was very satisfactory with only some minor items being referred to.

Moved and carried that the inspection report be received and filed.

A letter from Northwestern Utilities Ltd., requesting permission to extend their present 1 1/4-inch gas line along the east side of the road allowance north of Tofield, was referred to the Council. The secretary-treasurer stated that, on the instruction of Cr Weatherill, he had informed the Gas Company that the County has no objections to the extension of the gas line with the proviso that, if at any time the road should be widened, the cost of moving the gas line would have be borne by the Gas Company. The secretary-treasurer reported that the local agent, Dennis Cooper, had indicated that the Northwestern Utilities Ltd. would not go along with this proviso and he suggested that the proviso should be removed.

It was noted that this road might enter into the picture under the Rural Road Study plan and that the road north of Tofield might be constructed with a 32-foot top.

Moved and carried that the secretary-treasurer's letter to N.W. Utilities Ltd. be approved and that no change be made in the provision regarding the moving of the gas line.

A letter from Northwestern Utilities, requesting to cross County roads to S.W. 14-49-16-W4th, N.W. 11-49-16-W4th and S.E. 15-49-16-W4th, was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the [illegible] approval be given.

A letter from Northwestern Utilities Ltd., requesting permission to place a gas line on the west side of Secs. 7, 18 and 19 in 51-20-W4th to serve certain customers along this road as well as in the Lindbrook Sub-division, was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that Northwestern Utilities Ltd. be advised that the Council has no objections to the proposed sub-division; however, should the road be widened at any time, the Northwestern Utilities Ltd. would be expected to move the line at its own expense.

The secretary-treasurer referred to the widening of the road north from Holden and mentioned that the local manager of the Northwestern Utilities Ltd., had referred to the N.E. 3-50-16-W4th where some 600 feet of line would have to be moved at the expense of the County. Reference was also made to the valve house at the south end of this road on the east side of S.E. 22-49-16-W4th and the fact that if the full rod was being used on this side of the road the valve house would extend out into the road allowance. The Local Manager had indicated that this would not be acceptable to the Gas Company. It was then moved that a letter, "Notice of Intent", be forwarded to Northwestern Utilities Ltd. advising that the County proposes to widen the road from N.W. 15-49-16-W.4th north 9 miles, that the County will pay for relocating the gas line to N.E. 3-50-16-W.4th if this is the County's responsibility and that it be ascertained who is responsible for relocating this gas line. Cd.

The Agricultural Fieldman attended at this time in connection with a proposed Agricultural Committee Tour to be held on August 23rd. The date was satisfactory to the Council and it was moved that the annual Agricultural Committee Tour be held on Tuesday, August 23rd, starting at Ryley at 9:30 a.m.

Cr Roddick informed the Council that the Viking Chamber of Commerce had appropriated funds for the improvements of the resort lakes in the area — $200.00 to Camp Lake and $100.00 to Lake Thomas. Inquiries had been made if cottages could be built at Camp Lake on the property owned by the County and developed under the Provincial Parks grant. Cr. Roddick had inquired from the Sec.-Treas., whether some assistance could be obtained from the Parks Branch in regards to planning the lay out of the Park at Camp Lake and a letter from the Provincial Parks Commissioner in 1963 was referred to the Council which advised that the Provincial Parks Branch does not have trained personnell to plan parks for Counties and Municipalities. In regards to whether or not cottages could be placed on the property the Sec.-Treas. stated that he would contact the Parks Commissioner in his matter. Cr. Johnston referred to the bulldozing out of some trees at the Lake which had been done by parties unknown and it was felt that some way must be found whereby unauthorized persons be prohibited from doing any work around the Lake.

COUN. BEAVER spec. min. con.

In regards to the grant it was moved that the grant of $200.00 from the Viking Chamber of Commerce to improve the gro-

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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Mr. Tom Stephens conducted his last service at the United church Sunday. Next Sunday, September 4, will be communion services, conducted by Rev. N McDannald of Tofield.—Mr. Stephens will conduct the Tofield service.

The ball tournament to be held at the Ministik diamond last Sunday afternoon was postponed due to rain.

Mr. and Mrs Melvin Loch arrived home Friday evening after a three week vacation at Kamloops and other B.C. points.

Sympathy of the district is extended to Mr. Verden Sears in the loss of his father last week.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. E. Debinder returned to work Monday after convalescing at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs Verden Sears, following surgery in an Edmonton Hospital.

Grant Penrice is at present on a two week vacation spent mostly with his parents, Mr. and Mrs A Penrice.

**Mrs. W. C. Barnes has a new granddaughter. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve R. Dunn of Calgary and was born Saturday, August 27th.**

HERE FROM IOWA

A very pleasant surprise was in store for Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and Glenn on Sunday afternoon when they attended a family gathering at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. A[illegible]n Campbell, Glenda and Craig on Pigeon Lake.

This gathering was in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Leslie Wright, Kevin and Heather of Iowa City, Iowa, U.S.A., who are visiting relatives and friends in many parts in Canada. Mrs. Wright is a niece of Mrs Ferguson. Other guests included Mrs John Potts, and Mrs. R Inglis, who is Mrs. Wright's mother. A most enjoyable day was spent boating and visiting and topped off with a barbecue supper.

Mrs. W. C. Barnes was host to her nephew and his wife and children, the Alan Grahams of Calgary last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Holmes and girls and Joan Howland were Edmonton shoppers on Thursday, preparing for school opening this Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach visited their son Chester in the Col. Mewburn Hospital in Edmonton on Saturday.

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## Armena notes

(Mrs. E. S. Soderstrom)

ARMENA Aug 29 — Guests at the Soderstrom cottage at Crystal Springs on Aug 28th in honor of Mr E. S. Soderstrom's 80th birthday were Mr and Mrs Fred Stone and family of Regina, Mr and Mrs Roger Soderstrom and boys and Vivian Swanson all of Edmonton, Mr and Mrs John Kaser and Bonnie, and Mr and Mrs George Soderstrom of Bittern Lake, Mr and Mrs Bob Connery and family of Camrose, Mr and Mrs Al Hoefling and Shelley of Gwynne, Mr and Mrs Arvid Erickson and Beverley Josh Kaser and Mrs Joan Wickland, all of Camrose, Dave Willisko, Mr and Mrs Earle Erickson and Mr and Mrs Anders Lysing.

Mr and Mrs. Telmer Sartison and family were weekend visitors with the Norman Moes before returning to Saskatoon.

## Palmer-Earling

(Intended for last week)
(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER - EARLING, August 19 — Mr and Mrs Wm Pederson and Cornelius Lien are on a motor trip to South Dakota and other points

Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell have returned home from a holiday to Creston and other places in B C.

The Walter Jonson boys of Camrose are holidaying this week with the Cliff Forres

Mrs Ernest Forre and children of Calgary spent two weeks at the Joe Peter and Lewis Forre homes

Mr. and Mrs. Jorgen Davick, Mr and Mrs. Jerry Dobson and Robert of Ryley, Carol and Roger of B C , and the Gordon Teskes were Sunday visitors with the Walter Stensruds.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tschirren and family of Ferintosh, Mr. and Mrs Peter DeLullo and family of Edmonton and Mrs. Ernest Forre and children of Calgary, were Sunday dinner guests at the Joe Peter Sr., home

Mr and Mrs. Roy Nichols of Holden were Sunday evening visitors with the Joe Knudsons, and the Helmut Roths were at Ed Knudsons home.

PALMER EARLING, August 26 — Rev Lars Knudson of Elbow, Sask Rev. and Mrs Martin Knudson and Carol of Wynyard Sask , and Mrs. Harold Lovrod and Shelly of Rabbit Hill, Sask , and other members of the family, called on their mother Mrs Ragna Knudson, Aug. 17, in Camrose in honor of her 83rd birthday

Mr. and Mrs Dyrland and children of Saskatchewan were visitors the past week with Mrs Dyrland's sister, Mrs. Bob Beattie and children

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Glen Reum was a patient part of the week in St. Mary's Hospital ill with tonsilitis, and Bob Beattie was a patient in the Tofield Hospital with a back ailment Lola Stensrud has returned home from the hospital

Mr and Mrs Russel Olson of Vancouver, B.C , were visitors this week at the Eddie Knudson home.

Mr and Mrs. Don Campbell Jr., attended the wedding on Aug 20 at La Glace of their nephew Ross Risvold, and Gail Engen They also motored to Grande Prairie and at North Star they visited Mr. and Mrs George Nord, he being Don's war pal

Mr and Mrs Jerry Gay of White Rock, B.C , are visiting their mother, Mrs. Betty Bista and friends.

Mr and Mrs Alf Lefsrud are on a bus tour to B C

Mr. and Mrs Gordon Meadahl and Brian, the Carl Sorensons and Mrs Mabel Meadahl of Camrose were Sunday dinner guests at the Dan Kabush home, Bawlf

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stensrud and Elmer accompanied by Mr and Mrs. Daniel Reum spent three days this week at Grande Prairie with the Herman and Melvin Reums

**VBS CLOSES**

The Vacation Bible School closed on Friday evening with a program by the 31 children at Skudesness Church, with the LCW serving lunch. The teachers for VBS were Mrs Flavold Aspenes, Beverly Olson, Bawlf, Mrs. Clifford Bratrud, and Vivian Hellekson of Camrose

Several relatives and friends from this locality attended Chester Thrandson's silver wedding Sunday afternoon.

# Mercury Classifieds

## Church Notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Sept. 4th

10 00 a m —Public Worship. Speaker Mr Tom Stephens, student minister at Ministik and South Cooking Lake

Sunday, Sept. 11—Public Worship and Sunday School at 11.00 a m.

Teen Church begins Sunday Sept. 18, at 10 00 a m.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, Sept. 4th

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all age groups.
11.00 a.m.—Worship and Communion Service.
8.00 p.m.—Christian Youth Fellowship.

Topic: "What is the Purpose in Life?"

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11.00 a.m.—All other Sundays—Matins.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday Schools during June, but none during July and August.
Other services and meetings to be announced

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Sept. 4th

HOLDEN—
10 00 a m —Divine Service.
11:00 a m —Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10 00 a m.—Sunday School
11.00 a m.—Divine Service

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule

TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 10:30 a m
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 9.00 a.m
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a m
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12 00 noon

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Sept. 4th

10 00 a m.—Worship Service.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
8 00 p m.—Evening Service.

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# County Council...

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ends at Camp Lake be accepted with thanks and that Crs. Johnston and Roddick be appointed a Committee to work with the Chamber of Commerce on this matter. Cd.

Mr. P. A. Bourree, Gravel and Sand Locator, of 7607 - 142 Street, Edmonton, attended the meeting at this time and explained how his Company was able to locate sand and gravel Firstly through examining aerial photographs and by seismographic work and drilling. He stated that a charge would only be made if gravel in quality and quantities suitable to the Council was found. If suitable gravel deposits were found the charge would be $100.00 per section and a block of not less than a township was required to go ahead with the work. There would be a royalty of 5c per cubic yard, 1c to be paid after the gravel deposit had been proven and 4c as the gravel is being used. The Counties of Athabasca, Barrhead and Wetaskiwin have been using the services of this Company and had apparently found quantities of gravel. Whether or not, the gravel, that was located, was in suitable quality and quantity was to be determined by the Council. Mr. Bourree said that he would abide by the decision of the Council. Mr. Bourree was asked to make a preliminary survey from township plats that would be lent to him by the County and report back at the regular Council meeting August 11th if he found this possible.

At this time Mr. A. Strome, P. Eng., Department of Water Resources and Mr. Hilton from the Department of Water Resources as well as Mr. L. Kroeger, Engineering with the PFRA, at Vegreville, attended the meeting in connection with the Waskwei Flood Control Scheme. Mr. Strome indicated that there were poor outlet conditions on this scheme, it was not just a matter of draining the surplus water but a control system further down on the Vermilion River was necessary and the PFRA could possibly handle this under a flood-irrigation scheme. Mr. Kroeger agreed to this and suggested that requests should be made to the VLA to take over this proposed scheme under the Dominion Flood-Irrigation Scheme The Federal Government would possibly pay 70 per cent and the farmers affected would bear the cost of maintenance They would have to form a Water Users Association and work from there. There would, of course, be some benefit to the roads so that the County would have to stand some of the cost

Under the Provincial Scheme the Government would pay 50 per cent and the county 50 per cent through its own funds and through contributions from the farmers affected Under the PFRA Scheme the Government contribution, as stated before, would be higher. Some 725 acres would benefit from a Flood Control Drainage Scheme. It was suggested that Cr. Krepielnicki should call a meeting of the farmers concerned at which time Mr. Kroeger would attend to fully explain the procedure It was moved by Cr. Weatherill that we make an application to the PFRA for a Flood-Irrigation Scheme on the Waskwei Creek. Cd.

In regards to Sec 13-50-18-W 4th Mr Strome explained what the situation was at the present time and that possibly a further survey should be undertaken

Moved that we request a further survey on the drainage problem in Sec 13-50-18-W 4th taking in areas that may be affected to bring this matter to its conclusion. Crd

In regards to the flooding situation in Twp. 50 and 51, Range 17 W 4th referred to as the Kropelnicki Flood Control System it was suggested that a further survey should be made as the present survey was not satisfactory to some of the land owners and it was moved that a further survey be requested in this regard. Cd

Cr. Knudslien referred to a drainage problem in Secs. 11 and 12-49-19-W 4th and Mr. Strome suggested that a request be made for a survey at this point It was moved that the Department of Water Resources be requested to conduct a survey in connection with the flooding problem in Secs. 11 and 12-49-19-W 4th. Cd.

# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The four groups of the Tofield UCW will hold their next general meeting on Wednesday, Sept 7th at 8 p m in the basement of the United Church in Tofield. A good attendance is urged

Mrs Esther Majahas of Edmonton was a Friday visitor and supper guest at the home of her brother John and Mary Wood. Also dinner guests and early afternoon visitors there were Mrs Alma Holmes and her daughter-in-law, Mrs Jim (Delary) Holmes of Ministik

**AT WEDDING**

Verlyn and Ollie Moos attended the wedding of Barbara Cossey daughter of Lloyd and Evelyn Cossey of Bon Accord (former residents of the McKenzie district) to Arnold Willoughby of Fort Saskatchewan at the Westminster United Church in Edmonton. They also attended the reception held at the Saxony Motor Inn

Rod and Isabel Budzki and little daughter Heather motored to Kelowna on Friday, August 20th and spent the weekend with Isabel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kyle. They returned home on Monday night, reporting a very enjoyable trip.

Ray and Ruth Wickenberg returned home Friday evening from their motor trip to B C They went by way of the Crowsnest Pass on the Trans-Canada Highway They visited Ruth's brother, Earl Cundiff and family at Abbotsford, also Vancouver, Victoria, Nanaimo and Hope On the return trip they came by way of Golden and the Rogers Pass They report a very enjoyable trip with beautiful weather during the entire trip.

Lyall and Thelma Wickenberg, Mrs. Vivian Jones and son Donald, and Janet Wickenberg, all of Edmonton were Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of their parents Ray and Ruth Wickenberg L Tofield

Walter and Evelyn Eaton and three children of Erbe Beach and Mrs. Leroy (Shirley) Eaton and two children of Holden, who had spent a week with Walter and Evelyn, motored here Saturday morning and were dinner guests at the home of Walter's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton. Shirley returned to Holden with Leroy; and Brian Eaton, who had spent a week with his grandmother returned home with his parents, Walter and Evelyn in the afternoon

# Kingman news items

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

Albin Anderson returned home on Thursday evening after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moivik of La Glace and visiting with many friends. Einar Haugland of La Glace came home with him and was a weekend guest at the Albin Anderson home.

Mr and Mrs. Nils Spilde, Mr. and Mrs Lloyd Spilde and Mrs. George Smith, all of Provost, were Sunday dinner guests at the Ed Seljahaug home. Evening visitors were Mrs. Alma Feragen and Fritz Adamson of Camrose

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wick of North Vancouver, B.C., arrived Friday for a few days visit with Lawrence's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wick. Sunday visitors with the Wicks were Mrs. D. Clark and Don Jacobson and family of Royal Park, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Simpson and son Earl and Doug Simpson and family of Islay.

Mr. and Mrs Roy Alderson and Clifford of Prince George, B.C., were Tuesday dinner guests at the J. A Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Liddell and family of Irma were Sunday visitors at the Wilfred Johnson home. Evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Johnson and family of Rimbey.

Dr. and Mrs. Douglas Asp and girls of Calgary spent several days last week with Douglas' mother, Mrs. Alex Asp, Bert and David

Mr. and Mrs Marvin Bowick have bought the Gust Hanson house, in Kingman and moved in last week.

Alice and Mabel Simonson and Mrs. E. Schmidt of Camrose were Sunday afternoon visitors with the Chuck Greigs at

Sunday guests at the Lloyd Bjorgum home were Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Takema of Tofield Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Skugnes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Neilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bjorgum, and Mrs Martha Lyseng, all of Camrose; and Merle and Pastor and Mrs Mr and Mrs. Vernon Stavne Art Dahlen and family.

Mr and Mrs R. Moore and family of Grande Prairie were Sunday and Monday visitors with friends in and around Kingman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Ness and Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Ness and family spent Wednesday to Sunday on a trip to Okanagan Lake and Kelowna, B.C. Cheryl Ness is staying with her grandparents for a while.

## Park employees feted before retiremnt

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

On Friday evening a number of district residents who are employed at Elk Island Park attended a retirement party for two fellow employees, Russel Hisey and Morrie Calcutt. Mr. Hisey was presented with a mantel clock and Mr. Calcutt with a barbecue set. Mrs. Hisey and Mrs Calcutt were each presented with a bouquet of flowers. Mr Hisey will continue living on his farm while Mr. Calcutt will retire in Victoria.


COUNTY OF BEAVER NO. 9
Notice Re Homsowners Tax Discount
Please note that the Homeowners Tax Discount only applies to the 1966 and succeeding taxation years. All taxes to December 31, 1965 must be paid before the Discount can be applied. Remittance of 1966 taxes, after all taxes are paid to December 31, 1965, should be made with the Discount deducted. Example: amount of tax notice—$211.65, remit—$161.65. For residence qualifications read the fine print on the application form.
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# To hunt in new Wainwright area

New regulations permit a special season and controlled hunting for deer and sharp-tailed grouse in the Wainwright Military establishment during the coming winter where research indicates certain portions of the range carry high density white tailed deer populations. Following discussions with Department of National Defence representatives agreement was reached to permit hunting in an area virtually not hunted in before. Fish and Wildlife officials view this as an opportunity to develop a specific research and management project in which Alberta hunters will be the principal participants.

The open season for sharp-tailed grouse is the week of Dec. 5th to Dec. 10th. Residents of Alberta who have obtained wildlife certificates and upland bird stamps are eligible applicants. A draw will be made from all applications received prior to Nov. 12th and 40 hunters will be validated to hunt in specified regions for 3 two-day periods, but individuals or parties up to four hunters may hunt for one two-day period only. By this means a total of 240 bird hunters will be accommodated. There will be no additional charge to bird hunters.

Details will be available from the Wainwright district Fish and Wildlife Office at Provost or from the Director of Fish and Wildlife at Edmonton by mid September.

## Locals . . .

Sandy, Irene and Betty Anne Scott drove to Edgerton on Sunday, Aug. 21, to visit Irene's schoolroom mate at Vermilion College, and her husband, Inga and Pete Bell.

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Mary and Bill Tiedemann called at the Scott home recently to wish Sandy an early "happy birthday".

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**82ND BIRTHDAY**

W. A. (Bill) Mitchell celebrated his 82nd birthday on Sunday, Aug. 21, when his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jalbert and family, of Edmonton, were present, together with other friends and neighbors of long standing.

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At the Everitt home for supper, and the evening, on Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Everitt and Mrs. Suss, all of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Everitt of Vancouver.

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Malita and John Wall and family returned home Sunday, after holidaying at Banff.

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Callers at the Sandy Scott home to help Sandy celebrate his birthday on Friday evening were Martha, Emil, Lucille and Mary Tiedemann and Yvonne, Peter, Daniel and Kietha Brown.

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Word has been received direct from A. B. Clutterham that he is a patient in St. Vincent's Hospital, Vancouver, after suffering a heart attack.

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Mrs. Tackema and Billy are holidaying in Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. William K. (Bill) Warner and family, from Kamloops, B.C., were recent visitors at the Willard McHeffey home.

## The Recipe Box

Take-to-school sandwich filling suggestions are timely, and salmon is the keynote in the following recipes.

**SALMON APPLE FILLING**

1 (7 3/4 oz.) can B.C. salmon; 1 cup finely diced, unpeeled apple; 1 tsp. lemon juice; 1/3 cup mayonnaise.

Turn salmon into bowl, flake and crush bones. Sprinkle apple with lemon juice. Combine all ingredients and mix lightly. Makes enough for four to six sandwiches.

**SALMON BURGERS**

1 (15 1/2 oz.) can B.C. salmon; 1 cup coarse soft breadcrumbs, 1 egg, beaten; 1/2 tsp. salt; 1/2 tsp. pepper; 2 tbsp. finely chopped onion, 8 bacon strips, 8 hamburger buns, split and heated, 8 slices raw tomato.

Flake salmon, crushing soft bone with fork and combine with salmon liquid. Add crumbs, egg, seasonings and onion; mix thoroughly. (Mixture will be quite moist). Shape into 8 patties.

Pan fry bacon, drain and remove to heated oven to keep warm. Pan fry salmon patties in a little of the bacon fat until browned on both sides. Place a pattie on each split heated bun. Top with a slice of tomato and a bacon strip. Makes eight.

## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

(Intended for last week)

**PIG IS RAFFLED**

Pat Paterson was the lucky prize winner of a pig, raffled by the Garden Athletic Club to swell their funds. As there was an option of cash, Pat accepted this.

It was a double occasion for Grant Penrice at the weekend. As the most valuable player to his team, an award from the Garden Athletic Club was received on his 21st birthday.

Others celebrating August birthdays were Mrs. A. McSporran, her 83rd, and Mrs. Russell Rowland and Glenn Ferguson.

Melvin George and his cousin, Leo Serasin, of Edmonton, spent four days at the home of Melvin's Grandma George.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson was an Edmonton shopper on Monday.

Several from the district attended the grand opening of the new Woolco store in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe of Tofield were Saturday afternoon guests of Mrs. S. George.

**HOME TO ONTARIO**

Mrs. Morris Tudor and Gerry left for their home in London, Ontario, after visiting for a week with Mrs. Alma Holmes and the Jim Holmes family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Hamilton and Marjorie of Fort Macleod have been visiting with Mrs. Hamilton's sister, Mrs. Russell Rowland. They also called on the Lloyd Grummetts and Jim Roddicks while here.

Ruby Blackburn of Lorma has been a guest of the Joe Davenport family for almost five weeks. She enjoys the farm life with her cousins.

Miss Teresa Rogier has been enjoying a vacation in New York, Chicago and Nova Scotia. She plans to motor home by way of Montreal, where she will visit other friends and relatives.

Miss Pat Penrice and Mrs. Gordon Thor and boys were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Penrice and Grant.

Pupils, teachers, bus drivers and janitors are preparing for school opening on September 1st.

**TROPHY WINNERS**

In a closely played ball game Sunday at the Spilstead diamond, Spilstead defeated Ministik to win the Harold Dunham trophy. The trophy was presented personally by Mr. Dunham.

A ball tournament of the four league teams, namely Lindbrook, Spilstead, Hastings Lake and Ministik will be held at the Ministik diamond on Sunday, Aug. 28th.

## Holden

(Intended for last week)

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden met relatives in Edmonton on Thursday, who are in Canada on a holiday, and drove to Jasper where they and their family were spending a few days, returning home Monday.

Mrs. Pearl Allan, who has been attending summer school at the University of Alberta for the past six weeks, finished classes and returned home a week ago Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus and children left Friday to spend the weekend at Jasper, at a family re-union of the Liden family.

Marshall Slywka of Sherwood Park was a Monday morning visitor with his mother, Mrs. William Slywka.

**HOME FROM TRIP**

Jacqueline Ruskenveld, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Ruskenveld, is home from her holiday trip to visit relatives at various points in the U.S. She also spent a few weeks with her uncle and family, the Lou Ruskenvelds, in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson returned home the end of last week from Banff, where Lars attended the annual conference of Locals of the A.T.A.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Christianson of British Columbia have been visiting with the former's mother, Mrs. Laura Christianson, for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka spent the weekend in Edmonton and visited with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Bellman, who have returned home from their holiday in the United States.


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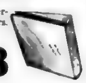

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**Getting the breaks**

Farmers in the Tofield area generally were more fortunate than most of their kind in East Central Alberta, where heavy rains have held up any attempts at harvest. Farmers like the one above have been able to make heavy inroads into harvesting problem in this area, and report conditions better than expected. Mercury Staff Photo.

# Church at Trondhjem marks 60th birthday

The Trondhjem Lutheran Congregation at Round Hill observed its 60th Anniversary the weekend of August 26-28.

On Friday evening, a former Pastor, Rev. O. H. Haugen (1951-60) was the guest speaker, choosing for his topic "Life With God", the first portion of the anniversary theme, "Redeemed For a Purpose". Special music was a solo by Gregory Pederson, accompanied by Afton Olson.

Saturday evening's guest speaker was another former Pastor, Rev. G. J. Ostrem, who served the congregation from 1944-48 and as interim pastor from 1964-66. He spoke on the second part of the theme, "Walking With God". Music that evening was supplied by Joan Burnstad, Mrs. Doreen Burnstad, Mrs. Mabel Gotheridge and Mrs. Helen Burnstad.

Sunday morning service saw the church filled to capacity. Kevin Quall, trumpeter, played the "Call To Worship". The local Pastor, Rev. A. Dahlen, conducted the opening devotional and liturgy. The Sunday School Chorus sang three numbers, and Kevin Quall and Afton Olson played an instrumental duet. Rev. Haugen preached the sermon, and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Johnson rendered a duet.

After the service, all assembled in the church parlors, where the ladies served a turkey dinner.

In the afternoon service, the president of the Congregation, Fred Gotheridge brought greetings of welcome, on behalf of himself and the Congregation, and thanked all who helped make the Anniversary a memorable one. He especially voiced his thanks to the guest Pastors, Rev. Haugen and Rev. Ostrem, and to Mrs. Hans Bonesa who prepared the History Pamphlet, as she did the History Book for the 50th Anniversary.

Greetings were brought by Lester Severson on behalf of the Bardo congregation; by Ingvald Ness on behalf of the Kingman congregation, and Mr. Burkholder on behalf of the Salem Mennonite congregation. A letter of greetings and well wishes from a former pastor, Rev. S. Bue, was read by Pastor Dahlen.

A choir consisting of former and present members (1930-66) sang two numbers, under the direction of T. Grainger. Other special numbers were: a musical reading by Mrs. Alma Nelson; a musical number by the Dahlen family, and a solo by Terry Grainger. The message was brought by Rev. G. Ostrem, speaking on the third part of the theme, "Laborers With God".

**ORGANIZED IN 1906**

The Trondhjem Congregation was organized October 29, 1906, at the George Bruce home, with Rev. Bernsvend Anderson as chairman. He chose as the opening devotion Col. 3:16-17 and read the fundamental paragraphs of the Lutheran Church constitution. The name "Trondhjem" was chosen for the congregation, as the majority of the charter members had immigrated from Trondhjem, Norway.

The church was not built until 1929 and was located east of Round Hill. In February of 1934 it was moved to Round Hill, where its spire can be seen for many miles throughout the countryside.

Many former members were "back home" to attend this special occasion.

## Eileen Stuart wins 4-H trip

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Competing against some 250 Alberta 4-H members, Miss Eileen Stuart of the Holden 4-H Beef Club was selected to represent Alberta at the National 4-H Club week at Ottawa and Toronto during the month of November.

Winners were selected on the basis of past outstanding achievements. Eileen has obtained one of the highest awards possible in 4-H work and congratulations are extended to her from this community on her outstanding achievement.

## Weather . . .

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# Broiler Growers Board opens Edmonton office

The Alberta Broiler Growers' Marketing Board, established a few months ago, had their official opening September 1st at their new office at 9808 - 108 Street in Edmonton, with W. J. Landreth the secretary-manager.

Mr. Landreth, until recently with Ogilvie's produce processing plant in Edmonton, comes to the marketing board with 20 years experience in the poultry business.

Howard Falkenberg of Camrose, chairman of the five-member board, told The Mercury that with the opening of the office, they are now prepared to issue producers' certificates to registered broiler growers, and licences to processors and hatcheries. Each producer will be given a basic growing area, he said, in that way protecting the quota allowable to him. For each bird produced, an area of one square foot is the prescribed area; and as there is an estimated area of 2,000,000 square feet in the "growing area", it indicates a high population of broilers to be marketed annually.

The board was established, Mr. Falkenberg said, as a means of maintaining orderly marketing, and equitable prices for the broilers, making it economically feasible for growers to set up their business in a way that would assure a steady supply to consumers.

With the opening of the office, the board will be able to carry on more adequate promotion in the interests of both producer and consumer.

## Accident victims are laid to rest

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The funerals of Eugene Stefanishen and Richard Kawalilak who were killed in a two car collision at the weekend of August 27th on Highway 14 west of Bruce, were held Tuesday morning of last week.

Services were held at the R.C. church in Holden with Father Adams officiating, with the interment of Eugene Stefanishen being in the Bruce cemetery and Richard Kawalilak in Polska cemetery. The sympathy of friends in the districts is sincerely extended to the two bereaved families.

## From the scrapbook

The only thing to do with good advice is to pass it on; it is never of any use to one self.

Oscar Wilde
J.W.R.

## Tofield couple observe 25th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberge of Tofield recently celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Roberge were married Aug. 30, 1941 at All Saints' Church, Oxsted, Surrey England.

In 1945 they returned to Canada residing in the Tofield area about 21 yrs.

Open house was held at their home on Sunday, Aug. 29th with approximately 75 people attending. Charles and Mary opened many lovely gifts which were received from various friends and relatives.

Dinner was then served, after which they cut a beautiful three tiered wedding cake, which was decorated by Mrs. Rose Bernard, a friend of the family from Edmonton.

Greetings were received from relatives in France, Germany, England and Ireland.

## Bride is honored at farewell party

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Monday evening, August 29th a farewell party was held in the United Church parlors in Holden, in honor of Mrs. David Good, who, with her husband, will be leaving to make her home in Edmonton.

On entering the room a lovely corsage was pinned on Dorothy by Mrs. Florence Giebelhaus. Seated at the head table with the guest of honor were her mother, Mrs. Joe Hooper, and her sister, Mrs. Benson of Bruce, also Mrs. Ernie Good and Mrs. Jack Good of California who is visiting here.

Mrs. Beverly Manchu was master of ceremonies for the evening's entertainment, assisted by Mrs. Jean Grande. Various games were played and Mrs. Malick on behalf of many friends made a presentation of a beautiful matched cannister set and a purse of money, with the good wishes from all for happiness in her new home. Dorothy has been employed at the M & M store the last few years and in charge of it for the past year during the absence of Marvin Giebelhaus. She was an active member of the UCW.

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Faced with this economic crisis the federal cabinet had no alternative but to take a strong unyielding stand on the railway strike. The railwaymen were clamouring for increases up to 30 per cent in wages. The government countered by bringing in an end-the-strike bill that offered an eighteen per cent interim raise in wages. This immediately brought loud protests from union leaders and the strikers. They protested that it was far too low. They said that even if Parliament passed the bill ordering the men back to their jobs there would be many across the country who would defy Parliament.

This posed the dangerous possibility of organized civil disobedience. Government members, whenever the [illegible] was raised that the [illegible] might refuse to obey [illegible] mentary order, shudder[illegible]. One was quoted as saying that the ramifications of such a [illegible] are "impossible to calculate and terrifying to contemplate".

Thus the Government is being squeezed. It has to find a solution that will persuade the striking railwaymen to go back on the job and at the same time it must avoid setting too high a wage increase which will only aggravate inflation. [illegible] resolve the crisis [illegible] defeat and Canada [illegible] election [illegible] for strong leadership [illegible] John Diefenbaker's administration crumbled and [illegible] under such a pressure [illegible] to be seen if Prime Minister Pearson's minority government [illegible] pressures. They [illegible] the railway strike [illegible] any spiral once having gained momentum is hard [illegible]

# 3 strikes and out

It's sixteen years since Canada's railroads were shut down by strike action, until last week, but even so it might not hurt to point to the rule in baseball of "three strikes and you're out". Who knows, it could happen in railroading, too.

In many ways, the railroad strike is like an iceberg, with nearly ninety per cent of it below the surface. One feature seems to be the inability of the unions to deliver the labor of their members as a unit. There wasn't any hesitation about being united when it came to walking out, but it was entirely different about going back. Does this indicate the need to penalize unions or workers where wildcat strikes are involved? Shouldn't the privilege of union strength be matched by equal responsibility? And shouldn't the loss of one reduce the other?

Another feature embittering several of the senior employees is the lack of attention paid by the union to their requests, repeated over many years. We are reliably informed these workers didn't ask, or even care about, a pay raise in the order of 30%. But they have many times asked for some type of job security, some kind of sick pay, some assurance they won't be dumped on the street after thirty or forty or more years of service, without having met pension requirements. And they say so far the union seems not to know they exist.

One argument being used by labor forces for justifying the pay raise is the difficulty being faced by the railways in securing adequate trained labor. But nearly everyone knows this situation isn't confined to the railways . . . it's almost universal in Canadian industry. And raising pay isn't going to correct this situation though it might move people around a bit more.

The most dismaying aspect of the situation is that even though the Liberal government passed their return to work bill, it was only after the opposition so altered the original draft as to make it a travesty. For Diefenbaker to force the rate up from eight to eighteen per cent, and then chortle "we told them it wouldn't work" is simply to use Parliament, the institution he professes to idealize, as an instrument to mock the needs of the Canadian people.

Union leaders couldn't possibly have been happy with a law starting at eight per cent, but neither could they ignore the law except to court anarchy. The tragedy is that so many of their members did so, supposedly without union sanction.

# No change ahead

Voters in both Newfoundland and British Columbia this week have the opportunity to decide which candidates, and which parties, [illegible] desires and their thinking [illegible] measure.

And while anything can happen, we don't really expect to see any major changes in either end of the country. In all probability, both leaders may lose a little of the strength they have enjoyed in the past session, although voters in B.C. don't seem to feel there is any real alternative in many instances to the solidly established government of Premier Bennett.

This latter may have some bearing on the chances of Social Credit going on to become a national party again.

# Whither South Africa?

The tragic situation in South Africa where a remarkably strong man in the person of Premier Verwoerd was assassinated shows just how easy it is for a pygmy to pull down a [illegible], and how inadequate are the defences the [illegible] hands.

While [illegible] have been condemned, we [illegible] think ill of Verwoerd and [illegible] policy, but right or wrong, it has to be conceded he was a man of exceptional ability, possibly the one man of his time who could have controlled the explosive situation faced in South Africa. There may be strong hands to take over, but there is doubt that the situation will be relaxed due to the change, rather, it would seem likely the apartheid may be intensified.

And surely this would not have been the objective of the killer.


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Meantime Prime Minister Pearson [illegible] the Commons that the [illegible] of inflation [illegible] between Federal and Provincial Finance Ministers. The tax structure committee which includes some Premiers of the provinces who also hold the portfolio of provincial treasurer in their respective administrations, was scheduled to meet in mid-September.

Thus the Government is confronting a serious economic situation. It was shocked to find that it had difficulty selling its bonds at reasonable rates because the demand for money in North America exceeds the supply and pushes up the price. The price will undoubtedly go higher yet in Canada because it cannot long remain below the U.S. level without attracting American capital homeward and endangering the value of Canadian currency.

Faced with this economic crisis the federal cabinet had no alternative but to take a strong unyielding stand on the railway strike. The railwaymen were clamouring for increases up to 30 per cent in wages. The government countered by bringing in an end-the-strike bill that offered an eighteen per cent interim raise in wages. This immediately brought loud protests from union leaders and the strikers. They protested that it was far too low. They said that even if Parliament passed the bill ordering the men back to their jobs there would be many across the country who would defy Parliament.

This posed the dangerous possibility of organized civil disobedience. Government members, whenever the suggestion was raised that the railwaymen might refuse to obey the parliamentary order, shuddered. One was quoted as saying that the ramifications of such a situation are "impossible to calculate and terrifying to contemplate".

Thus the Government is being squeezed. It has to [illegible] a solution that will persuade the striking railwaymen to [illegible] on the job and at the [illegible] time it must avoid setting [illegible] a wage increase which [illegible] aggravate inflation. If [illegible] cannot resolve the crisis it will be facing defeat and Canada could have yet another election. [illegible] John Diefenbaker [illegible] [illegible] momentum is hard [illegible]

# 3 strikes and out

It's sixteen years since Canada's railroads were shut down by strike action, until last week, but even so it might not hurt to point to the rule in baseball of "three strikes and you're out". Who knows, it could happen in railroading, too.

In many ways, the railroad strike is like an iceberg, with nearly ninety per cent of it below the surface. One feature seems to be the inability of the unions to deliver the labor of their members as a unit. There wasn't any hesitation about being united when it came to walking out, but it was entirely different about going back. Does this indicate the need to penalize unions or workers where wildcat strikes are involved? Shouldn't the privilege of union strength be matched by equal responsibility? And shouldn't the loss of one reduce the other?

Another feature embittering several of the senior employees is the lack of attention paid by the union to their requests, repeated over many years. We are reliably informed these workers didn't ask, or even care about, a pay raise in the order of 30%. But they have many times asked for some type of job security, some kind of sick pay, some assurance they won't be dumped on the street after thirty or forty or more years of service, without having met pension requirements. And they say so far the union seems not to know they exist.

One argument being used by labor forces for justifying the pay raise is the difficulty being faced by the railways in securing adequate trained labor. But nearly everyone knows this situation isn't confined to the railways . . . it's almost universal in Canadian industry. And raising pay isn't going to correct this situation though it might move people around a bit more.

The most dismaying aspect of the situation is that even though the Liberal government passed their return to work bill, it was only after the opposition so altered the original draft as to make it a travesty. For Diefenbaker to force the rate up from eight to eighteen per cent, and then chortle "we told them it wouldn't work" is simply to use Parliament, the institution he professes to idealize, as an instrument to mock the needs of the Canadian people.

Union leaders couldn't possibly have been happy with a law starting at eight per cent, but neither could they ignore the law except to court anarchy. The tragedy is that so many of their members did so, supposedly without union sanction.

# No change ahead

Voters in both Newfoundland and British Columbia this week have the opportunity to decide which candidates [illegible] which parties, generally re[illegible] [illegible] desires and their thinking [illegible] measure.

[illegible] anything can happen, we [illegible] expect to see [illegible] major changes in either end of the country. In all probability, both leaders may lose a little of the strength they have enjoyed in the past session, although voters in B.C. don't seem to feel there is any real alternative in many instances to the solidly established government of Premier Bennett.

This latter may have some bearing on the chances of Social Credit going on to become a national party again.

# Whither South Africa?

The tragic situation in South Africa where a remarkably strong man in the person of Premier Verwoerd was assassinated shows just how easy it is for a pygmy to pull down a giant, and [illegible] are the defences the [illegible] commands.

Western [illegible] have been conditioned, [illegible] think ill of Verwoerd and [illegible] policy, but right or wrong, it has to be conceded he was a man of exceptional ability, possibly the one man of his time who could have controlled the explosive situation faced in South Africa. There may be strong hands to take over, but there is doubt that the situation will be relaxed due to the change. rather, it would seem likely the apartheid may be intensified.

And surely this would not have been the objective of the killer.

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## Centennial Report

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I have met a number of Canadians [illegible] by the coming Centennial celebrations, to [illegible] [illegible] history is that it may provide more than a textbook [illegible] [illegible] history of [illegible]

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[illegible] encourage people to [illegible]

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# The Ryley Times

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Audrey Jacobs and two children of Edmonton were Thursday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of her grandparents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg last week. Also there for the afternoon and supper guests were their daughter, Mrs Vivian Jones and son Donald, also of Edmonton.

**Armand and Gail Gosbault are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter on Sept. 1st at the Tofield Hospital.**

Emily and Ernie Roberge of Edmonton were Monday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emily's sister, Mickey and Charlie Niemetz.

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

Sunday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Geo. and Ida Niemetz were Ida's sister Emma and Ed Schultz of Edmonton, Mrs. Tillie Yurkowski and Mrs. Allie Oberlos, both of Tofield and Mrs. Ellen Eaton, helping Ida celebrate her birthday a day late.

Erma and Fred Onyschuk and daughter Debbie were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Erma's sister Irlene and Harold Sieb. En route home they called at the home of Erma's brother Charlie and Mickey, Niemetz.

Don Rollans and daughter Shelley of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Don's aunt, Mrs. Ethel Wood. Other Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests were Ethel's brother Doug and Fran Baines and family also of Edmonton.

Bob and Gail Ozubko of Edmonton were Monday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Gail's parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz on their way home from a weekend at Banff.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton and Mervin Ross were Monday evening coffee guests at the home of Ellen's son Leroy and Shirley Eaton at Holden.

Lorene and Jim Francis and two sons Freddy and Lee of Viking were Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Lorene's parents, John and Mary Wood.

The lovely weather during the Labor Day weekend was a real treat after so much rain but forecasts are for more rain or showers and cooler weather. Farmers in this district are in real need of warm, dry weather to harvest or finish haying.


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# Lauber-Yoder wedding solemnized on August 6

On August 6th, Sylvia Marie Yoder, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs. Wayne Yoder of Round Hill, became the bride of Murray Leroy Lauber, son of Mrs. Martha Lauber. Rev. Harold Boettger officiated at the wedding ceremony in the Salem Mennonite Church, near Tofield.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father. She chose a slim, floor-length gown of French lace over taffeta, with a rounded neckline and lily point sleeves. The ensemble featured a coat of nylon net bordered with French lace. She carried a bouquet of pink roses on a white Bible.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Beartice Foshaug, as matron of honor; Miss Marion Yoder, cousin of the bride, as bridesmaid, and Joan Yoder, sister of the bride, as junior bridesmaid. They wore identically styled floor-length gowns with Empire waistlines, sleeves and bodices of lace over taffeta, and the skirts of chiffon over taffeta. The matron of honor wore blue and the bridesmaids yellow. They carried nosegays of Shasta daisies centered with a yellow rose.

The groom was attended by his brothers, Calvin and Byron Lauber. Ushers were Richard Foshaug, Ben Lauber and Jim Lauber.

An octette sang during the signing of the register.

Mrs. Yoder chose a two-piece dress of pink chiffon over printed cotton, with white accessories and a corsage of yellow roses. Mrs. Lauber wore a two-piece navy suit with white accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

A reception was held in the church basement for 180 guests. The bride's table was centered with a three-tiered cake, made by the bride's mother and beautifully decorated by the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Lee Roth of Tofield. Keith Hostetler acted as master of ceremonies.

The happy couple are residing in Camrose, where the groom will be teaching.

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# Kingman news briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Aug 29th. Mr. and Mrs Fred Gibson and son, and Mrs. Thompson and daughter, all from Ontario spent last week at the Grace Gibson, Annie Coykendahl and Fred Coykendall homes

**Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seljehaug left Saturday, by bus, for Vancouver, B.C., to attend the P & E Fair, and to visit with friends.**

Jackie Bowen has returned to the Melvin Severson home, after a stay in Toronto.

Mr and Mrs Lloyd Bjorgum and family spent Sunday and Monday at Banff

Randal and Mark Simonson of Edmonton spent a week at the Gordon Simonson home.

Mr and Mrs. Harold Nernasen and son, Albert of Billings Montana, were Wednesday overnight guests at the Roy Hutchinson home.

Mrs Tilda Christenson and Bill of Camrose, and Mr. and Mrs Fred Coykendall and family were Sunday visitors at the Lyle Christenson home.

Mr. and Mrs Milo Holte and Shirley have returned from a trip to the Okanagan in B.C., and spent the weekend with Milo's mother, Mrs. J. A. Holte

Mr and Mrs Louis Erga and Mr and Mrs Alan Erga spent Tuesday to Saturday on a trip to Creston B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hutchinson and Neil spent the weekend with relatives at Drayton Valley

**PRE NUPTIAL SHOWER**

Eighteen ladies were present at the Herman Swenson home Tuesday evening for a shower honouring Miss Diana Murray of Camrose. Miss Murray's wedding to Gary Switzer takes place on September 2nd. The bride-elect received many lovely and useful gifts for which she expressed her gracious thanks. Lunch was served

**AMANDUS JOHNSON DIES**

Thur Johnson took his grandson Kelly Woiden, who spent the summer with his grandparents, to his home at Kamloops, B.C., by train on Thursday. While there, he had word of the passing of his father, Amandus Johnson of Bethany Home, and returned home by bus on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Severson and Jackie Bowen were Monday visitors with the Vic Masons near Camrose

A farewell party was held for Friday evening at the Gustav Ekdahl home. The Winders the Leonard Winder family on have now moved to Dried Meat Lake, and Mr. Winder is employed with Brager's Transport in Camrose.

# Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Ken and Betty Pederson and boys spent the weekend visiting Betty's uncle and aunt in Calgary.

John Duncan of Victoria, B.C., visited with his sisters, Isobel McLachlan and Winnie McLachlan, and also his father, Alex Duncan, at Wetaskiwin

# Scotch Broth

Two navels glared at me. The unblinking orbs arrested my eyes, held them. I blinked. It was like the kid's game of staring one another out. They won.

Nobody bats an eye at a bikini on a beach. But in a small town store a discordant chord is struck by naked navels

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Had a lucky break on a short holiday last month. The sun shone in a cloudless sky for a whole week and temperatures ranged in the high 80's. Just right for living in a B.C. lake much of the time

My tendency to leave the beaten track led me to take a long, lonely drive on the return trip — by a roundabout way. Breath-taking scenery. But would the gas and the daylight last until I got out of the mountains and over The Hump? It's a long, treacherous and steep hill in the Willow Creek Forestry Reserve with a sheer drop on one side. A panoramic view is more safely

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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

Communion services were conducted Sunday at the United Church by Rev. W. McDannold of Tofield. Due to so few students at college, Ministik may have to depend on laymen for their winter services again. In the meantime, Mr. H. Dunham will carry on.

**HERE FROM ONTARIO**

Mr and Mrs. Alex Penrice enjoyed the company recently of Mr Penrice's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Penrice and Heather, John and Lana. One evening during the week, a family get-together and wiener roast was enjoyed. Bill Lovejoy and his fiancee, Miss Carol LHirondelle, of St. Albert, were also present at this gathering.

**HOME FROM EAST**

Miss Theresa Rogler returned home by plane on Tuesday after Labor Day, when Verden Sears picked her up at the International Airport at Nisku. She spent four weeks visiting many eastern points, including New York, Chicago, Montreal and many spots in Nova Scotia

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Libnes and family of Edmonton were Labor Day guests of Mrs Helen Hennessy

Thursday shoppers in Edmonton included Miss Evelyn Cook, Mrs. Andrew Ferguson and Mrs. Helen Hennessy

Melvin George and his cousin, Len Sperrin, rode their bikes out to spend the long Labor Day weekend with Melvin's grandmother, Mrs. S. George. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Bill George and Georgina and Mr. and Mrs. Doug George and Valerie.

At a recent meeting the ladies of the C.W.L. made final plans for their annual bingo, to be held at Ministik Hall on Friday, Sept. 23rd. Everyone welcome.

**PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONS**

Jim Reddick and Margaret and Edna attended the provincial softball association finals at Ardrossan on Sunday, where the Ardrossan team defeated Pincher Creek, to become Alberta champions.


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# Centennial . . .

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the old snobbery associated with claims of having dukes, counts and other notables as ancestors.

I recall touches of humor associated with a period 25 to 30 years ago when some families went to great trouble and sometimes considerable expense to have their histories researched. Those whose ancestors came from Europe or the British Isles often were hopeful of finding proof of heroes or royal blood in their backgrounds. Certainly a copy of the family crest on old parchment, framed and hanging in the dining room, was a status symbol of sorts

During the family crest craze various "services" across the seas published classified advertisements in North American newspapers offering to research official documents and produce bona fide family crests—for a fee. It was with dismay that some on this side of the ocean would later discover they actually had paid for a fictional drawing which came only from the mind of a second rate commercial artist in a foreign land.

Family history research can produce exciting stories, too. One of our young office boys at the Centennial Commission didn't give a hoot about history until he discovered that an ancestor of his figured prominently in the Papineau uprising. His eyes stared in disbelief as he spotted his own unusual French name in Mason Wade's "French Canadians". They widened even more when he read on to find that a troop of the Montreal Volunteer Cavalry had been sent to St. Johns, Quebec, to capture his ancestor. The ancestor evaded the Cavalry and fled to the United States.

"Gee, I've often wondered why I have so many American relatives", he said. "Now I know. Here in Canada we had a price on our heads!"

I recommend, as a personal Centennial project for yourself, that you check into old family albums and books lying around the house. Ask the relatives, too. There's no telling what interesting Canadian history you might find with a family connection of your own.

Whether they have "trees" or not, families also can play a big part in the Centennial celebrations by making 1967 the big year for those picnics and reunions which long have been typical festive occasions in many Canadian communities

# John Kropielnicki dies in Tofield August 11th

John Kropielnicki passed away August 11 in the Tofield Hospital, after a very short illness, at the age of 79 years.

He came to Canada in 1900 from Austria. The family homesteaded in the Chipman district, and in 1915 he took up a homestead in the same area. In 1906 he married Mary Ludwig and they resided there until 1926, when they moved to the Ryley district to farm, until his retirement in 1954 to Tofield. In 1961 they moved back to the farm at Ryley, where he resided until he passed away at the Tofield Hospital.

Mr Kropielnicki leaves to mourn his passing, his loving wife, Mary; two sons, Frank and Walter, one brother, Joseph; ten grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services with Requiem Mass were held on Sunday evening, August 14, and burial was on Monday morning, Aug. 15, from the Ryley Catholic Church, with Rev. Fr. L. Scriven officiating. Interment was in the Ryley Cemetery. Park Memorial Funeral Directors were in charge of arrangements

Pallbearers were Ronald, Allan, Harvey, Raymond, Richard and Barry Kropielnicki.

**Spiritual Offerings**

Mary Kropielnicki, Frank and Anne Kropielnicki, Walter and Jo Kropielnicki, Ron and Joyce, Allan and Sonya, Harvey, Ray and Elizabeth, Richard and Evelyn Kropielnicki; Ray and Adele Rokos; Lorraine and Eugene Mishio, Joseph and Maggie Kropielnicki, Thomas and Maggie Kropielnicki, Bob Mayowski, Thomas and Virginia Chupka; William and Gertie Chupka, Alex and Frances Chupka, Michael and Katherine Chupka, Joseph Chupka; Emily Kolody; Bernice Kolody; Mary McCardle; Frank and Helen Engle; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Romanuik; Rex and Jean Tennant; Mr and Mrs. Edwin Klawitter; Mr. and Mrs. Nick Filevich; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pattrie, Mrs. Lena Ogrodnick and Paul; Mr. and Mrs Ernest Brown; Mrs. Lena Lucas, Nick Kolodychuk, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wenger; Mrs Mary Wenger, Mrs. Serinie Christensen and Maggie, Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Kokotyn; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wenger; Mr. and Mrs. William Basisty, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kushnerick, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Filevich, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hrabec; Ryley Catholic Women's League; Rev. Fr. L. Scriven; John and Clara Kozack; Mr and Mrs. Anton Pedruzney; Daniel and Olga Manderson, John and Mary Bilyk, Mr and Mrs Mike Bulyk, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kudrowich; Joe Bilyk, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Senuik; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nahernick; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ogrodnick; Mr. and Mrs. John Paloborozny, Mr and Mrs. Adolph Frebrowski, Mr. and Mrs. William Klass; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Romanuik; Mr. and Mrs Steve Komwnisky; Mr and Mrs. Steve Kozack; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mishio.

**Memorials**

To Heart Fund—Mr. and Mrs. Andy Heiberg.

To Ryley Cemetery Fund—Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Helgeland; John Knudslein; Mr. and Mrs. Murray Lyons; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Londes; Jake Dueck; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Dueck; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lyons; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Young; Mr and Mrs. Ole Hagen, Mrs. Gladys Annebo.

To Catholic Church Building Fund—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klawitter; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kolodychuk; Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kubin; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lyons.

**Floral Tributes**

Adolph and Alice Korpalansky; Douglas Korpalansky; County of Beaver, Staff, Council and School Committee

**Card of Thanks**

We wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to all our friends, neighbors and relatives for their kind acts of sympathy during our recent bereavement.

—Mary Kropielnicki and Family. 3L-2794

# Scotch Broth . . .

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seen before you start downwards.

There was no traffic on the gravel road except a carload of Indians. I sought their advice about gas and they said there was a service station on the road. It was a good 50 miles further on. The sun was sinking fast as I left The Hump behind me.

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"A mess of soft curls", described a hair style at Cecille's Beauty Lounge in a recent edition of this paper. The intended word was "mass". Another typographical error I saw years ago was, "A guest of wind blew . . ." We all know what it is to have windy guests. They often blow, too.

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Centralization of schools is a vital matter these days. Maybe centralization of government should take precedence. Headquarters dead centre and two branches equi-distant either side could do the job for 20 million people. Of course, there might be even more difficulty getting highly qualified staff than in the schools.


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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols were recent Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knudson.

**Pete Lunblad and son Gary returned home by plane the beginning of the month, after being away on a two month holiday trip, touring nine countries in Europe.**

Mrs. Lyle Grosland was a hospital patient for a few days at the end of the week, having check-up and tests.

Mrs. Cliff Foran was here from Edmonton on Wednesday evening, moving their belongings from the County house, where they had been staying for the past few weeks. She and Mrs. Sanderson drove back to the city Wednesday night.

**Cliff Foran, who is a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton, is making good progress after recent surgery.**

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilians and small son were callers in Holden Saturday afternoon, on route to B.ure

John Godbout of Edmonton was a business caller in Holden the end of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sawchuk and sons Ronnie and Orest left Saturday for Edmonton, where they will be making their future home.

Larry Stri'chuk, who was holidaying at Inuvik, NWT, for over three weeks, staying with his father who is employed there, returned home the end of August in time for school.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Shykora and Mr. and Mrs. W. J Rurka, who have been holidaying for two weeks, returned home Monday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ritland entertained at a family supper on Tuesday evening of last week, in honor of Mr. and Mrs David Good, who are making their home in Edmonton. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Good from California, who are visiting with Mr. and Mrs Ritland and Mr. and Mrs Ernest Good.

**NEWLYWEDS HONORED**

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad entertained at their home at an evening party on Tuesday, Aug. 30, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. David Good, newlyweds. The guests of honor were presented with a purse of money from their many friends present, and all good wishes for their future happiness. Also present were David's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Good, who are visiting from California, on holidays.

**INJURED IN ACCIDENT**

Lawrence Tchir was released from Viking Hospital last Friday, where he had been a patient after being involved in a car accident the previous week. His injuries were found to be less serious than thought at first, suffering a fractured ankle bone besides lacerations.

David Tiedemann was a visitor in Edmonton on Saturday, having dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy spent the holiday weekend on a fishing trip at Little Moose Lake.

Mrs. Ida Mason is now in charge of the M. & M. Store, since Mrs. Dorothy Good resigned from that position.

Mrs. Bertha Sanderson was a business visitor in Edmonton for a few days the early part of last week.

**HERE FROM SWEDEN**

Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus entertained at an afternoon party on Thursday of last week in honor of her cousin who, with her father, T. A. Liden's eldest brother, has been on a visit from Sweden for the past three weeks, visiting with them and other relatives in and around Edmonton.

Mrs. Beth Campbell was a dinner guest with Mrs. Mary James on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. James went to Edmonton on Monday evening to have a check-up and eye tests.

**TO RYLEY A.G.T.**

Mrs. Bertha Sanderson, former AGT operator and agent at the Holden telephone office, is now employed for the next five months as operater at the telephone office in Ryley. Mrs. June Wayne, who was the Ryley operator, has resigned from that position to take employment as Secretary to the Principal of Ryley School, with County of Beaver No. 9. Mrs. Sanderson is from one of the old time families of Holden and has always taken an active part in community affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gibson and sons attended the funeral of Mr. Gibson's brother, David Gibson, in Wainwright on Thursday afternoon.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Sehm)

**MOTOR TOUR**

Emil and Martha Tiedemann and daughter Mary and Marjorie Ferguson all of Lakeshore; Bill and Mary Tiedemann and daughter Sharron of Deville, Sandy and Irene Scott and girls all of Lindbrook, also Emil and Martha's daughter Yvonne and Peter Brown and Stanley Dunham all of Ketchamont; travelled together on a motor tour and rock hounding (rock hunt) trip to Rosalind and Donalda. They had their picnic dinner by the bridge on the Battle River near Rosalind and enjoyed seeing the large stumps of petrified wood near there and also other sites on their trip. On their way home they had their picnic supper on the lawn at the home of Stanley Dunham.


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## Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Poloway were Mr Poloway's brother and family from Justice, Illinois, U.S.A. During their stay a family reunion was held at Pete Poloway's youngest sister's home, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Emms. The Poloways also visited at Jasper before returning home.

Lorne and Virgie Schacher and Bradley, Max and Doris Schacher and family, George and Carol Oslund and Bradey, Francis and Jean Campbell, Doris Oslund, Gary, Clifford and Wayne Oslund and friends had a picnic at Elk Island Park recently. However, the day ended rather unhappily when little Lorraine Schacher fell off a bench and fractured her arm, the second such incident in two weeks. She is now hospitalized in Lamont.

**"WINDFALL" SHOW**

Ed Bailey has returned home from his trip to Vancouver. He reports an enjoyable as well as a profitable time while taping the show for "Windfall". The show will be released September 24 and not Sept. 10 as reported last week.

Randy McLachlan returned home from the Archer Memorial Hospital on Saturay.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Grandpa McLachlan and Ralph Stroud, who were both patients in the Tofield Hospital, returned home Monday. Ralph Stroud is making his home with the Joe McLachlans, while Grandma McLachlan returned to the Ottewell Senior Citizens' Home in Edmonton with his son Bill.

Monday afternoon coffee guests with Lillian VanBuskirk were Dorothy Carlisle and girls, Ethel Carlisle and boys, and Margaret Herndon and Tom.

## Former oldtimer passes August 11

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — A former old-time resident of Holden district, David Jeffrey Gibson of Wainwright passed away August 30th at the age of 82 years. Mr. Gibson had been in poor health for some time.

He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, Hattie, three sons: David of Edmonton, Tommy and Danny at home; one daughter, Faith also at home, two brothers, A. L. Gibson of Holden, E. H. Gibson of Wainwright, and one sister, Mrs. Esther Foxwell also of Wainwright.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, September 1st, at 3:30 p.m. in the Wainwright Associated Gospel Church with Rev. Charles Gibson officiating and interment was in the Wainwright cemetery. The sympathy of friends and district residents is extended to the bereaved families.


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But just to be remembered
Throughout the passing years

—The Family 2p-3401

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—Ever remembered by Edna, Bonnie Bruce and Colin 2c 3399

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11 00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 00 a.m.—Public Worship
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Next Sunday, Sept. 18th, Teen Church at 10:00 a.m.
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**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, Sept. 11th
10 00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 00 a.m.—Worship Service.
8 00 p.m.—Family Evening
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Pastor Stanley Rude
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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
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MISSIONS—
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Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Sept. 11th
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.

## John Nordstrom Dies September 1

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — John Nordstrom who had been a patient in Tofield hospital passed away Thursday night, September 1st. Mr Nordstrom had a very serious operation this past Spring and was in hospital in Edmonton for over two months. He became ill a short time ago and had to enter hospital where he succumbed o...

The funeral was held Monday afternoon from the Holden Lutheran Church with interment in the Holden cemetery

Mr and Mrs. Nordstrom were residents of Ryley before coming to reside in Holden a few years ago


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# News items from Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

The Ketchamoot group of the UCW held their August meeting at the home of Mrs. Ivan Mitchell. Plans were made to hold a family picnic dinner, but due to the weather it was cancelled.

Beth Ingram recently spent a week visiting with her friend Gale Halwa in Edmonton.

Laurie Hood of London, Ont., who now is studying music at Banff, was an overnight guest of her relatives Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingram and the girls.

Barbara and Kai Kristensen of Swan Hills were at home over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly McGinitie were recent overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanks at Wainwright.

**GOLDEN WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell attended the Golden wedding celebration last Saturday of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Kasper Halwa of Edmonton. The service was held at the Holy Rosary church and mass was said by the same priest that married them 50 years ago. The reception at the Polish Hall followed for over 600 guests.

The holidays are over and the children are back to school. The following beginners of this district are Rhonda Coombes, Betty Shewchuck and Debbie Oliver.

Janet Lowson is babysitting with her granddaughter Kathy in Edmonton while her parents, Verne and Bill Harboway are on holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketcham of Rocky Mountain House spent the weekend at the home of Harold Coombes while he was away fishing at Ashmont.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wood and son Daniel of Dawson Creek were overnight guests of Lilly and Harold Schultz last week.

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

Mary Mitchell was pleasantly surprised when Yvonne Brown came calling on Saturday afternoon, bringing her a birthday cake. Later in the evening her two daughters Judy and Mavis honored her with a birthday party at the home of her daughter, Mrs. McLeod at Lindbrook.

Mrs. Ida Williams is on holidays. She visited her son Fred and Tillie Williams in Calgary, who took her to Vanderhoof, B.C., to visit with her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and family.

Gussie Brown of Agassiz, B.C., arrived last week to spend the month visiting with relatives and friends in the district. Mrs. Brown was a former resident of this district

Nola Williams of Edmonton spent the long weekend at home.

Sunday dinner guests with Bill and Mae Ingram were Jim Retagan and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ratigan and Carol of Edmonton. Monday afternoon visitors were Audrey and Gussie Brown and Annie McGinitie.

On Sunday Agnes and Henry McGinitie were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitchell of Tofield

Monday, Randy Sutton celebrated his 15th birthday. His brother Larry, wife and family of Camrose and his sister Evelyn, Leroy, Dianne and Donnie Nelson of Ohaton were guests.

Last Sunday guests with Henry and Agnes McGinitie were their son, Raymond and his friend, Ron Odowichuk of Edmonton

On Monday Mrs. Nick Kashuba of Tofield and son Scott called on Gordon Kyle and the girls.

Kesha, Gussie and Stanley Brown, Annie Lee, Annie McGinitie and Edith Turner motored to Holden on Sunday afternoon to visit with Mrs. Brown Sr. and Ethel.

## Kingman briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

**BEGINNERS AT SCHOOL**

New beginners at the Kingman school are Glen Olson, Glenda Olsen, Karen Johnson and Kathy Johnson, Lance Adams, Laura Boetger, Cindy Flemming, Laureen Grandberg, William Kozak, Alan Prochnare, Robert Stirrett, Timothy Tollefson, Herbert Urquhart, Ruth Workentin and Kenneth Winder. Teachers for this year are Art Cumberland, principal, Richard Lemke, garde 7 and 8, Donna Swanson, grades 5 and 6; Alfrieda Suchan, grades 4 and 5; Olive Slutzn..., grades 2 and 3 and Astrid Holte, grades 1 and 2.

Sunday school started again Sept. 4th at the Salem Lutheran church and will be held every Sunday at 10:30 a.m.


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## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Ralph Mason and son Donnie were away on a trip for several days the end of August, visiting in B.C. at Kinnaird with Mrs. Mason's sister and family, and attending the wedding of a niece

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chamulke left Tuesday of last week for their new home in Edmonton; and Mr. and Mrs. Oleh Shykora, who have purchased the Chamulke residence, moved into it the end of August.

Mrs. Alfred Sorensen was a business visitor in Red Deer on Wednesday of last week, taking their son David to enroll him in school there.

Sam Black and Roy Nichols were business callers in Edmonton Tuesday evening, driving back a new car for Roy.

Harry Appleby of Vialta Lodge, Viking, was a visitor with his families in Holden last week

**HOME FROM TRIP**

Miss Elaine Olson returned recently from a motor trip with two friends, which took them through Washington, Idaho, California, Oregon, Nevada and Mexico. While in Bellvue, Wash., she visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wally Greer (nee Merle Forscher), who wished to be remembered to friends here. Elaine flew home by jet plane from Vancouver and is now on the staff at the Viking Hospital

# Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Emil and Martha Tiedemann of Lakeshore were Wednesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Stanley and Keitha Brown of Ketchamoot last week. Also there for the evening and coffee were Yvonne and Peter Brown of Ketchamoot and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gudmundson of Bay Lake.

... Keeton and daughter Christine of Alix were Wednesday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Ada's sister Ruth and Roy Wickenberg last week. They were on their way home to Alix, after having visited with Art's sister and family at Wainwright. They took another sister Sybil Nelson of Lacombe home with them after she had been an overnight guest with Ruth.

Marilyn and Don Langille and two boys of Calgary were visiting at the home of Marilyn's parents, Ollie and Verlyn Moss from Thursday to Saturday last week.

Norman and Vivian Jones of Edmonton were Monday (Labor Day) visitors and dinner guests at the home of Vivian's parents, Ray and Ruth Wickenberg in Tofield.


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## Around the Town

Bert Everitt is spending a few days in Tofield hospital as from Wednesday of last week.

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Miss Shirley Stinson and Dr. Beth Empey of Edmonton spent the holiday weekend at the Stinson home.

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Olaf Stiklestad was in to meet the bus on Friday and a school mate he had not seen for ?? years in Norway.

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The bus now stops at the billiard parlors owned by John Lukasiewich.

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Misses Glenda Patterson, Tofield and Linda Zwicker of Hardisty were at the Patterson home for the weekend. They both went to the Zwicker home in Hardisty for a few days.

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Jack Nolan was one of 30 of those chosen out of 200 applicants to attend a two year course in Renewable Resources of Technology in Saskatoon, and will attend when university opens. This course concerns itself with wild life and the hope is that it will be offered in Edmonton next year.

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It was a welcome sound to hear the Diesel whistles on the train again after about nine or ten days silence.

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**HOME FROM BRITAIN**

Ray Pittet has returned from a holiday spent mostly in Scotland, together with a short time in England and France.

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**AT UNITED CHURCH**

Tom Stephens of St. Stephen's United Church College, Edmonton, was in charge of the service in the United Church, Tofield, on Sunday last, when Rev. W. H. McDonald was at Ministik and South Cooking Lake in his official capacity of administering communion and baptism. Next Sunday R. Bateman student minister from Ryley-Holden charge will be in Tofield in the team ministry arrangement ... in effect. Mr. Stephens left after the Tofield service for Swan River, Man., where he will teach.

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Mrs. Jim Campbell, Mrs. Harvey Young and Susan, have just returned from a trip by air from Corning, New York, where they were visiting Mrs. Campbell's twin sister and her neice and family. While they were away Grandpa undertook the care of two small granddaughters.

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Dick Morlow was the winner of the Tofield Canadian Legion Arf and Arf.

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**BIRTH**

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Armond Goubault on Sept. 1, a daughter at the Tofield Hospital.

Mrs. Annie Hunley returned home last Friday after a week visiting relatives in Vancouver. While there they attended the Pacific National Exhibition.

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Darlene Dunlop spent the weekend with her parents, Mildred and Findley Dunlop at Cadomin.

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Mrs. Gilbert Braaten from Port Kells, B.C., is visiting with old friends in the district.

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Jack and Inga Hardy returned home on Friday after visiting for the past two weeks with Shirley and Frank Heintz and family at Glenella, and other parts of Manitoba.

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J. C. Lampitt was the winner of the community league $100.00 bill.

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and granddaughter, Edith Mary spent the Labour Day weekend at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson. Edith Mary, who visited here frequently during the holidays, is now entering senior high school in Edmonton.

### Palmer-Earling

(Mrs. Joe Woodman)

PALMER - EARLING — September 2 — Mrs. Mabel Meadahl, the Gordon and Dennis Meadahls and the Carl Sorenson family attended the graduation of phsychiatric nurses at the Alberta Hospital at Ponoka, Friday night, when Douglas Meadahl was in a class of six graduates.

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# Direct Distance Dialing comes to local phones

Direct Distance Dialing comes to Tofield on Sunday, September 18th. The exchange here is considered a community dialing office of Edmonton. In other words, it hooks into that city and long distance calls will be handled there. No operator will be necessary in Tofield, a representative of Alberta Government Telephones in Edmonton told The Mercury. The company will instal the rural lines and party lines will be limited to four on one line. There will be no extra charge to Tofield subscribers in connection with the changeover.

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR DDD**

Altogether 20 rural communities will cut over to DDD on the same date, said the AGT spokesman, including Barrhead and Viking.

Subscribers have received instructions for the use of this method of calling long distance for in-province calls. They will dial one and the seven digit number of the party being called.

For out-of-province calls they will dial one, the area code and the seven-digit number of the party being called.

In the Tofield area, upon completion of dialing the operator will interrupt and ask for the telephone number of the party placing the call.

DDD is not without limitations, only station-to-station calls may be made using this system. All other types of long distance calls such as person-to-person, collect, calls from pay stations, hotels, motels, calls billed to a third telephone, conference calls, and credit card calls, must still go through the operator. In addition, if it is necessary to obtain long distance charges after the call is completed, this information is only obtainable when using operator assistance.

**PROPER DIALING IMPORTANT**

The most important factor in using Direct Distance Dialing is proper dialing technique. After lifting the receiver, listen for the dial tone. If this simple step is not followed, part or all of the initial digit may be lost. The digit one, when dialed is the access to the DDD equipment.

In the event of a wrong number being reached, just dial "O" (Zero) for the operator. Supply her with all the information covering the call, your number, the place and number you attempted to reach and the approximate time of the call. The operator will then write out a credit ticket that will match the corresponding entry on the DDD tape where the charge will be cancelled.

Direct Distance Dialing will not replace the operator staffs on switchboards but will provide the telephone user with quicker service on long distance calls.

**3 D's present Rhyme, Rhythm, Reason**

A rising new vocal instrumental trio, the 3 D's, will perform at Convocation Centre at CLC next Wednesday, September 21 at 8 p.m., as part of the campus welcome activities. Comedy, drama, music and rhythm are featured with a range from the pounding of cannon and thundering hoofs of the Light Brigade to the pathetic swoosh of Casey's third strike. Called one of the most creative groups in years, the trio records for Capitol Records. The concert is open to the public, and high school students in the area are specially invited.

## Elaine Sorrell scores again as award winner

Word has been received here recently that Miss Elaine Ann Sorell of the Tofield High School has been awarded an Alberta Hotel Association Scholarship of $500.00. This scholarship will be presented on behalf of the Alberta Hotel Association at the County of Beaver graduation ceremonies which will be held in Viking on Saturday, September 17.

Elaine has obtained all her education in the Tofield School and readers of the Mercury will remember that this clever student was the 1963 winner of the Governor-General's award for achieving the highest marks in the County of Beaver in the June Departmental examinations. Her years in High School have shown similar high achievements.

Against very stiff competition both from her Tofield classmates and from students in the other County schools Elaine has obtained the highest marks in the Grade XII June 1966 examinations. In recognition of this achievement, Elaine has been appointed valedictorian for the graduating class of 1966 in the County of Beaver.

Elaine was born in October 27, 1948 in Tofield. She has had an exemplary record all through her school years. Her chief extra-curricular activity is reading, although she has taken an active part in all school affairs.

This month, she will enter the

(Elaine Sorrell)

faculty of Education in the University of Alberta. Her teachers, and friends know she will achieve success in her chosen field.

Elaine is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Sorell and niece of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jacobs. Her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tiedemann, will be watching proudly when their granddaughter receives the Hotel Association scholarship as will her brother Fred, a grade VIII student in Tofield.

The best wishes of the staff and students of the Tofield School go with Elaine as she enters University.

### July 1 celebration boosts treasury

The Tofield Community League held its first meeting of the fall season on Tuesday, in the Community Centre with president Lionel Borton in the chair.

Tentative plans were made for repairs to the Community Centre and for a Thanksgiving Bingo. The theatre committee reported increased attendance at the shows and remind Tofielders "Pyjama Party" and "Mary Poppins" are two of the excellent shows to be seen soon here.

Treasurer, Hans Christensen the League sponsored Dominion reported a profit of $1200.00 on Day celebration. This is a record for the annual sports day and is very gratifying to those who worked to make the day a success.

## 575 students enroll at Tofield school

**. . . 30 teachers**

The Tofield School began the 1966-67 school year on September 1, with an enrolment of 575 pupils in Grades I to XII and a staff of 30 teachers.

**HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS**

Mr. K. R. Eastlick, who has been on the High School staff for many years, is the Principal of Tofield High School. Mr. Eastlick has a Bachelor of Science degree from Montana State University and a Master of Science from the University of Montana.

Mr. Eastlick is assisted by the vice-principal, J. C. Lampitt, who has taught in Tofield for many years.

In addition to Mr. Eastlick, the High School staff consists of: Miss Roberta Cumming, who has a B.Ed. degree for the University of Alberta and a B.A. degree from McMaster University. Mrs. Mollie Conn, who has both the B.Ed. and M.Ed. degrees from the University of Alberta. She has also attended Oxford University in England. Lloyd Cribb, who has his B.Ed. degree from the U. of A. and a B.A. degree from Calcutta, India. Mr. Cribb has had wide teaching experience in India and Ethiopia as well as in Alberta. Glen Pohar, who has B.A. and Bachelor of Teaching degrees from the University of Punjab, India. He has also completed his first year's work towards his Master's degree. Mr. Pohar's wife and son will be coming from India to join him in Tofield before Christmas. Mr. Pohar has taught in Peace River and in Bowden Public School. Gary Kennedy, who has his B.Sc. in Zoology, B.Sc. in Entomology and M.Sc. in Zoology degrees from Montana State University. Mr. Kennedy and his wife, who teaches Grade VI, have come to Tofield this year from Bozman, Montana. They are native Albertans, both from Fort Macleod. Dick Thiessen, who obtained his B.A. degree from University Waterloo, Ontario. This is Mr. Thiessen's first year in Tofield. He has taught one year in Edmonton and holds a Professional Certificate in Education. He is married and has a family of four. He lives on the former Torrie place. Floyd Irwin, whose degree of B.Ed. comes from Colorado State College and his B.A. from Chadron State College

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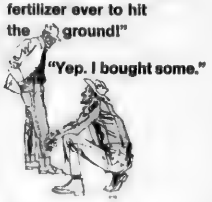

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## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs Anna Nelson from New Westminster, B.C., arrived Friday evening to visit for a few days with Mrs. Mabel Sizer. Mrs. Nelson is a former old-time resident of Holden.

Lloyd Clark and his sister, Miss June Clark, returned home Wednesday evening of last week, after spending the past two and a half months visiting with their sister Vera and family at Dawson Creek, B.C., and touring in the area. Their sister and her husband, Mr and Mrs. Maxwell Scott, returned home with them and left for home at the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children were Wednesday evening visitors with his family, Mr and Mrs. Geo H. Taylor.

Mr and Mrs Helmer Olsen and family were weekend visitors in Regina, Sask., to attend the graduation of their son Bob, in the RCMP.

Mrs. H. Riel and children, of the Ryley district, were Thursday visitors with her family, the Earl Hardys.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gorrie and family, who were visiting for several days on holiday with his mother, Mrs R. Nichols, and Mr. Nichols, returned to their home in Vancouver during the holiday weekend.

**HERE FROM DENMARK**

Recent Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Carl Sorensen were relatives from Denmark, Mrs. Greta Wurr and Aage Jorgenson, who have been spending a two-week holiday here. Peter Sorensen was also a dinner guest.

Valerie Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Harry Johnson of Camrose, former south Holden district residents, was a recent visitor calling on friends in Holden.

Mr. and Mrs Peter Elkowich left for Wainwright last Thursday afternoon, where Mr. Elkowich will be employed.

**Mrs. John Nordstrom left, after the recent funeral of her husband, with her daughter, and will visit with her and the family for two weeks at Airdrie, in southern Alberta.**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Laskosky and small son, who have been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Laskosky, and other relatives, left on their return trip to the United States, Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly and daughter and son and Mrs Lester Nordstrom were visitors during the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Con Giebelhaus and son at Fort St. John.

**INJURED IN FALL**

Mrs. Paranich had the misfortune to fall a week ago Wednesday on the un-even sidewalk injuring her knee-cap, and having to go to hospital for a few days to have it attended to and a cast put on it. She is now convalescing at home.

Mr and Mrs Jack Good, who have been visiting with Mr Good's mother, Mrs. Lars Ritland, and Mr. Ritland, were visitors in Viking on Tuesday afternoon of last week with Mr. Ritland's sister, Mrs. Hanson, Lars also going along to visit his sister.

**HOME TO SWEDEN**

T. A. Liden's brother and his daughter, who had been visiting for the past week with Mr and Mrs Liden and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus, left Thursday of last week on their return to Sweden.

Mrs Muriel Hunter and a niece from Saskatoon, Sask., visited with Mrs Christianson on Thursday, Sept. 1, on their way to Edmonton, and to Camrose to attend a wedding.


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# Lions announce scholarship

Youth of Tofield and Ryley been given a challenge to develop a plan for world peace by local the Lions Club—a challenge that could earn one of them a $25,000 educational and/or career assistance grant.

Members of these two Lions Clubs, together with Lions Clubs throughout the world, are sponsoring a world-wide essay contest for the world's youth on the most important world subject today—Peace. The contest offers $50,000 in total awards, including the $25,000 first prize, eight semi-final world regional awards of $1,000 each and travel expenses for the eight winners to Chicago in July, 1967. At that time, the first prize winner will be chosen from the eight. Also, more than 20,000 local, district and multiple district awards will be made.

"We are hopeful one of our young people will win this world-wide prestige award", President J. Stumbo of the Ryley club and C. Blacklock of Tofield said in announcing the contest locally today.

The contest is open to young people who will be 14 but less than 22 years of age as of January 15, 1967.

"The Peace Essay Contest is divided into eight world divisions for the $1,000 prizes. Our Club's winner will advance to Lions District 37B competition in his or her effort to qualify for the multiple contest. The purpose of the contest is to develop a formula for world peace because we feel peace is attainable", President Blacklock said.

"We want to alert our youth to the need for world peace and focus attention on that important goal", he said.

Contestants should submit their entry in essay form, not to exceed 5,000 words. Closing date is December 10.

"Three judges will be appointed to evaluate the entries submitted by our club. If our winner can advance through the judging stages up to the world finals he will receive an expense paid trip to Chicago to attend

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# Students...

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lege. Mr. Irwin is teacher of the Commercial classes. He comes to Tofield from his home in Sidney, Nebraska, where he taught in the Occupation Training Centre. Harold Ferguson, who is beginning his teaching career in his home town of Tofield. Mr. Ferguson has his Professional Certificate from the U. of A.

**JUNIOR HIGH TEACHERS**

In Junior High School, the teaching staff, headed by Mr. Lampitt, the vice-principal, consists of Jeff Norton, Paul Koziol, Mrs. Grace Phillips, Howard Meger, John Pullen and Michael Ronaghan. Mr. Norton of Ryley is returning for his second year on the Tofield. Mrs. Phillips, who has a B.Ed. degree from the U. of A., is in charge of one Grade VII room, while Paul Koziol has the other. Mr. Koziol and his wife have moved here this year from Camrose. Mr. Koziol is a native of Bonnyville and Mrs. Koziol of Barrhead. Mr. Koziol has taught in Bonnyville and Camrose areas. Mrs. Koziol will be joining the staff of the Tofied Hospital in October. Howard Meger, who holds a B.Ed. degree from the U. of A., teaches Mathematics throughout the Jr. High School. He received his early education in Heinsburg and has taught in Rosemary and Wainwright. John Pullen and Michael Ronaghan, who both received their education in Viking, are in charge of the Grade VII classrooms.

**ELEMENTARY**

In the Elementary Division, Mrs. Daisy Young, who has taught Grade I for several years in Tofield, has a new colleague this year: Mrs. Carol Rurka has charge of the other Grade I room. The Grade II teachers are Mrs. Eleanor Campbell, who holds a B.Ed. degree from the U. of A. and Mrs. Jean Sears, who taught in the High School last year. Mrs. Marjory Everitt and Mrs. Marjorie Astley return to the Grade III classes. Mrs. Helen Tiedemann, who has returned to the Tofield staff after a few years' absence, and Miss Laurie Chamulke from Holden, are in charge of Grade IV. Mrs. Florence Ingram and Mrs. Doreen Cribb will again teach Grade V. Jack Reistad is returning for his second year as Grade VI teacher. The other Grade VI teacher is Mrs. Bonnie Kennedy, whose home town is Fort Macleod, Alberta. She and her husband have come here from Bozeman, Montana, where Mr. Kennedy was attending University.

Mrs Edna Bowick continues as the school librarian and Leo Rurka as the Physical Education instructor. Home Economics and Industrial Arts are taught by Mrs Stashko and Mr Baillie, respectively, in Ryley for the Tofield students in Grade VIII and in High School.

Mrs. Faye Dodds is beginning her second term as the school secretary. She obtained her secretarial training at Alberta College, Edmonton.


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## Lloyd Cribb speaks at Lions' meeting

[illegible] Lions Club held their [illegible] meeting [illegible] month [illegible] with a [illegible]

Business was suspended to an [illegible] meeting to be held [illegible] as Lloyd Cribb [illegible] the events, and [illegible] very interesting talk of [illegible] Mrs. Cribb's experience of six years as teachers in [illegible]

It is 11 years since they were there and Mr. Cribb would very much like to take a holiday to see what changes have taken place [illegible]


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## Former Ryley farmer, John Nordstrom passes away at 68

John Nordstrom was born August 21, 1898 at Revlin, Dakota. He came to Holden with his parents at the age of three in 1901. He was married to Emma Lemay in 1924 and they had a son and a daughter. He lived on a farm at Ryley, until his retirement in 1962 when he took up residence at Holden. Mr. Nordstrom remained there until his [illegible] Tofield Hospital at 68 [illegible]

The deceased leaves to mourn his loving wife Emma, son Clair of Edmonton, daughter Marjorie (Mrs. Robert Nicholls) of [illegible] grandchildren, five brothers, Oscar of [illegible], Ont., [illegible] and Lester of Holden, Walter of Viking and Herman of Camrose, four sisters, Mrs. Bertha Fleming of Hamilton, Ont., Mrs. Selma Bonnie of Breton, Mrs. Ethel Beaton, Calgary, Clara (Mrs. Anton Morland) of Bruce; also a number of nieces, nephews and great-nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

Funeral service was held September 5, at Holden Lutheran Church with Rev. Stanley Rude officiating. Interment was in the Holden cemetery with Bob Hommer, Tommy Harris, Ole Snorthiem, Harry Bonnie, Albert Nordstrom and Charlie Zweirschke as pallbearers.

Hoveland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**Florals** — Loving Wife and Family, Blanche, Jean and George, Arline and Harry, Elizabeth and Lester; Mary and Walter, Clara and Anton; Alice and Albert and Fritz; Mr. and Mrs. J. Dunki and Bill; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Dunki.

**Memorials — To the Family:** Mr. and Mrs. Don Meadahl and Family.

**To Cancer Fund** — Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zweirschke and Family, Mr. and Mrs. R. Raeder, Gerald, Lucie Owen and Family; J. M. Zweirschke, Clarence, Martha and Robert; Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Peterson; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nordstrom; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nordstrom and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carlson; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gabelhaus.

**To Heart Fund** — Mrs. Sena Fjellstrom.

**To Ryley Lutheran Church Mission** — Edolf and Magda Wilson.

**To Hegre Lutheran Church** — Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Meadahl, Eugene Meadahl; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meadahl.

**To Ryley Cemetery Fund** — Mr. Jak Dueck, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Loades; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Dueck, Selmer and Marie Helgeland; Mr. and Mrs. C. Penner, Mr. and Mrs. T. Harris; Mr. and Mrs. Thor Mahlum, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sundlie; Borghild Sundlie, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mahlum, Mr. and Mrs. O. Snorthiem.

**To Holden Lutheran Church** — Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hooper and Family, Reinole and Jean Grinde, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sorenson and Ivan; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Voigt.

**To Holden Cemetery Fund** — Fay Deputan and John Zawitkoski; Sigvart and Sylvia.

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This year 1966, 71 scholarships whose total value is $30,750 have been awarded to Grade XII students, $2300 has been donated to the Banff School of Fine Arts, $4000 has been given to Food Training Courses at SAIT and NAIT, and $1050 in excess of the scholarship program, has been given to help needy students.

All these programs entail a vast amount of office work which is gladly undertaken by the Alberta Hotel Association executive. It is worthy of mention that over 25% of the matriculating students in Alberta apply for Hotel Association scholarships.

To process and evaluate the large number of applications, the Alberta Hotel Association is assisted by men and women prominent in educational, religious, judicial, journalistic and other fields. These public minded citizens give freely of their time that the scholarships may be wisely awarded.

The members of the group who process and evaluate the applications are: Rt. Rev. George Calbert, Bishop of Calgary; C. G. Merkley, Chairman, Students Assistance Board; Rev. H. A. Cantelon, former Principal Alberta College; B. J. Knowles, past president, Alberta Weekly Newspaper Association; Rev. P. B. O'Bryne, Catholic Family Service; Dr. R. M. Hardy, Dean, Faculty of Engineering; Mrs. K. Bohmer, representative of Alberta Federation of Home and School Association; R. B. Wishart, Administrator of Student Awards; D. R. Cameron, Associate Professor and Faculty of Education U. of A.; President, W. A. Proctor, Alberta Hotel Associations; G. T. Barr, managing Director Alberta Hotel Association.

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On entering the room with Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Taylor, the guest of honor was greeted with all in attendance singing "For She's A Jolly Good Fellow". A lovely rose corsage was pinned on her by Mrs. Helen Tiedemann. Seated at the head table with her were Mrs. Winnie Beveridge and Mrs. Anne Black.

A "bowling" game was played and a game of names made from the word Holden with Mrs. Tiedemann in charge. On behalf of her many friends, Mrs. N. L. Campbell made a presentation to Mrs. Sanderson of a purse of money, with a few appropriate remarks wishing her happiness in the years ahead. The evening was brought to a happy conclusion with the hostesses serving lunch.

## Lions . . .

(Continued from Page Three)

the Lions International 50th Annual Convention for the final judging of his essay in addition to the $1,000 award", declared the Club president.

Students wishing to enter the contest should contact one of the area's Lions to get full details of the contest.

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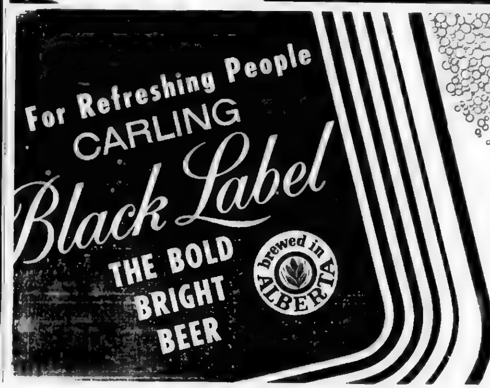

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## Church Notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Sept. 18th
10 00 a m —Teen Church.
11 00 a m —Sunday School
11 00 a m —Public Worship.
Topic: "To Overcome Evil".
"Your future will only be as bright as you are".

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, Sept. 18th
10 00 a m —Baptism Service at Hasting Lake. Acceptance of new members and Communion Service to follow at the church.
Wednesday, 8 00 p m. — Bible Study and Prayer.
"The seed dies into a new life, and so does man"
—George Macdonald

**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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Sunday, Sept. 18th
10 15 a m —Worship Service.
11 15 a m —Sunday School.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Anglican
Sunday Services
Sunday, Sept. 18th—Dedication of Bibles for use of the congregation.
Sunday, Sept. 25th, is the date of the annual Harvest Festival.
8 30 a m. (every Sunday except 1st of month) Holy Communion.
11 00 a m —1st Sunday of Month—Holy Communion.
11 00 a m. other Sundays—Matins.
11·00 a.m.—Sunday School.
Holy Days — Holy Communion at 10 30 a m
"As for me I will meditate upon thy precepts".
-Psalm 119.78.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Sept. 18th
HOLDEN—
10·00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10 00 a m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m —Divine Service.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........10 30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 9.00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........10:30 a.m.
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**BIBLE SOCIETY CANVASS**
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## IN MEMORIAM

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Eight long years have passed and gone
Since that day God called you home,
Tears do not mend heartaches or time remove the pain,
A loving memory of you with us will always remain.
We loved you, Owen, and we miss you so,
What it meant to lose you, no one will ever know;
It broke our hearts to lose you the day God called you home,
But hope and pray to meet you in the Eternal home.

—Ever remembered by his loving wife, Ellen, and two sons and daughter, Walter and Evelyn Eaton and Family, Leroy and Shirley Eaton and Family, and Rita and Herb Niemetz and Family. 3-nc

## CARDS OF THANKS

Since returning to Tofield, I wish to express my thanks to each and everyone I've met for the kind welcome I received since purchase of my home and my intention of living here. Through misfortune, my wife cannot see her friends of the past, but I am here to thank each and everyone on her behalf during her absence for the sympathy expressed. I wish to carry on as duty bound, to all Old and Young Timers my respect, as I see every day from them all. When I moved to Tofield, I was in hospital, and my wife also. I wish to personally thank Mr and Mrs Ross for their kindness in placing my home as it is, and the Legion of Tofield for its kindness to me in hospital and out. I am suggesting that Tofield be called the Friendly Town, as it is today to me. Yours truly,
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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Laura Christianson was very pleasantly surprised on Wednesday, Aug. 24, when her brother, Anton Anderson of Milbank, South Dakota, U.S.A., and who is the grand age of 87, Chris Anderson of Revillo, S.D., and two sisters, Mrs. (Cora) Arnt Miller from near the Black Hills and (Viola) Mrs. Herman Storm, also of Milbank, visited with her for two days, also being overnight guests. A nephew from La Bolt was their driver. The visitors enjoyed the Alberta air and country very much.

Mr and Mrs Henry Tiedemann and sons David and Robert spent the holiday weekend on a fishing trip at Lake Mann. Mrs. Tiedemann's brother and wife, Mr and Mrs Alex Morrison of Edmonton, were along with them.

The Earl Hardy were also fishing over the holiday weekend at Lake Mann, as well as Mr. and Mrs John Semotuik and family.

Mr and Mrs. Madsen from California, who have been visiting relatives in Lamont and district, spent a couple of days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don MacGregor.

**FAMILY RE-UNION**

A family re-union was held Sunday, Sept 4, when Mr. and Mrs Earling Henderson of Taber, daughters Lois and family, Donna, her husband and baby, Mr and Mrs. Hammer and children of Viking, Mr and Mrs. Turnbull and family, also of Taber, and Mr and Mrs. Charles Sizer of Holden visited at the home of Mrs. Mabel Sizer. An enjoyable day was spent visiting and reminiscing.

Mr and Mrs C. Stenarud were recent callers with Mr Ludvig Sandbeck, who is resident at Vialta Lodge, Viking.

Mr and Mrs Lloyd Bell and Mr and Mrs Alfred Sorensen spent Labor Day fishing at Mann Lake. We hear the fishing was good, with a nine-pounder being caught.

Mrs. Ted Anderson and children of Calgary were visitors during the holiday weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow. Muriel visited with her husband Friday evening, who was a patient in the Col Mewburn Hospital in Edmonton. The children spent a few days with their aunt and uncle, the Ernie Mertas, at Viking while Muriel was away. Ted had been having numerous tests and a check-up for an undiagnosed ailment.

Mrs. Ted Anderson was a coffee guest with her aunt, Mrs. N. L. Campbell, Saturday morning of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta and children were Labor Day dinner guests with Mrs. Merta's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, bringing back the Anderson children.

Mrs. Bruce MacDonnell entertained at a coffee party last Wednesday morning in honor of Mrs. Jack Good of California, who was here on holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thygeson and children, of Calgary, were holiday visitors recently for a few days with Lorretta's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keith. Mr. and Mrs. Keith's daughter Mavis and family, the Charlie Walkers of Red Deer, were also visiting them for several days during their holiday.

Mrs. Mary James, who was in Edmonton last week for three days having her eyes examined, returned home Thursday evening.

**HOME TO CALIFORNIA**

Mr and Mrs. Jack Good of California, who have been visiting with his mother, Mrs. Lars Ritland, and Mr Ritland for the past two weeks, left on Friday to return home. They went to Lamont, where they were dinner guests with Mrs. Good's sister and family and picked up her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Madsen, also of California, who made the trip with them and had been visiting with relatives and friends.

Aaron Thygeson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thygeson of Calgary, has been spending two weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keith, helping on the farm. He returned home last Sunday to commence his studies at Vocational School.

Mr. and Mrs. George Valens of Calgary, former Holden district farmers, visited in Holden on Monday, and were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Smorlie. Mrs. Valens said they enjoyed hearing of their former neighbors and friends in the Holden news of the The Tofield Mercury which they receive each week.

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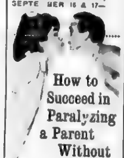

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# Around the town

Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and daughter Edith Mary of Edmonton visited last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson and Mrs. J. W. Chapman of Edmonton visited at the weekend with Mrs. Edith Rogers.

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Bert Everett is out and around again and plans a holiday to visit relatives in Vancouver, and other points in B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. "Chuck" Williamson (nee Susie Hamm) and young son from Nanaimo, B.C. were visitors in Tofield last week with former friends of Mrs. Williamson.

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Mrs. Bert Everett and Mrs. [illegible] ...st camp leaders at a pot luck supper at Norwood United Church, Edmonton, on Thursday of last week.

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**HERE FROM CALIFORNIA**

Mrs. J. A. Richardson has her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. MacLaine of Long Beach, Calif., visiting her. They arrived by plane last week and will also visit Banff and the Okanagan before returning to Long Beach.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Blanchard and family of Chilliwack, B.C., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Sandercock. Mrs. Sandercock is Mr. Blanchard's mother. Don Blanchard spent one night with his friend Michael Chroney.

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**OLDTIMER PASSES**

Old timers in Tofield will be sorry to hear of the death of Robert E. Baynes, of Grande Prairie, a former RCMP Constable in Tofield, and lately a Magistrate in Grande Prairie.

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**TO NEW YORK**

Miss Shirley Stinson left via Air Canada on Tuesday for Toronto to spend a few days with relatives and friends before leaving for Columbia University, New York, where she will study for an Ed. Degree over a two year period.

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Rev. Lynn Lancaster arrived at Nisku airport on Tuesday evening to visit his brother W. C. Lancaster for a two week holiday. Rev. Walter Hammett was on hand to meet the plane.

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# Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Gail and Bob Orubko of Edmonton spent from Saturday afternoon to Sunday afternoon at the home of Gail's parents, Geo and Ida Niemetz.

Mrs. Mary Palmer of Sarnia, Ont., arrived recently and spent five days visiting at the home of her cousin Harold and Margaret Weatherill before leaving for home.

Maurice Wellburn of Ladner, B.C., and his friend Allan McManus were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Maurice's brother-in-law, George and Ida Niemetz.

Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton were Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the home of their son Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen.

Sunday visitors at the home of Johnny and Lillian Warwa were Lillian's sister and brother-in-law from Edmonton.

### From the scrapbook

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**SURPRISE VISIT**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shupe were pleasantly surprised on Monday when three of Mrs. Shupe's old school friends dropped in and spent the afternoon. They were Mrs. Lena Justik, Edmonton, Mrs. Arnna Bejeck, Jennings, Oaklahoma, and Mrs. Lillie Novotny, Harper, Kansas, also Mrs. Chris Jordan, Portland, Ore., and Mrs. Mary Bechell of Edmonton.

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Elmer and Katie Haney and Stanley spent Saturday and Sunday night at the Sandy Scott home. They visited with Fern and Elmer Lindberg on Sunday.

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The Kenneth Olivers visited the Sandy Scotts on Sunday evening.

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Miss Sandra Phillips has returned for her third year in the Royal Alexandra Hospital School of Nursing after a month's holiday at her home and on a motor trip to Kalispell, Mon. and Radium, B.C., with her mother, Mrs. Neil Philips.

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Miss Clarice Jacobsen is one of this year's class entering the Royal Alexandra Hospital School of Nursing. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jacobsen and is a 1966 graduate of the Tofield High School.

Geo and Ida Niemetz were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Ellen Eaton.

Mrs. Ruth Wickenburg motored to Edmonton Sunday evening with her daughter Janet, planning to spend a few days with her son, Lyall and Thelma Wickenburg before returning home.

Bill and Mary Tiedemann and daughter Sharron of Deville were Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Bill's brother Emil and Martha Tiedemann.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baines of Edmonton were visitors at the home of Bob's aunt, Mrs. Ethel Wood one day last week.

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

Mrs. Ethel Wood and daughter, Mrs. Mary Berrecloth, Mrs. Gloria Wood, Mrs. Ruth Ferguson and Mrs. Martha Tiedemann all of Lakeshore, attended a shower for Miss Shirley Punnell of Fort Sask., (bride to be of Allan Gill) at the home of Mrs. Clifford (Barbara) Appleby on Saturday evening.


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# County schools graduation exercises held Sept. 17th.

**. . . large student body**

The 1966 County of Beaver graduation exercises were held in the Viking School on Saturday, Sept. 17.

Preceding the evening's program, a banquet, catered to by the Ladies of the Royal Purple, was held for the graduates and their parents.

After the banquet, the guests at the head table were introduced preceding Miss Wyonne Johnston's proposal of the toast to the school committee, which was replied to by J. Roddick, chairman of the committee. Miss Patricia Brown proposed the toast to the parents, to which Ernest Brown replied. The toast to the graduates was proposed by Bruce Budd, Mayor of Holden, and replied to by Tom Budd.

The graduation exercises were held in the gymnasium against a most effective background. A large painting of a Viking ship and the crests of each of the schools represented, set the theme for the evening. The colorful uniforms of the Viking school band, directed by Mr. Hilliker, added much to the occasion, as did the music they offered during the program.

J. Hemphill, principal of the Viking school, was chairman, and the invocation was given by Rev. McDermott. Mr. Hemphill called on Miss Elaine Sorrel from Tofield to give the valedictory address. She chose as her theme "Sailing Into The Unknown", developing her theme by showing how the graduates of '66 must meet and conquer the same type of difficulties on their voyages through life as the Vikings encountered when they ventured into the unknown seas.

Stan Sorenson sang "Just For Today", and the guest speaker, T. Knight, Public Relations Officer for the Alberta Wheat Pool, was introduced by Mr. Hemphill. Mr. Knight stressed, for the benefit of the graduates, the vital importance of education for modern youth, and emphasized that education provides the safest, surest foundation for their future.

**TEN COMMANDMENTS**

He gave the graduates ten commandments for living: 1. Speak to people; 2. Smile; 3. Be friendly; 4. Be genuinely interested in others. 5. Be generous in your praise; 6. Do not be a critic; 7. Be considerate of others; 8. Follow the Golden Rule; 9. Give service; 10. Be a realist.

Following Mr. Knight's inspiring address, Bob Evans presented two awards to Elaine Sorrel. On behalf of the Alberta Hotel Association and representing Stan Kwasney of the Royal Alexandra Hotel in Tofield, he presented Elaine with a $500 scholarship. On behalf of the Beaver Local of the Alberta Teachers' Associa-

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### Weather . . .

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# Fluoride possible in Tofield water

Possibility that fluoride may be added to the Tofield water supply developed last week, when a special meeting of Town Council was called Friday afternoon to discuss the question. An enabling by-law was passed at the meeting, and the question will be placed before local voters on October 19th.

No further action can be taken by the council until after the 19th, and then only if the measure is approved by more than half those voting.

Information received from the Department of Health informed the council that 15 municipalities in Alberta are fluoridating their water supply now, and also that four more have had the necessary approval of a fluoridation plebiscite from their voters.

Several communities are taking a close look at the question of fluoridation since recent legislation of the provincial government changed requirements regarding the majority needed to approve the measure. Calgary and Edmonton are both surveying the situation, and Camrose will also conduct a plebiscite October 19th on the matter. No discussion has ever been held in Wetaskiwin, where the water is naturally fluoridated to almost the exact amount.

"We have had the Tofield water tested", Mayor Freebury told The Mercury this morning", "and the fluoride content is very, very low". The mayor said he couldn't quickly recall if it were actually nothing, but said there was not enough to do any good.

The situation insofar as children's teeth in the town and district is not at all good, he told The Mercury, saying the council hoped the move would pass in order to improve the mouths of children, many of which are in pretty bad shape right now.

This is the first time the question has been considered in Tofield, the mayor thought, and it was brought up at this time in response to some suggestions from parents in the communities. "There hasn't been a lot of interest", he said, adding that so far there hasn't been any opposition either, "and we really don't think there will be much difficulty".

Present at the meeting studying the question were Mayor Dr. Freebury, and Councillors Allan, Herndon, Patterson and Swift.

A table of actual costs of five municipalities was studied. Using the table as a guide, it is estimated that the cost of fluoridating the Tofield water supply would include installed equipment, fluoride chemical, maintenance of equipment and general operation. After the initial cost, the per capita annual cost would be approximately 82 cents.

A bylaw, covering the proposal, is found on Page Eight of The Mercury this week.

# Vivian Carlson wins awards

( Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — H.R.L. Mason and P.H.R.L. Armstrong visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carlson, Wednesday evening of last week, to present their daughter Vivian with the Annual Scholarship award and certificate which the Holden Lodge OORP give each year to a student attending Holden High School who obtains the highest average in grade 12 departmental examinations. This year they were pleased to present their cheque of $50.00 to Vivian, who had an average of 81.17% in six subjects.

Vivian also is the recipient of a $500.00 bursary from the Alberta Hotel Association's program.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlson and Vivian drove up to Edmonton Sunday where Vivian will enroll at the University of Alberta in Education, working for a degree to teach in High School. She is registered at Lister House.

Tranquil harvest scene last Sunday southeast of Tofield . . . most fields were in swath.

# The Ryley Times

## Tofield ATA elects new executive

The Tofield sub-local of the Alberta Teachers' Association held its first meeting of the 1966-67 term on Tuesday, Sept. 20, in the school library, with the retiring president, Mrs. Mollie [illegible] the chair.

Mrs. [illegible] thanked the members of the executive and committees [illegible] assisted her during the past year. It was announced [illegible] the Teachers' Convention [illegible] Beaver [illegible] of the ATA [illegible] be held March 2nd and [illegible] Chateau Lacombe.

[illegible] the [illegible] 1966 [illegible] president [illegible] vice president [illegible] Helen Taschmann [illegible] treasurer [illegible] Program [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Young [illegible] Pohar [illegible] Kenneth [illegible] Lampitt, John Puller [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Representative [illegible] Beaver [illegible] representative to the School Board of Beaver County.

*Multiple headed barley*

**Barley heads found at one spot in a 35 acre field of Husky barley on the Earl Nesvold farm north of Camrose, show some of Nature's oddities. One stem has three heads, the next looks like one head but a join in the middle indicates one head on the end of another head, and the third stem had two heads. Mr. Nesvold said he picked the heads standing in one spot and could not find any others in the field. He plans to keep them, plant the seed in a garden next year and see if either head will reproduce another multiple head.**

Camrose Canadian Newsphoto.

## Dodds - Ryley news briefs

(Mrs. O. Lehman)

DODDS - RYLEY, Sept. 10 — Sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Katie Steffura and family in the loss of a husband and father, Steve Steffura who passed away on Wednesday afternoon in the Tofield Hospital.

Mrs. Elsie Zook left on Thursday for Indianna to be near her mother Mrs. Warren Shaum who suffered a stroke. Elsie will be gone for about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drasack and Frankie spent the long week end with John Zook and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Martin, Ivy Wideman and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Zook were Monday visitors at Edson with Sanford's parents.

SCHOOL BEGINNERS

The new beginners in school from this district are Rose Lehman, Brian Steffura and Irene Lehman.

Miss Lorna Lehman was an overnight guest at the Clayton Ross home with Delores.

Ivy Wideman from B.C. is visiting with relatives and friends in this district.

Keith Hostettler left on Tuesday for Goshen where he will be attending school.

Douglas Helgeland of Edmonton spent the long weekend with his mother, Mrs. Brenda Helgeland and children.

## Ross Creek News

(Mrs. Van Buskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. Dosie MacDonald of Prince Albert Sask. visited with Leafie's father grandpa McLachlin and other relatives from Wednesday until Sunday.

Mrs. Bessie Pederson visited with her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Joe McLachlan and attended church services on Sunday. She returned to her home in Edmonton with Velma and Norman Schwartz and girls, who had been visiting with Ken and Betty Pederson.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Franklin are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Shana Lee.

GRADUATION

Graduation exercises were held in the Lamont High School on Friday evening when 66 students graduated. Local students were Lillian Dziuck, Betty Babiuk (Eglinski) Yvonne Herchek, Gayell McLachlan, Sharon Reinhardt and Lorne Zapichny. Betty received the Yearbook Award and Gayelle received the Students' Union award for contributing the most to school sports.

**Sympathy from the district goes to the family of Mrs. Frances Eleniak of Chipman who was fatally injured in a harvesting accident on Friday.**


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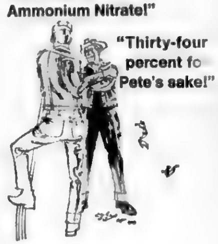


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## UAM Convention at Wainwright

(Mrs. O. Taylor)

Lars Olson Councillor and Ray Hovland, village secretary, were visitors in Vermilion Wednesday, Sept. 14th, attending a Convention of Union of Alberta Municipalities of district No. 5, held in the Elks Hall there. The meeting was jointly sponsored by the Urban Secretary-Treasurers Association and the Union of Alberta Municipalities. Chairman was Reg Mitchell, director of district No. 5 and the delegates were welcomed by Mayor E. C. Heckbert of Vermilion. Speakers were E. Newman executive secretary, UAM, and Mr. Wilkinson of Reed, Shaw, McNaught, Ins Brokers. The New Social Service Program was explained by Dale Joslin Dept. of Welfare.

Bruce Ramsay, inspector from the Dept. of Municipal Affairs was in attendance to answer questions on various affairs.

## Annual Bible Society canvass is underway

The annual canvass in the interests of the Bible Society is now underway and it is the hope of a former canvasser for many years, Mrs. J. W. Robinson that the response of the people will equal that of last year, which was very creditable.

It is the task of the Bible Society to provide God's word for God's world. The churches, the missionaries and the people of the world are depending on the Bible Society for the scriptures they need. The Bible Society depends on congregations and on Christian people to provide the funds to enable it to do it's work. To provide the scriptures the Bible Society must overcome the problem of language and the problem of poverty. The Bible Society has made great progress in overcoming the problem created by the multiplicity of languages.

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In 1966 to pay the cost of translation and for the scriptures which have been requested from some 135 countries the Bible Societies require $8,650,000.00. The Canadian Bible Society has promised to provide $400,000.00 of this amount.

## Holden

Mrs. O. Taylor

Mrs. Lars Ritland was taken to Tofield Hospital Friday evening for a check-up and tests. She hopes to be home the early part of the week.

Dick Davis of Bruce had a fall the end of last week, injuring his head and was taken to Viking Hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wiles of Edmonton were Friday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story. Mr. Wiles is uncle of Mrs. Story.

Members of the official Board of the United Church held a meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. N. L. Campbell to discuss church affairs and finances. At the conclusion of the meeting Mrs. Campbell served lunch to those attending.

BPOE MEETING

The Holden Lodge BPO Elks held their regular monthly meeting Monday evening, September 12th in the Holden Community Hall, after two months summer recess. There was a good turnout of members and P.G.D.D. Bro. Tindell of Wainwright was present to install Bro. Lyle Grusland as District Deputy for the ensuing year. At the next meeting in October will be election of officers.

Bill Logan of Edmonton, former Holden district farmer, was a caller in Holden Friday of last week, on his way to Viking to visit with his mother Mrs. Thoreson a resident in Vialta Lodge. He also called on Ludvig Sandbeck, who is a resident at the [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. David Good and family of Edmonton were visiting over the weekend with their families.


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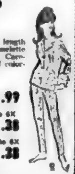

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# The Ryley Times

## Tofield ATA elects new executive

The Tofield sub-local of the Alberta Teachers' Association held [illegible] meeting of the 1966-67 term on Tuesday, Sept. 20, [illegible] with the retiring president Mrs. Mollie [illegible] in the chair.

Mrs. [illegible] thanked the members of the executive and committees [illegible] assisted her during the past year. It was announced [illegible] the Teachers' Convention of the Beaver Local of the ATA will be held March 2nd and [illegible] at Chateau Lacombe.

Ele[illegible] the [illegible] 1966 [illegible] president [illegible] vice-president [illegible] Helen Tasle[illegible] mann [illegible] treasurer. Program [illegible] Mrs. Doris Young, M[illegible] Carol Rurka, Gian Pohar and Gary Kennedy. [illegible] committee J. [illegible] Lampert, John Pullen, Mrs. B[illegible] Kennedy and Mrs. Eleanor [illegible] Representative to the Beaver Local, Howard Meger. Lloyd Cribb will replace Lars Olson as the ATA representative to the School Board of Beaver County.

### Multiple headed barley

Barley heads found at one spot in a 35 acre field of Husky barley on the Earl Neesvold farm north of Camrose, show some of Nature's oddities. One stem has three heads, the next looks like one head but a join in the middle indicates one head on the end of another head, and the third stem had two heads. Mr. Neesvold said he picked the heads standing in one spot and could not find any others in the field. He plans to keep them, plant the seed in a garden next year and see if either head will reproduce another multiple head.

Camrose Canadian Newsphoto

## Ross Creek News

(Mrs. Van Buskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. Ossie MacDonald of Prince Albert, Sask., visited with Leafie's father, grandpa McLachlan and other relatives from Wednesday until Sunday.

Mrs. Bernie Pederson visited with her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Joe McLachlan and attended church services on Sunday. She returned to her home in Edmonton with Velma and Norman Schwartz and girls, who had been visiting with Ken and Betty Pederson.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Franklin are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Shana Lee.

**GRADUATION**

Graduation exercises were held in the L[illegible] High School on Friday evening when [illegible] students [illegible]. Local students were L[illegible] [illegible]luck, Betty Ba[illegible]

book (Eglinski), Yvonne Herchek, Gayen McLachlan, Sharon Reinhardt and Lorne Zapachny. Betty received the Yearbook Award and Gayelle received the Students' Union award for contributing the most to school sports.

**Sympathy from the district goes to the family of Mrs. Frances Eleniak of Chipman who was fatally injured in a harvesting accident on Friday.**

## Dodds - Ryley news briefs

(Mrs. O. Lehman)

DODDS - RYLEY, Sept. 10 — Sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Katie Steffura and family in the loss of a husband and father, Steve Steffura who passed away on Wednesday afternoon in the Tofield Hospital.

Mrs. Elsie Zook left on Thursday for Indiana to be near her mother Mrs. Warren Shaum who suffered a stroke. Elsie will be gone for about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drasack and Frankie spent the long week end with John Zook and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Martin, Ivy Wideman and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Zook were Monday visitors at Edson with Sanford's parents.

**SCHOOL BEGINNERS**

The new beginners in school from this district are Rose Lehman, Brian Steffura and Irene Lehman.

Miss Lorna Lehman was an overnight guest at the Clayton Ross home with Delores.

Ivy Wideman from B.C. is visiting with relatives and friends in this district.

Keith Hostetler left on Tuesday for Goshen where he will be attending school.

Douglas Helgeland of Edmonton spent the long weekend with his mother, Mrs. Brenda Helgeland and children.


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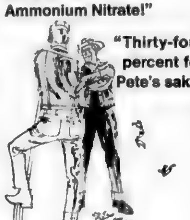


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## UAM Convention at Wainwright

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Lars Olson, Councillor and Ray Hovland, village secretary, were visitors in Vermilion Wednesday, Sept. 14th, attending a Convention of Union of Alberta Municipalities of district No. 5, held in the Elks Hall there. The meeting was jointly sponsored by the Urban Secretary Treasurers Association and the Union of Alberta Municipalities. Chairman was Reg. Mitchell, director of district No. 5 and the delegates were welcomed by Mayor S. C. Heckbert of Vermilion. Speakers were E. Newman, executive secretary, UAM, and Mr. Wilkinson of Reed, Shaw, McNaught, [illegible]. The New Social Service Program was explained by Dale Joslin, Dept. of Welfare.

Bruce Ramsay, inspector from the Dept. of Municipal Affairs was in attendance to answer questions on various affairs.

## Annual Bible Society canvass is underway

The annual canvass in the interests of the Bible Society is now underway and it is the hope of a former canvasser for many years, Mrs. J. W. Robinson that the response of the people will equal that of last year, which was very creditable.

It is the task of the Bible Society to provide God's word for God's world. The churches, the missionaries and the people of the world are depending on the Bible Society for the scriptures they need. The Bible Society depends on congregations and on Christian people to provide the funds to enable it to do its work. To provide the scriptures the Bible Society must overcome the problem of language and the problem of poverty. The Bible Society has made great progress in overcoming the problem created by the multiplicity of languages.

The Scriptures have been distributed in some 1,250 languages and are appearing in an additional language every month. The Bible Society is currently supervising some 4,000 translators who are engaged in translation work on some 500 languages. English is the mother tongue of only 9% of the people of the world.

In Asia, Africa and Latin America 95% of all Scripture distribution is linked with the work of the Bible Society. In these areas poverty is acute and the scriptures must be provided at a fraction of their cost or free of charge. Poverty is so real that every three seconds somewhere in the world a child dies of starvation. The Bible Society distributes over 400,000 copies of the Scriptures in some 70 languages in Canada each year.

A Braille Bible for the blind costs $65.00 but the Bible Society provides it for only $9.00 or free of charge if necessary.

In 1966 to pay the cost of translation and for the scriptures which have been requested from some 135 countries the Bible Societies require $6,600,000.00. The Canadian Bible Society has promised to provide $400,000.00 of this amount.

## Holden

Mrs. G. Taylor

Mrs. Lars Ritland was taken to Tofield Hospital Friday evening for a check-up and tests. She hopes to be home the early part of the week.

Dick Davis of Bruce had a fall the end of last week, injuring his head and was taken to Viking Hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wiles of Edmonton were Friday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story. Mr. Wiles is uncle of Mrs. Story.

Members of the official Board of the United Church held a meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. N. L. Campbell to discuss church affairs and finances. At the conclusion of the meeting Mrs. Campbell served lunch to those attending.

**BPOE MEETING**

The Holden Lodge BPO Elks held their regular monthly meeting Monday evening, September 12th in the Holden Community Hall, after two months summer recess. There was a good turn-out of members and P.G.D.D. Bro. Tindell of Wainwright was present to install Bro. Lyle Grosland as District Deputy for the ensuing year. At the next meeting in October will be election of officers.

Bill Logan of Edmonton, former Holden district farmer, was a caller in Holden Friday of last week, on his way to Viking to visit with his mother [illegible] Thoreson, a resident in Vialta Lodge. He also called on Ludvig Sandbeck, who is a resident at the home.

Mr. and Mrs. David Good and family of Edmonton were visiting over the weekend with their families.


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## FUTURE DATES

**TURKEY BINGO**

A Turkey Bingo is being held at Lindbrook Hall on Saturday, Oct. 1 at 8:30 p.m. 20 games for $2.00. 4c-2883

**RED CROSS CAMPAIGN**

The Annual Red Cross Campaign sponsored by Tofield Catholic Women's League, will be held during October. Your generous support will be greatly appreciated. 4-5c-2882

## CARDS OF THANKS

I would like to express my sincere thanks to all my friends, the business people of Holden, the Mutual Telephone Co., and the Social Credit Auxiliary for the many gifts given to me. It was a pleasure to be of service to the public at the A.G.T. office. Many thanks to all.
- Bertha Sanderson 4c-2886

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story would like to thank all their friends for the cards and kind wishes which they received after their recent car accident. They were all very much appreciated.
- Arthur and Doris Story 4p-2881

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# County graduation . . .

(Continued from Page One)

tion, Mr. Evans presented Elaine with a $100 scholarship. Elaine thanked Mr. Evans, saying that the availability of such awards gave students an incentive to work hard.

The graduates then received their diplomas from Paul Voegtlin of the Ryley school, and their class pins from Thomas Budd, president of the Holden High School Students' Union.

The graduates were as follows:

**Tofield**—Leslie Thomas Appleby, Shauna Lucerne Astley, Margaret Irene Baerg, Elma Elaine Baergen, Ronald David Boese, Dale Alan Christensen, Sonja Marie Christensen, Lynn Ann Dunlop, Robert Allen Foshaug, Rita Eileen Glover, Rhea Rosemary Hallett, Jacklyn Kay Hunter, Clarice Elaine Jacobsen, Barbara Eloise McGinitie, Donald Walter MacKay, Betty Marie Neufeld, Ellen Marie Norton, Abraham David Poettcker, Linda Mae Schacker, Gloria Darlene Scott, Ruth Ellen Sears, Elaine Ann Sorell, Lois Elaine Walker, John William Wall, Greg John Whyte.

**Ryley**—Laura Anderson, Joyce Boettger, Patricia Brown, Margaret Fisk, Elida Helgeland, Earl Hjelter, Sharonann James, Robert Knudslein, Judy Kudrowich, Ionne Macabonic, Maryann Osada, Roger Oslund, Gerald Owen, Gary Patterson, Ronald Pepper, Gordon Pope, Richard Sadowzyk, Clifford Urlacher, Annette Vergette, Gary Wiens.

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**CHOSEN CAREERS**

The students from Tofield and their present occupation and/or whereabouts follow:

Leslie Appleby, Southern Alberta Institute of Technology, Shauna Astley and Robert Foshaug, Tofield High School; Margaret Baerg, Abe Poettker and John Wall, Bible School; Elma Baergen, Dale Christensen, Betty Neufeld and Ruth Sears, Alberta College; Ronald Boese, construction work in Calgary; Sonja Christensen and Rosemary Hallet, U. of A., Faculty of Education; Lynn Dunlop, McTavish Business College; Rita Glover, Alberta College Secretarial Dep; Jacklyn Hunter, articling for an Edmonton chartered accountant firm; Clarice Jacobsen, Royal Alexandra Hospital School of Nursing; Barbara McGinitie, Bank of Montreal; Don MacKay, apprentice carpenter; Ellen Norton, occupation undecided; Linda Schacker, U. of A., Faculty of Commerce; Gloria Scott, business experience in Edmonton; Elaine Sorell, U. of A., Faculty of Edmonton; Elaine Walker, 4 year Art Program, Institute of Technology, Calgary; Greg Whyte, Northern Institute of Technology, Edmonton.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnell, B.A., B.D., [redacted]
Sunday, Sept. 25th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
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Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
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11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

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Sunday, Sept. 25th
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11:15 a.m.—Sunday School.

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Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Sept. 25th
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for E[redacted]
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.

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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. Jim Reddick)

Services continue at the United Church, with Mr. H. Dunham in charge. He will probably soon be relieved with laymen from Edmonton.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

After a stay in Tofield Hospital, Mrs. Joe Davenport returned to her home on Saturday.

Myron Bowerman is a patient in Tofield Hospital, and all his friends wish him a speedy recovery and his return to school as a beginner this year.

On her last visit to see her son Chester in the Col. Mewburn Hospital, Edmonton, Mrs. Claude Leach reports him much improved, and his return to his home soon is expected.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy is enjoying a vacation at Calgary, Regina and other eastern points.

Young Laurie and Joe Lucas of Edmonton are staying with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Williams, while their mother, Mrs. Joe Lucas (nee Carol Williams) visits her mother, Mrs. Katie Williams, at Fort Nelson, B.C.

**CAMPBELL - BARNES**

Miss Sheila Barnes of Manchester, England, was married September 10 to Mr. John Campbell. Sheila is the youngest daughter of Mrs. W. C. Barnes. Her sister, Vivian, and brother-in-law, Archie Clarke, were attendants at her wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Aldrich and family, of Edmonton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Les Whitford.

**Mrs. Verdon Sears recently suffered a fall, fracturing a bone in her heel. She now wears a cast and gets around with the aid of crutches.**

Mrs. Dave McDonald of Turner Valley is a guest with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Mac McIntyre.

Mrs. Annie Oliver has been enjoying a couple of weeks in Edmonton at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Edwards.

At their September meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Peterson, the Community Club planned to hold their annual Hallowe'en Dance Friday, Oct. 28, at the Ministik Hall.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson was an Edmonton shopper Friday, staying overnight with her sister, Mrs. J. Potts. She returned Saturday when her son Glenn and Glenn's uncle Archie Ferguson, had gone to the city to purchase tickets for the White Heather concert on September 30.

# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. John Symbaluk of Calgary, former Holden residents were visitors in Holden and district, Thursday of last week calling on relatives and friends before driving to Vegreville to visit there.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Elkowich of Wainwright, were Thursday business callers in Holden. Mr. Elkowich is employed as night clerk at the Park Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were dinner guests with Mrs. Campbell a week ago Tuesday, and helped her get in garden produce.

Burns Appleby was a visitor with his family the Bert Applebys over the weekend.

Mrs. Tom Braatud, former south Holden farm resident, who has made her home in Camrose for the past few years since she and her late husband retired from farming has sold her home in Camrose and is staying for the present with her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Emil Dorin at Innisfail. She will also later, make visits with other members of her family.

Mrs. Lars Olson was a patient in Tofield Hospital for a few days last week having tests and a check up.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Smorlie were recent Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Pearse.

Mrs. Hooper and son Melvin were in Edmonton Thursday evening, visiting with Mr. Hooper in the Good Samaritan Nursing Home. Mr. Hooper is keeping well and in very good spirits.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Locke of Edmonton were in Holden Saturday Sept. 10th helping and looking after the sale of household goods for Mrs. Bertha Sanderson.

Mrs. Zane Bilyk was a visitor with her mother in Daysland, Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Dale Jeffrey was a recent visitor at Vialta Lodge, calling on Mrs. Ness.

Geo. H. Taylor was a business caller in Viking Wednesday of last week.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Olaf Cheney was taken to Viking Hospital last Tuesday afternoon when he became ill. Mrs. Cheney drove him to the doctor at Viking who admitted him to hospital. Olaf has been active on the farm until the past year and a half when he and Mrs. Cheney retired from the farm to make their home in Holden. He has not been feeling well for the past few weeks.

Mike Sawchuk of Edmonton was a visitor in Holden on Saturday checking on their property.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Oppen of New Westminster, B.C., former south Holden farm residents, were visiting around the district the past week, calling on former neighbors and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Koop Spannenburg and children of Edmonton were visitors over the weekend with Florence's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story and family. Mr. Spannenburg assisted with baling feed.

# MacDuff . . .

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ernment can easily meet its expenditures under present tax arrangements. The provincial governments can not.

Yet the finance minister flatly refused to offer the provinces another dollar's worth of tax room.

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# Ross Creek News

**TELEPHONE MEETING**

The Board of the Beaver Lake Mutual Telephone Co. held a meeting at the home of Glen Jones recently. Joe Lazaruk will be attending University this winter and will be unable to continue as trouble-shooter. Emil Pikula was hired to take his place. Anyone having trouble with their telephone can report it to the secretary M. Van Buskirk at 662-2257.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hennig of Andrew visited at the home of their daughter, Elma and Graham Snider and boys on Sunday.

Vicki Ulan is in the Lamont Hospital suffering from a slight concussion the result of an accident at school.


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# Bible Society opens store

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson and daughter, Mrs. J. A. L. Smith, attended the dedication and grand opening of the new store and offices of the Canadian Bible Society at 10345 Jasper Avenue, Edmonton, on Thursday, Sept. 15th. The Rev. Brian L. Brown, Rector of Holy Trinity Anglican Church in Tofield from Nov. 1, 1957, to July 15, 1959, brought greetings on behalf of the Edmonton Council of Churches. Dewey De Vries, the contractor, presented the keys to J. B. Poppitt.

The Litany of Dedication was given by the Rev. Roy D. Bell, and the ribbon was cut by The Hon. Harry E. Strom, Minister of Agriculture. The Prayer and Benediction was given by Brigadier Horace Roberts of the Salvation Army, and refreshments were served by the Ladies' Association.


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## TOWN OF TOFIELD BY-LAW No. 598

**A BY-LAW RESPECTING THE FLUORIDATION OF THE TOWN OF TOFIELD WATER SUPPLY**

WHEREAS The Public Health Act of Alberta provides that the Council of a Municipality may by by-law provide for the fluoridation of the communal water supply thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Public Health Act of Alberta provides that before the by-law providing for fluoridation is finally passed by the Council a plebiscite of the electors of the municipality shall be taken to determine if the electors approve of fluoridation of the communal water supply, and

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Town of Tofield pursuant to the authorization granted by the said provision of the Public Health Act determined on the sixteenth day of September, 1966 that the necessary steps be taken to hold a plebiscite on fluoridation on the nineteenth day of October, 1966; and

WHEREAS Council is now giving first reading to a By-Law providing for fluoridation of the Town of Tofield water supply, and then will submit the matter to the electors on the nineteenth day of October, 1966, after which day the Council may give second and third reading to the by-law and may pass the by-law provided that a majority of the electors voting on the plebiscite vote in favour of fluoridation.

NOW THEREFORE, the Municipal Council of the Town of Tofield duly assembled, enacts as follows:

1. The appropriate officials of the Town are hereby authorized and directed to add fluorides to the Town water supply sufficient to bring the fluoride content of Town water up to the level of one part fluorine to one million parts water.
2. This By-law shall not be read a second and third time and finally passed by Town Council **unless and until a majority of the electors voting in the plebiscite of the electors to be held the nineteenth day of October, 1966, have voted to approve the said fluoridation of the Town of Tofield water supply.**

DR. W. H. FREEBURY, Mayor
RITA E. HALVORSON, Sec.-Treas.
(4-5-6)

## Linda Schacher wins Queen scholarship

Last week, Miss Linda Schacher, a clever young June graduate of the Tofield High School received word that she had been awarded a Queen Elizabeth Scholarship to the amount of $310, provided by the Government of the province of Alberta.

Linda was born on May 3, 1948. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Schacher lived north of Tofield in the Summer School District so Linda began her schooling in the Mundare school. After completing her first year in Mundare she entered the Tofield School where she obtained [illegible]

Linda has been an excellent student all through her school years. She is an avid reader and enjoys dancing as a recreation.

She is now enrolled in the Faculty of Commerce at the University of Alberta, where her four-year course will enable her to become a chartered accountant with a Bachelor of Commerce degree.

Besides Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Schacher have four younger children. Louella is a student in the Tofield High School, Robert and Janet are in the elementary grades, and Greg is still a pre-schooler.

## Ladies Club has September meet

(Mrs. Jim Roddick)

MINISTIK, Sept. 21.—The Ministik Ladies' Club held their September meeting at the local camp-site on Wednesday afternoon, which was ideal weather-wise.

In the business session, Mrs. Ronald Swabey was again chosen to purchase gifts for the Children's Christmas Tree; and Mrs. Jim Roddick was again chosen as convener.

The annual Fall Bazaar will be held on Friday, Nov. 4, and Mrs. Andrew Ferguson was again chosen as convener.

Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth conducted a most interesting contest, which was won by Mrs. S. George. Hostesses for lunch, which was served under the lovely shade trees, were Mrs. Ronald Swabey, Mrs. Les Whitford and Mrs. Frank Swabey.

## MINISTIK NEWS

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

The planned community skating rink is already taking shape. Baden Bowerman with his transit got the level and Pat Paterson smoothed it over with his grader. When time permits the fence will be erected.

Mrs. S. George is enjoying a few days in Edmonton, guest of her son Douglas and family.

Combining and harvesting are general in this area, with some already completed.

Don't forget the CWL grocery bingo at the hall on Friday, Sept. 23. All are welcome and lunch will be served.

Mrs. Maude Mouatt of Edmonton is a guest with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kleinschroth.


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RITA E. HALVERSON,
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# County council meets Sept. 8th

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of the County of Beaver No. 9, held Thursday, Sept. 8, 1966.

In regards to the Tofield Disposal Grounds, the secretary-treasurer stated that he had advised the Town of Tofield that the Council would like to offer a cash payment of $300 per year. He had also, by letter, contacted the secretary-treasurers of the Village of Ryley, Village of Holden and Town of Viking that a similar cash allowance would be made to these local authorities upon request if the disposal grounds were being used by the residents in the County. A reply had been received from the Village of Holden only.

It was moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the Waskwei Flood Control Scheme, the secretary-treasurer stated that no further developments had taken place to his knowledge. Cr. Kropielnicki was asked to contact L. Krueger of the PFAA Office at Vegreville to see what further had to be done by the County. The question came up concerning the amount of benefit that this scheme would be to the County, and it was suggested that possibly out of the $10,000, which was estimated to be the cost chargeable to the County, $8,000 could actually be classified as beneficial to the County.

It was, therefore, moved and carried that the County is prepared to pay up to 80% of the cost of the County's share of the proposed flood control scheme.

In regards to the drainage problem, S.E. 21-49-16-W4th, the secretary-treasurer stated that he had written to the District Engineer in this matter and had advised Mr. Voigt to that effect.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the drainage problem in N.W. 29-47-12-W4th, the secretary-treasurer stated that he had referred this matter to the Dept. of Water Resources and that an inspection would be made by the Department later this fall.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to Black Nugget Lake, the secretary-treasurer reported that the Fish and Wildlife Division of the Dept. of Lands and Forests had approved the lowering of the water level by approximately two feet. It had been suggested that if the water was lowered by a ditch, this should be screened at its junction with the Lake to prevent the escaping of trout. The Council was also advised that the matter of pile at the west end of the Lake had been investigated. The pile-driver could be rented from the Department of Highways and the necessary piles could be obtained from that source, the cost being $1.50 per foot, f.o.b. Edmonton.

Inasmuch as a fair amount of engineering was necessary in this case the Municipal Bridge Engineer suggested that the matter be left in abeyance until the bridge requests for 1967 are investigated and the Engineer would then look over the situation at Nugget Lake and make some recommendations.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Sub-Division Application No. 66-D-301 concerning N.E. 24-5-18-W4th was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the Council has no objection to the proposed sub-division provided that the County not be responsible for any road or other improvements in or to the sub-divided area.

Sub-Division Application No. 66-D-625 concerning sub-division in N.E. 13-46-11-W4th was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the Council has no objection to the proposed sub-division provided that the County not be responsible for any road or other improvements in or to the sub-divided area.

It was moved and carried that the proposed extension to Jarrow R.E. Association Ltd. be approved.

Moved and carried that notice under Sec. 240 of the M.D. Act advising of the transfer to the County's control bridges located at WNW 7-49-18-W4th and SSE 18-49-18-W4th be received and filed.

Letter from the Dept. of Highways concerning bridge file 9038-SSW 27-49-18-W4th was referred to Council. The letter indicated that as the existing 16-foot untreated timber bridge had collapsed, the Department proposed to install a 90-inch by 69-inch S.P.C.M.T. culvert. This had been discussed with Cr. Knudslien. Cr. Knudslien stated that, after having given this matter some further thought, he was of the opinion that a culvert would not be sufficient at this point and that it actually required a 20-foot bridge. On other road allowances further up on the same creek bridges had been installed, and he was of the opinion that a culvert at this point would hinder the flow from the Round Hill Flood Control Scheme. At the present time this road was blocked and he would prefer to have the bridge repaired so that it could be used for local traffic and then get a replacement next year.

Moved and carried that this request be made to the Department.

A letter from the Dept. of Highways concerning bridge file 78506-WNW 29-49-14-W4th was referred to the Council. The Bridge Branch advised that this bridge could not be replaced during the current year because of a number of additional requests by the County. Their Inspection Report indicated that the existing bridge of treated timber material should serve until next year without too much of a problem.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed.

In regards to bridge file 7000—S.E. 7-49-12-W4th, the Council was informed that the required survey had been completed and site plan and profiles had been delivered to the Bridge Branch by the County's Surveyors. In this connection, Cr. Roddick stated that a large culvert would possibly be sufficient at this point and inasmuch as he intended to re-locate the road this year, it was moved and carried that an enquiry be made to the Bridge Branch if a large culvert could be supplied at this point rather than a bridge.

The secretary-treasurer reported that under date of August 24 he had received a letter from M. T. Nemirsky, secretary-treasurer of the M.D. of Lamont No. 82 concerning the Ross Creek Flood Control Scheme. This flood control scheme concerned the County of Beaver No. 9 to some small degree, and the secretary-treasurer had requested the Dept. of Water Resources for a copy of

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## Local boy graduates from Alberta hospital

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carlson and family were visitors in Red Deer Friday, September 16th when they attended the graduation of their son Bobbie at the Alberta School Hospital. This was the 32nd graduating class of the hospital and Bob was the only male nurse in the graduation class of 19

Dr. J. Donovan Ross, Minister of Health presented the Diplomas to the graduates and pins were presented by Mrs. G. M. McRae, M.D.G., the matron.

Dr. A. R. Schrag, Director of the Division of Mental Health was present. Bob is to be congratulated on his achievement and while continuing to work at the hospital he is also taking classes to obtain his matriculation standing.


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# County council meets Sept. 8th

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the plan and cost estimate. The estimated cost was in the amount of $28,900 and according to the report the drainage basin served by the Rose Creek covering approximately 100 square miles. Only about three ratepayers in the County were effected by this flood control scheme and according to Cr. Weatherill the drainage would not benefit the County's road to any great extent.

It was therefore moved that inasmuch as the proposed flood control scheme would not be beneficial to the County's roads system, the County is not prepared to enter into any agreement in this connection. The Council, however, has no objections to the scheme provided that the bridges on this creek as far as being located in the County are sufficient.

Al Bourree, Gravel and Sand Locators, Edmonton, who had attended the meeting on August 11, had [illegible] Agreement in this connection. It was noted that the [illegible] by Mr. Bourree when he [illegible] the meeting on August 4th was $100 per section for a maximum of one township, in other words $3,600. The Agreement called for this amount plus the provision that cubic boundary delineation of deposit or deposits will be paid for by the Client to the Contractor as follows:

1. Consulting and instrumentation fee $125 per day.
2. Drilling $14 per hour.
3. Mileage for moving drilling rig and equipment 50c per mile.

The County would also have to provide rights of entry and access to, on, in and over any land as may be necessary for the proper performance of the Contractor's work in locating gravel. Even if it should be considered that gravel in sufficient quantities were not obtained by the Contractors, and hence no payment payable, if any sand or gravel was taken from any of the deposits located by the Contractor a royalty of 5c per cubic yard would be payable to him.

The Council felt that no action should be taken at the present time, and it was therefore moved and carried that Mr. Bourree be advised that the Contract is very much out of line with the verbal suggestions made by Mr. Bourree on August 4 and 11 and that the County cannot consider dealing with him under the present conditions.

The secretary-treasurer reported on Henry Field who had called at the office in regards to the bridge in S.E. 24-49-15-W4th. This bridge had been on a road diversion that had now been straightened out and was thus on private land. Mr. Field had inquired whether he or the County was responsible for the upkeep of this bridge. No further information was available, and it was moved and carried that Crs. Dorm and Johnston investigate this situation and report back to the next meeting.

The secretary-treasurer reported that Hans Jensen had called at the office suggesting that gravel might be obtainable on N.W. 20-50-15-W4th.

Moved and carried that Crs. Weatherill and Kardalsen investigate this situation.

It was moved and carried that a nomination meeting, for the purpose of nominating candidates in Divisions 2 and 3 to fill the vacancies occurring in those divisions in January, 1967, be held in the County office on November 4, 1966, between the hours of 3:00 and 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

It was moved and carried that the secretary-treasurer, Olof Monsson, be and hereby is appointed Returning Officer for the County of Beaver No. 9 for the forthcoming Municipal Election.

It was moved and carried that the following election officials be appointed:

Division No. 2 — Enumerator, Carl Nashund, Viking. Poll No. 1, D.R.O., A. A. Burnham, Viking, polling place, Hillicker's Hall, Viking. Poll No. 2, D.R.O., Frank Ploc, Viking; polling place, F. Ploc's residence, S.E. 26-48-13-W4th. Poll No. 3, D.R.O., Eric Erickson, Viking; polling place, Rosegarland Hall, S.E. 3-50-13-W4th.

Division No. 3 — Enumerator, Paul Osinchuk, Bruce. Poll No. 1, D.R.O., Irvin Fredericks, Bruce, polling place, Bruce Community Hall. Poll No. 2, D.R.O., Wesley Barber, Bruce, polling place, W. Barber's residence, N.W. 4-47-14-W4th.

In regards to Northwestern Utilities Ltd. request to extend the gas line north of Tofield, the secretary-treasurer stated that the Gas Company was now prepared, instead of putting the gas line three feet inside the 30-foot easement, to put the gas line six feet inside a 50-foot easement. This was considered safe for any road widening program that might involve this road, and it was moved and carried that the request from Northwestern Utilities, to extend their gas line north of Tofield under the circumstances outlined in their letter dated August 30, 1966, be approved.

C. H. Weir, Consulting Engineer, attended the meeting at this time in connection with the Rural Road Study. The minutes of the meeting of the East Central Rural Road Study Area No. 13, August 17, 1966, were read and contents noted.

Mr. Weir at that meeting had presented the outline of roads recommended for black topping and how they fitted in with surrounding Study areas. The matter of changing certain roads as recommended by various members of the Study Group had then been discussed in detail and the recommendations were outlined in the minutes.

Mr. Weir now outlined the roads recommended for black topping in the County and how they fitted in with the surrounding Study Areas to the Council.

Some considerable discussion followed, and it was then moved and carried that this Council goes on record as approving the proposed system with deletion of the proposed road from Bruce south to the correction line and adding road from Highway No. 14 at N.E. 7-50-20-W4th south via Miquelon Lake to connect with the Camrose road.

The standard of construction was discussed and the following [illegible] were decided upon in order of priority.

1. D.H. 345S — Correction line towards Camrose
2. D.H. 345K — Ryley north towards Mundare
3. D.H. 345A — North and South of Kinsella

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# Shower honors bride-elect

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Misses Frances Schultz and Marian Hardy assisted the bride in opening the many beautiful gifts presented to Betsy-Ann by Mrs. Jeanie Sears. The bride graciously thanked everyone present for their gifts and for coming out to make the evening such a happy one for her. Members of the UCW and ladies of the district served a lovely lunch.

Recent showers honoring Betsy-Ann have included a kitchen shower given by Mrs. Al McGarvey, a miscellaneous shower held at the home of Mrs. Angus Mitchell and a lingerie shower given by Miss Faye George and Miss Heather McLeod, all of Edmonton.

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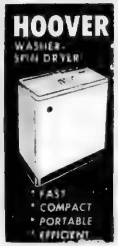


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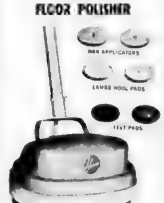


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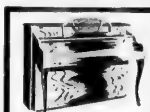

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# Palmer - Earling notes

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER - EARLING, Sept. 16 — Weekend guests at the Jack Vassberg home were Mrs. Drader and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Zelkie of Edmonton.

Sunday guests at the Lawrence Pearse home were Mr. and Mrs. Norm Parnell and Bobbie, Edmonton and her sister, Phylis Prickette here from England and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Reum. Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. George Valan of Calgary were visitors with the Pearses and the Joe Flemings.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stenarud and Elmer of Camrose were Wednesday callers with Frank Urlachers and Harold Reums.

Mr. and Mrs. Knut Chrystian, Patricia and Cynthia were Sunday visitors at the Metro Misyk home at Holden.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Robert McKee was a patient at St. Mary's Hospital this past week undergoing surgery. Mrs. Dennis Mondahl was a patient in an Edmonton Hospital as was Baby Cynthia Chrystian.

### HERE FROM TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vassberg motored from Lyford, Texas, and on Sunday they, and another brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Vassberg of Wetaskiwin were guests with the Richard Vassbergs and Marvin Vassbergs.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Reed and Mrs. G. Kvale of Camrose, Mrs. Nina Annonsen of Edmonton and Miss Anna Aker, Bawlf were Sunday guests at the Aker home.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS

Sunday School Rally for Zion and Skudesnes combined began Sunday. Teachers installed were, Eddie Knudson, superintendent, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hellekson, Mrs. Lyle Bratrud, Mrs. George Mosby, Mrs. Lawrence Hovland, Mrs. Cecil Stenarud, Mrs. Cliff Bratrud, Mrs. Finold Aspenes, Mrs. Bob Beattie and Mrs. Helmut Roth. The pianist is Cheryl Bratrud.

### SHOWER FOR NEWLYWEDS

A large number of friends assembled at the Ole Olsen home Sunday night to honor and shower Raymond Olsen. There were three amusing contests, before Joyce and Hazel Olsen assisted Raymond and Terry to open their many nice gifts. Mrs. Lewis Forre made the presentation speech. The groom expressed their gracious thanks and extended an invitation to the group to visit them when in town. Mr. and Mrs. Olsen are residing in Port Saskatchewan where he is employed.

# Kingman briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN, Sept. 12 — Mr. and Mrs. George McLeod and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Majocka and Freddie, all of Calgary, were visitors at the Ovel and Willie Bjorgum and Helga Evenson home the weekend of the Sept. 4th.

Randy Anderson started work at the Northern Alberta Dairy Pool in Edmonton last Tuesday.

Ray Ovelson and Rudy Kozak spent the weekend at Swan Hills.

Dennis and Leonard Ovelson are employed at Compeer, with an elevator crew.

Mrs. Marit Horte and Ronald of Edmonton spent several days recently with Mr. and Mrs. I. Ness and also visited with old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Benson spent Sunday and Monday at a fertilizers' convention in Red Deer.

Norman Wideman and Kenneth Winder are home from an eight day trip to Montreal with a load of livestock from a packing plant in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seljehoug returned home last Monday from a trip to Vancouver, B.C., where they attended the P and E Fair.

### LCW MEETING

The Salem LCW met at the church on Thursday evening when 18 member's and several visitors were present to take part in the Bible study which, led by Mrs. Signe Benson. Mrs. A. Dahlen gave the devotion and Mrs. Edna Brewer led the offering meditation. A nominating committee was elected, namely: Wilde Christensen, Alpha Osness and Mildred Bjorgum, Mary Bjorgum, treasurer reported having a letter from the Lutheran Broadcast, thanking for the support given them. Group I will be in charge of Ingathering but no date has been set as yet. Hostesses were Gladys Ness [illegible] Hazel Anderson.

### FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

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## Holden OORP meets

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

The Holden Lodge OORP No. 91 held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening, September 13th after being closed for two months summer recess.

Reports were received of the Chamber of Commerce supper held September 8th, and of the lunch served in August at the AGT Conversion show.

A letter was also read advising them that Vivian Diane Carlson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carlson was the eligible student for the Annual Scholarship which is awarded to the student attending Holden High School and having the highest [illegible] grade 12 departmental examinations. Vivian had a percentage of 81.17 in six subjects.

Plans were also made and discussed to hold a rummage sale October 15th. Lunch hostesses were Ladies Nicols and Stass.

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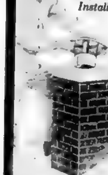

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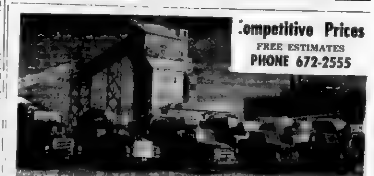

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# Locals in and around the town

Mr and Mrs. Peter Lerbekmo have been on a holiday trip to Oregon and other points.

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Mrs J Sward and son Leonard of Toronto, are visiting the Jas. and Stan Yakabuski families, Mrs. Sward being their sister, who has not been in Tofield for 12 years.

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Mr and Mrs. Allan Fair and daughter Dianne of Lacombe were visiting at the Tod Gray home on Sunday.

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Pat and Bill Innis of Drayton Valley and two boys were visitors at the Robt. Nahrebeski home on Sunday.


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Mr and Mrs. Alex Hunchak and two boys of Merritt, B.C. are visitors at the Keith Appleby home.

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Tofield Lions Club are again sponsoring their former Friendship Club for bridge and whist players during October. They would request those wishing to play to telephone their names to either Henry Paege or J. E. Stinson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Findlay Dunlop of Cadomin, were weekend guests in Tofield, and also attended the graduation exercises in Viking Saturday evening when their daughter Lynn was one of 94 in the 1966 class.

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Edward O Kennedy of Edmonton, will be the pastor conducting the morning service on Sunday, Sept. 25th., in the Tofield Baptist Church. Mr. Kennedy is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Taekema.

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Mr and Mrs. Larry Webster of Fruitvale, B.C., and Canon and Mrs A. J. Hooper and family were recent visitors at the home of their parents at Holy Trinity Rectory. Canon Hooper has returned to the Diocese of Edmonton after several years absence at Shawnigan Lake, B.C., and is to be Rector at St. Barnabas Church Jasper Place. Meantime he is serving at St. Timothy's Church until the arrival of the new rector.

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Rev. Lynn Lancaster from England preached Sunday, Sept. 18th., at Holy Trinity Church. He is the brother of W. C. (Bill) Lancaster.

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**HOME-OWNER CHEQUES**

Mrs. R. E. Halverson, Town of Tofield Secretary Treasurer told the Mercury Wednesday, that 112 Homeowner Grant cheques were in the mail.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harley Brenneman of Albany, Ore., are visiting relatives and friends in the district.

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Mr. and Mrs Willard Mc Heffey are visiting relatives in British Columbia and other points in the Northern States.

The officers and several members of Ionic Chapter No. 73 O.E.S journeyed to Edmonton on Tuesday, September 20 to be the guests of Areme Chapter No. 11 O.E.S. and assist them in the work of the Chapter. The Worthy Matron of Areme Chapter is Mrs. Esther Majakey, a former Tofield resident. On this occasion, Mrs. Edith Everitt, also a former Tofielder was initiated into the Order.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jas. R. Francis left on Tuesday morning for Watson Lake, Yukon Territory, and will be gone about a week.

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Sid Worton of Seattle is spending most of a week visiting home folks in Tofield.

Mrs Alice Warner celebrated her birthday on Thursday with Alan and Joan and family for dinner, and for supper and the evening was at the Burchard home with a few friends. Other friends also called during the day and with good wishes.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rex L. Boyles have returned from a trip to visit son Forrest and family in Calgary, daughter Joanne and family in Vancouver. They report wonderful weather during their journey.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. Kashuba and young son who were on holidays and visiting at Cold Lake, have returned home.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Gray of Whitecourt were Monday, Sept 12th visitors at the home of Lorne's cousin Ellenor and Joe Jones. This was their first visit with Ellenor and Joe at their home at Lakeshore.

Esther and Joe Majakey of Edmonton were Sunday visitors and supper guests at the home of Esther's brother John and Mary Wood on Sept. 11th.

Ernie and Eleanor Runzer of Edmonton spent Saturday at the farm home of Eleanor's brother Harold and Irlene Seib.

Donna and Frank Edward and Donna's little niece, Wanda Weir of Elk Point spent from Sat., evening to Tues., morning at the home of Donna's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson. They left Tuesday for Athabasca where they will visit Frank's parents and other relatives before returning to Elk Point.

Myrtle and Jim MacDonald of Okotoks were Saturday morning callers at the home of Myrtle's sister, Mary and John Wood on their way to visit their son Jimmy and Donna MacDonald at Glendon.

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

Several ladies from Lakeshore and McKenzie were among about 100 ladies who attended a shower for Betsy-Ann Schulz in the United Church basement on Friday night. Betsy-Ann will become the bride of Claude Gallinger in October. The bride-to-be was the recipient of many lovely and useful gifts and thanked all for coming and for the gifts. A very enjoyable evening was spent and all wish Betsy-Ann every happiness in her coming marriage.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Edwin and Inez Cundiff of Abbotsford, B.C., and their son and daughter-in-law and three children were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Edwin's aunt, Ruth and Roy Wickenberg in Tofield. The son is in the air force and he and his family have just returned from Germany and have been posted to Edmonton.

Erma and Fred Onyschuk and daughter Debbie were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Erma's sister Irlene and Harold Seib. Later all were afternoon tea guests at the home of Erma's and Irlene's brother Charlie and Mickey Niemetz.

**AT WEDDING**

Geo. and Ida Niemetz attended the wedding reception and dance of Ida's nephew, Larry Schulz and his bride Mary, the former Mary Kucherawy of Mundare, in the Mundare Hall on Saturday evening. There were about 500 guests at the reception and dance. The young couple will make their home in Edmonton.

Mrs. Dru Greenought of Scotch Village, N.S., who is visiting her two sons in Edmonton was a Sunday forenoon caller on her pen pal of several years, Mrs. Martha Tiedemann and family. They were on their way to Elk Island Park to spend the day before returning to Edmonton.

Mrs. Martha Tiedemann accompanied her daughter, Mrs Yvonne Brown and Lucille Tiedemann, Yvonne's mother-in-law, Mrs. Keitha Brown of Ketchamoot on a motor trip to New Sarepta on Monday to visit Keitha's daughter, Mrs. Betty (Clive) Gudmundson and Betty's mother-in-law, Mrs. Leo. Gudmundson.

## Congregation favors building in Tofield

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO — At the congregation meeting on Wednesday evening 76% voted in favor of building the new church in Tofield. Committees were elected to investigate a site and cost and style and bring a report to the next meeting on Oct. 10.

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladeau)

Mr and Mrs R Berreleth attended open house at the home of Mr and Mrs Ander on Edmonton in honor of Mrs Hoover's 80th birthday.

**ACCIDENT VICTIM**

Alfons Fontaine is home after being away on a trip. His holiday was spoiled when his travelling companion, Tony Reeves was involved in a serious accident, and spent 10 days in an American Hospital. At the time of writing, Mr Reeves is in the University Hospital, Edmonton. Tony has been making his home with the Fontaines.

Brian Lacktie is home for a few days from Northern Manitoba.

Mrs Ward has returned from Yellowknife, where she welcomed the arrival of a grandson, a son for Joyce and Dennis Teed.

Judy Hall returned to Portland, Ore., on Sunday, after staying with her grandmother, Mrs. Gladue for a few weeks.


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# National dog trials come to Nugget Lake

Nugget Lake in the Ryley-Tofield area has been selected as the site for the Canadian field trials for retriever dogs. Upwards of 40 dogs are expected to gather here next week, when trials will be run October 6, 7 and 8.

Dogs are already entered from all provinces except the Maritimes, The Mercury was told today by Dr. Dunsworth of Edmonton. Dr. Dunsworth is president of the Edmonton Sporting Dog Club, who are acting as hosts, and making arrangements for the national event.

One local dog, a black Labrador retriever, owned by Les Burka, will be entered in the trials. All other Alberta dogs came from Calgary and Edmonton, the chairman said.

Only top dogs in each province are accepted for the national trials, and dogs must qualify earlier in the season for entry.

The Nugget Lake location was chosen after intensive study by the field trials committee, reported Dr. Dunsworth. Members spent considerable time assessing all areas in the province, he said, paying particular attention to those which would provide the most comprehensible overall demanding tests for dogs in prairie style hunting. After much research they concluded the best challenge came from this area, partially because of the depth of water provided by the dredging of the coal mine. This depth is not established in a great many sloughs, they pointed out.

Actual locations of the tests are established by a committee of three judges, including Kent Powell of Edmonton, Dr. T. Williams of Eastern Canada, and Dr. William Crowell of Winnipeg. A minimum of ten tests will be required to select the winning dog.

**CO-OPERATION**

The committee has found wonderful co-operation from both the

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## Tofield dog takes second in trials

Charles A. Nolan, Tofield grain buyer for the Alberta Wheat Pool, had the pleasure, last weekend, of seeing his Chesapeake Bay champion, Creachainn Nick win second place in a class of eleven at the field trials sponsored by the Alberta Field Trials Club in Calgary. From this event, Creachainn Nick has added a ribbon and a plaque which his owner will be displaying beside the trophy the champion brought home last June. Creachainn Nick will also be participating in the field trials sponsored by the Edmonton Sporting Dog Club next weekend.

# Mayor Freebury returned for sixth straight term

Dr. W. H. Freebury was returned to office as mayor yesterday by acclamation as voters of Tofield gave him the sixth straight vote of confidence since February 20th, 1956. He has held office as mayor without interruption over the ten year period.

However, a contest loomed up for the two seats on council which are vacant. Retiring Councillors J. G. Allan and B. A. Everitt are both running again, while T. Robt. Nahrebeski and G. Pitlet are also seeking the seats. As a result, reports Returning Officer Rita E. Halverson, an election will be held on Wednesday, October 19th.

Voters will also face a plebiscite on the question of adding fluoride treatment to the town water supply on October 19th. The question was introduced two weeks ago at a special meeting of council, and requires a majority vote to pass.

## Lions canvass for the CNIB

Tofield Lions Club has again taken on the sponsoring of the CNIB canvass for the Town of Tofield for this year, and members of the Club will call on residents of the town after their next meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, October 11th.

Blind children look to you and the CNIB for their chance to build a future. You share in their future when you provide them with healthy outdoor activities, counselling and encouragement through your CNIB donation.

# Ladies nominated to Ryley council spark lively interest in election

The ladies of Ryley would seem to be setting an example to their sex elsewhere by taking a lively interest in civic affairs. Three of them were nominated yesterday to serve on the town council. They are: Mrs Barbara Harbak, Mrs. Jean Kondrowski, both newcomers to the nominations, and Mrs. Gertrude Mizera who has run for office in the past three years. Also nominated were Jack Stumbo and Reg Dyer, both of whom were on the council in the past year.

There are two vacancies to be filled this year. Returning Officer Garnet Burnstad told The Mercury, "The residents of Ryley are really interested in the elections which will take place October 19."

## Weather . . .

| Sept. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 21 | 78 | 37 | 30.23 | ——— |
| 22 | 71 | 43 | 30.40 | ——— |
| 23 | 80 | 42 | 30.24 | .42" rain |
| 24 | 50 | 43 | 30.20 | .43" rain |
| 25 | 61 | 43 | 30.09 | ——— |
| 26 | 65 | 47 | 30.15 | ——— |
| 27 | 66 | 44 | 29.98 | .03" rain |
| 28 | — | 47 | 29.96 | ——— |

***It refused to stop growing***

Harold Dingman of the Dried Meat Lake area examines a field of volunteer barley he had cultivated down three times before he finally decided to let it grow. He does not expect a high yield but says what there is will be good.

—Mercury Staff Photo

## Holden civic vacancies filled by acclamation

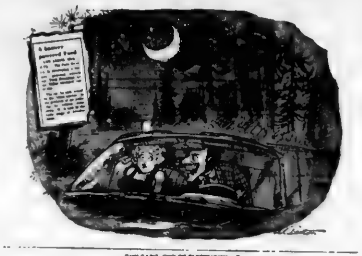
The Village of Holden will not be holding an election for mayor, councillor or hospital board member. The Mercury learned this morning three vacancies were filled by acclamation yesterday.

Mayor Budd continues in office. Lawrence Kalumy remains on the council and Don Allen on the board of Tofield Municipal Hospital. All were elected by acclamation.

Asked about new projects in the village, Secretary-Treasurer Raymond Hovland said a medical centre is one of them. The village has been without a doctor for several years and the village council plans to rent or buy the old AGT Exchange building for its medical centre. The Chamber of Commerce has been trying to locate a general practitioner for the village and there is a possibility of one taking over the practice in October this year.

## More awards to Elaine Sorell

Miss Elaine Sorell, winner of the Alberta Hotel Association scholarship, and the ATA (Beaver Local) award has recently been informed that she has also been awarded a Queen Elizabeth scholarship from the Province of Alberta. Miss Sorell is now attending the University of Alberta in the Faculty of Education.



"MY CAR'S OUT OF ELECTRICITY..."

# Community League helped by major cash donations

From the September meeting of the Tofield Community League emerged several items of interest to League members and to the community in general

The League has received financial aid from two public-spirited citizens whose donations amounted to $110. The League is very grateful

Also several holders of notes from the League have refunded their notes to the extent of $1,050 thus considerably reducing the debt on the Community Centre. The League has also refunded $1,200 to other holders of notes.

In the future, the roof on the Community Centre will be repaired, and it is hoped the Centre will be re-painted. Money for the latter project has been saved from the theatre rentals during the past two or three years.

To increase the League's funds, a Thanksgiving turkey bingo will be held in the Community Centre on Wednesday, Oct. 5. Since the debt on the Centre is still over $17,000, it is hoped that this, and other League projects in the coming season, will further reduce this amount.

Mrs. Margaret Dickson was the September winner of the League's $100 bill.

In November, the Theatre Committee hopes to be able to present "Mary Poppins", starring Julie Andrews. Since this excellent movie is sure to draw large crowds, the Theatre Committee plans to have three showings, so that everyone may have a chance to see this award-winning show.

## Whose money?

There's always a tendency for public officials to forget whose money they are spending, claims The Fairview Post, and try to claim it doesn't belong to the taxpayer. The Post's beef developed when either the provincial or federal government complained that no credit had been given the two governments for financial aid to the new swimming pool, built as part of the Centennial Program. No other complaint was offered.

"As the government gets all the money from the people in the first place," points out The Post, "it appears mighty highhanded to want to be thanked for giving money that belonged to the public in the first place." It concludes with the pithy comment "This Centennial business is great stuff but our grandchildren will go mental trying to pay the bill."

## Free market

Recent cutbacks in the prices of two American-made autos indicate the power of the free market, when price competition is allowed to exercise its full effectiveness. Even among such giants as the big three in the auto industry, there is still so much competition that competitive market situations obviously are more essential than any other single ingredient. At least the manufacturer has demonstrated that this is what he feels the buyer thinks.

It's interesting to speculate on what happened. It's hard to imagine that either Ford or Chrysler set out to "gouge" the public . . . they know what a tight market it is, and how big a $10 bill looms on the customer end. On the face of it, it would seem each firm must have calculated the price it would need to get. Did General Motors, then, manage to cut costs to this extent? Did it experience a similar increase but decide to try a market squeeze on the other two by outguessing them? Did someone, possibly a giant computor, commit some major blunder and overlook some vital area?

No matter how necessary the higher price may have been, no matter how justified it was . . . and we have no way of knowing this . . . in the end it was the free play of the market that set the price. Anyone who doubts the effectiveness of free enterprise as opposed to state control should give this situation some serious thought.

## A new approach

Dalton Camp's new approach to the question of leadership of the Conservative party poses a most interesting new picture for many Canadians, both in and out of the party. Whether the national president of the association should have the power to take issue with the party leader in the House of Commons has certainly not been questioned for many years, if ever.

To us, it seems ridiculous that any effort should be made to muzzle the president of the national association. Certainly he has not before been seen on the political stage, and this move may not be taken with this in mind. However, there surely must be some heavy responsibility on any president of any group. Mr. Camp feels the best interests of the association as a whole would be served by the replacement of Mr Diefenbaker, and had the courage to face his duty as he saw it.

We think he has done the Conservative party a service by his action. Whatever else you think about it, at least the party is still highly controversial. [illegible] thing could be worse than to allow it become a dead issue.

## MacDuff Ottawa report

OTTAWA. — Dalton Camp, the stocky, dynamic and forthright president of the National Conservative Association, has at last brought into the open the subject that has been a private conversation piece in Ottawa for months. He has called for a re-confirmation or otherwise of present national leadership, adding that national leaders have no lifetime contract.

Mr. Camp's Toronto speech which he is repeating elsewhere has been taken as opposition to his own leader. This is true. The Tory president has never tried to hide his feelings that Mr Diefenbaker should step down though he has never used his official position to lead a revolt. He took over national directorship of the party in 1962 after an election which was the writing on the wall for the Diefenbaker government but in the months that followed kept himself clear of open dissensions.

His outspoken words following closely on Mr Diefenbaker's clear indication that he was not stepping down stemmed undoubtedly from a conviction that the time was ripe to cross swords with his leader and the results will be seen when the Association meets in November. So far Mr Diefenbaker has bested all enemies though hardly in the Lincoln tradition of making them friends. He could do so again.

But Mr Camp's remarks were not directed solely to his own party and leader. His words will also be heard by Liberals who meet in Ottawa on October 10. The leadership issue may not come into the open—certainly not for the same reasons that inspire dissident Tories. It would be hard to find a greater contrast in politics than the Prime Minister and the Leader of the Opposition. But for very different reasons and from very different motives one characteristic has dogged both their governments—the stamp of indecision.

Mr Pearson, unrivaled as a leader in diplomacy and democracy, finds it difficult to force his will on anyone. Not only has this quality influenced his attitude to his own cabinet, it has influenced his cabinet's attitude [illegible] former Liberal government, more through the influence of its dominant figure, the late C. D. Howe, than that of Louis St. Laurent, was destroyed by its contempt of Parliament. The Pearson government if it continues in the direction in which it has been going, could be destroyed by Parliament. It is not alone its minority position in the House of Commons that has brought a super-sensitiveness to the will of Parliament though as Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp has said, lack of a strong majority has led the government to emphasize the responsibility of the opposition. It is a deep feeling that Parliament reflects the voice of the people which, of course, few Parliaments ever have.

The result is that the Liberal caucus rather than Cabinet is often the dictator of Government policy. The result has been legislative delay and the appearance of indecision, never seen more clearly than in the bill revising the Bank Act. Three times the Bill or its main points of controversy were shuttled between caucus and Cabinet before the Government could make up its own mind. To a lesser extent the same applied to Mr [illegible]gill's transportation [illegible]. And even when it [illegible] gained the blessing of Liberal members Government legislation is often little more than a [illegible] from which the Government will retreat in face of opposition.

There are reassuring indications that a change may be in the offing. The latest issue is Medicare. When Mr Sharp announced Government plans for containing inflation which included a one-year delay on Medicare he had the audacity to do so without having his speech approved in advance by the Liberal members. An open howl of protest from the back benchers followed. Then came demands addressed to the Prime Minister that a special meeting of caucus be called to decide whether the Government should or should not retreat from its Medicare stand. Those demands so far Mr Pearson has resisted. The battle has still to be joined. The regular meeting of caucus has been called for October 4 [illegible] can stop Medicare being the chief topic of discussion. But this time the Government may want the back benchers know that they are not running the country.

The federal government's stand on tax sharing with the provinces expounded to the Tax Structure committee of finance ministers last week is a complete reversal of the principal on which the proposals of 1964 were based. Following the recommendations of the Rowell-Sirois Commission the government of that day took the position that to use fiscal policy effectively in regulating the national economy it must have control of all direct taxation (personal income, corporation and estates taxes). It was ready to share the proceeds with the provinces but levels of taxation must be decided in Ottawa. When tax rental payments were replaced by tax abatement it was still on the assumption that it was one pie. Today the provinces get 25 per cent of personal income tax (Quebec 43 per cent) and about one quarter of corporation tax. The government has said there will be no further abatements, that Ottawa will not lower its taxes so that the provinces can raise theirs. But at the same time it [illegible] a gospel of fiscal independence with each province setting its own tax levels which is a complete denial of the economic theories of 20 years ago.

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Congratulations go to Dennis and Jeanette Jacobson of Edmonton on the birth of their baby son Daren Lance on Sept. 4th, and congratulations to Julius Jacobson of Edmonton, formerly of this district on the birth of his first great-grandson.

Dennis and Jeanette Jacobson and baby son Daren of Edmonton were Wednesday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Dennis's aunt Mavis and Carl Jacobsen, last week.

Johnny and Lillian Warwa were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of George and Niemetz.

George and Ida Niemetz were Monday afternoon visitors in Edmonton and were supper guests and evening visitors at the home of their daughter Gail and Bob Ozubko.

Mrs Mickey Niemetz and Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen were Tuesday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Katie Boerger.

Clarice Jacobsen started nurses' training at the Royal Alexander Hospital in Edmonton on Sept. 14th. Clarice is the eldest daughter of Mavis and Carl Jacobsen and a 1966 graduate from the Tofield High School. All wish her every success in her chosen work.

Dede and Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley were Saturday overnight and Sunday visitors at the home of Dede's parents, Joh. and Mary Wood. Another daughter Evie and Vic Halwa and family of Edmonton were also Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests there.

Donnie and Rickey Geoglein young sons, of Elmer and Vivian Geoglein of Ardrossan, were Saturday overnight and Sunday visitors at the home of their grandparents Vi and Elmer Geoglein, where Donnie was helping his grandfather with the harvest.

Bill and Mary Tiedemann of Deville and Sandy and Irene Scott and daughter Betty Ann of Lindbrook were Monday evening visitors and guests at a birthday luncheon at the home of Bill's brother, Emil and Martha Tiedemann in honor of Emil's birthday.

Leroy and Shirley Eaton and children, Margie and Bonnie were Tuesday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Leroy's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

# Ketchamoot news

Mary Mitchell

The ladies of the Baptist Mission Circle met at the home of Mrs Henry McGinitie on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs Gordon Kyle were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Dunham at Hastings Lake.

Willie Nashman and Raymond McGinitie, of Edmonton, were Sunday dinner guests with Agnes and Henry McGinitie.

Randy Sutton is a patient in the Tofield Hospital this week.

On Saturday, Agnes McGinitie called on her girlhood friend, Mrs. J. Sword of Toronto, who is visiting in Tofield with her brother, Jim Yakabuski and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whillans motored to Edmonton on Sunday to spend the birthday with their granddaughter, Tracy Whillans. They all toured the Edmonton Zoo.

Agnes McGinitie recently attended the graduation of her granddaughter, Barbara McGinitie, in Viking.

*Calgary Power is proud to announce 1966 Award Winners*

*Panel of Weekly Newspaper Editors choose*

*Alberta Junior Citizens of the Year.*

The people at Calgary Power are pleased to honour these boys and girls whose enterprise and leadership won them 1966 Junior Citizen of the Year awards. We gratefully acknowledge the help and active participation of Alberta Weekly Newspaper Editors who have played such a large part in making this program a success. In addition, we thank the responsible men and women of our province who sent in Alberta Junior Citizen of the Year nominations.

From left to right (front row)

**KEITH WRIGHT, Edmonton, Alberta**

This heroic 11-year old boy saved a little girl from drowning. While on a Boy Scout hike in Rainbow Valley he prevented a bush fire from spreading. Nominated by Germaine Dalton, Edmonton.

**ROY UMBACH, Carstairs, Alberta**

Despite a severe physical handicap, this courageous 16-year old boy shows amazing dexterity in living a next to normal life. He spends a great deal of time in community and public service activities. Nominated by Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Stiles, Carstairs.

**ERNEST JOHN McCLAIN, Strathmore, Alberta**

This 13-year old boy has shown great responsibility and generosity in devoting himself to the care and welfare of a young handicapped friend. Nominated by Mrs. Bert Martin of Gleichen and Mrs. J. Warrack of Cheadle.

From left to right (back row)

**LARRY BOTA, Fort Macleod, Alberta**

14-year old Larry risked his own life and saved his father from their burning cabin. He is active in both scholastic and community endeavours. Nominated by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoeksema, Mrs. George Buzunis, Fort Macleod and Mrs. N. E. Johnson, Blairmore.

**CALVIN HOLLAND, Sundre, Alberta**

This alert teenager showed unusual courage in rescuing a small child from drowning. His quick thinking and fast actions averted a great tragedy. Nominated by L. J. Bushka, Sundre.

**TERRY BURNAT, Jenner, Alberta**

Terry who is 16 years, has taken over the management and operation of her farm household. She was also an Efficiency Winner of the Jenner 4-H Beef Calf Club this past year. Nominated by Norma Jean Gray, Brooks.

**RIMBEY JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

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This enterprising group has supported two foster children in Korea and Italy and contributed to the care of six children in Zambia through their initiative in selling magazines and newspapers. Nominated by Helen Cooke, Rimbey.

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# The Ryley Times

## Ryley news

Visitors from the United States at the Walter Klewitter home in Ryley were his sister, Mrs. M. Gilbert of Duluth, Minnesota; his niece, Mrs. Rose Solanger of Flom, Minn., cousin, [illegible] Kochmarski, [illegible] Hillman, Minn., and L. C. Litke of Fawcett, Alberta. They also visited at the Johnny Kausek and Edwin Klewitter homes.

## European handiwork given to bride-elect

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

ROSS CREEK, Sept. 28.—Sunday afternoon about 35 ladies gathered at the Ross Creek Community Hall to honor Judy Eg in-ski with a bridal shower. Judy is a bride-elect of October 1st.

Some time was spent viewing the beautiful handiwork the groom's mother had brought from Europe recently and presented to the bride-to-be on behalf on behalf of the groom's relatives there. The ladies also fashioned a bride's ensemble which Judy modelled. The bride was assisted in opening the gifts by her sister Daphne and she thanked everyone for the useful items.

Lunch was served by ladies of the community.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

The smile you received today wasn't meant for you to keep. It was meant for you to pass it on.—J W R

## Pre-nuptial 'shower' fetes Shirley Pinnell

On Saturday evening, Sept. 10, a [illegible] was held at the home of Mrs. Clifford Appleby for Miss Shirley Pinnell of Fort Saskatchewan.

Shirley became the bride of Allan Gill on September 23rd. Mrs. Paul Kallal and Mrs. Earl Rose were co-hostesses with Barbara and made the evening a very interesting affair.

Mrs. Robert Wylie entertained with a contest she had made in rhyme, in which the names of trees were hidden.

For the presentation of the gifts Shirley was seated at a table under an array of wedding bells and Mrs. Earl Rose pinned a beautiful corsage on the bride-elect. The maid of honor, Miss Sheryl Hennig (also a bride to be in October) was present and assisted in opening the gifts. Mrs. Arthur Pinnell (mother of the bride) and Mrs. Lawrence Gill (mother of the groom) were seated on either side of the [illegible].

Shirley's sisters Bonnie and Sheryl Ann were also present. Sheryl Ann was flower girl and Bonnie a bridesmaid at Shirley and Allan's wedding. Mrs. John Brown from Agassiz, B.C., Mrs. Ernest Gill from Drayton Valley and Mrs. Calvin Gill and Miss Barbara Baines from Edmonton were out-of-town guests at the shower.

Shirley received a lovely assortment of gifts, and after opening them she thanked the ladies [illegible] their thoughtfulness, inviting everyone to visit them in their new home in Tofield.

A tasty lunch was served by the hostesses. It is interesting to note that during the last ten years, [illegible] Clifford Appleby has had showers for all five children of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gill.

## Holden news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Don McFadyen and children were visiting with Mrs. Parfett Saturday afternoon of last week.

The Friendship Group met for their regular meeting, Wednesday, Sept. 21 at the home of Mrs. Campbell with eleven ladies present. The devotions were taken by Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus who also read an article on the Life of Saint Paul. A quiz was given by Mrs. Campbell on Mothers of the Bible. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Raeder, with Mrs. Hooper taking the devotions.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hovland and children of Hillsdown were Sunday visitors a week ago at the home of Glen's father, Mr. Chris Hovland and brother Ray and Reuben.

The Pioneer Group will hold their next meeting Wednesday, October 5th at the home of Mrs. Bateman, with Mrs. Earl Hardy having devotions.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer, Mrs. Joe Hoope and Mrs. Campbell were [illegible] guests at the home of Mrs. Laura Christianson Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Campbell was also a supper guest with Mrs. Christianson.

Mrs. Olaf [illegible] was a Sunday [illegible] patient in the University Hospital, Edmonton. [illegible] is having treatments and has made some improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor.

Mrs. Joe Pooke was taken to Tofield hospital in the ambulance Tuesday, September 13th and is a patient there.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Eaton and children were Saturday afternoon and evening visitors in Tofield with Leroy's mother Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Mrs. Bill Sawers and children were visitors at the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Lutz with Mr. and Mrs. H. Raeder were Saturday afternoon coffee guests with George Albrecht, helping him to celebrate his birthday.

Sunday visitors with Mrs. Campbell were her daughter Marjorie and husband Mr. and Mrs. Ken Campbell of Leduc. They had to stop harvesting there, after receiving a half inch of rain on Saturday.

Constable and Mrs. Nestor Depatan and small daughter of Chilliwack, B.C., arrived Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Balyk and will visit with them and other relatives on their annual holiday. Nestor is stationed with the RCMP at Chilliwack.

Alfred Chetney, daughter Barbara and son Ronnie of Edmonton were visitors for the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad.


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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Barlow were home over the weekend after spending the past two weeks with their daughter and family, the Ernie Mertas. They returned there Monday afternoon, after getting in the garden produce, and will be helping until harvesting is finished.

Mr. and Mrs. Fladseth of Prince Rupert, B.C., and Mrs. Ragnhild Hagerud of Edmonton were recent Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad. All are former old-time residents of Holden and district.

**OLDTIMER VISITS HERE**

Mrs. Jim McLeod had a surprise visit last week from an old time school friend, Leonard Clark. The Clark family formerly lived on the Leo Hladilo farm south of Holden for some years after the first world war and the children in the family attended Vermilion Valley school with the Logans, Chetneys, Goods and Carlsons. They left the district in the early 1920's and now reside at White Rock, B.C. Mr. Clark is still alive and is in good health at the age of 91. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Clark also called on Mrs. Olaf Chetney and Lars Ritland.

Mrs. Campbell attended the County Graduation Exercises held at Viking September 17th, being a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carlson and their daughter Vivian. She motored there with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Budd and their son Thomas.

On Sunday, Sept. 11th, the congregation of the United Church enjoyed the singing of the Junior Choir, consisting of 20 of the Sunday school pupils. The choir [illegible] been organized and is being trained [illegible] the very able direction of Mrs. Bateman, (the former Dorothy Geeson) and will be heard frequently at the services.

Holden and district Chamber of Commerce will be holding their October meeting Tuesday, October 4th in the Holden Community Hall.

**SUCCESSFUL SURGERY**

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow have received word from their daughter Muriel, who has been staying in Edmonton this week, while her husband, who has been a hospital patient for the past month, having tests and waiting to have a serious operation. Ted was operated upon last Thursday and had a large tumor removed from his [illegible]. The operation had gone well and the tumor was non-malignant, and Ted was making very satisfactory progress. She also sent word that Mrs. George Valen of Calgary, having seen in the Holden News items of the Tofield Mercury, that Ted was seriously ill in hospital, had visited with her for an afternoon before she left for Edmonton to be with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason attended the opening of Bethany Nursing home at Camrose the early part of the month meeting [illegible]'s cousin, Pastor John Mason, Director of Service to Aging of [illegible] American Lutheran Church who delivered the address. Ralph had not seen his cousin for some time and enjoyed renewing the relationship.

## Ross Creek district news items

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

Tom Marsden of Edmonton spent a few days recently helping Maurice VanBuskirk with the harvesting.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mable and Alvin Hunter were Alvin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hauer, of Bruderheim, and Mable's brother Elmer and Caroline [illegible].

**BABY SHOWER**

Mrs. Judy Franklin was guest of honor at a baby shower held at the home of her mother recently, with about 15 guests present. Shane received many beautiful gifts.

Doyle VanBuskirk spent the weekend with his [illegible] Gary Dromarsky, helping Gary celebrate his 10th birthday.

A baby daughter arrived at the Archer Memorial Hospital on September 24 [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hiney. Congratulations to Alvin, Ardith, Cliffie and Karen.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schacher and Shelley, of Sherwood Park, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Max Schacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Schacher, of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Schacher were Friday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Schacher, helping Lynne celebrate her birthday.


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## Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Judy Goubault, Alison Waugh and Sherrill Tumni, all of Drayton Valley were Saturday overnight and Sunday forenoon guests of Mary Tiedemann at the home of Mary's parents and Judy's aunt, Martha and Emil Tiedemann.

Tuesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil and Martha Tiedemann were their two daughters, Lucille Tiedemann and Yvonne and Peter Brown and little son all of Ketchamoot, and Emil's brother Henry (Hank) and Helen Tiedemann of Holden.

**AT WEDDING**

Willard and Ruth Ferguson, Donald Wood, and Johnny and Gloria Wood from the Lakeshore district attended the wedding of Allan Gill to Shirley Pinnell at Fort Saskatchewan, on Friday, Sept. 23rd and the reception and dance which followed.

## NOTICE

**IN THE MATTER** of the plebiscite required to be held in connection with the plan to establish the "Alberta Turkey Growers Marketing Board."

Every producer who purchased a minimum of 300 turkey poults during the twelve month period from August 1, 1965, to July 31, 1966, is eligible to register for voting purposes.

Every producer who is eligible to vote and who has not already registered, must register if he desires to vote as set forth in Order in Council 1623/66. Registration forms are available at all District Agriculturist offices or from the office of the Marketing Council, Edmonton.

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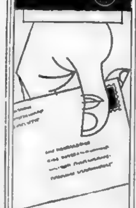

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# Trotter -Francis vows exchanged on June 25

Tofield United Church was the setting for a very pretty wedding Saturday evening, June 25th, when Josephine Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Francis, became the bride of Ward Barrymore Trotter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Trotter of Apsley, Ontario. The Rev. W. Klassen of Wetaskiwin officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride was radiant as she entered the church on the arm of her father, who gave his daughter in marriage. Her floor-length gown was of white nylon chiffon over taffeta, with round neckline and lily-point sleeves. Pearls on lace medallions decorated the skirt and bodice. Her head-piece was a pearl and crystal crown with waist-length veil. She wore a single strand of pearls and carried a white Bible on which were red roses with white ribbon streamers entwined with rosebuds.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Marian Foster of Belleville, Ontario, a close friend of the bride and bridesmaid was Miss Sharon Francis, the bride's cousin. They wore identical floor-length gowns of turquoise satin, with round necklines, fitted bodices, straight skirts and short sleeves. They wore long gloves, and their headpieces were pearl and crystal tiaras with turquoise net. They wore single strand pearls, and they carried white Bibles with Talisman roses with white ribbon streamers.

The groom's attendants were Neil Wease of Apsley, Ontario, friends of the groom as best-man, and groomsman was Jack Francis of Edmonton, brother of the bride. Ushers were the bride's cousins, Charles Rude and Glenn Francis.

Organist was Mrs. Reed Francis, a sister-in-law of the bride and soloist was Mrs. Garry Francis, also a sister-in-law of the bride.

For her daughter's wedding, the bride's mother chose a two-piece dress in figured beige with aqua and beige accessories and corsage of yellow roses. The groom's aunt, Mrs. Grace King of Edmonton wore a grey suit with black accessories and corsage of white roses.

A reception for 100 guests was held in the church parlors and was catered to by the United Church Women's Evening Group. Master of ceremonies was Lindsay Vogen of Edmonton, a cousin of the bride. Mrs. Keith Francis had charge of the guest book and Mrs. Jack Francis of the gifts.

Grant Williams of Calgary proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom ably responded. Jack Francis proposed a toast to the bridesmaids. During the reception two duets were sung by Mr. and Mrs. Garry Francis, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. R. Francis.

Out-of-town guests were from Apsley, Belleville and Mitchell, Ontario; White Rock, B.C., Calgary, Edmonton, Camrose, Wetaskiwin, Red Deer and Olds.

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THREE-TENTHS OF A SECOND — Driver's body now off the seat, torso upright. Plastic and steel frame of the steering wheel bend under his death grip. His head is near sun visor, his chest above steering column.

FOUR-TENTHS OF A SECOND — Car's front 24 inches is completely demolished but the rear end is still travelling at 35 mph. The half-ton motor block crunches into the tree.

Rear of the car, like a bucking horse, rises high enough to scrape bark off lower branches.

FIVE-TENTHS OF A SECOND — Driver's hands bend steering wheel shaft. Lungs and intercostal arteries are punctured.

SIX-TENTHS OF A SECOND — Driver's feet are ripped out of laced shoes. The brake pedal shears off at the floor. Chassis bends in the middle. The driver's head smashes into the windshield. Rear of the car begins falling.

SEVEN-TENTHS OF A SECOND — The entire body of the car is forced out of shape. Hinges tear, doors spring open, seat rams forward pinning driver against steering shaft.

He is dead.

# Dog trials . . .

(Continued from Page One)

Fish and Game Association and the County, reported Dr. Dunsworth, and are very grateful. He pointed out the need for consistent conditions throughout the tests, in order to be fair to all dogs, and observed the sudden intrusion of a motor boat or other unnatural condition could upset some dog and destroy its chances.

Apart from this, the president said, visitors are welcomed at the meet, and breeders would be pleased to see a number of onlookers view the trials. In the main, he said, the association is composed of a number of pretty dedicated individuals, interested chiefly in improving the strains of retriever dogs, and in conservation of wildlife. There is no monetary prize for the winner, he pointed out, and only one dog is chosen . . . there are no seconds or reserve champions.

Last time the field trials came to Alberta was in 1958, when they were held at the Edmonton Beach area west of Edmonton. The trials move from province to province each year.

# Kingman briefs

Hugo Hovelson and Ove Jenson were on a hunting trip last week returning home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Giles and Penny of Camrose and Mrs. G. Hanson of the Bethany Home were Sunday dinner guests at the Willie Bjorgum home. Other visitors were Arlene Dahlen, Mrs. Helge Evenson and Orville, the occasion being Laurel's 4th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Erga were Sunday afternoon visitors with Sigvald Slind and Albanus Johnson at the Bethany Home.

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# School committee meets Sept. 6

Following are the minutes, in part, of the meeting of Beaver No. 9 School Committee, held Tuesday, Sept. 6:

In regards to the alterations at the Holden school Mr. Bruce reported that the extensive renovations as contemplated had not been carried out and that the fire exit door had not been closed off. However permission to close the door had been received from the Fire Commissioner's office.

It was moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the teacherages at Ryley, the Committee was informed that the main part of the buildings were ready for occupancy. Mr. Bruce stated that, as he did not think at the time that the basement suite in the duplex would be needed, he had told the contractor to concentrate on the balance of the buildings. Some earth had been hauled into the grounds around the buildings, but more was needed.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to Teacher Evaluation, the secretary-treasurer informed the Committee that an acknowledgement of the resolution had been received from the Hon. R. H. McKinnon, Minister of Education.

**Correspondence**

A letter of appreciation from Miss Lois Riediger of Tofield for the opportunity of attending United Nations Science Seminar was read to the Committee.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed.

In regards to the Viking School Building Project, Mr. Symyrozum and Mr. Bruce reported that the project was almost completed and only minor details remained to be taken care of and that classes had opened in the new rooms as scheduled on September 1.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

Garnet Burnstad, secretary-treasurer of the Village of Ryley, interviewed the Committee at this time regarding the skating rink. This rink had been used quite extensively by the students of the Ryley school during the past few years. Mr. Burnstad stated that the rink was being rebuilt with an entirely new fence and was being levelled and built almost to standard specifications. The cost of the material for the fence—5/8-inch plywood being used—would amount to $550 and on behalf of the Village, Mr. Burnstad requested some assistance from the County on this regard. Members of the Lions Club would erect the fence and do the other work. The matter was fully discussed after Mr. Burnstad retired, and it was decided that, if assistance was given to the Village of Ryley, assistance would also have to be given towards the operation of the skating rinks in the other Towns, Villages and Hamlets within the County if they were used by the Schools during Physical Education periods.

It was moved and carried that a grant of $200 be given to the Village of Ryley, Tofield Lions Club, Elks Club in Holden, Bruce Curling Club, Elks Club in Kinsella and the Viking Carena Association to be used towards the operating cost of the skating rinks providing the rinks are made available to the students of the various schools free of charge during school hours.

The secretary-treasurer informed the Committee that Bill Landiak of Lavoy was offering $250 for the Woodside School located on N.E. 22-49-14-W4th. This school had in 1955 been given to the Woodside Community and in January 1958 a Transfer of Title had been completed by the Holden School Division No. 17 and forwarded to the secretary of the Association. However, the Transfer had never been registered. The secretary-treasurer had then contacted C. Bracha of Bruce, and a letter from him indicated that the Community did not wish to retain the building and that the County could sell it.

However, it was felt that further information should be obtained from other people in the area, and it was moved and carried that the matter be referred to Cr. Dorin so that he may contact other people in the Community before a decision is made.

Messrs. John Skolney, John Kalita, Peter Stefaniszyn, Peter Kryska, Peter Kisiak and Joseph Kawaltiak attended the meeting at this time in connection with the new bus routes at Bruce. The Superintendent mentioned that Mr. Minchau had discussed these routes with him and Mr. Minchau had been very strongly opposed to the bus routes and the busing arrangements as they had been set up. Mr. Skolney stated that the basic complaint was that the routes were too long; however, he stated that the people were prepared to see how the routes worked out. It was felt, though, that the buses that are taking the high school students in Holden, were having too long a route. Cr. Dorin was of the opinion that some 10 miles could possibly be cut off from one of these routes by using a small pick-up vehicle.

After some further discussion, it was moved and carried that the matter of the school bus routes in the Bruce area be left to Cr. Dorin, the Superintendent of Schools and the Bus Supervisor to arrange the routes in a satisfactory manner.

The Superintendent of Schools' Report for the month of August was now referred to the Committee, the report being submitted in written form.

The following items were dealt with:

Release from teacher contract Clement Fewer of Ryley and Dave Lockerbie of Bruce.

Moved and carried that the release for these two teachers be approved.

Moved and carried that transfer of Miss Susan Smith from Gr. 5 and 6 to High School in Ryley be approved, and transfer of Miss Eugenia Marquez to Gr. 5 and 6 in Ryley be approved.

Moved and carried that the following appointments be approved: Mrs. Jean McInroy, Gr. 3, Viking; Mrs. Carol Maxwell, Jr. High School, Viking; Floyd Irwin, Bus. Ed., Tofield.

The Committee was also advised that Miss Teresita Encarnacion, who was to arrive from Manilla to teach at Bruce school, had not yet arrived, and that Miss Norma Zwierschke was taking her grade until she arrives.

The report referred to the High School Programs, and Mr. Bruce elaborated further on his suggestions and recommendations in this regard.

He requested that the following action be taken:

1. Removal of [illegible] upon Industrial Arts in Grade 9.
2. Approval for broadening the sequential offerings in Industrial Arts and Home Economics in High Schools. This action would affect to some extent the range of offerings in Junior High School.

Moved and carried that the requests be approved.

Permission was requested for sponsoring an Audio-Visual Workshop in the County as early in the 1966-67 school year as possible. The Workshop would be of one day's duration with one or two teachers from each school attending the Workshop. It was also suggested that the County would provide the noon lunch and mileage for two cars.

Moved and carried that permission be granted for the sponsoring of the Audio-Visual Workshop as suggested by the Superintendent.

Inquiries had been received from two parents inquiring into the possibility of their children attending the Vegreville Vocational High School. It was decided that if these students are attending the Vegreville Vocational High School the County would pay the tuition fee plus $1.50 per day attended.

Moved and carried the following bursary applications be approved: Charles Alexander Mathews, Ryley; Vivian Diane Carlson, Holden; Earl Lionel Hjalter, Ryley.

The Superintendent informed the Committee that Lorraine Steinwandt and Daniel Hart had asked permission to attend school on a half-time basis so that they could get the required number of credits. Mr. Bruce stated that he was aware of the fact that this had not been permitted up to this time, this being a policy of the School Committee. It was mentioned that this had been established as policy because it was felt that if a student had some periods in the forenoon and some in the afternoon he could cause some disturbance to the other students, however, in the cases in question all the periods would be in the forenoons, hence, this factor would not enter into the picture.

It was moved and carried that the motion, providing that students may not attend on half-time basis be rescinded, that each case be judged on its own merits, but that no student may remain at the school after his periods are completed.

Moved and carried that W. Coates be re-appointed as Band Master at Tofield for the current school year.

Cr. Roddick reported in regards to the Viking school grounds; that they were now in fair condition, that the estimated cost of seeding the boulevards was some $1,100, and that he had only had part of it done this year at an approximate cost of $400.

Mr. Bruce reported that the roof on the older part of the Tofield school was leaking very badly and should be repaired.

Moved and carried that the Maintenance Foreman be authorized to have the necessary repairs made.

Moved and carried that Mr. Stinson be appointed to attend the Principals' meeting on September 28 at 3:30 p.m.

It was suggested that, as in prior years, school buses should be allowed to be kept on the farm where the bus driver as a farmer during harvest season.

Moved and carried that school buses operated by farmers be allowed to be kept at home during the months of September and October.

## Quick Canadian Quiz

1. Which of Canada's provinces was first to use public funds for school support?
2. What were Canada's five leading items of export in 1964?
3. Ten years ago tax payments for the Old Age Security Pension totalled $316 million. What is the estimate for the current year?
4. By population totals rank Canada's five largest cities.
5. In 1964 did Canada's imports have a per capita value of $128, $249 or $382?

ANSWERS: 5. About $382 per capita. 3. $1,145 million. 1. New Brunswick; in 1802 the government there gave 10 pounds a year to any parish that would start a school. 4. On the basis of metropolitan areas — Montreal, Toronto, Vancouver, Winnipeg, Ottawa; on the basis of populations within city limits—Montreal, Toronto, Vancouver, Edmonton, Hamilton. 2. Wheat, newsprint, wood pulp, lumber iron ore.

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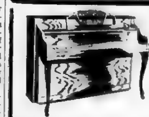

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# F. Forre dies on Sunday

The sudden death of Ferdinand (Fernie) Forre occurred on Sunday, Sept. 25, at his home in Tofield. Death was apparently due to monoxide poisoning. He was 70 years of age.

Farming in the Palmer-Earling district for many years, Mr. Forre retired to Tofield three years ago. He is survived by his wife Annie and two sons, Clifford of Ryley and Harvey of Camrose, numerous other relatives and a host of friends.

Funeral service for Mr. Forre was held Wednesday at the Skudesness Lutheran Church in the Earling district, with Rev. Palmer Olson of Bawlf officiating. Interment was in the church cemetery. Hoveland's Funeral Home of Camrose was in charge of arrangements.

# Zazula-McLachlan vows exchanged on July 29

A mid-summer wedding was solemnized at the Norwood United Church in Edmonton on July 29, when Lorraine Rae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McLachlan, became the bride of Sylvester Ernest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Zazula. Rev. Morrison officiated.

The bride approached the flower-decorated altar on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage. Her gown was a semi sheath of satin bonded net, with a train attached at the waist, and lily-point sleeves. A motif of lace was appliqued at the neckline and down the center front to the hem. Her shoulder-length veil was attached to a flower, and her jewellery was a pearl necklace and matching earrings. She carried a cascade bouquet of open-heart red roses, with streamers and rosebuds entwined.

The bridesmaids were Sharon Reinhardt, Betty Eglinski and Gayelle McLachlan, who wore identical gowns of turquoise green organza over taffeta, fashioned with an empire waist line with white lace top. Their matching headpieces were of flowers and net and jewellery were pearl drop necklaces and earrings, gifts of the bride.

The groom was attended by Barry Trudgeon, Marvin Sawtski and Ernest Seminiuk.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. McLachlan chose a dress of transparent organza over blue and aqua figured taffeta, with a matching coat. White accessories and a corsage of pink roses completed her ensemble. The groom's mother wore a two-piece dress fashioned of pink lace, with a corsage of pink roses and white accessories.

A reception was held in the Chipman National Hall for about 450 guests. The bride's table was centred with a three-layer cake, decorated to resemble a church, with red velvet steps, and a bride and groom at the steeple. This was flanked with white candles with red roses attached. Norman Schwartz acted as master of ceremonies, and Graham Snider proposed the toast to the bride. An evening of dancing followed.

Out of the province guests were the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Jensen of Zeballos B.C., and the groom's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Casmar Nonaricka, of Bosenger, Manitoba.

After a two-week honeymoon spent at Banff, Penticton and Kelowna, the happy couple took up residence in Edmonton.

# On the Provincial Scene

By JOHN WARREN

I suppose it's about time to write something about what's going on in government and politics in Alberta since that's what this column is normally all about— and since I've ignored the subject for a couple of weeks to discuss strikes and holidays and things.

Maybe not surprisingly, a fellow finds out that there hasn't been all that much excitement in the conduct of Alberta's public affairs during the last month of summer.

However — a few items worth noting:

—The Alberta Automotive Retailers Association will ask for legislation to divorce oil companies from the service station business. The association has charged that oil company policies are discriminatory when it comes to prices and there is a wasteful over-investment in service stations.

—Four candidates have been nominated to contest the October 6 bye-election in Pincher Creek-Crowsnest. The vote will determine a successor to Bill Kovach who died this summer after nearly 20 years as the Social Credit member of the riding. Those trying to win the seat are: Garth Turcott, 38, a lawyer who will run under the New Democratic Party banner; Joseph Hanrahan of Lethbridge who will try to retain the riding for Social Credit; Benton Murphy of Cowley who represents the Liberals, and Alex Wells, 35, a chartered accountant from Blairmore who is the Progressive Conservative candidate.

—The Agriculture department says crop yields and quality in the province will be better than was expected. Grain harvesting is going well and the major problem seems to be one of storage. One southern farmer reported an unbelievable yield of 90 bushels an acre on one 15-acre field.

Weight limits that were increased on several provincial highways during the railway strike have been reduced again to normal.

—The public utilities board is hearing the Alberta Government Telephones' bid for its first rate increase in 40 years. The AGT expects to borrow $30,000,000 a year for the next five years to buy equipment and it predicts a loss of $4,000,000 for the 1966-67 fiscal year.

—Blackfoot Indians have voted 100 to 8 in favor of allowing liquor on their reserve. However, 382 potential voters abstained (from voting) or were absent so the result will be referred to Ottawa to see if it is binding.

—Premier Manning says the government will encourage any Alberta municipality to make a determined bid for the 1969 Canadian summer games. He didn't say whether financial aid would be given.

—Arthur H. Wakefield has been appointed Supervisor of Pensions by Labor Minister Ray Reierson. He will be responsible for the Pension Benefits Act which requires all pension plans to be registered and which will ensure stability in plans.

A public hearing is to be held in Camrose into the CNR's application to abandon passenger service between there and Drumheller.

—Mrs. Ethel Wilson, who is both an Edmonton alderman and a minister without portfolio in the Alberta cabinet, has decided not to run again for the city post. The decision has given rise to speculation that there may be something bigger in store for her in the provincial government.

—Dayliner service will be introduced on the Northern Alberta Railway between Edmonton and Dawson Creek this week and will soon be extended to McMurray.

—The deputy minister of health, Dr. M. G. McCallum, will retire next month.

We ought to get away from the stress and strain of every-day work to a place of quiet where the soul finds rest in communion with God.

## Forty trailriders enjoy outing

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Sunday morning a trail ride sponsored by the Tofield Gymkhana Club started at the East Gate of the Reserve near Jack Johnston's, at 9 a.m. with about 40 trailriders from Tofield and Camrose and district attending. They rode one trail across the reserve to the West side where they had lunch and a rest before returning by another trail through the reserve back to the starting point. The day was perfect for the ride and all report an enjoyable outing.

## MINISTIK NEWS

Mrs. J. Reddick

MINISTIK, Sept. 29th — The congregation of the United Church welcomed their winter season student on Sunday. He is Tom Powell and is taking his first year of Theology at the University of Alberta.

Services at the United Church on Sunday, October 2, will be in charge of the Sunday School. Parents and friends of the pupils are requested to attend and see what they and their teachers have accomplished throughout the Sunday School term.

**AT NEPHEW'S WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Nasichuk attended the wedding on Friday, October 23 of their nephew, Allan Gill to Miss Shirley Powell, at Fort Saskatchewan. They also attended the reception and wedding dance which followed.

Mrs. Baden Bowerman, Myron and Brent have taken up residence here on their farm while Baden comes home every weekend. Joyce enjoys teaching a half-day a week.

Myron Bowerman, who had been a patient in Tofield Hospital for two weeks, returned to his home Tuesday and is once again back at school.

Verden Sears and his daughter and son-in-law, Carol and Edward Debinder, enjoyed the weekend fishing at Slave Lake.

Gordon Kiltoyle, who spent the past six months with an Alberta Pacific Grain Co. maintenance crew, is now home for awhile.

The CWL bingo and sale of home cooking held at the hall on Friday was well attended and proved a huge success. Everyone reported a very good time. Alphonse Fontaine once again excelled in calling the bingo numbers, assisted by young Leona Reddick.

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## Newlyweds go to India on a CUSO assignment

Pink and white peonies graced the altar and white satin ribbons marked the pews of St. George's Anglican Church in Edmonton on June 25th, when Phyllis Lauber exchanged vows with Geoffrey Eaton Milligan of Bon Accord, Alberta. The Rev. Murdith McLean officiated, and Miss Barbara Kuhnke was at the organ.

Given in marriage by her brother Leo Lauber, the bride was radiant in a traditional full-length gown of peau de soie with lace panels and fitted with a small train and lily-point sleeves. She wore a chapel-length veil and carried white rosebuds with stephanotis and ivy on a white Bible.

Miss Kay Kuhnke, maid of honor and Miss Shirley-Anne Knippleberg, bridesmaid were attired in full-length pink satin gowns with white lace overlays. They carried pink rosebuds on white Bibles. Miss Laurie Jane Macgregor, niece of the groom was the flower girl. Her full-length gown matched those of the maid of honor and bridesmaid, and she carried a basket of pink rosebuds and white baby 'mums.

Attending the groom were Micheal Stewart and Melvin, Stickland, both of Red Deer. Byron Lauber, brother of the bride and Richard Milligan, brother of the groom performed ushering duties.

During the signing of the register the soloist, Ben Lauber, brother of the bride sang "O Perfect Love".

The bride's mother was attired in a navy dress with pink roses en corsage and matching accessories, while the groom's mother chose a sky blue dress with white accessories. Her corsage was of red roses.

Following the ceremony many friends and relatives gathered at the Ryley Legion Hall for the reception. The bridal table was centred with a round, four-tiered wedding cake decorated by Miss Edith Wideman, aunt of the bride. Micheal Stewart acted as Master of Ceremonies and Murray Lauber, brother of the bride, proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom responded.

For going away, the bride chose a three-piece suit of navy blue with red roses en corsage and white accessories.

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The Milligans attended an orientation course at U.B.C., to prepare them for a two-year assignment with CUSO (Canadian University Service Overseas) and left Canada on September 4 for their postings in Andhra Pradesh, in southern India. Mrs. Milligan will be serving in a Baptist Mission Hospital, and Mr. Milligan will be an agriculturist with the Telangana Hybrid Seed Society. The Milligans may be reached in India in care of the Telangana Co-op Hybrid Seed Society, Nakalgutta, Hanamkonda, Andhra Pradesh, India.

## Ejection major factor in auto crash deaths

Ten years ago, it was generally believed that a passenger in [illegible] had a better chance of escaping injury or death if he was thrown out of the vehicle on impact.

Police and crash crews from their experience at crash scenes, began to doubt this assumption and many came to the conclusion that it was less lethal to be "trapped inside" rather than "thrown clear".

Consequent research into this field, carried on by Cornell University, confirmed their suspicions and revealed some definite proof of the fallacy of earlier beliefs.

In a brief supplied to Dominion Automobile Association, these pioneer researchers give information which has changed thinking on this vital matter, and the Association's Mr. W. S. Chalmers, Director, Members Services, passes on this information to the Canadian motoring public.

Research definitely showed that the chance of injury or death in an auto crash is multiplied several times when a passenger is thrown out of the vehicle. Statistics divulge that the rate of fatalities as a result of ejection from a vehicle is approximately 16% while the rate for other accident causes (steering wheel, instrument panel and windshield) show a fatality rate of around 4% in accidents covered.

These findings have prompted auto manufacturers to institute ways and means to keep the passenger in the car following a crash and this has resulted in the almost universal use of Seat Belts and the installation of open-proof door latches on vehicles.

Mr. Chalmers points out that these findings give still another good reason to use your Seat Belts, which will keep you in Belts, which will keep you IN the vehicle in an accident, with only one third the risk of a fatal accident compared to an ejection from the car, in the same circumstances.

**"LINES TO JOHN LAPRAIK"**

I am nae Poet, in a sense
But just a Rhymer like by
chance
An' hae to learning nae
[illegible]:
Yet what the matter?
Whene'er my Muse does on
me glance,
I jingle at her.

Your critic-folk may cock
their nose,
And say, "How can you e'er
propose,
You wha ken hardly verse
frae prose,
To mak a sang?"
But, by you leave, my
learned foes,
Ye're maybe wrang.

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## TOWN OF TOFIELD BY-LAW No. 598

**A BY-LAW RESPECTING THE FLUORIDATION OF THE TOWN OF TOFIELD WATER SUPPLY**

WHEREAS The Public Health Act of Alberta provides that the Council of a Municipality may by by-law provide for the fluoridation of the communal water supply thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Public Health Act of Alberta provides that before the by-law providing for fluoridation is finally passed by the Council a plebiscite of the electors of the municipality shall be taken to determine if the electors approve of fluoridation of the communal water supply, and

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Town of Tofield pursuant to the authorization granted by the said provision of the Public Health Act determined on the sixteenth day of September 1966 that the necessary steps be taken to hold a plebiscite on fluoridation on the nineteenth day of October, 1966; and

WHEREAS Council [illegible] to a By-Law providing for fluoridation of the Town of Tofield water supply, and [illegible] he electors on the nineteenth day of October 1966 after which day the Council may give second and third reading to the by-law and may pass the by-law provided that a majority of the electors voting on the plebiscite vote in favour of fluoridation.

NOW THEREFORE, the Municipal Council of the Town of Tofield, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

1. The appropriate officials of the Town are hereby authorized and directed to add fluorides to the Town water supply sufficient to bring the fluoride content of Town water up to the level of one part fluorine to one million parts water.
2. This By-law shall not be read a second and third time and finally passed by Town Council, **unless and until a majority of the electors voting in the plebiscite of the electors to be held the nineteenth day of October, 1966, have voted to approve the said fluoridation of the Town of Tofield water supply.**

DR. W. H. FREEBURY, Mayor
RITA E. HALVORSON, Sec.-Treas.
(4-5-6)

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# Locals around town

**TO ENGLAND**

Mrs. Gertie Chapman and Mrs. Gladys McKay of Edmonton left last Saturday by train for Montreal, from where they will travel by boat to England and other points on the continent, to be gone for some time.

Mrs. Chapman will be remembered by old timers as the wife of the late J. W. Chapman, secretary-treasurer of the town of Tofield for many years. Mrs. McKay's husband was at one time manager of the Bank of Montreal here, and is also [illegible].

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Mr. and Mrs. Don Morrison and little daughter and Mrs. Lucille Morrison of Edmonton were Thursday afternoon visitors at the Burchard home.

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Mrs. Bruce McFadzean and baby son David were visitors at [illegible] for a few days recently.

Mrs. Lena Yager a former old timer of Tofield and district now living at Peace Hills Lodge Wetaskiwin, visited many former friends in Tofield last week.

Bert Everett returned last Thursday last after a short holiday with relatives in B.C.

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**BIG 'TATERS'**

Albert Sutton brought the Mercury three large potatoes last week, the largest being a Pontiac weighing four lbs., and Netted Gem, three lbs., and two lbs. each.

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Mrs. Myrtle Voegtlin enjoyed a trip to the B.C. province recently.

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Sid Lancaster of Montreal has been visiting his brother Bill in Tofield Hospital, and also brother Rev. Lynn Lancaster, from England, and will return to Montreal on Tuesday of this week. They were together in Ireland in the summer of 1965.

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Rev. W. H. McDonnold and Mrs. McDonnold travelled to Consort on Monday to visit relatives returning Tuesday.

Mrs Edith M Bailey returned on Sunday after a seven month trip to her former home in England.

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Mrs. Betty (Pilger) Sandberg of Calgary was calling on and visiting former friends in Tofield last weekend.

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Mrs. Wm. (Bill) Francis and baby son Bruce of Carstairs, were in Tofield recently to visit relatives and friends.

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Mrs. Graham Turner of Edmonton visited at the home of her parents, the Wilson Youngs over part of the weekend.

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Mrs. Edna Kendall spent several days in Edmonton recently when she visited her sister-in-law Mrs. Norman Willmore, and also called to see Mrs. Collins in Glenrose Hospital.

Mrs. Thos Broughton of Winnipeg, Man., was a recent guest of the Rev. and Mrs. Hammett.

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Mrs. Edith Bailey returned to her home in Tofield on Sunday evening after an absence of several months. First going to England. Later she went to Nova Scotia to visit her son and daughter-in-law and family, C.P.O. Ralph and Helen Bailey, making many trips to see the country side and camping spots. She also made a trip and visited Ottawa on the way home. She reports very good flying weather both ways.

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Out of town visitors on Sunday at the T. Gray home were Deed and Robert Goubault from Drayton Valley, Edna and Fred Johnson and Ruth and Don MacDonald from Fort Saskatchewan.

Mrs. [illegible]

## Gun Club notes

The Tofield Gun Club held their first annual shoot-off for the Warner-Thiessen Memorial Trophy on Sunday Sept. 25.

This trophy, donated by the members in memory of two deceased former members, is to be presented annually to the best all-round shot in the club. There are four divisions in the competition — shotgun, rim-fire rifle, handgun and big-game rifle, with equal points possible in each class.

Gordon Garford emerged as over-all winner, very closely followed by Arnie Klassen. These two members were tied at the end of regular scoring, and it was only on the fourth tie-breaking round that a winner could be declared, as the two competitors continued evenly matched through the first three tie-breaking circuits of the course.

An interesting highlight of the competition was the fact that Mr. Garford did not win a clear title in any one of the divisions, tieing for first in the big-game rifle class and placing lower in the other divisions. However, his high average over-all gave him a tie for first in the aggregate and he went on to win the beautiful trophy.

Another highlight of the afternoon was an informal competition between two of the club members shooting their muzzle-loading pistols, and two local archers. Larry Willson and Alan Warner edged out the archers, Reed Burchard and D. W. (Mudge) Jacobs, but after learning that it was the first time the bows and arrows had been used for 15 years, they conceded that with a bit of practice, the archery fans could make it really tough for the old guns. It is hoped that another such competition could be held in the future. Perhaps others with a yen for bow and arrow shooting will get together with Mr. Jacobs and Mr Burchard and revive the interest in archery that started here some years ago.

Several of the gun club members had a try with the longbow and found it to be quite interesting. Perhaps the club could expand its interests to include this sport, sometime in the future.

In the trapshoot that wound up the day, Geo. Thiessen scored a perfect round of 25 straight hits, the first time a local member has ever hit this magic number. George will be receiving a crest from CIL for his achievement.


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## CARDS OF THANKS

We would like to take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks to our relatives, friends and neighbors for the gifts, cards and well wishes, which helped to make our 25th Wedding Anniversary such a happy and memorable occasion. —Melvin and Grace Lehman 5p-2300

## ENGAGEMENTS

Mrs Harry Bowick of Tofield Alberta, wishes to announce the engagement of her daughter, Bonnie Carol, to Nick Henry, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Antonenko of Edson, Alberta. Bonnie is also the daughter of the late Harry H. Bowick. The wedding will take place on Saturday, November 12, 1966, at 4:00 p.m., in Central United Church, Edmonton, Alberta. 5c-3410

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11:00 a.m. Sunday School
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10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Miss Anne Appleby who is attending the University of Alberta taking Education was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby. Anne taught on the Tofield school staff for a year.

Lars Olson, Co-ordinator for the Village of Holden EMO, spent this past week in Edmonton attending an Orientation Course held at the EMO headquarters in the Alberta Block.

Geo. H. Taylor was a Saturday morning visitor in Tofield calling on Father Scriven on EMO business.

**HOME FROM NORTH**

Dave Hladilo, who was employed as cook in one of the camps on the "Dew Line" in the north, returned home a week ago.

Noraman Giffen of Oshawa, Ont., a former north Holden district farmer, was visiting a week ago with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus. He was on a trip with two friends.

On Sunday, Sept. 18th, Norman Parsons of Edmonton drove his mother, Mrs. Elna Parsons here to visit with her brother, Chris Christenson for the afternoon. Mrs. N. L. Campbell also was an afternoon visitor with Mrs. Parsons.

Stan Wandio was a recent Holden visitor, calling on his mother and friends. Stan is presently residing in Edmonton where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barlow have been visiting for the past two weeks on the farm, with their daughter Beth and family the Ernie Mertas, helping with the harvesting.

Klaus Rosen of the Viking district was a business caller in Holden Thursday of last week.

Mrs. James was an Edmonton visitor Thursday of last week, driving in with Mrs. Hooper and son Melvin who were making their weekly visit with Mr. Hooper at the Good Samaritan Nursing Home.

schke, daughter Norma and son Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zwierschke, daughter Norma and son Allan, were Sunday evening visitors and lunch guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, a week ago. Norma left early in the week to attend the University of Alberta, where she is taking up a further course in Education.

Larry Benson, who has been on the teaching staff of Holden school has returned to U. of A. for further studies in Education.

Miss Lois Sorgen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sorgen, is taking nurses' training at the University Hospital.

Mrs. Francis Shand of Edmonton was a Thursday visitor in the village attending to business for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Loney. Mrs. Loney is a resident in the Nursing Home at Leduc and is keeping very well and happy and spends some weekends with her daughter and family in Edmonton. Mr. Loney is a patient in the University Hospital, after recent surgery and is not very well.

**ANOTHER SCHOLARSHIP**

Vivian Carlson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carlson, received the news Thursday of last week that she had been awarded another scholarship for high standing, this being a $100. scholarship from the Queen Elizabeth Scholarship Fund.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Mrs. Olaf Chelney was in Edmonton Tuesday of last week taking her husband Olaf, who had been a patient in Viking hospital for a week having a check-up, to an Edmonton hospital for further tests and treatment.

Mrs. Lars Ritland is still a patient in the Tofield Hospital, having a check-up and treatment on her arm which she had bruised quite severely.

Mrs. Alfred Sorenson was in Edmonton last Friday, and picked up their son David, a student at Red Deer Composite High school bringing him home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mohler of Camrose, formerly of south Holden district, were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus and children were Sunday day dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pederson and sons in Camrose, the occasion being to celebrate Mrs. Giebelhaus' birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Gronland and Mrs. Lillie Gronland were business callers in Viking Saturday afternoon.

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**The Holden Masonic Lodge A.F. & A.M. held their regular monthly meeting after the summer recess. During the meeting W. Bro. Geo H. Taylor was presented with a 50-year jewel as a member of the order.**

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were in Edmonton Sunday and Monday to visit with their daughter and husband, the Stephen Bellmans, and on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knudson of the Ryley district were callers in Holden on Thursday afternoon and visited their nephew, Ray Hovland at the Village office.

Mrs. Campbell was a Monday afternoon visitor and lunch guest with Mrs. Lars Ritland.

The Holden and District Chamber of Commerce held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 6, in the Holden Community Hall. The next meeting will be held Tuesday, Oct. 4.

# County grants go to Lions

The County of Beaver No. 9 has made a grant of $200.00 to the Tofield Lions Club providing that school pupils are allowed free skating during school hours. This is also being done for Clubs in all the towns and villages in the County.

This was revealed when the Lions Club held their last meeting for September in the Tofield Community Centre, with Lion President, "Chick" Blacklock, in the chair.

Lion Regehr reported the grass had been cut in the skating rink ground. A youth student from Vegreville has gone to Italy, partly sponsored by all local clubs. Next year it is proposed to send a student from every Zone in District 37F.

Special speaker for the evening was Doug Grover taking his Grade 12 this year, who gave a very good talk on his being sponsored by the Club to the United Nations Seminar in Banff earlier in the summer. He particularly appreciated meeting others of his own age for discussion of topics of vital interest.

# Kingman briefs

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Karbovanic and family of Edmonton were Sunday guests at the G. Aaron home.

**INJURED IN FALL FROM HORSE**

Colleen Christenson had the misfortune of falling off her horse on Thursday and was rushed to St. Mary's Hospital in Camrose for medical attention and stitches at the back of her head. She returned home again on Saturday.

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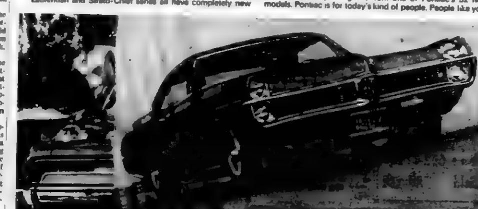
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## Spilstead news briefs

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

The Spilstead Ladies Society held their regular monthly meeting in September 7th at the home of Mrs Lillian Berreleth The afternoon was spent in carding wool for the quilt for the fall sale Ayer delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Berreleth.

**FAMIL GATHERING**

Mr and Mrs. Kenneth Berreleth and twin son and daughter made a surprise visit with Ken's parents and the remainder of the family and friends. On Sunday there was a family gathering at the home of Mr and Mrs Glenn Jones Attending were Mr and Mrs Arnold Jones and family, Mr and Mrs Leslie Jones Mr and Mrs Lorne Berreleth and David Mr and Mrs Robert Berreleth From Edmonton were Mr and Mrs John Lerbekmo and family, Mrs Marvin Berreleth and boys, Donald Berreleth, Mr and Mrs Brian Berreleth and Todd of Sherwood Park.

Sgt. Baum from Cold Lake was here to visit with Mr and Mrs Arthur Hollin and family.

Conrad and Gail Winder were visitors with Mrs. Louise Winder recently.

Mr and Mrs. Bud Tuck were recent visitors with the Ernest Belcourts

Mr and Mrs. Bill Mitchell were to visit Mr and Mrs. Ernest Belcourt recently, also Eddie and Jeanne Cheryl visited them over the weekend.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dirk de Freese of Lac la Biche, a daughter, Cynthia Marie on August 7th

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hildebrandt and family of Vancouver, B.C. visited the Ernest Fairbrother families for a week. The Fairbrothers had a family reunion while they were here, at the Spilstead hall, when 72 relatives were present for an enjoyable afternoon

## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

(Intended for last week)

Lars Olson, the newly appointed Co-ordinator of ECSD for the village of Holden is attending a week's orientation course being held at their head-quarters in the Alberta Block, Edmonton.

Cpl. H. Taylor was a Monday morning caller at the County office, Ryley on ESSO business

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mann attended the opening of the new Bethany Nursing Home in Camrose Sunday, Sept. 11th They also visited with Ralph's cousin Pastor John Mason Director of Service in the Aging of the American Lutheran Church Pastor Mason delivered the address to the gathering

Mr and Mrs Charles Zwiebeke daughter Norma and their son Allan were Sunday evening visitors and lunch guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tuckeman Norma was to leave Monday to register at the University of Alberta, where she will take a further course in Education.

Miss Anne Appleby who was on the teaching staff of Tofield school last year, left for Edmonton to attend the University of Alberta for another year's study in Education.

Miss Theresa Appleby, nurse-in-training at the University hospital in Edmonton, was home at the weekend visiting with her family, the Ted Appleby

Lois Sergen, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Ken Sorgen is nurse-in-training at the University Hospital, Edmonton.

Mrs Parfett of Bruce was a visitor in Holden last week She returned recently from a holiday at Winnipeg where she had been visiting with her widowed sister. She will be leaving in the near future to make her home there with her sister who is not in good health, and is her only relative in Canada

Recent Sunday visitors with Harry Appleby at Viola Lodge at Vikng were Mr and Mrs Bert Appleby and daughter Anne, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown of Ryley and their daughter Patricia

## Pioneer group has September meeting

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

The Pioneer Group met for their regular meeting, Wednesday, September 7th at the home of Mrs Joe Hooper, with 13 ladies present

Regular business was attended to with an allocation being made to the Church Manor committee

A further chapter was taken in the study book by Mrs Campbell Mr Bateman attended at the lunch hour to meet the ladies of the group

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, October 5th at the manse, with Mrs. Bateman hostess and Mrs Earl Hardy in charge of the devotions.


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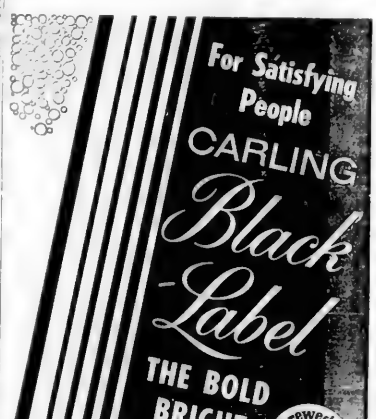



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4-H winner

Top honors in the Senior 2-acre Fertilizer trial of the 1966 4H Provincial Flat Competition went to Lloyd Giebelhaus of Vegreville, above. His trial demonstratetd the effect of varying levels of 11-48-0 on Jubilee barley. Alberta Gov't photo.

## War on the Drip

. . . says Sam Mostowich

With the curling season almost upon us, thoughts turn to the project of "the Drip". Materials have been ordered and are expected daily During the summer months the Ladies' Curling Club have purchased windows for installation in the upper portion above the waiting room, with the hope that progress can be made in completing this portion of the rink. Sam Mostowich has consented to head the work Long in construction, commencing next week if at all possible Anyone who is able to give some time to this project should contact Elmer Gieglerer or Gabe Patet. Interested parties who wish to contribute to this project may still do so by getting in touch with Jack White at Crown Lumber

## Byers cattle again chosen to show at Toronto Royal

Laurie Byers of Camrose will again be an exhibitor of cattle at the Toronto Royal Winter Fair this year. He has had the following consignment accepted for the market cattle section of the Fair: Carload of Shorthorns; group of five Herefords; group of five Aberdeen - Angus and a single Angus.

Mr. Byers began showing in Toronto in 1955 and since then his animals have stood high in their classes and won championships.

Judge of market cattle at the Fair will be Bill Cameron, herdsman at A. H. (Sandy) Cross' Rodney Farms, Midnapore.

Mr. Byers reporters he would be sending his herd east in early November, with Louie Alm again in charge during the trip Mr. A'm has supervised the animals several times on their trip to the Royal and prize.

District Agriculturist Larry Williams reported no other animals from this district have been accepted for showing at the Royal this season.

## Tofield youth joins service work in Haiti

A member of the Tofield Salem Mennonite congregation, Bryan Lauber of Rimbey, has begun a two-year service assignment at Hospital Albert Sweitzer, Haiti, under the Mennonite Central Committee, a church relief and service agency with an international program.

He is a graduate of the University of Alberta, Edmonton with a B.Sc. degree in Pharmacy. His duties at Hospital Albert Sweitzer will be as pharmacist in charge of general duties at the hospital.

His mother is Mrs. Martha Lauber, Tofield.

## Tofield Students' Union elects a new executive

At the first Students' Union meeting of the season, held on Sept 27, the election of a new executive was the official business. It is as follows: Derrill Reid, president; Bruce Beesek, vice-president; Donna Jacobson, secretary, Allan Everitt, treasurer; Dorothy Brent, social convenor; Theresa Moore, girls' sports representative; Brian Schultz, boys' sports representative; Douglas Everitt, sergeant at arms; Shauna Astley, editor

At the second T.S.U. meeting, on October 4, it was decided that there would be a "Dress-Up Day" the first Monday of every month to help promote school spirit.

In the next few days the students of the T.S.U. will launch their annual Curtis magnate drive. The profits from this sale will be used for the operation of the Students' Union during the current year. Students will be covering the entire community and your support would be sincerely appreciated.

## Pre-nuptial shower fetes Patty Roberge

About 30 ladies gathered at the Legion Hall on Wednesday to honor Patricia Margaret Roberge with a bridal shower.

The bride-elect was assisted in opening the gifts by Doreen, a friend and Elaine, cousin of the groom. Many lovely gifts were received for which the bride thanked everyone, and invited all to call them in their home in Edmonton Lunch was served by the Catholic Womens League.

Patricia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs Charles Roberge of Tofield and the groom, Lauren Marcel is the son of Mrs. B. Beaupre and the late Jean Beaupre of Edmonton The marriage is to take place at St Anne's church in Edmonton on October 8th.

## ATA has first meeting Sept. 26

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

The Holden-Bruce ATA, sub-local, held their first meeting of the season, Monday evening, September 26th when a new slate of officers was elected for the coming year.

They are: president, J. Lindberg, vice-president, Oleh Shybaro; sec-treasurer, Mrs Beatrice Fredricks; representatives to the local, Mrs. Grace Appleby and Mrs. F. Doris; sports representative, R. Bell; press reporter, Mrs. Winnifred Beveridge; social committee, Miss June Keats and Jon Furnal, R. Erwin.

New teachers will be invented into the ATA, teachers new to the County will be welcomed and awards will be presented.

## Meets sister left behind in Ukraine 29 years ago

Mr. and Mrs. Metro Shupenia were happily reunited last week with Mrs. Shupenia's sister Mrs. Alex Bohay of the Ukraine, whom they hadn't seen for over 29 years. Mrs. Bohay will make her home in Penne, Sask., with her husband Alex, who has lived there for some years.

The family had a reunion Sunday in Tofield at Shupenias. Miss Martha Shupenia of Vancouver, Ed, Nancy, Mary, Ole and family of Edmonton were all present to welcome their aunt, whom they were meeting for the first time

Mr. and Mrs. Bohay are holidaying at Tofield and Edmonton, seeing visiting relatives and friends.

Miss J. Kryzanowski, Mrs. Courchesne.

As there was no institute held September 1st, a special meeting will be held in Holden, Wednesday evening, October 12th.

## THE WEATHER . . .

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## Cubs and Scouts re-organize

have been re-organized for the 1966-67 season and are off to a flying start.

These branches of the internationally famous groups meet weekly in the Tofield Scout Hut; the Scouts on Tuesday evenings, the Cubs on Wednesday evenings.

The Scouts will be led by Scoutmaster Bruce Butler, a member of the RCMP detachment in Tofield, who will be assisted by Arnie Klassen and Bill Wiens The Cubmaster will be Larry Wilson, with Don Hardy and Lionel Burton as assistant Cubmasters.

Approximately 25 Cubs and 15 Scouts are planning a Father-and-Son Bean Supper in the Community Centre on October 24. Before that event, the Scouts and Cubs will be conducting a bottle drive on Saturday, Oct 15

These very worthwhile boys' groups have been sponsored in Tofield by the Tofield Community League, the Tofield Branch of the Canadian Legion, the Lions Club of Tofield and the Pleiades Masonic Lodge All boys are welcome to attend

## MacDuff Ottawa Report

# Right to s trike

OTTAWA. — The Industrial Relations and Disputes Investigation Act has been on the Statute Book unchanged since 1948. Of few things affecting the Canadian way of life can that be said and above all anything which purports to affect relations between management, labour and the general public.

The principles of law embodied in the Act is actually older than the statute. The 1948 legislation was, in most respects, almost identical with the wartime regulation controlling industrial relations. Both regulation and Act, in turn, embody the principles contained in the Act of 1907 when the late Mackenzie King was Federal Deputy of Labour. These can be summarized as follows:

1. The public should not suffer from hasty or ill-considered strikes or lockouts.
2. There should be no strike or lockout until the process of compulsory conciliation has been completed.
3. Public opinion is the strongest influence in bringing reason on both sides.

But through the 60 years of labour legislation Canadians have protected the right to strike until it has become sacrosanct. Only by special acts of Parliament have strikes been prevented or stopped and by these on very infrequent occasions.

A task force is now being formed by the Government under Dean H. D. Woods of McGill University to look at labour relations and labour laws in Canada and to modernize principles and processes. The big question that Dean Woods and the task force which he has still to gather around him must answer is how long or how widely the right to strike can be retained.

In Mackenzie King's day the answer was much simpler. The late Prime Minister held strongly that private rights must cease when they become public wrongs, but in those days the field in which this was likely to happen was very narrow. By 1948 it had grown considerably, but [illegible] in essential [illegible] still considered to be controllable. The most essential of industries, the railways, had been able to settle dispute with one exception, though a pattern of Prime Ministerial intervention had emerged which was often costly to the taxpayer and CPR shareholder, if not to the economy. It had almost been [illegible] that there would never [illegible] a general rail strike when, through bungling by both sides, it happened in 1950. Parliament was called, [illegible] to work [illegible] compulsory arbitration imposed.

The 1950 legislation set the precedent for that of this year. The 1966 bill, passed again in record time by an emergency session, has convinced thoughtful labour leaders that no lengthy rail strike can or will be allowed. But the 1966 legislation has shown three things, all of them disturbing:

1. Public opinion is not a strong influence in bringing reason. If it exerts any influence on labour leaders it exerts none on the rank and file. Wildcat strikes preceded the general walk-out. Wildcats continued after Parliament had ordered the men back.
2. Parliamentary authority may be far less than we think. It was fear that the men would not obey the order, not fear of Opposition within Parliament which led the Government to write an inflationary settlement into the law before providing machinery for an arbitrated further wage increase.
3. The whole procedure for conciliation written into the Industrial Relations and Disputes Investigation Act is entirely outmoded. It is designed to delay and provide an orderly road to the final strike action. Experience has shown that the frustrations [illegible] in the [illegible] merely to deadlocks and increase the chances of illegal walk-outs. Conciliation boards can take an interminable time, sometimes deliberately, to report.

[illegible] the [illegible] was [illegible]. This has [illegible] of automation by job security, a very vital factor in the rail dispute and one which is not covered in the present law. There are a number of other matters bordering on social security that, so far, have been left [illegible] bargaining but which can bring stalemates and [illegible].

Within the [illegible] the Federal [illegible] service the Government is dealing courageously and imaginatively with the basic issue of the right to strike. Bill 170 [illegible] has passed second reading in the House of Commons and is now before a Parliamentary committee has denied the right to strike to any public servant whose services are necessary in the interest of the safety or security of the public. To other civil servants it gives the option of conciliation procedure and possible strike action or referral of the dispute to arbitration, but this option must be exercised when the bargaining unit is formed and the agency certified and cannot be changed later.

The legislation also gives authority to the Public Service Staff Relations Board (counterpart of the Canada Labour Relations Board) to determine appropriate units for collective bargaining and an appropriate bargaining agency. The same power is given the CLRB but has never been used. If the union can show a majority membership it is certified.

Dean Wood and his team will undoubtedly take a long look at this legislation in seeking a pattern for new labour law.

# History repeats

You almost have to have reached middle age to be able to recall when Alberta levied its own income tax, separate from that of the Dominion Government. Yet history repeats itself, and citizens can gear for the unwelcome and possibly complex program of filing a separate return to Edmonton next year.

This was revealed last night in an announcement by Premier Manning that an emergency session of the Legislature would be called likely in November to discuss special legislation covering income tax. The provincial agreements with Ottawa are running out, and it seems there is little likelihood of renewing them.

Thus do we move into our centennial year, facing a nation bound on weakening the central authority, and beefing up the strength [illegible] provinces. Whatever else it spells, the taxpayer can be certain of at least one thing . . . it doesn't spell any reduction in taxbills.

# Human nature

Doesn't it seem odd that in a period when so many Canadians are enjoying the highest standard of living they have ever known there should be so much and so general unrest on the labor front?

Is it just human nature that everyone wants to get on the gravy train? Is it a case of "gittin' all you can while the gittin's good?" Or is it perhaps part of the deterioration of civilization so long foreseen by the communists and others, of history repeating itself?

The malaise covers just about the entire scope of the community: tinker, tailor, soldier, sailor, doctor, lawyer, merchant, chief, . . . It isn't only the postmen, or the seaway workers. The electricians want more, too. So do the television program crews. Teachers are reaching up and up. And the doctors, who for years have headed the national income scale, have to increase fees to keep their lead.

Surely the government can't heed the request of the labor unions to legalize mass violence in picketing, which is the only meaning the public can derive from the insistence on the elimination of injunctions restraining pickets. Surely the government has an obligation to the other citizens in any community or the country as a whole, to see that their legal rights are not infringed on by unprincipled or wanton actions.

Where the strike weapon used to be considered the ultimate, dread implement to be used only as a last resort, now it is considered little more serious than signing a new contract, or possibly changing jobs.

When services to the nation as a whole can be withdrawn with so little real provocation, and often on minority vote, should the government not protect the rights of citizens by seeing to it they have access to other channels of supply, even if on occasion this means the import market. Manufacturers are being urged to govern their operations in accord with the national welfare, as witness for instance the steel industry, and also the automobile parts industry.

It seems logical the restraint should also be on some other members of the team.

# Deathknell for scooters?

Is the scooter craze likely to wind up as a memory of just one more short-lived fad? Suggestions that the age for licensing be raised to 18 would make us guess this would be their fate. By the time young people reach 18, they're more interested in the extra carrying capacity of four-wheeled vehicles, and, of course, they're well past the legal age for operating one of them.

Biggest problem with the small motor bikes is that the public refuses to let them be small. On their first introduction, they were hardly faster than a good cyclist could get out of his bicycle, but they introduced a vastly different concept, particularly for getting around suburbia in the larger metropolitan centres.

As the move spread, so did the demand for more power, more speed, more thrills, until the inevitable happened, and they developed into a community menace. The record of tragedy isn't nearly so serious in Camrose as it is in either Calgary or Edmonton, but goodness knows it's serious enough.

The hue and cry over the problem has prodded the government into taking a long look at them, and there seems little doubt the legal age will be raised, so that insistence will be placed on less power, possibly coupled with speed governors.

It doesn't seem likely the noise problem will be reduced, but it's probable fewer accidents will follow in the end . . . and that's the chief concern.

# Preventing strikes

The Canadian Federation of Agriculture and other groups have petitioned the federal government to introduce a method of adjudicating and settling labor disputes without permitting stoppages of work in key industries vital to the welfare of the people as a whole.

This is not an unreasonable or biased idea aimed at the rights of either labor or industry but a sensible suggestion that could bring results beneficial to everyone.

When two individuals or organizations become involved in a dispute, no matter how vital the issue is to either one, they are not permitted to conduct their differences either verbally or physically in a manner or place that will interfere with the affairs of others. They are forced to use [illegible] process of law that will make [illegible] and binding decisions.

Most corporations and their employees are servants of the people commissioned to perform certain services and functions vital to the nation. Their involuntary cessation of these functions inflicts serious and unwarranted [illegible] and hardship upon the innocent bystanders of the nation.

It is only normal to the supposed intelligence of modern civilization that such disputants, like any other, be ordered to submit their disagreements to a competent court where their merits will be decided by their peers. Both sides should be subjected to equal economic penalties pending the settlement of the case so that it is to the advantage of both to reach a settlement.

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## MINISTIK NEWS

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

Mrs. Helen Hennessy returned home on Thursday, after a three-week vacation at Calgary, Brooks, Regina, Estevan, Sask., and other points in that area.

Mrs. Alma Holmes is a companion these days to a lady in the Avard Arms, in Edmonton, who suffers with severe arthritis. Mrs. Holmes is enjoying caring for this lady.

Congratulations are being extended to Mrs. Grace Grummett, who on October 8th will no longer be Mrs. Grummett, but Mrs. Gibson instead.

Chester Leach returned home on Saturday, after a seven-week stay in Col. Mewburn Hospital in Edmonton. All his friends hope he enjoys continued good health.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson, Archie Ferguson and Glenn Ferguson enjoyed the White Heather concert at the Jubilee Auditorium in Edmonton on Saturday evening.

It was back to work Tuesday for Verden Sears, who had enjoyed a three-week vacation.

All roads lead to the annual turkey dinner at Hastings Lake Hall on Saturday, Oct. 15, starting at 6:00 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lemmon of Toronto called on Gordon Kilfoyle one day last week. Mr. Lemmon once owned the property east of Mr. Kilfoyle's and had a summer cottage at Sterling Beach. He also visited the grave of his late father, W. J. Lemmon, an oldtimer in this district.

## Ross Creek news

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cossey and Ray were accompanied by Ralph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Syd Cossey, on a trip to Bon Accord on Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cossey.

**AT WEDDINGS**

Several district people attended the wedding of Judy Ectinski and Paul Vetro at St. Emeric Catholic Church in Edmonton on Saturday. The reception and dance were held that evening at the Club Morocombo. The gift-opening party was held on Sunday at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hauer motored to Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan last weekend to attend the wedding of Mabel's cousin, Shirley Eiserman, of Maple Creek, Sask. Shirley is the daughter of Richard Eiserman and the late Mrs. Eiserman.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald McLachlan and family, of Sherwood Park, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McLachlan on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reinhardt accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Art Ferrel to Edmonton on Sunday evening to visit Mrs. Ferrel's niece, Phyllis and Joe Freidt.

Prayer services were held on Saturday morning at the new Catholic Church in Chipman, in memory of Grandpa Antoniuk, who passed away a year ago.

**E. HISEY PASSES**

Deepest sympathy from everyone goes to the Hisey families and Art Ferrel family in the passing of Everitt Hisey at Penticton, B.C. Everitt and his family were district residents until two years ago, when he moved to B.C. because of ill health.

## Hastings Lake

(Mrs. B. Gladue)

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Brian Piraine on the birth of a daughter.

The Ladies Club met at the home of Mrs. B. Norman, Thursday, Sept. 13. It was decided to hold the annual turkey supper, Saturday, Oct. 15 at the hall, instead of Oct. 8th as previously stated. A hearty welcome is extended to everybody to this Thanksgiving supper. Prices are the same as other years.

Adults, $1.00 and children 50c, (12 and under).

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Rowland, October 28th.

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This unselfish giving of their time and money makes these boys and girls worthy winners of this year's Junior Citizen of the Year Group Award.

*We congratulate the Rimbey Junior High School students and thank Alberta's Weekly Newspaper Editors for their active co-operation in the Alberta Junior Citizen of the year program, sponsored by Alberta's investor owned electric utility companies.*

*This is one of a series of Junior Citizen Award announcements. Our special thanks to Jack Parry, Editor of the Rimbey Record and to the group's nominator, Helen Cooke of Rimbey.*

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# The Ryley Times



## Centennial report

by JOHN W FISHER
CENTENNIAL COMMISSIONER

A few weeks ago I wrote about the Confederation Train and the Centennial Caravans which will be criss-crossing Canada during the summer months of 1967 with exhibits of Canadiana.

During the second week of June we had test-run, set-up and dismantling trials for the Caravans at communities in the Ottawa area. It was quite an exciting operation—almost like a big army test exercise.

The first eight enormous tractor trailers—the largest vehicles ever to be used extensively on North American roads—travelled all the way to Ottawa from Calgary where the vans were made by the Alberta Trailer Company. The eight 73-foot vehicles represented one of the eight Caravan units which will visit more than 700 Canadian communities in Centennial Year.

While the trailers were not decorated on the outside nor did they contain interior exhibits for the trials there was much exacting work to be done.

The setting up of a Caravan on site is like putting a giant Mechano set together. First the drivers must be able to bring the huge vehicles to the site, squeezing around tight corners, through underpasses and under wires, move the vans into a quadrangle formation on site and then move the tractors.

Drivers — there will be 32 of them specially trained and under contract for the eight Caravans in 1967 — must be able to park the vans with the skill of a precision machinist so that matching ramps and bridges can be placed quickly to connect the vans on site. (This ramp arrangement allows Centennial visitors to move easily through the huge trailers and view the exhibits in a complete sequence).

Outside the trailers, in the quadrangle, large tridesic forms go up next (tubular steel triangle construction) on which will be placed the external exhibits. When the set-up job is done—in about two hours' time—the complete set is on site ready for a colorful Centennial community fair.

On hand for the trials at Ottawa were observing officials of numerous organizations which will be involved with the Caravans—provincial police of several provinces, the RCMP which will have security officers with the units in 1967, fire marshals, members of the Defense Production Department, the Canadian Government Exhibition Commission, the St. John Ambulance Corps, the Chrysler company which provides the tractors, and so on.

On the highways the Caravan units will travel in convoy 300 feet apart to allow traffic to pass easily. In convoy travel they will be under police escort at all times. A convoy will be a mile long. One tractor alone with trailer is almost equal to eight car-lengths.

So the arrival of a Centennial Caravan in your community must go unnoticed very easily. Your local Centennial organization will be announcing the date of arrival well ahead of time anyway.

Be sure to visit the Caravan for a great display of interesting and entertaining exhibits about Canada. There is something for the whole family to see.

## Round Hill district news items

(Mrs. E. Wagner)

ROUND HILL, Sept. 28 — Frank Banack had the misfortune of falling and cracking a bone in his ankle. He was a patient in St. Mary's Hospital for a few days but is now convalescing at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Petryshen entertained at a chicken dinner on Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. S. Law and family, Mrs. E. Law and boys and the Petryshen family.

**Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Johnson (nee Dianne Olsen) have announced the birth of a son at St. Mary's Hospital, September 20th.**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Petryshen and baby girl of north Surrey B.C., came by plane to attend the funeral of the latter's father, the late Ted Law. They spent a week with their mother, Mrs. Law and family before returning.

**SEWING COURSE**

Local ladies interested in a free "clothing construction course" the first part of November, please leave your name with a WI member. Home Economist, Miss Irene Eby of Camrose will be the instructor. On October 12th at 1 p.m. at the Elks Hall, those attending this course are asked to meet for a preparation for sewing meeting.

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## SS students have church services

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

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Once more three hymnaries were presented to the church and perfect attendance awards presented to Linda Paterson and Donna and Bria Leach with all other pupils also receiving awards.

A special tribute was given to [illegible] Mrs. A. Ferguson, superintendent, Mrs. Ralph [illegible], Mrs. Pat Paterson and Mrs. [illegible] Paterson also to Miss Barbara Leache who was substitute teacher.

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### TOWN OF TOFIELD BY-LAW No. 598

**A BY-LAW RESPECTING THE FLUORIDATION OF THE TOWN OF TOFIELD WATER SUPPLY**

WHEREAS The Public Health Act of Alberta provides that the Council of a Municipality may by by-law provide for the fluoridation of the communal water supply thereof and

WHEREAS the Public Health Act of Alberta provides that before the by-law providing for fluoridation is finally passed by the Council a plebiscite of the electors of the municipality shall be taken to determine if the electors approve of fluoridation of the communal water supply, and

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Town of Tofield pursuant to the authorization granted by the said provision of the Public Health Act determined on the sixteenth day of September 1966 that the necessary steps be taken to hold a plebiscite on fluoridation on the nineteenth day of October 1966 and

WHEREAS Council has now prepared [illegible] to a By-Law providing for fluoridation of the Town of Tofield water supply [illegible] the electors on the nineteenth day of October 1966 [illegible] day the Council may give second and third reading to the by-law and may pass the by-law provided that [illegible] of the electors voting on the plebiscite [illegible] fluoridation.

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Town of Tofield duly assembled enacts as follows:

1. The appropriate officials of the Town are hereby authorized and directed to add fluorides to the Town water supply sufficient to bring the fluoride content of Town water up to the level of one part fluorine to one million parts water.

2. This By-Law shall not be read a second and third time and finally passed by Town Council unless and until a majority of the electors voting in the plebiscite of the electors to be held the nineteenth day of October 1966, have voted to approve the said fluoridation of the Town of Tofield water supply.

DR. W. H. FREEBURY, Mayor
RITA E. HALVORSON, Sec.-Treas.
[illegible]



## Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Lars Rolland, who has been a patient in Tofield Hospital for the past two weeks, returned home Friday morning feeling much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden and their daughter, Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus and two children, were shopping and business visitors in Edmonton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, who spent the past week at Viking with their daughter and family, the Ernie Mertas, returned home at the weekend.

Mrs. Ruby Benson, of Bruce, assisted Mrs. Mason at the M. & M. store the past two weeks, while Mrs. Florence Giebelhaus was away helping with the harvesting at home. Mrs. Benson stayed with her mother, Mrs. Joe Hooper, while in Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann were visitors Tuesday evening of last week with Henry's brother and family, the Emil Tiedemanns, at Tofield, wishing Emil "happy birthday".

Chris Christenson was visiting his niece Anna and family, Mr. and Mrs. Warren, at Elk Point during the weekend of Sept. 24. Chris also called at the Good Samaritan Nursing Home in Edmonton to see his sister, Mrs. Elna Parsons.

Mrs. Alice Jones of Edmonton was visiting her mother, Mrs. Carrie Olson, over the weekend.

Mrs. Mike Haybida was a patient in Tofield Hospital the past two weeks, having a check up and tests. She returned home Saturday morning.

Christ Christenson was a business visitor in Ryley last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Brian Williams and two small daughters, of Edmonton, visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McLeod.

Alan Tiedemann of Edmonton was a visitor Monday and Tuesday of last week with his family the Henry Tiedemanns.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Eaton and children were Friday afternoon visitors in Tofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children were Friday evening visitors and lunch guests with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor.

Mrs. T. A. Liden entertained several friends and neighbours at a coffee party Wednesday afternoon of last week.

**AT FUNERAL**

Chris Hovland and son Ray attended the funeral on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 28th, held at Skademess Church, of Mr. Fernie Forre of Tofield, brother-in-law of Mr. Hovland, who passed away suddenly September 25th.

**SOIL TESTS**

Five test holes were recently dug on Village property on both sides of the road going south near the present reservoirs. The soil was found to be very satisfactory for building a reservoir which it is hoped to put in shortly, tenders already being out for this.

**IT'S A BOY**

Mr. and Mrs. James Sunderson have been receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Sept. 22, at the Hamilton, Ontario, General Hospital. The new arrival is brother for their daughter Margaret and the second grandson for Mrs. Bertha Sanderson.

Mrs. Olaf Chetney was in Edmonton on Friday visiting with her husband, who is a patient in the University Hospital. Olaf had a serious operation on the Thursday, and his condition is not very good. Mrs. Chetney was planning to visit with him again the early part of this week.

Miss Anne Appleby, student at the University of Alberta in Edmonton, was a weekend visitor with her family, the Bert Applebys.

Mr. and Mrs. John Semotiuk and family motored to Lac La Biche on Sunday morning, and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gorrie and family.

**FORMER DISTRICT LADY DIES IN VICTORIA**

Word was received September 24 by friends here that Mrs. Southron of Victoria, B.C., had passed away that week. The Southron family farmed in the Talbot district for several years in the late 20's and 30's, on the Scott fram, which they purchased when Mr. and Mrs. Scott left for the East. The younger children attended Talbot school for a few years. Mr. Southron had retired from the British navy before coming with his family to Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Malick, with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Tkaczyk, left Sunday on a two-week holiday trip, planning to drive to the United States to enjoy some warm sunshine. Mrs. Malick's mother is staying with the children while their parents are away.

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# Gilchrist-Nord wedding solemnized August 6th

Vases of summer flowers decorated the altar of Calvary Lutheran Church, Edmonton, August 6, for the candlelight wedding of Carol Elaine Nord and Garry Robin Gilchrist.

The bride, who is the elder daughter of Mr. Carl Nord and the late Mrs. Violet Nord of Ryley, attended the University of Alberta and is presently on the staff of Parkdale School, Edmonton. The groom, who is the younger son of Mrs. Lela Gilchrist and the late Mr. Donald Gilchrist of Castor is completing his Master of Civil Engineering degree at the University of Alberta.

In a double-ring ceremony performed by Rev. H. Olson, Pastor, Elaine was escorted to the altar by her father. She was beautiful in a simple floor-length gown of silk norganza with a semi-train, featuring lace and seed-pearl tiara and waist-length veil. Her only jewellery was a pearl pendent and matching earrings, a gift of the groom, and she carried a massed bouquet of American Beauty roses, trailing white streamers and rosebuds.

Elaine was preceded down the aisle by her three attendants. Acting as bridesmaid was her close friend, Gail Lauber, while Gayle Gilchrist and Dolores Nord sisters of the groom and bride, respectively, were bridesmaid and maid-of-honor. They were dressed in identical pink silk worsted floor-length sheaths with Kabuki (lantern) sleeves, featuring split-front court coats accented by shoulder bows. Each wore a sterling silver and pearl pendent with matching earrings, a gift of the bride, and carried a bouquet of summer daisies.

Peter Dibski, friend of the groom was best man, while Donald Gilchrist, brother of the groom, and Dale Wetter, friend of the groom, both from Calgary acted as ushers.

For her son's wedding, Mrs. Gilchrist chose a three-piece sky blue lace suit with white accessories, and pink rosebuds and baby chrysanthemums on corsage.

The Wedding March was played by Bonnie Bap'iste, and during the service Sharlene McColl sang "The Wedding Prayer". Later, during the signing of the register, she sang "I Love You Truly" and "O Perfect Love". [illegible] hundred guests passed through the receiving line at the Faculty Club, on the University of Alberta Campus, prior to the reception. Mavis Graftaas was in charge of the guest book. A cousin of the bride, Rev. Laverne Hoveland of Lake Alma, Saskatchewan, asked the blessing. Master of ceremonies was Bryce Woodrow of Castor, who read several congratulatory telegrams and called upon Roy Findlay of Calgary, Elaine's godfather, to propose the toast to the bride. The groom responded excellently following which Peter Dibski proposed a toast to the bridesmaids. Elaine and Garry then cut their three-tier wedding cake made and decorted by Elaine's godmother, Mrs. Ruth Bratrud, and served it to their guests.

Out-of-town guests were present from Castor, Ryley, Tofield, Hinton, Elk Point, Camrose, Lethbridge, Holden, Westlock, Bawlf, Carstairs, Red Deer, and Calgary.

For their wedding trip to California the bride donned a medium-blue Italian knit suit, with navy blue patent accessories, and yellow sweetheart roses on corsage. Following their return, the happy couple will reside at Apartment 203, 3806 - 87 Ave., Edmonton.


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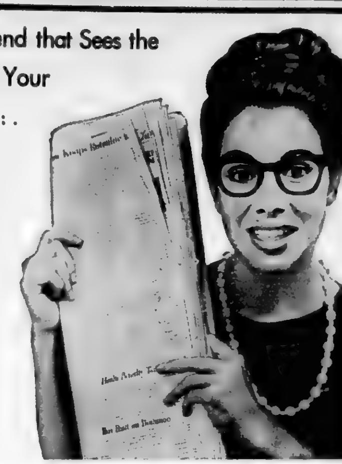

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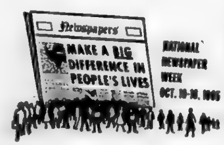


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# Fluoride safe, sound says Health League

Following several questions raised about fluoridating the wawter supply of Tofiled, and objections forwarded by some people, The Mercury sought authoritative answers either to support or refute the objections. The Health League of Canada was asked to answer three questions; specifically, whether there is any significant difference for human consumption bteween sodium fluoride and calcium fluoride, whether there is any difference between naturally or artificially fluoridated water, and whether there is any known long-term deleterious or toxic effects on humans from the drinking of fluoridated water. The Health League's answer follows:

Dear Mr. MacLean:

I acknowledge receipt of your letter and note that Tofield is facing a fluoridation plebiscite on October 19.

It is good to know that The Tofield Mercury supports this well-proved public health measure and that you have been using our release of June 30, 1964 quoting Dr. Gordon Bates.

Since that date new facts have come to hand and these, together with the old, have been compiled into a kit of fluoridation information. One of these kits is going to you under separate cover today. It is hoped that it will provide much of the background material you require. However, I will deal briefly with your three specific questions.

(a) Sodium fluoride is much more easily dissolved in water than is calcium fluoride and is often used for fluoridation, especially in the smaller places. Two other compounds of the element fluorine widely used for this purpose are sodium silicofluoride and the liquid fluoride H2SIF6. There is no difference in effect among these compounds when used for fluoridation as it is the fluoride ion which has the physiological effect, and this electrically charged particle is only given off after dissolution. The choice among compounds is governed by accessibility, ease of operation and various cost factors.

(b) From the above it will be seen that there is no difference in the effect on people when fluoride is added to the water supply by nature or by man. Nearly all water contains some fluoride naturally present, but most waters are low in it. Fluoridation is simply an upward adjustment of the fluoride content to the recommended level of one part fluoride per million parts of water.

(c) There are no known deleterious effects or toxicity on humans from the long-term drinking of water containing fluoride at one part per million. I have as authority for this statement a research advisor to this committee: Dr. Ralph C. Burgess, Research Associate in the Division of Dental Research and Assistant Professor in the Department of Preventive Dentistry, Faculty of Dentistry, University of Toronto. Dr. Burgess is holder of a dental research scholarship of the National Research Council of Canada.

Yours sincerely,
Lloyd H. Bowen,
National Fluoridation Committee,
Health League of Canada
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# Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Steve Slokowski purchased a color TV the end of last week, it being the first in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and sons Robert and David were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Zwierschke and family.

Mrs. R. Scherger is home after spending several weeks on the farm with her family in Saskatchewan helping to look after the children.

Steve Komarnisky of Edmonton, former businessman and resident, was a caller in Holden on Thursday afternoon of last week. Steve has purchased a farm fifty miles north of Edmonton, a few miles west of Westlock, where there is an abundance of wild animals, game and birds. He is hoping to develop it as a sport location.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Smorhe were Sunday afternoon callers and coffee guests with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Albrecht. They also visited later in the afternoon with Mrs. Olaf Chotney.

## Clemency to criminals

We respectfully submit that clemency to criminals who have no respect for God or man, is no more effective than appeasement was with Hitler and his ilk a few yearss ago, and we feel it will reap the same rewards.

Brief to all Members of Parliament from the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police

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**MAULL - SPEIGHT**

In a wedding ceremony in Provost United Church on July 2nd, Diane Kay, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Speight of Czar, became the bride of Lorne, youngest son of Mrs. Maull and the late Peter Maull of Metiskow. Rev. Wendell Stevens of Wainwright performed the double-ring ceremony. Miss Leslie Grover was maid of honor. Patricia Sterrenberg and Marian Blades were bridesmaids; the groom's attendants were Robert Maull, Clair Kemper and Ronald Israelson. Reception to 155 guests was held in the Metiskow Hall. Following a trip to the southern United States and Mexico, the happy couple are residing on the groom's farm at Metiskow.
—Photo by Jun Mah Studio.

# Ryley 4-H Club seeks members

The Ryley 4-H Clothing Club is reorganizing again this fall, and they urgently need girls between the ages of 12 and 21 years who are interested in sewing and in 4-H activities.

Please contact the following persons, if you are interested, and they will advise you of the meeting date. Mrs. Rudy Mizera, Ryley, Ph. 105, or Miss Geraldine Kozack, Ryley, Ph. 66 after 5.00 p.m.).

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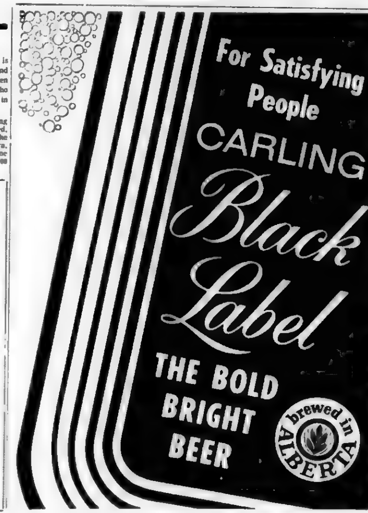

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## FUTURE DATES

**F.U.A. MEETING**

A meeting of the Tofield Local F.U.A. will be held in the Legion Hall on Tuesday, Oct. 11, at 8:00 p.m. As there have been no meetings during the summer, members are requested to attend this meeting. 6c-3413

## CARDS OF THANKS

We would like to thank everyone who helped make our 25th Wedding Anniversary such a happy occasion. Also, thank you for your gifts, cards and flowers. —Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sitler, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sitler and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lehman. 6p-3412

## IN MEMORIAM

GUNTHER.—In memory of our loved one, Norman J. Gunther, who passed away October 6, 1965:

We sit and think of you often,
and think of how you died;
Many times we long for you,
many times we have cried.
No one knows our sorrow, there
are few who see us weep;
We shed our tears, with an aching heart while others are asleep.

—Ever remembered and sadly missed by Margaret and Dorothy. 6p-3415

VERGETTE. — In memory of Robert James Vergette, who passed away October 6, 1963:

His memory is as dear today
As in the hour he passed away;
We loved you, but God loved
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—Ever remembered by Mom and Family. 6p-2811

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# Church services

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Pastor Don McLean**
**Sunday, Oct. 9th**

10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.

Rev. Fred Schimke of The Mission to Lepers will speak at both services here on Thanksgiving Sunday, October 9th.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
**W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister**
**Sunday, Oct. 9th**

10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
**Sunday, Oct. 9th**

No Morning Service.
8:00 p.m.—Family Evening.

"Our main business is not to see what lies dimly ahead, but to do what lies clearly at hand".—Thomas Carlyle.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
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**Sunday Services**

8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion except 1st Sunday of Month.
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion 1st Sunday of Month.
11:00 a.m.—Matins all other Sundays.
10:30 a.m.—Holy Communion with address, Saints Days and other Holy Days.

Text for week: "The love of Christ leaves us no choice".—II Cor. 5:14. New English Bible.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
**Summer Schedule**

TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ............10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ............9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ............9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ............10.30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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**Rev. Art Dahlen, Pastor**
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**Sunday, Oct. 9th**

10:15 a.m.—Gideons from Camrose in charge of Service.
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## LEGAL NOTICES

**NOTICE to Creditors and Claimants**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES EARL FRANCIS, late of the Town of Tofield, in the Province of Alberta, who died on the 4th day of June, A.D. 1966.**

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named must file with the undersigned by the 7th day of November, A.D. 1966, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

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John Arnold Francis.
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# Modern etiquette

Q. I would appreciate your comments on the art of correct handshaking.

A. Avoid the limp, "wet dishrag", or "dead fish" type of handshake — but avoid also the bone - crushing, vise - like handshake which can be painful to the other person, and especially if he is wearing a ring. Also to be avoided are the pump - handle technique, and the refusal-to-let-go manner which is supposed to express great ardor. A good solid kind of handshake is at elbow level, and is firm, but brief.

Q. What sort of gift does a bride give to her groom?

A. She usually chooses something permanent and handsome for his personal use — a watch, cuff links, or a smartly - fitted travelling case are all useful and important gifts.

Q. Should the used silverware be gathered up before removing the plates from the dinner table?

A. No; the silver should be left on the plates, and all removed from the table together.

Q. Is it all right to phone one's thanks to a person for sending flowers?

A. All right, if done promptly—but still better is a handwritten note.

Q. What general rule of good taste is involved in a well - set dinner table?

A. Simplicity. The well - set table bears the least number of pieces possible. The over-burdened table is in poor taste, as is also the table that is over-decorated.

**HINTS ABOUT HATS FOR WINTER WEAR**

According to experts who judged the millinery at the CNE this year, the latest styles are tailored and feature bright colors and plush fabrics like velvet. Long-haired fabrics are out, but fur hats will again be popular this winter. They look best with fabric coats. Fur coats need the lift of a colored fabric for contrast.

Winning entry at the CNE was a turban in swirls of white peau de soie and white/gold brocade.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
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**Ryley, Alberta**
**Sunday, Oct. 9th**

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and that Polling will take place on

Wednesday, Oct. 19th. 1966

from ten o'clock in the forenoon until seven o'clock in the afternoon at the Council Chambers of the Town Hall.

— ALSO —

Fluoridation Plebiscite Vote

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Ellen Eaton)

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and daughter Linda of Onoway were guests at the home of their daughter and sister Gloria and Johnny Wood from Friday to Sunday afternoon.

John and Mary Wood were Saturday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of their son Johnny and Gloria Wood, along with Gloria's parents and sister from Onoway.

**MOVES TO TOFIELD**

Ernie Collins, a long-time resident of the McKenzie district, moved into his home in Tofield on Monday. Ernie sold his farm some time ago and purchased a house in town. All wish him much happiness in his new [illegible].

**HERE FROM ARIZONA**

Mr. and Mrs. Les R. Martz of Tucson, Arizona visited at the home of Les's [illegible], Mrs. Ila Walker from Sept. 22nd to the 28th. On Sunday Sept. 25th all members of the family of Mrs. Ila Walker, along with her brother and sister-in-law, gathered at the home of Ila's daughter, Polly and Sandy Petrovich in Edmonton for a family get together and dinner. Later in the day, Mr. and Mrs. Martz returned to Calgary with Les's niece Ellen and Alvin Steen and left from there for their home in Arizona.

Jean and Richard Jenkins and little daughter Cindy of Grassland were Saturday overnight, and Sunday visitors at the home of Jean's mother, Mrs. Ila Walker and her son Ronnie.

**HERE FROM B.C.**

Morris and Elsie Wellburn of Ladner, B.C., were Sunday, Sept. 25th evening visitors at the homes of Elsie's sister and brother and their families, [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] Steb [illegible] the Charlie and Mickey Niemetz homes. Morris has been in Edmonton working with some of the horses during the race meet. Elsie flew from Ladner to spend the weekend with her husband and visit relatives.

The FWA October meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Olive Moss on Thursday, Oct. 13th at 2:30 p.m., all visitors welcome.

Eleanor and Joe Jones were Friday afternoon luncheon and coffee guests at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg. Ellen Eaton was a Saturday afternoon coffee guest there and weekend guests were their two daughters, Janet Wickenburg, and Mrs. Vivian Jones, both of Edmonton.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

Mrs. Ellen Eaton went to Holden Saturday evening by bus and was an overnight guest at the home of her son Leroy and Shirley Eaton. On Sunday morning she accompanied them to Lavoy where they were dinner and afternoon luncheon guests at the home of Shirley's mother, Mrs. Vera Raper at a birthday celebration for Leroy's and Shirley's little daughter Margie. Later in the afternoon, all went to the home of Vera's father and Ellen's brother-in-law, Olly Westman and son Cecil where they, along with several other members of the Westman family and some friends, were supper guests. Leroy and Shirley then brought Ellen home before returning to their home in Holden.

Mrs. Ethel Wood motored to Fort Saskatchewan on Sunday and picked up her friend, Mrs. Walter (Sally) Henderson and motored to Halkirk where they had dinner with Sally's sister, Mrs. Marian (Mary) Johnson and her house guest, Miss Loreta Larson of Omaha, Neb. (All are Ethel's former school friends of childhood days). From there Ethel and Sally motored on to visit with Mr. and Mrs. McGregor and then with Ethel's mother, Mrs. (Granny) Barnes at the Hart Haven Home in Stettler. After visiting Granny, Ethel and Sally began the return journey Ethel leaving Sally at her home and returning home in the early evening.

**TO WASHINGTON**

George Abernathy left Monday morning for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Mildred Faulk who resides near Bellingham, Wash. He expects to be gone for several weeks visit. On Saturday evening October 1st, the group of boys George works with held a farewell party for him at his home in Tofield before he left on his trip.

On Wednesday the weather changed from cool, showery weather to a lovely sunshiny warm fall day. Farmers hope it continues so they can once again continue their harvest.

## Gallinger-Schultz wedding October 1

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald and her daughter and son-in-law, Marg and Lorne Berreclo.h were [illegible] at the Gallinger-Schultz wedding and reception in the United Church and at the dance later in the Tofield Community Hall on Saturday, Oct. 1. There were 175 guests attending the reception in the church basement. Congratulations go to Betty Ann Schultz, daughter of Harold and Lila Schultz, and Claude Gallinger, son of Dorothy and the late Wilbur Gallinger on their marriage.

Among those from this district attending the open house at the [illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz on Sunday to view the wedding gifts of the newly weds, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gallinger, were Mrs. Ethel Wood, Mrs. Martha Tiedemann, Mrs. Vi Googlein and Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen and daughter Donna.


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INVITES SUBMISSIONS

from any interested person or group relating to any or all of the following:

A. Nature and scope of Juvenile Delinquency in Alberta.
B. Basic causes of Juvenile Delinquency problem.
C. What is presently being done to curb Juvenile Delinquency and the preventative measures undertaken in this field.
D. Steps and action that should be taken to improve preventative procedures for curbing the problem.
E. Steps and action that should be taken to aid in the rehabilitation of Juvenile Delinquents.

Briefs, particularly from private citizens, need not be typewritten or professionally prepared, but where possible, they should be typewritten in triplicate. All briefs should be forwarded to

MAGISTRATE F. H. QUIGLEY, Q.C.
POLICE BUILDING,
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Before the 20th day of November, 1966.

The Committee will hold

PUBLIC HEARINGS

AT LETHBRIDGE

Commencing the 5th day of December, 1966.
and

AT MEDICINE HAT

Commencing the 7th day of December, 1966.

(Further Hearings will be held at Calgary, Red Deer and Edmonton and if warranted Grande Prairie.
All persons presenting Briefs are invited to attend and speak in support of their submissions.
Hearings will be as informal as possible.

CHAIRMAN
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# Around the town

A farewell service was held in the Jubilee Auditorium in Edmonton on September 28th, for Right Honorable Arthur Michael Ramsey, Archbishop of Canterbury, at the conclusion of his tour of Canada. The occasion also marked the Feast of St. Michael and All Angels. Going from here to attend the affair were Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Hammett, Mrs. D. L. Conn, Mrs. R. Crispin, Miss R. Cumming, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson, Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and daughter Edith and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown of Ryley.

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Geo. Abernathy left on Monday via CNR to visit relatives in the State of Washington.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jacobs and two children of Victoria, are visiting at the home of Kenneth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. W. Jacobs, also with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Jacobs and other friends.

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**45TH ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Ferguson of Devon in company with their son Albert spent Wednesday of last week with their son and his wife, the W. K. Fergusons, on the occasion of their 45th wedding anniversary. The Fergusons will be remembered by oldtimers of Tofield and district.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hart and Miss Phyllis Hart of Calgary are visiting at the McFadzean home for a few days. Mrs. McFadzean is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hart.

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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kendall and Kenny spent a week with Mrs. Edna Kendall, during which time Floyd did some hunting, but did not have very good luck.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Burchard are on a motor trip to their City of Kelowna home, leaving Tuesday, and will be gone a week.

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Mrs. Alice Warner is spending a week in Edmonton with son Herb and wife Carol and two boys.

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Colin E. Freebury has been appointed program director to the staff of the Boys Club of Greater Niagara Falls area, Ont. He recently returned after some time spent in Denmark and also four months in Israel.

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**BIRTH**

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Murray, a daughter on September 28, Shawna Denise.

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Rev. W. L. Hammett was the celebrant at the Harvest Festival last Sunday at St. Mary's Church, Elgerton. In the evening he preached at St. Paul's Church, Provost.

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## Holden news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad were Saturday visitors in Edmonton, and called on Mrs. Brekstad's uncle, Olaf Chetney, in hospital.

**D.D. TRUSTEES MEET**

The regular monthly meeting of the Holden Drainage District was held Friday evening, Sept. 30, with Trustees Oscar Afseth, Nick Laskoski, Hans Huseby and Secretary-Treasurer Ray Hovland present. Regular business was attended to and accounts received for the ditch cleaning which had been done during the year. The trustees discussed the ditch work done during the summer and where needed culverts are to be placed. The secretary was requested to obtain the necessary information from the Land Titles office regarding the land in the district.

Geo. H. Taylor was a business caller in Tofield on Monday afternoon.

**RUMMAGE SALE**

The Holden Lodge O. O. R. P. wish to remind district residents that they will be sponsoring a rummage sale on Saturday, Oct. 15, to be held in the Masonic Hall both morning and afternoon. Coffee and lunch will also be served. Anyone having goods of any kind they wish to dispose of may leave them at the Village office with Mrs. Taylor or with Mrs. Kathleen Hurum. Articles of clothing, in good condition, not sold at the sale are sent after the sale to the Salvation Army for their disposal. Your patronage is appreciated.

The O.O.R.P. will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 11, when lunch hostesses will be Lady Mary Hardy and Lady E. Campbell.

Members of the Holden Lutheran W.A. wish to advise that on Friday, Nov. 4, a musical program is to be held in the church. This is to be given by a Quartet from Central Lutheran Church in Edmonton. The same group of singers gave a concert in Holden a few weeks ago, which was greatly enjoyed by all in attendance.

Bruce Appleby was a Sunday visitor with his family, the Bert Applebys. Also visiting over the weekend with his family was Tommy Budd, who is attending the U. of A.

Mrs. Frieda Foran, formerly with the A.G.T. in Holden, is now employed as file clerk with the A.G.T. in the C.N.R. Tower building in Edmonton.

Mrs. Mary James left for Vancouver on Thursday morning on the Transcontinental, to spend a three-week holiday there with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur James. She also will be visiting with her daughter Irene and family in Victoria.


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**Grads of '14**

More than half a century ago this Bardo group formed nearly half the second graduating class at Camrose Lutheran College. Meeting in Camrose recently when Herman Peterson, right, returned for a visit, the group renewed memories of the class of 1914, which had only nine members, all of whom registered first in the old Heatherbrae Hotel before the College building even was commenced. Left to right are George Hendrickson, Camrose; Mrs. Minnie (Olafson) Olson, Camrose; Mrs. Caroline (Olafson) Hall, Camrose, and Herman Peterson, Everett, Washington. Both the Hendricksons and the Olafsons lived in the Bardo district where they were among the first families to settle. Mrs. Hall was the first girl ever to register at the College, while her sister, Mrs. Olson, was second in line.

—Camrose Canadian Newsphoto.

## Cubs and Scouts bottle drive on Saturday

Tofield Boy Scouts and Cubs are making final arrangements for a bottle drive this Saturday, Oct. 15. The Cubs and Scouts will pick up bottles at the homes in town starting at 9:30 a.m. If canvass is not completed in the forenoon it will continue in the afternoon commencing at 1:30 o'clock. Anyone wishing to help the Scouts bottle drive may deliver their bottles during this week and next to Don Hardy Imperial Oil Warehouse ramp, and the Scouts will take care of them.

Proceeds of this bottle drive will be used for Scout and Cub activities during the season such as organized camp-outs, hiking and Tottie trips as well as many other activities.

Help your Scouts and Cubs by supporting their bottle drive this Saturday, by having the empty bottles ready for pick-up.

## Tofield seeks first place in football league play

The opening game of flag-football saw Tofield visiting Ryley. Tofield walked away with their first victory by a 13-0 score. In the next game, on Sept. 26, Tofield travelled to Holden for a hard-fought game. At the end of the first quarter Tofield was down 9-0. Due to their well-balanced offensive and defensive lines, Tofield came back to defeat Holden 31-19. After a short rest, Tofield moved down the line to Viking where, on Oct. 3, they defeated Viking 33-4 after trailing 13-12 at half time.

On October 14, Ryley will play at Tofield, and on October 20, Holden will play at Tofield. If the Tofield boys win either of these games they will win the League championship. Weather permitting, a two-game total-point series will be played between the winners of the league and the runners-up. The winner of the series will be crowned champion.

Members of the football team, with position played, are as follows:

DEFENSIVE — Dale Theussen, centre, David Price, left tackle, Duane Stauffer, right tackle; Robert Foshaug, guard; Rudy Baergen, middle linebacker; Bruce Bowick, left interior linebacker; Jim Allen, right interior linebacker, Jim Hart, right defensive end, Ron Currie, left defensive end; Donald Price, right tackle, Gordon Baergen, linebacker.

OFFENSIVE — Kenneth Stauffer, centre, Dennis Penner, right tackle, Doug Korbie, left tackle; Allan Everitt, right end; Brian McFadzean, left end; Derrill Reil, quarterback; Ron Foshaug, left halfback; Kenneth Dodds, right halfback; Milo Stauffer, fullback; Doug Everitt, end; Arthur Korbie, guard.

Place-kickers—Derrill Reil and Robert Foshaug.

There is no admission charge to these games, and the coaching staff would certainly like to see as many fans as possible come to support their teams.

## Weather . . .

| Oct. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 6 | 65 | 43 | 29.84 | .04" rain |
| 7 | 55 | 42 | 29.94 | |
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| 9 | 54 | 20 | 30.08 | |
| 10 | 47 | 37 | 30.34 | |
| 11 | 37 | 27 | 30.10 | |
| 12 | — | — | — | |

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

A synonym is a word you can spell—used instead of a word you can't.—J.W.R.

## Tofield 4-H Beef Club to re-organize Oct. 20

On Thursday, Oct. 20, at 8:00, the re-organization meeting of the Tofield 4-H Beef Club will be held at the Library in the Community Hall in Tofield.

All members are asked to attend and take part in the election of officers. New members who are over 12 years of age and under 21 years, as of Jan. 1, 1967, are welcome to come and join the club.

Boys and girls who are 9 years old and under 12, as of Jan. 1, 1967, may join the Pee Wee Club. Their meetings in the past have been held on the Saturday afternoons following the regular meeting of the Tofield Beef Club. Their re-organization meeting this year will be held Saturday, Oct. 22, at 2:00 p.m., at the home of Don Woods. The Pee Wee Club has been very successful in the past, so a good attendance is urged.

Members who have taken special trips this summer are Colleen Wyllie, Marjorie Moore, Laurie Weatherill and Grant Cossey.

Colleen represented the club at judging demonstrations at Olds School of Agriculture in August. The experience was very educational, and the Club expects to hear from Colleen how they run the judging competitions there.

Marjorie Moore represented the County of Beaver at Junior Leaders' Club Week at Gold Eye Camp last summer. She was there with members who had done Junior Leadership work in their own clubs from all over

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## Peter Zadorozny passes at 53 years

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — A prominent business man, Peter Zadorozny, passed away suddenly Wednesday, Oct. 5th, at the age of 53. He is survived by his loving wife, Hazel; and two daughters, one uncle, Bill.

A special Knights of Columbus prayer service was held Friday, Oct. 7th, at 7 p.m., and prayer service was held Friday at 8 p.m. at the Holy Ghost Greek Catholic Church, Holden.

Funeral Mass was held Saturday, Oct. 8th, at 10 a.m., at the Greek Catholic Church with Rev. Father Losynsky officiating; interment was in the Holden cemetery.

The sympathy of all is extended to the bereaved family. Mr. Zadorozny was a diligent worker in the church and will be greatly missed. He also took part in community affairs, and the Knights of Columbus of which he was a member.

## Holden woman dies Sept. 29

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —Mrs. Annie Porernuik of Holden district, passed away September 29, at the age of 80 years. She is survived by one son, Harry, of Holden; two daughters, Mary (Mrs. Mike Pashoski) of Edmonton and Lily (Mrs. Ted Vitek) of Viking; seven grandchildren, three brothers, John Semchysen of Vegreville, Anton Semchysen of Ryley and Mike Semchysen of Mundare.

Prayers were held October 2 at Park Memorial Chapel, Vegreville, and Requiem Mass was held Monday, Oct. 3, at the Ukrainian Catholic Church, Holden, with Rev. B. Losynsky the celebrant; and interment followed in the church cemetery.

Sympathy of friends and residents in the district is extended to the bereaved families.

## Legion Auxiliary has October meet

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion met Monday evening, Oct. 3rd, in the Legion Hall.

Regular business was attended to and committee reports received. A report of the recently held dance and lunch was given, showing a nice profit.

Plans were discussed and made to hold a dance in the Community Hall on November 11th. Members will hold the annual poppy tag day November 5th. A past presidents badge and medal were presented to Mrs. Anne Black.

Lunch hostess was Mrs. Hazel Armstrong. The next meeting will be held Monday, Nov. 7th.

## MacDuff Ottawa Report

# Commons box office

OTTAWA.—The House of Commons, now starting the last lap of the session, may revive some of the box office appeal that brought long waiting lines outside its doors during earlier debates. The Munsinger affair, top attraction so far, is still with us. Far from bringing any finality to the case the Spence report has merely produced another political football.

For John Diefenbaker, his leadership recently challenged within the [illegible] Report could prove a [illegible] document. He has [illegible] the findings of a justice [illegible] the Supreme Court of Canada [illegible] political persecution, a [illegible] that would make it [illegible] for him to leave [illegible]. But, more [illegible] Diefenbaker under [illegible] stands a much better [illegible] off the November [illegible].

[illegible] Medicare and oth[illegible] take the spotlight on centre stage, however, the real work of the session will, more than usual, be carried on the wings. Three major Parliamentary committees will be working [illegible] time, two of them sitting every day for the next two months.

The joint Senate-House of Commons committee on Consumer Credit, transformed, at least until December, into a Prices Committee, is hoping to have an interim report before the end of the year. It is starting out with a deep sense of urgency in the light of [illegible] living costs which are [illegible] for at least another six months. Its examination of prices commodity by commodity will be interrupted when the Economic Council of Canada makes its annual report late this month. The theme of this year's review is price stabilization in years of prosperity and it will be referred to the Committee for study. At that point it is expected that labour, industry and consumer organization will be heard.

A former committee of the Senate in 1959 produced a report which concluded that objectives of high employment, price stability and adequate growth were fully compatible. Until the early part of the year this conclusion appeared to hold water. Then the dam broke. Prices rose sharply followed by a series of wage demands and wage settlements to end or avoid strikes, which were not conducive to containing inflation. The Senate-Commons committee will have to come forward with something more constructive than its predecessor.

A second committee that will be holding almost daily sittings will be that on Transport and Communications under the chairmanship of the energetic 35-year-old Hamilton lawyer, Joseph Macaluso. Here the issues raised by Transport Minister Pickersgill's revolutionary five-part bill dealing with railways, interprovincial trucking and commodity pipelines will be thrashed out. Already the stack of briefs is piled high and it will take at least two months to hear witnesses. Organizations to be heard range from the railways to farmer's unions, from provincial governments to truckers, from the Canadian Manufacturers' Association to Shell and other oil companies concerned over the regulation of future commodity pipelines.

So far there are only seven of these pipelines operating. The longest, 34 miles, is in Western Canada and uses natural gas to carry hydrogen sulphide. Another at Copper Cliff, Ontario, carries concentrates in a water mixture. But commodity pipelines are a coming form of transportation and Canada's new Transport Commission will have the job of regulating them.

The main section of the Bill dealing with railways may have less opposition than had been expected. Line abandonment in the West, the most controversial issue, may have been resolved by the Government's decision to freeze a 17,000-mile network of lines on the Prairies against abandonment until 1975. This means that, until then, applications can be made for abandonment of only some 1,800 miles.

Finally the committee on Finance, Trade and Economic Affairs will be tackling the massive revision of the Bank Act, a job that will keep it busy for at least two months.

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CAPITAL HILL CAPSULES

Payments to Western farmers for wheat in the first six months of 1966 constituted 64 per cent of all Canadian farm income from crops and nearly 25 per cent of farm income from all sources. At $900.6 million for the three Prairie provinces they were well ahead of the same period last year and only $45 million below the 1964 record. Saskatchewan farmers alone collected $310 million during the six months.

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The Prairie wheat crop is now officially estimated at 830 million bushels. Saskatchewan with 65 per cent of the Prairie crop produced 546 million bushels; Alberta, 189 million bushels, and Manitoba, 85 million bushels. Average yield per acre is 27.5 bushels.

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Canada's exports of fully manufactured goods for the first six months of 1966 totalled $832.4 million, 46 per cent higher than last year. They now account for one-fifth of Canada's total exports.

Latest available estimates of unemployment (August) indicate that jobs are becoming slightly harder to find. While the exodus of teen-agers from the labour force returning to school kept the figure below the previous months, there was an increase of 6,000 among job seekers over 20 and an increase of 12,000 above August last year. The winter is likely to bring higher unemployment than has been seen in the past two years.

# Centennial report

by JOHN W. FISHER
CENTENNIAL COMMISSIONER

For a long time I have been making casual use of the term "birthday party" when talking about our Centennial of Confederation in 1967. Let me warn you one must be careful!

I haven't heard from the Vikings of course but at least one member of every other race or cultural group which has had pre-Confederation roots in Canada has bent my ear on the subject of the true birth date of Canada. They include English, Scottish, Jewish, Irish, French and American Canadians. They were all here before 1867.

There was a Canada, the argument goes before Confederation. The fact is there was more than one.

When in Newfoundland one also contends that John Cabot discovered Canada. In Quebec the view that Jacques Cartier did, draws considerable support. Nova Scotians and New Brunswickers remind us that Champlain came here before he visited Quebec. Canadian Indians, of course, can discount the first two claims.

Most disputes I have heard are good-natured ones. I am happy to say it is only to a few that I need explain that the "birthday" celebrations next year are to mark the 100th anniversary of the Confederation that made Canada a federal state. The period in history when Canada actually was "born" perhaps can be discussed with any real logic by geologists and [illegible] ologists — separately of course.

When that step was taken in 1867 to make Canada a single federal state one of the Fathers of Confederation said [illegible] are striving to do peacefully what Holland and Belgium, Austria and Hungary, Denmark [illegible] Germany, Russia and Poland could only accomplish by [illegible]. Have we not great cause of thankfulness that we have found a better way? Can the pages of history find a parallel?

In this world there have been a few other federal states formed, without war, since our Confederation of 1867. Some of the modern examples unfortunately have come apart again.

The birth of our Confederation was an event like no other in history. Confederation has continued successfully for [illegible] years and the "birthday" is worth celebrating, I'm sure.

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# When I stopped you for speeding-

(By a Traffic Cop)

I am the kind of cop you don't like. I'm tough. When I stop you on the highway I don't give you a break.

Why? Because I know that the easier I let you off the easier you die.

Take this lady I just stopped. She was going 75 miles an hour, 15 over the limit. By the time I swung onto the parkway and got my patrol car up to high speed, she had a big lead on me. It took me 10 minutes to overtake her.

She was a good-looking woman in her early thirties. She smiled at me and said: "Oh officer, I hope I wasn't speeding."

"You were 15 miles over the limit," I said. "I'd call that [illegible]."

[illegible]

I handed her a ticket. "Oh, what a terrible thing to do," she exclaimed. "Let me off [illegible]. Please!"

"Lady, you're wasting your breath," I told her.

"Why be so tough?" she said. "I [illegible] you policemen were supposed to be so nice."

"OK lady. I'm a tough cop [illegible] what happened just two weeks ago, not far from here, on an evening like this."

"A young couple were driving to a friend's house for dinner. A woman your age with two little children in the back seat was driving in the opposite direction [illegible] speeding [illegible]."

"Suddenly going around a curve she lost control, jumped the esplanade, and plowed head-on into the couple's car. I got there minutes after the accident. I pried open the doors and dragged the young woman and her husband from the front seat. They were dead [illegible] and hard to look at."

"After the hearse and ambulances had gone and the wrecks had been cleared, I drove to the home of the young couple. A baby-sitter answered the door. [illegible] was a two-year-old child sound asleep. I pulled the covers around her and just sat in the room for a while till I could get my feelings under control."

"Next I had to go to the hospital and interview the woman who had been driving. She was crying ... one of her children had not died and she [illegible] two innocent strangers and orphaned their child, and she wanted me to let you [illegible]."

For 11 years now [illegible] traffic, I've been a [illegible] to

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Tayler)

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Evenson of Fort St. John, B.C., were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hurum the weekend of October 1. Mr. and Mrs. William Shandro and family of Mundare were also dinner guests and visitors.

BAPTISMS

Laura Lucina, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melton MacGregor of North Kamloops, B.C., and Audra Ann Eileen, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Keith, were baptized at the Sunday morning worship service, recently, at the Holden Lutheran Church.

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A. J. Rasko of the bank staff spent the Thanksgiving holiday weekend with his family in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Con Giebelhaus of Fort St. John, B.C., visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly and family, also calling on other relatives in the district.

Marvin Giebelhaus was home for the Thanksgiving weekend with his family.

Mrs. Olaf Chetney was in Edmonton last week to visit her husband Olaf, a patient in the University Hospital after undergoing serious surgery. He is making satisfactory progress and is feeling much better; and hopes to return home soon.

Geo H. Taylor was a caller in Viking last Thursday, on EMO business.

Mrs. Hooper and son Melvin made their usual Thursday visit to Edmonton, visiting with Mr. Hooper at the Good Samaritan Nursing Home.

Mrs. Henry Huseby and children, of Daysland, were Saturday afternoon visitors in Holden, and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Giebelhaus for the Thanksgiving holiday weekend.

Mrs. Henry Tiedemann was an Edmonton visitor Friday evening, bringing home their son Alan for a few days. Alan had had the 'flu and it developed into an infection in his collar bone.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barlow had word a few days ago that their son-in-law, Ted Anderson, who had recent surgery in an Edmonton hospital, was able to return to his home in Calgary. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson have his sister from Winnipeg staying with them to help Muriel look after Ted.

**Stan Robins has returned home from a three-week holiday trip to Hawaii.**

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Sorensen of Oroville, Wash., U.S.A., have been visiting the past week with Gary's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen.

Mrs. Henry Tiedemann, Mrs. Alfred Sorensen and Mrs. Gary Sorensen were business and shopping visitors in Edmonton a week ago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barlow, who spent most of last week on the farm with their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas, were home Friday evening and returned to the Mertas' Saturday afternoon to help on the farm. Beth had the misfortune to sprain her ankle quite badly and has to stay off it for about three weeks.

Mrs. Florence Giebelhaus has returned to her duties at the M & M Store, after being home for over a week during harvesting operations.

Mrs. Bateman was an Edmonton visitor Friday, driving up and bringing Mr. Bateman, a student at St. Stephen's College, home for the weekend.

Rev. Geeson of Edmonton, former minister of the Holden Ryley and Bruce charge of the United Church, drove to Holden last Friday with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bateman, and will be visiting with them for several days. Rev. Geeson is hoping to meet many of his former friends in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Giebelhaus and family, of Stony Plain, were weekend visitors with relatives in the district.

David Sorensen who is attending school at Red Deer, arrived home Friday to spend the Thanksgiving holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen, and visit with his brother Gary and his wife.

PIONEER GROUP MEETS

The Pioneer Group met Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 5, at the home of Mrs. Bateman, with 13 ladies present. Regular business was attended to, and Devotions were taken by Mrs. Earl Hardy, with a further chapter in the Study Book. Plans were discussed and made for the annual sale of handiwork and tea, to be held Saturday, Nov. 19, in the United Church parlors. The next meeting will be Nov. 2, at the home of Mrs. Peter Jakabow, weather permitting.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Padlecki of Edmonton, Mr. Padlecki Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Padlecki of St. Michael attended the funeral of Peter Zadoromy on Saturday, Oct. 8.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer was a Viking visitor a week ago, calling on friends at Vialta Lodge.

Recent Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Shinski were former Holden residents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Makarowski and family of Edmonton.

RAFFLE WINNER

The Brownie and Guide Packs of Holden sold tickets last week on a Thanksgiving dinner hamper, the proceeds of which are used to help their work. The hamper, which was raffled Saturday, was won by Mrs. Marion Tkaczyk, who is presently on holiday. The members of the association wish to thank all those who bought tickets, helping to make this endeavor a success.

Rev. Frantz, President of Concordia College, and Mrs. Frantz and family of Edmonton, Pastor and Mrs. Schoepp and family, also of Edmonton, and Pastor and Mrs. Heinemann and family of Vegreville were Sunday Thanksgiving dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann.

Recent Sunday afternoon callers with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer were Arthur and Herb Olson, Mrs. Carrie Olson and her daughter Mrs. Alice Jones of Edmonton, and Mrs. Olson's sister, Mrs. Alice Olberg, also of Edmonton.

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# The Ryley Times



## Brown wins COMINCO trip

E. H. Brown, Ryley, leaves Monday for Calgary, Kimberly and Trail as a result of having the largest increase in fertiliser sales for the year in his territory. The increase, which had to be in excess of 250 tons over the past year's business, gives Ernest a company paid trip through the Consolidated Mining & Smelting fertiliser plants at the mentioned locations and includes expenses for a full week.

## Ferdinand Forre passes suddenly September 25

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER-EARLING, Oct. 7th —The family and community were shocked Sunday, Sept 25th, by the sudden passing from a heart attack of Ferdinand Julius Forre, better known as Fernie. He was 70 years.

He was a prominent farmer in the Palmer-Earling, Gladstone and Likeness districts, until two years ago when upon retirement he moved to Tofield to reside.

He was a hard worker and a son of the soil, turning many a new sod with eight horses and later on with tractor; and as a thresher, threshed the golden grain for himself and neighbors. He had many friends due to his friendly disposition.

In 1918, Mr. Forre served with the Canadian Army in Calgary. Later he was employed in Saskatchewan for Pastor S. Westby who also farmed. In 1919, he homesteaded in Grande Prairie, walking all the way from Edson to Valhalla Centre, to file his claim, there being no train service then.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife, Anna Forre, two sons and their wives and five grandchildren, three brothers and two sisters; plus many nieces and nephews, and a host of friends.

Sympathy goes to the bereaved family from the entire community.

## Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Laura Christianson and Mrs. Carrie Olson were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs David Good and family, of Edmonton, were visitors over the holiday weekend with their families, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ritland and Mrs. Joe Hooper.

Rev. and Mrs. Ruxton and children, of Drayton Valley, were Saturday dinner guests with Mr and Mrs. J Lindberg. The children attended the rodeo at Viking in the afternoon with Mrs. Lindberg, while Rev Ruxton officiated at a wedding in Ryley, with Mrs. Ruxton also there. Later in the afternoon, Rev. and Mrs. Ruxton visited with Mrs. N. L. Campbell, before attending the wedding reception.

Rev. Gesson visited with Mrs. Campbell on Saturday evening, while his son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Bateman, were guests at the Fisk wedding reception in Ryley.

Mr. and Mrs T. A. Liden motored to Edmonton on Sunday afternoon, and were overnight visitors and Thanksgiving Day dinner guests with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Liden.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Sorensen, who spent the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorensen, left on Sunday to return to their home in Oroville, U.S.A. Both Gary and his wife are teaching in one of the schools there.

Mr. and Mrs. George Valan, of Calgary, who were recent visitors in the district, also visited with Mrs. Valan's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer. Mr. and Mrs. Wickland of Edmonton accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Valan for the visit.

John Godbout is renting the former Dairy Bar, on the highway, formerly operated by the Sens, and is staying there during the week running an implement and machinery business.

Mrs. Angus Keith and children were afternoon visitors and coffee guests a week ago Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer.

Visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer, is their daughter Carol, who is helping her father with harvesting.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby had their son, Bruce, and daughter, Anne Appleby, visiting with them over the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Chomie were recent Saturday and Sunday visitors with the latter's parents, the Bud Sizers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus were visiting over the holiday weekend with their daughter Edna and her husband, at Jasper.


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B. Basic causes of Juvenile Delinquency problem.
C. What is presently being done to curb Juvenile Delinquency and the preventative measures undertaken in this field.
D. Steps and action that should be taken to improve preventative procedures for curbing the problem.
E. Steps and action that should be taken to aid in the rehabilitation of Juvenile Delinquents.

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and

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## Ryley 4-H Club elects officers

The Ryley 4-H Beef Club held their re-organization meeting on Thursday, Sept. 29th at 8 p.m. New officers for the following year were elected, with James Panie, pres., Garry Kropielnicki, vice-pres., Darryl Lyons, sec.; and Barry Semuik, treas.

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## Better English . . .

What is wrong with each of these sentences?

1. I fixed my car in back of the house.
2. He has very near completed his course, and he will graduate next June.
3. When he didn't show up at his office, his employer asked after him.
4. Do you wish cream put in your coffee?
5. Not a one has replied to our letter, but we will re-write it again.
6. They were in a big hurry to open up the package.

What are the correct pronunciations of these words?

7. Acumen. 8. Bituminous. 9. Zoological. 10. Palestine. 11. Circuitous. 12. Conversant.

Which six words in the following group are misspelled?

13. Accompaniment, deducement, detrement, detritus, predicament, indelible, impeccible, discernible, credible, tenable, facetious, miscellanious, precocious, extemporaneous, contentious, comptroller, commutator, competitor, ammeter, prognosticater, stubborness, drunkenness, meanness, deaconness, soulless, remission, comission, emission, admonition, fission.

### ANSWERS

1. Say, "I REPAIRED my car BEHIND the house". 2. Say, "He has very NEARLY completed his course, and he will BE GRADUATED next June". 3. Say, "When he didn't APPEAR at his office, his employer INQUIRED ABOUT him". 4. Say, "Do you WANT cream put INTO your coffee?" 5. Omit the words "a" and "again" and say, "NOT ONE has replied to our letter, but we SHALL rewrite it". 6. Say, "They were in a GREAT hurry, and omit "up".

7. Pronounce a-kyu-men, accent second syllable. 8. Pronounce bigh-tyu-mi-nuss, accent second syllable. 9. Pronounce zoh-oh-lahj-i-kal, accent third syllable. 10. Pronounce last syllable as "tine", not as "teen". 11. Pronounce suhr-kyu-i-tuss, accent second syllable, and not "suhr-ki-tuss". 12. Accent FIRST syllable, not the second, often heard.

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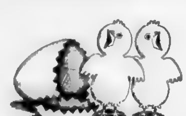

## Bardo news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Oct. 11th—The Floyd Brooks family from Ferintosh, Grandma Foshaug, Joanne and Merlin Rude and Clarence and Borghild Rude were Sunday dinner guests at the Raymond Brooks home in Wetaskiwin when the birthdays of Ricky and Kent were celebrated.

Bertha and Stan Hamstad and children, Darren and Leanne, of Calgary, spent the Thanksgiving holidays at the Arnold Johnson home.

Albert and Agnes Haugdahl motored to Edson for the weekend to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Jack and Corrine Innis and girls.

Olaf and Nora Anderson left for Opal on Friday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with Lawrence and Elizabeth and family.

Harold and Audry Kindley and family of Edmonton spent Sunday with Harold's parents, the Axel Kindleys.

Mr and Mrs. Jens Heil and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Severson spent Thursday evening at the Glenn Heil home to help little Tracy celebrate her first birthday.

The Leroy Finseth family were dinner guests with Leroy's parents, Mr and Mrs Mourad Finseth in Edmonton on Sunday.

The Glenn Sailer family spent the Thanksgiving weekend with Glenn's parents, Elmer and Alice Sailer.


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# From the South and East

By BERT TAYLOR

It doesn't pay to get up too early in the morning! You may think that it's the early bird that gets the worm and all that, but in the Provost district all you end up with is a wrecked car. At 7.30 one morning Councillor L. Hochhausen of Provost was out checking up on the clean-up of a gravel pit and while he was talking things over with the foreman in charge of the job, the operator of the big "cat" misjudged his distance from the councillor's car and while attending to many other details in the clean-up operation walked his "cat" up one side of the councillor's car. To say that it scratched the paint job would be an under-statement. The Councillor says he didn't expect it, because after all the car and the "cat" are supposed to be on the same side. The Provost News says, "We would dearly love to report with a straight face that the "cat" driver's comment was "Sorry about that, Chief"".

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The Brooks Bulletin recently reported that the gallant conduct of two gentlemen turned out to be not quite as gallant as they had hoped. Andy Ulrick and Jack Hale were escorting Mrs. Hale to the Bassano wedding of the Hales' granddaughter and being a bit late they did not inquire where the church was located but drove around until they found a church with a lot of decorated cars in front and marched in and took over some choice seats. Things went well until the bride's father went up to give the bride away and they discovered it was not the bride they came to see nuptialated—nor yet the son the Hales had come to see give the bride away! After a three-way whispered conference they decided they were at the wrong wedding in the wrong church—but how to get out, gracefully or otherwise? ? Fortunately the minister gave out with a long and forceful prayer during which the "Terrific Trio" made their exit with bated breaths and red faces, and arrived at the right wedding just in time to be too late to see the right bride given away.

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"Nobody has explained to our satisfaction the fact that each Friday night is 'social night' in the farm areas of this district", comments The Innisfail Province. "It is a fact, however, that in the farming areas there are more dances, meetings and family gatherings on Friday night than any other night of the week. We like to think that the establishment of Friday as Social Night in the farming areas is a throw back to the days of the 'Little Red School House'. It is easy to imagine the young teacher and her senior pupils each Friday afternoon preparing the Little Red School for an evening shindig. The desks had to be moved, wax placed on the floor for dancing and, in the winter, extra fuel placed in a handy spot. Many of the old-timers can well remember the excitement of a dance, meeting or social evening in the 'Little Red School House' on Friday nights about a quarter of a century ago".

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It was too good to last, but while it did the students of Alix High School were content. Arriving on the first day for another year of study the pupils were greeted by a sign which read: "To Students—POSITIVELY No Admittance at any time for any reason. Signed, The Principal". The Lacombe Globe explains that the reason lay in the fact that the contractor had not been able to complete the new school on time, but by the following Tuesday "classroom studies started in earnest".

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AND UNTIL NEXT WEEK: —

The only trouble with this four-day week they keep talking about, is that some of us don't want to work that much.

## The Best Laid Plans

by C. J. Harris

A bureaucrat is a hard man to unseat even at the lowest level, the Soviet government is finding out. More than a year ago to put more food on Soviet tables Moscow ordered a change in agricultural policies. That decision, complains the party magazine Kommunist, is still being sabotaged by local, old-line officials.

While he was in power, former Premier Khrushchev proposed to double farm production by a vast expansion of the country's chemical fertilizer industry. At the same time, however, he imposed some restrictions on the use of private farm plots. Khrushchev's successors reversed that latter ruling and ordered that, after finishing their chores on the state's collective farms, farmers should be allowed to work on their own small holdings. The more they could raise and sell from their own plots the more they could profit and the more food that would be available to the public. In effect, this was a reinstatement of a right won by farmers back in 1939 — a policy that has been embarrassing to Communist officials because the private plots have always produced more food per acre than the state's collective farms.

But the best laid plans, the party magazine reveals, can easily go awry. Farmers who legally sell products from their private plots have been denounced by local officials as economic speculators. In other cases local officials have illegally restricted farmers from obtaining the fodder they need for livestock raised on their small holdings. Some farmers have been illegally forced to sell products from their own plots in order to fulfill state farm quotas.

Once entrenched, a bureaucracy does not easily forego its position of power and privilege

## Dodds-Ryley

(Mrs. Oliver Lehman)

DODDS-RYLEY, Oct. 8 — Many people from this district attended the triple silver wedding anniversary celebration for Mr and Mrs. Ed Sailer, Mr and Mrs Melvin Sitler and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lehman, in Round Hill on Sept. 25th.

Miss Elida Helgelund, who is attending U. of A. in Edmonton spent the weekend with her mother and brother, Mrs. Brenda Helgelund and Andy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter of Tofield spent Monday at the farm with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lehman and children.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Lyle Hodge is a patient in the Tofield Hospital. Other patients are Hans Hillerud and Mrs. Cora Young. Alex Tough is in an Edmonton hospital.

## Palmer-Earling

(Mrs. J. Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Oct. 7th —The green leaves have turned to scarlet and gold. Good gardens despite a dry summer have been taken in and a bumper crop of large good potatoes has been harvested.

The annual Thanksgiving program and Harvest Festival will be held on Sunday evening, Oct. 16th at 8 p.m., at the Skuldesnes Country Church. Local talent speaker will be Pastor Palmer Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mosby, Beverly and Brian have moved to Camrose where Mr. Mosby will be employed by the Propane Oil.

Mrs. Sigrid Ross and her brother, Harvey Loumeas, both of Burnaby, B.C., Mrs. Tillie Kvale and Annie Aker of Camrose were Sunday dinner guests with the Akers.

## Modern etiquette

Q. My wedding is to be a very small and informal one, with only a few relatives and friends in attendance. Under these circumstances, would it be proper for me to wear the traditional white bridal veil?

A. The white bridal veil is always in order, no matter what the size of the wedding—provided, of course, that it is the bride's first marriage.

Q. One of my women friends recently had new personal stationery printed, which includes not only her name and address, but her phone number. Is this considered proper?

A. Telephone numbers have no place on personal stationery—only on business stationery.

Q. Is it correct to pour gravy from a gravy pitcher, or must one use a gravy ladle?

A. Either way is correct.


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# Winning battle on the 'Drip'

Materials for sheathing the inside of the curling rink have arrived, the scaffolding is built—now the cry is "Give us the men, and we'll finish the job", says 'boss carpenter' Sam Mostowich.

Any and all able bodied men are asked to get in touch with Gabe Pittet or Elmer Googlein to arrange for working time schedules. In addition to hammer and saw men, others are required for painting and clearing away for the deadline which is set for November 15th.

## Solve a Crime

BY A.C. GORDON

YOU ARE THE DETECTIVE

You have been working hard for the past several weeks in an effort to track down a ring of jewelry thieves. Late this afternoon an employee of a car-parking garage has phoned you with the information that while servicing a car brought in earlier this afternoon he has discovered a package fastened with tape under one of the rear fenders. Upon arriving at the garage, you find that the package does contain some stolen gems—but none of the employees of the garage is able to tell you anything about who drove the car into the place. So, you decide to stay and keep watch over the vehicle and its incriminating cargo.

When midnight arrives, no one has come to claim the car, and Sam Borden, the manager of the garage, comes to your hiding place behind one of the other cars and tells you he is closing the place for the night, and he suggests that you return the following morning when they open. You state you will remain there for the night on the possibility that the criminal might return and break into the place.

After an hour or so in the inky darkness, you suddenly hear the one big door leading into the room grate eerily as its slides slowly open, and then just as noisily close. Footsteps approach! You flash your light suddenly on a man's startled face. He whips out a gun and fires a shot that whistles uncomfortably near you.

"Hold it! I've got you covered!" you shout as he blinks in the blinding beam of your flashlight. He drops his gun and peers silently in your direction.

"What's going on here?" The sound of running feet, and then Sam Borden trots into the circle of your beam.

"I decided to come back to the place here," he explains hurriedly. "Just as I came in the front door I heard the shot in here, and came on back into this room." He points to the man you've just apprehended. "This is Joe Simms, our night watchman. I forgot to tell you about him. I'm sure he's not the man you're looking for, but maybe you'd better take him along with you for questioning. I'll stand watch here for the rest of the night and let you know if anything happens."

"No," you shake your head slowly. "I think you're the man I'll be taking in with me for some questioning."

Why do you suspect Sam Borden?

SOLUTION

You heard the grating of the door when it was opened and closed by the watchman — but you did not hear it the second time when Sam Borden claims he entered the room. This leads you to believe that he was in the dark room with you all the time, possibly hoping that you would come to grief when accosted by the watchman. Then, there is his eagerness for you to take the watchman in while he stood watch over the car and its precious bit of luggage — this leading you to suspect that he wanted to dispose of the incriminating jewelry and that he is in some way linked in with the theft ring.

## Modern Etiquette

Q. Should a businesswoman rise to greet a man who enters her office, and she is already talking with someone else?

A. This depends upon circumstances. If seated at her desk with others around her, she would be unlikely to rise, but would merely motion to an empty chair. If, however, all are seated casually, she could rise, shake hands, introduce him, motion him to a chair, then reseat herself.

Q. Should the male members of a formal wedding party wear white handkerchiefs in the breast pockets of their coats?

A. This is always an attractive touch to a man's appearance.

Q. At which side of a person seated at a dinner table are the beverages placed, filled, and removed?

A. At his right.

Q. Whenever we are invited to dine in a friend's home, I usually join our hostess in her kitchen while she is finishing her preparations for the meal. My husband claims this is improper. What do you say?

A. You may join your hostess in the kitchen ONLY if she specifically invites you to do so. Otherwise, you should remain in the living room.

Q. How are invitations to bridal showers issued?

A. Since these are informal parties, invitations may be extended by phone, note, in person, or by one of the little special cards found in stationery stores.

Q. When one has already sent a gift to a newborn baby, and is then invited to the christening, is another gift in order?

A. No.

## Recipe box

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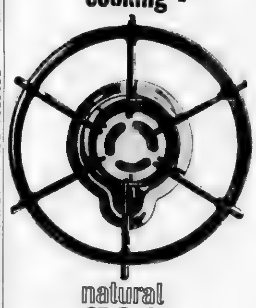

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high school academic studies and commercial courses. During the 1965-66 school term, 636 students attended the three Colleges and this is expected to increase to 761 during the present school year.

*...how being a good technical or vocational student can help you with the finances?*

Being at the top of the class means more than honor and glory to students enrolled in

the Alberta Institutes of Technology or the technical or vocational section of an approved Junior College. It [illegible] money. On the basis [illegible] institutions are eligible to apply for loans up to $1,000 under the Canada Students' Loan Plan and/or the Alberta Students' Assistance Act through the Students' Assistance Board of the Alberta Department of Education. A student who stands in the top quarter of his class may have up to $400 of his loan converted to a grant. Those in the second quarter, up to $200. The conversion system of grants is also in effect at the Alberta Agricultural and Vocational Colleges. Students at the Provincial institutions can win prizes up to $50 for high academic achievement as well.

*...what keeps Alberta air so clean?*

As much a part of Alberta as her mountains and prairies is clean, fresh air. To see that it stays that way, control [illegible] is [illegible] by the Sanitary Engineering Branch of the Alberta Department of Public Health. Under the regulations which the Branch administers, all industries and municipalities must exercise efficient control of pollution, not only of air, but of water as well. Sanitary Engineering experts keep a sharp eye out to make sure these rules are observed. Possible water and air pollution sources are under constant surveillance. Regular sampling programs are carried out to ensure that the effluents released to the air and to the rivers are kept within the approved limits and that the quality of the air and water is maintained at a good standard.

*...how Alberta can have its forests and cut them, too?*

Although lumber production in the Province is increasing every year, the "green gold" of Alberta's forests is NOT being depleted, thanks to the sustained yield policy maintained by the Forest Management Branch of the Alberta Forest Service, Department of Lands and Forests. Simply speaking, "sustained yield" means that for every tree felled, one, and even two, should replace the original and that the yearly cut in any area should not exceed the yearly growth. To assist in maintaining forest growth and to help ensure a perpetual supply of timber for the Province, the Alberta Forest Service has planted over one million tree seedlings in the past few years.

*...why there are fewer accidents at highway intersections in Alberta these days?*

The answer's easy. Because there are fewer highway inter-

sections, and the Planning Branch of the Alberta Department of Highways is working continuously to decrease the number still remaining. Elimination of private direct access to highways, and the replacement of public access roads by interchanges not only bring greater safety for the motorist but also prolongs the life of the highway and increases its capacity. Access control is just one way in which the Planning Branch fulfills its basic function, to ensure the maximum return to Albertans for each dollar invested in highway development.

*...how you could turn back the clock and "unbuy" an unwise purchase?*

Albertans who used to repent after buying in haste from a door-to-door salesman now have four days in which to ponder the wisdom of their action before being committed to a sales contract. Anytime within 96 hours of signing the contract, the purchaser can cancel it, under the terms of the Alberta Direct Sales Cancellation Act. The contract can be cancelled within a year if delivery is not made within 30 days of the date specified, or 120 days of the date of purchase if no date is specified. The same privilege applies if the seller was not properly licensed when he made the sale. If a cancellation notice brings no results, the purchaser may lay his claim in writing before the Alberta Minister of Industry and Development through the Licensing Branch. The Direct Sales Cancellation Act does not apply to transactions where the goods are delivered and prices paid on the spot.

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## When I

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the terrifying things human beings do to themselves, and to the people they love, when they get behind a wheel.

"Most of you are decent citizens who ordinarily wouldn't dream of committing a crime. But here on this strip of concrete that I patrol, some of you turn into wanton killers. There's no way to reason with you.

"A couple of days ago I flagged a guy in a big four-door sedan doing close to 80. His wife sat beside him and three little children were in the back seat.

"In heavy traffic like this, I told him, you should have some regard for your children's lives even if you don't value your own life.

"Listen," he said, "just give me a ticket and mind your own business. If I want to kill these children, it's my affair."

"Does that shock you? Well, consider that mild compared to some of the things motorists say to me. And yet they're the same guys I pull out from behind the steering wheel with their chests caved in, their faces bloody, their bodies broken.

"I still remember the night a group of high school students were having fun in a hayride. The big hay wagon was going slowly down the road, a couple of big red lanterns swinging behind it.

"A powerful sedan came roaring along and smashed into it, scattering the youngsters all over the road. It took a dozen ambulances to get them all to the hospital. I helped to load those poor students into the ambulances that night.

"Afterward I put the driver of the sedan in my patrol car. He was a prominent citizen who had been on his way home from a cocktail party. His tongue was thick and his legs unsteady. My testimony helped convict him and he spent a year in jail. But that didn't help the students who had skulls fractured and arms and legs broken. And you want to know why I don't smile and act pleasant when I give you a ticket?

"I wish some of you speedsters could have been along with me on an accident I investigated recently. A man, his wife, and their four children were driving in a car that had a blowout. The man pulled as far to the right as he could and with his 16-year-old daughter began to change the tire.

"An automobile that must have been going close to 90 came zooming along the road, hit the man and his daughter, and carried them 150 feet across the centre esplanade.

"I had to take pictures of these two corpses. The young girl's insides had been torn from her body, the man's head smashed. The driver of that car had spent the evening in a bar . . . and wound up with a prison sentence.

"And what about the widow and her three children? They had received a sentence from which there is no parole.

"Speeding has become a kind of game for maniacs. With one eye on the rear-view mirror the driver tries to outwit the policeman. If he is caught, he expects the policeman to maintain the spirit of the game; if the policeman doesn't he's a spoilsport.

"Lifting a woman from a wrecked car, her hip and skull fractured . . . that's no game.

"A man burning to death in a car, whose windows have been frozen by the impact, screaming to me for help I can't give him . . . hardly a game.

"A dead child curled in the grass 100 feet from a collision . . . a truck driver crying with pain while acetylene torches work to free him . . . dead servicemen who tried to go long stretches on short passes . . . a wife awakened in the night to be told her husband is dead . . . no game, I tell you, no game.

"So when I stop you for speeding and give you a ticket you may offer some kind of lame excuse and smile pleasantly, because I'm looking at you with eyes that have seen what has happened to motorists just like you.

"And although you may think that it's just your own life that's in danger . . . I know - better!"

—From The Canadian Mennonite.

## Early graduates invited to SAIT

Canada's oldest technical institute, the Southern Alberta Institute of Technology, is scouring the country for a graduate of the 1916 class to help celebrate its 50th anniversary, October 12th. Donald Fleming, principal of the institute, is confident that, somewhere in Canada a graduate of the first courses begun in 1916 at the Colonel Walker school will be found. The first graduate will receive a prize and an all-expense paid trip to Calgary for the jubilee celebrations.

At the outset, the school was called the Provincial Institute of Technology and Art and the principal was Dr. J. C. Miller, Alberta's first director of technical education. In 1922 the offices and classes of about 800 students enrolled at the insitute were moved to a $1.5 million building, which still serves the institute.

Since the founding of the institute in 1916 when five students registered for classes under seven instructors, more than 50,000 students have enrolled for technical courses. Nearly 7,000 of them are enrolled at the institute today.

A warm invitation is extended to all of the earliest graduates to return to the campus for jubilee celebrations. They are asked to write or phone Mr. Fleming at the institute.

On the morning of Jubilee Day an Open House will be held for former staff and students who will be able to see the many changes over the years and the current construction of the institute's 12 million dollar Tower Building. Dr. Grant MacEwan will give an official address in the afternoon and a banquet and dance at the Calgary Inn will take place in the evening. Guest speaker will be F. C. Jorgenson, formerly principal of the SAIT and now principal of Toronto's Ryerson Polytechnical Institute.


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## FUTURE DATES

**ANNUAL BAZAAR AND TEA**

The Afternoon Branch of Holy Trinity W.A. will hold their Annual Bazaar and Tea in the Library Room on November 19, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. 7-11-12p-3419

## ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heitman, of Tofield, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Teresa Marie, to Mr. John Stewart Ellis, son of Mrs. Stanley Ellis and the late Mr. Ellis of Edmonton. The wedding will take place November 19, at 3:00 p.m., in St. Francis Xavier Church, Camrose. 7p-3415

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# Church services

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Oct. 16th
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Service.

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Oct. 16th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Theme: "Substance and Heritage".
"Speak words that keep men and women on their feet". —Job 4:4.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
Summer Schedule
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
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RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
Anglican
Sunday Services
Sunday, Oct. 16—Laymen's Sunday Preacher: Mr. Thor Andreason, formerly of Kingman now of Camrose.
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion except 1st Sunday of Month.
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion 1st Sunday of Month.
11:00 a.m.—Matins all other Sundays.
10:30 a.m.—Holy Communion with address, Saints Days and other Holy Days.
Text for week: "Choose this day whom you will serve but as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord". —Joshua 22:14-15. RSV

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, Oct. 16th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
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Sunday, Oct. 16th
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11:15 a.m.—Sunday School.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Pastor Stanley Rude
Ryley, Alberta
Sunday, Oct. 16th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

## Quick Canadian Quiz

1. How many of the world's 24 Standard Time Zones cross Canadian territory?
2. Of the seven million Canadians with jobs, how many are employed in farming, in retailing, in manufacturing?
3. Succession duties provide what proportion of federal government revenues?
4. In 1955 the average work-week in Canadian manufacturing was 41 hours and the average weekly wage was $59.45. What are the current figures?
5. Which Canadian air line has the greatest mileage of regularly scheduled routes?

ANSWERS: 5. Canadian Pacific Airlines, 15,267 miles; Air Canada has 39,640 miles. 3. Last year succession duties provided only $97 million of Ottawa's $7.1 billion revenues. 1. Seven. 4. In August of this year, 41.1 hours, $86.10 weekly wage. 2. In farming, 630,000; in retailing 700,000; in manufacturing 1,600,000.


## NOTICE OF POLL

# TOWN OF TOFIELD

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an Election will be held for the offices of

**Councillors of the Town of Tofield**

and that Polling will take place on

**Wednesday, Oct. 19th. 1966**

from ten o'clock in the forenoon until seven o'clock in the afternoon at the Council Chambers of the Town Hall.

— ALSO —

**Fluoridation Plebiscite Vote**

will be taken at the same time and place.

RITA HALVERSON,
Returning Officer. (6-7)


# Pay-day after over 50 years

After over half a century since earning the money for services rendered in a coal mine, two Camrose men have finally been paid off.

Ed Wilcox visited The Canadian one day last week, bringing a long list of men, many of them deceased or moved away from this area, who had been employed by the Battle River Collieries, when it went bankrupt in 1915. He had been engineer at the mine when it "went broke", while still owing him $200 in wages. Emil Sigmund is the only other Camrose man still on the list, who is in the area, and he received $77.00 back salary.

Originally owned by a partnership of Rosenroll and Anderson, the Battle River Coal mine was located three miles east of Ohaton, near what is now Highway 13, and mounds of earth in the area still mark the scars of the venture. With the passing of the years, a Saskatoon buyer tried to put the mine back on a paying basis, but he, too, went bankrupt and abandoned the business.

It was through the National Trust Company that the preferred creditors were finally paid the back wages, from coal and mineral rights which had been retained by the Rosenroll estate, and for which the National was the solicitors.

Anyway, as Mr. Wilcox remarked, "It's a long time to wait for pay-day".

## Heads AWNA

Tom Ford of The Lacombe Globe was elected president of the Alberta Weekly Newspapers Association for 1966-67, succeeding George Meyer of The Taber Times, and formerly of The Canadian.

Mr. Ford, 44, has been connected with the newspaper business since his father, the late H. J. Ford, took over The Globe in 1945.

Vice-president is Len Droum of The St. Paul Journal and second vice-president, Ashley Cooper of The Vermilion Standard.


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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The Lakeshore UCW will hold their October meeting at the home of Mrs. Isabel Rudzcki on Wednesday, Oct. 19th, at 2 p.m. Anyone having nylons ready, please bring them to the meeting.

Mrs. Gertie Cunningham and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cunningham, all of Calgary, and Mrs. Fisk of Lacombe, arrived Sunday afternoon [illegible] were [illegible] supper and evening guests at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg in Tofield.

Leroy and Shirley Eaton and two children, Margie and Ronnie of Holden and Jack Johnston were Thanksgiving guests at a turkey supper at the home of Leroy's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton.

Roy and Ruth Wickenberg and Ernie Collins motored to Edmonton with Janet Wickenberg on Monday, Thanksgiving Day, where they were guests of Roy and Ruth's eldest daughter, Mrs. Norman (Vivian) Jones at a Thanksgiving dinner and supper. Janet and Vivian brought them home in the evening and were coffee guests of their parents before returning to their home in Edmonton.

Mrs. Don (Lil) Ball and her daughter, Mrs. June Jacobs, all of Edmonton, and Miss Jean Sinclair of Owen Sound, Ont., spent Friday visiting at the home of Lil's sister, Vi, and Elmer Geoglein.

Vi and Elmer Geoglein and their son and daughter-in-law, Ronnie and Barb Geoglein, and little daughter, Sydney, motored to Ardrossan where they were Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of their son and brother, Elmer, and Vivian Geoglein and family.

Charlie and Mickey Niemetz and son, Doug, motored to Vernon, B.C., on Saturday where they visited before returning home Monday evening.

Miss Barbara Baines of Edmonton spent the Thanksgiving weekend at the home of her aunt Mrs. Ethel Wood and son, Donald, returning home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel (Carol) Young and family of Edmonton were Monday, Thanksgiving Day visitors at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood. Carol is the daughter of Mrs. Mabel Wood, Hanna (a cousin of Mel Wood).

**This is Red Cross month in Tofield and district. Anyone donating to this worthy cause, please have your donation ready when the canvasser calls.**

Mrs. Johnny (Gloria) Wood and small daughter, Cathy, motored to Onoway on Sunday where they were Sunday overnight and Monday guests at the home of Gloria's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller. They returned home Monday evening.

Laurie Weatherill, who is attending the Vermilion School of Agriculture spent the Thanksgiving weekend at the home of his parents Harold and Margaret Weatherill. He returned to Vermilion on Monday evening.

George and Ida Niemetz were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen. Morley's parents, Hans and Martha Jacobsen of Edmonton were also Sunday overnight and Monday visitors there.

George and Ida Niemetz and their daughter and son-in-law, Gail and Bob Ozubko, attended the show "Sound of Music" at the Varscona Theatre in Edmonton on Thanksgiving Monday evening. Later George and Ida were coffee guests at the home of Gail and Bob in Edmonton before returning home.

Martha and Emil Tiedemann of Lakeshore, Sandy and Irene Scott and daughter, Betty Ann of Lindbrook, Stanley and Keitha Brown of Ketchamoot, Mrs. Gussie Brown of Agazzi, B.C., were Saturday evening visitors at the home of Martha and Emil's daughter and son-in-law, Yvonne and Peter Young of Ketchamoot. They enjoyed the showing of home movies by Gussie of trips she had taken both in B.C. and the United States. Yvonne later served lunch and coffee to her guests.

The first snow flurries of the fall fell shortly after noon on Tuesday with just a trace falling and melting as it fell. A very heavy frost also hit the district that night.

## LOCALS . . .

Miss Victoria Ingram of Mill Valley, Calif., arrived by air on Saturday evening and will visit at the home of her nieces, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bruce and W. E. Ferguson for awhile. Miss Ingram is an old-timer to Tofield folks.

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**ANY NEWS?**

The Mercury would much appreciate your interest in telephoning news items telling of visits of relatives and friends and any other items of interest —phone 662-4046.

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## Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

Mrs. Glen Bailey is recovering from surgery in the Misericordia Hospital, Edmonton.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Kwasnecha and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Keller of Edmonton.

Larry Schacher, Gary Dromarsky, Ronnie and Dennis Morris helped Doyle VanBuskirk celebrate his 10th birthday on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Beauregard and family spent the weekend with Maurice's family near Moose Jaw, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Snider and boys spent Sunday with Alma's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hennig, at Andrew.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Schacher of Medicine Hat are spending some time visiting relatives in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Van Buskirk and boys motored to Busby for the weekend to visit Lil's sister, Mrs. Jerry Miller, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Borstad and family, of Grande Prairie, spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Graham Snider.

**WEEKEND BIRTHDAYS**

Mr. and Mrs. Max Schacher and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Schacher and Tracy were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schacher at Sherwood Park. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schmidt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Art Schacher of Medicine Hat and Mr. and Mrs. Rolley Schacher of Edmonton. Rolley and Dale Schacher were celebrating their birthdays, and everyone enjoyed a delicious turkey supper.

Mrs. Ann Klatchuk left on Friday for a few days' holiday in Calgary, and then she will accompany her brother on a trip to British Columbia.

Miss Vivian Antoniuk demonstrated at a jewellery party at the home of her mother, Mrs. Fred Antoniuk.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cossey and family were Thanksgiving supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sadoway, at Delph.

**U.C.W. MEETING**

The Ross Creek United Church Women held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Mary Ferrel on Wednesday evening, with Mrs. Winnie McLachlan and Mrs. Wilma as hostesses. A Hallowe'en Tea is planned for Oct. 29th.

## Bardo LCW meets at Erickson home

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Oct. 11th — Twenty-two members and two visitors were present at the October meeting of the LCW which was held at the home of Mrs. Borghild Erickson on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Mabel Johnson read a Psalm of Thanksgiving for devotion and Mrs. Gladys Severson led the Bible study on the Sacrament of Baptism. Mrs. Olive Foshaug gave the offering meditation.

Election of officers resulted as follows: pres., Mrs. Bernice Helberg; vice-pres., Mrs. Diane Rell; sec., Mrs. Olive Foshaug; treas., Mrs. Evelyn Foshaug; education sec., Mrs. Mary Finseth; stewardship sec., Mrs. Norma Anderson; cleaning committee, Mrs. Selma Cinnamon; auditors, Mrs. Agnes Haukedal and Mrs. Borghild Rude.

The annual "Inga-hering" day was set for November 11th at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Nora Anderson and Mrs. Esther Brekkan assisted the hostess to serve lunch.


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**SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, Oct. 15th:**
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# Locals around town

Mrs J A I Smith and daughter, Edith Mary, spent the Thanksgiving holidays at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

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Miss Mildred Herman of Winnipeg, who was in Edmonton last week attending the conference of Occupational Therapists, was a guest at the Anglican Rectory during the weekend.

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Rev W. L. and Mrs Hammett attended the H M Tory memorial lecture given at the Edmonton auditorium on Tuesday. The guest speaker was Dr. Chester Ronning of Camrose who spoke on "Canada and Revolution in Asia".

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The Rev. A. G. L. Lancaster of Melton Mowbray, England, returned to England by plane on Monday after spending a month visiting his brother Bill Lancaster in Tofield.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Garford were pleasantly surprised last Friday evening when members of the Gun Club and other friends called on them at their new home for a house-warming and 25th anniversary celebration. The evening was spent playing court whist followed by lunch and the cutting of a three tiered wedding cake. Bill Fream presented them with a set of stainless steel silverware as a remembrance from their friends.

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**BIG SPUD!**

This seems to be a year for large vegetables, and again this week Mrs Ray Henrikksen brought in a Pontiac potato weighing 4 lbs grown in their garden in Tofield.

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Mr and Mrs. Jos. E. Kauffman have taken up residence in Blunt's Nursing Home in South Edmonton, and were the first guests to move in.

**LOTS OF PIE!**

Bobby Brown, age 10, son of Mr. and Mrs Kenneth Brown has a pumpkin weighing 35 lbs. It was on display in the Tofield Mercury office last week.

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Mr. and Mrs Bill Richards of Banff visited recently at the Lancaster home and with friends in Holden and Tofield. Mrs Lancaster is a sister of Mr. Richards.

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**80th BIRTHDAY**

D. G. McCarthy celebrated his 80th birthday on October 4th Mr McCarthy was an old-timer in Tofield until he moved to Edmonton a number of years ago He suffers quite severely from arthritis.

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Jack Nolan was home from the University of Saskatchewan for the weekend.

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RCMP Cpl Greene and Mrs Greene and family of Evansburg and Mr and Mrs Hirant Sundberg were dinner and afternoon guests at the John Wall home last Sunday.

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Rev W H McDannold and Mrs McDannold were honored on their 25th wedding anniversary recently at the home of Mr and Mrs. Jack Armstrong (Mrs McDannold's niece) of Edmonton at which time three of Mrs McDannold's sisters were also present.

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Father J. L. Scriven is spending a few days in Calgary.

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**WORLD TOUR**

Mr and Mrs R A Wilson Edmonton, Markle Pecover, Calgary, Mr and Mrs John Wall and daughters, Vicky and Anne were Thanksgiving Day guests at the Stinson home. Mr. Pecover is on the start of a world tour by boat. Mr. Pecover, Mrs. Wilson and Mr. Stinson went to school together in Arden, Manitoba, many years ago.

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Tofield Lions Club held their first semi-monthly meeting on Tuesday at 6:30 p.m., with Lion "Chick" Blacklock, president, in the chair. Business for the meeting was pushed along as the club was making the annual canvass for CNIB after the meeting. Matters reported on were the baseball pool, new members' names, a possible variety night concert tentatively set for Nov 2nd. Lion Graham Allan allotted the streets to the members for their attention.

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A. D. Clutterham, an old-timer of Tofield, and now of Vancouver, is visiting son, Blake, daughter, Eva, and families in Edmonton, and at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Edith Rogers in Tofield.

## 4-H club...

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Alberta. The experience she had will surely help the Club.

Laurie Weatherill, who was the efficiency winner, attended Vermilion Club Week, and due to his achievements there won a $100 scholarship towards a year at the Vermilion School of Agriculture which he is now attending. He will be sorely missed this winter in the local 4-H Club.

Grant Cossey attended one of the Junior Camps at Gold Eye, as representative of Mundare Farmers' Union. He will be going back to a camp for outstanding members who attended one of five camps in 1966. Grant is to be congratulated on winning this scholarship, and it is hoped he will bring back new ideas for the 4-H Club from the Leadership Camp that he will attend next year.

These members have gained valuable information which they can now pass on to the local club, and in future years other members will have the opportunity of winning similar trips.


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# Tie for Tofield Council

Tofield experienced an unusual development in yesterday's election, when two candidates tied for second place. With two seats on council open, B. A. Everett headed the polls with 122 votes, and was returned to office for another term. However, J. G. Allan and G. Pittet tied for second place with 113 votes each.

In accordance with Section 187 of the Act governing elections, Returning Officer Rita Halvorson conducted a draw, with the result that Mr. Pittet was declared elected.

Mr Allan was seeking re-election, while Mr. Pittet had not previously held office. Another new candidate, T. Robt. Nahrebeski ran fourth with 109 votes.

248 voters turned out to the polls, out of a possible 480, making 51%.

HOMEWARD BOUND An autumn day draws to a close as horse and rider plod back to the stable and supper This young lass is one of many Canadian youngsters who enjoy the brisk fall winds which whistle through the hills during a ride on the range. TNS Photo.

## Fluoride defeated

Fluoride treatment for the Tofield water supply was turned down by a narrow margin yesterday, when 116 voters opposed the program, as compared with 112 in favor. A simple majority was needed to pass the measure.

An unusual incident took place Tuesday evening, The Mercury was told. Following a comparatively uneventful period leading up to the plebiscite, a group of visitors circulated through town about 10:00 o'clock Tuesday evening, leaving pamphlets at each home.

"They simply rang the bell, dropped a pamphlet and disappeared into the darkness", reported one citizen. "We had no chance to question them or even see who they were". It was felt afterwards that the doubts developed by the pamphlet probably swung enough of the votes to defeat the measure.

## Holden student wins Gov.-General's medal

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Gary Bilyk, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bilyk received the news last week that he had been awarded the Governor-General's medal for highest marks in grade nine departmental examinations in the County of Beaver.

He was advised that this had been sent to Mr. Bruce, Superintendent of Schools for County of Beaver and would be presented to him at a future date. Gary is to be congratulated on his achievement as he has taken a three year course in two years.

## Ryley voters turn out in force; elect Stumbo, Mrs. Kozdrowski

There has not been a lady on Ryley Village Council for a long time, but Mrs. Jean Kozdrowski was elected, October 19, to fill one of the two vacancies. She is one of the three ladies who were nominated this year and added zest to the election, the others being Mrs. Barbara Harbak and Mrs. Gertrude Mizera. Jack Stumbo was re-elected to fill the other vacancy and the only other nominee, Jack Dryer, was defeated.

Votes cast gave the following results: Stumbo, 107; Kozdrowski, 61; Mizera, 67; Harbak, 46; Dryer, 37.

**HIGH PERCENTAGE CAST VOTES**

The voters turned out in force as a total of 200 votes were cast out of a possible 216 who were eligible to vote in the election.

The Mercury was informed by a Ryley citizen that Mrs. Kozdrowski and her farming husband are extremely community-minded people. They have a grown-up family, one son being employed by the Treasury Branch in Edmonton the other at Beaver Motors, Holden, and their daughter is married. Until recently, Mrs. Kozdrowski operated a garage business in Ryley. She was active in getting the curling rink built in the village.

Mr. Stumbo owns the trucking business in Ryley, known as Jack's Transport, and he has been on the council for a number of years.

An organizational meeting of the Village Council will be held October 24, when members will vote for the position of mayor from among themselves. Bob Cross is the mayor of the village at present.

Carl Nord was returned to the school board by acclamation.

## THE WEATHER ...

| Oct. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 12 | 41 | 22 | 30.36 | —— |
| 13 | — | — | 30.20 | —— |
| 14 | 55 | 22 | 30.28 | —— |
| 15 | 52 | 30 | 30.24 | —— |
| 16 | 53 | 21 | —— | —— |

## Holden OORP lodge has October meeting

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Holden Lodge OORP held their regular monthly meeting, Tuesday, Oct. 11th with a good turnout of members.

Regular business was attended to and committee reports received. A report of the Chamber of Commerce supper held Tuesday, Oct. 14th was also given. The project for the year was discussed and tentative plans made regarding this endeavour, which will be to supply some equipment for the Tots Playground in the near future. Final plans were discussed for the rummage sale and tea, Saturday, Oct. 15th. Lunch hostesses were ladies Campbell and Hardy.

## Ryley High School news

After a week of nominations, a new executive council for Ryley School was elected, as follows: Gail Lyons, president; Charlotte Zuk, vice-president; Dolores Nord, secretary; Yvonne Vergette, treasurer; Tommy Annebo, social convener; Ethel Kope, girls' sports representative; John Booth, boys' sports rep.; Dolores Nord, reporter.

Once again the R.H.S. Yearbook is going to be published, and anyone wishing to buy one must order now. The editors are Sharon Mizera and Darlene Kubin. The annual Curtis drive began the middle of September and ended the first of October.

**INITIATION ANTICS**

On Sept. 24, Ryley Grade 10's had the honor of being initiated. Outsiders coming into the school saw Grade 10's in diapers, bibs, mothers, maternity smocks baby dolls, boys in skirts, girls in overalls, etc. That night a party was held in their honor, and on coming into a dark gym they found themselves being hit with papers by their superiors. After being put through a Kangaroo Court, a dance was thoroughly enjoyed.

During September, Ryley students took part in "Cross Country Trials". The track was set up in a nearby field.

House leagues are now being planned for both Senior and Junior High Students are enjoying Sack Hops, held during the noon hour.

## Tofield Community League planning masquerade ball

Bill Davison and Peter Nickel of the Tofield Community League have completed arrangements for the League's Masquerade Ball on Hallowe'en.

This revival of the Masquerade Ball at Hallowe'en will arouse nostalgic memories for many of the people of the Tofield community as it used to be the highlight of the fall season.

Once again, everyone will have a chance to dress in the costume of his heart's desire, and some really excellent ones will be seen. Anyone in costume is admitted to the Ball for 75c; those without costume will pay $1.00 each.

All types of music will be played, so that old-timer and "young-timer" alike will be able to dance to his favorite type of music, beginning at 9:00 o'clock.

So the committee urges everyone to let his imagination run riot and find expression in a really fantastic costume. Of course, prizes will be awarded for several classes of costumes. So, whether you come to dance or to be entranced by the costumes, you are assured of an enjoyable evening.

At a meeting of the League on October 4, tentative plans were made for a merchandise bingo to be held. The Thanksgiving bingo was well attended, and a similarly large crowd is expected for this next affair.

## Elections at Holden by acclamation

All vacancies in the Village of Holden were filled by acclamation on nomination day, September 28, reported Secretary-Treasurer Raymond Hovland.

Three posts were open for nomination, including mayor, councillor and hospital board representative.

Bruce Budd continues in office as mayor, Lawrence Kaluzny retains his seat on the council and Don Allen continues on the board of Tofield Municipal Hospital.

# Should be legal

Within an hour of the running of the Irish sweepstakes last week, we were fascinated to hear reports broadcast over the location of major wins in Canada, and news sources seemed also to know the names of many of the winners. We found it a fascinating display of rapid news gathering.

But more important, it shows how openly and easily the law on sweepstakes is being flouted. Large numbers of Canadians are laughing at the law and this is not a good situation nor one which we should allow to continue. If the law cannot be enforced, then it should be changed, and certainly you can't enforce a law which doesn't have public support.

We well know that many people in our society frown on sweepstakes as immoral, and we can sympathize with their viewpoint. All the same, you cannot legislate morality, if people aren't willing to support the legislation. Nobody who doesn't want to has to buy a sweepstake ticket, and those who oppose sweeps need not have their personal morality offended.

But we should recognize that people are going to buy lottery tickets, and some will buy them especially for the vicarious thrill of doing something undercover or mysterious. We should provide lotteries run by the government, without the abuses of private or illicit operations, in the same way we have turned the liquor traffic and the pari-mutuels over to the government.

# Controls inevitable

Two sets of figures reached our desk this week which, when put together, indicate the inevitability of some sort of controls on motor scooters due to the fast rising rate of accidents from them. One was an official record of accidents released by Alberta Minister of Highways Gordon Taylor, the other a somewhat dramatic but very persuading piece from the Alberta Safety Council.

While there were 421 scooter accidents last year, according to the council, there have been 466 in the first seven months alone of this year, according to Mr. Taylor. Partly, of course, the reason lies with the very rapidly rising number of machines registered. They have more than doubled from 4,879 four years ago to 10,660 at the end of last August.

But here's the rub . . . 466 accidents means an average of one to every 23 bikes. Compared to automobiles, we would think this is an appalling record. Mr Taylor's [illegible] one interesting light here [illegible] only 43 [illegible] or well under [illegible] of the accidents did the accidents [illegible] be the fault of the scooter driver, with other parties apparently at fault in the larger 57. What this indicates may be hard to explain without more information.

While five persons were killed this [illegible] per cent of the accidents [illegible] we would think is [illegible] the rate for auto accidents [illegible]. However 374 people were injured including 269 drivers and [illegible] passengers, a few pedestrians and others.

By far the worst age group is the 15 year-olds, with 124 accidents, followed by the 16 year-olds, then the 14 year-olds, and older groups.

And four out of five accidents took place in daylight.

According to doctors studying the accidents, an incredible ninety per cent of major injuries affected the lower extremities, single or multiple fractures of tibia, femur or pelvis. They point out there is a serious exposure to crushing forces, and urge that those who intend to ride motorcycles (including scooters) first receive special instruction and then demonstrate proficiency in handling what doctors say is "basically an unstable vehicle" before using one in traffic.

Those old enough to recall the pattern in the last world war will also recall the incredible frequency of serious accidents among motorbike riders in various wings of the army, so that the phenomenon is nothing new. The Safety Council points out the bikes are definitely [illegible] following the introduction of low priced foreign makes offering economical transportation and great glamor for the young go-go set.

But they also point out a motorcyclist skilled in solo riding isn't necessarily capable of safely toting a friend on his machine since the techniques of leaning on turns, braking, accelerating and so on are definitely different.

One thing seems sure [illegible] there is bound to be a tightening up in Alberta, and many citizens will rejoice when it develops. They seem to cause an alarm out of proportion to their number.

# Bullying

The public is quick to object to the big bully who picks on little chaps and knocks them around but what do you do with the little bully who keeps on picking on big fellows, and dares them to hit back?

Just for instance look at the ridiculous situation in northern British Columbia where the economy of many thousands of citizens and many towns has been knocked for a loop by the strike of only 400 non-operating employees of the railway. Some of these people and their businesses have been critically affected.

Sure the non-ops have rights, just as any other laborers. But they're outnumbered more than 100 to one by the people who have been injured. Don't the 100 have rights too?

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# Centennial report

by JOHN W. FISHER
CENTENNIAL COMMISSIONER

You've heard of the population explosion. Have you heard about the information explosion?

In this fast age, I am told, mankind's total knowledge is increased daily by thousands of items of new information produced by scientists, engineers and other professionals. The problem is how to get the information out to people who can use it. It's no good filed away in [illegible].

In a way we are faced with problems of an information explosion at the Centennial Commission. The Confederation Exhibition Train and Caravans touring Canada from coast to coast next year, for example, will be stopping at more than 800 communities. That means more than 800 place names and more than 800 sets of dates and we want all the people in the 800 communities to know about them.

The Train and Caravans represent merely one challenge in the business of Centennial information distribution. Itineries for the 3,500-mile Centennial Canoe Pageant, the Armed Forces' Military Tattoo, dates for the naval assemblies in coastal ports, air shows, Festival Canada performances across the land—travelling exhibits of paintings and sculpture and world sport championships—people want to know what, where and when about all these and the many more national events of Centennial year. In addition there are still more planned by the provinces and territories, plus local activities sponsored by communities and private organ[illegible].

Advertisements in the press and over television and radio, of course, will herald events in the cities and towns in the weeks before the occasions. But to let all the people in all of Canada know months in advance about every date and every location for each event, we believe, would create an information explosion on the order of about six megatons. (Our theorists at the Centennial Commission also advise that it couldn't be done!)

It's a great challenge to get information out across the land to all the people, especially when some of the projects are still in the planning stage.

I think one member of my listening audience realized that when she asked a question in an [illegible]:

"I'm from White Rock, British Columbia, and I'm having friends from the States visiting in the middle of May. Can you tell me what is happening in our area then?"

Well, fortunately I had a set of our computerized data books with me and was able to answer, after a little searching. One of the Confederation Caravans would be stopping in White Rock for two days in May, the 13th and 14th.

Not that we can come up with all the answers all of the time, but I realize that a lot [illegible] people in many places h[illegible] similar questions in their m[illegible].

May I suggest, if you [illegible] find the right answers, that you try Information Services, Centennial Commission, P.O. Box 1967, Ottawa. We'll try to beat this information explosion yet!

# MacDuff Ottawa Report

NINE ROBED JUDGES

OTTAWA — On any ordinary day there is little human drama in the paneled rooms of the Supreme Court of Canada.

The nine robed judges sit in [illegible] hearing appeals from lower courts.

There is little of the air of the ordinary courtroom where every day human frailty and dreams and human folly are compressed within the framework of law.

But early in October, all that was changed.

The Supreme Court opened an historic review of the case of Steven Truscott, and the world rushed in.

There were witnesses in the [illegible] demonstrations, high strategy by opposing counsel, tough [illegible] examination and cross-examination, bursts of anger and tension.

This unprecedented review by the Supreme Court of Canada has not yet been completed.

But by Christmas Steven Truscott should know whether or not his last appeal has paid off, whether he'll be a free man or whether he'll continue serving a life sentence for the rape and murder of 12-year-old Lynne Harper, near Clinton, Ontario, in June of 1959.

This is a chance not many convicted murderers get. Steven Truscott was convicted in 1959, sentenced to death for the crime.

He appealed to the Supreme Court of Ontario and the appeal was dismissed. He appealed to the Supreme Court of Canada and the appeal was refused.

His death sentence was commuted to life imprisonment in January 1960 and he has been serving that sentence ever since.

We have it on the authority of the then Prime Minister John Diefenbaker that had Steven Truscott been 16 or [illegible] instead of 14, he would not be alive today to plead his innocence before the Supreme Court of Canada.

The death sentence would have been carried out.

This fact alone gives point to the revival of the Steven Truscott case seven years after the event.

It was the publication of a book by Mrs. Isabel LeBourdais this year and mounting [illegible] concern that Steven Truscott may not have received a fair trial, that led the Government to act.

The Government asked the Supreme Court, in effect, to review the whole case, receive whatever new evidence was available and deliver a judgment.

That set off a determined effort to prove that Steven Truscott, who has always protested his innocence of the horrible crime, is really innocent.

At the same time the Ontario Attorney General's Department, while equally determined not to condemn an innocent man, set out to prove that the trial was fair and that the convicting evidence was valid.

[illegible] it clear from the beginning that the Truscott family would not be financially responsible for defence costs at the Supreme Court hearing, has spared no expense.

Arthur Martin, probably Canada's top criminal lawyer, is acting as Truscott's chief counsel. Defence witnesses, medical experts have been brought in from London, the United States, and many parts of Canada.

During the hearing of evidence in early October the defence bent every effort to support Steven Truscott's own description of the events on June 9, 1959.

Steven himself testifying for the first time on his own behalf, swore before the nine Supreme Court judges that he was innocent of the crime.

He testified that he had met Lynne Harper shortly after 7.00 p.m. on June 9, 1959, and at her

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# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Vernon Story, eldest son of Mr and Mrs Arthur Story who is in the RCAF was recently promoted to Corporal. He and his family are stationed in Winnipeg.

Mr and Mrs. Sam Black and family had Mrs. Black's sister and brother-in-law of Edmonton as visitors and dinner guests on Sunday, Thanksgiving weekend.

Harry Michlich spent Monday of the Thanksgiving holiday weekend visiting with his daughter Betty, her husband and small grandson at Wembley.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hovland and family of Hillsdown, Mr. and Mrs. and Lewie Forre and Chester of Bawlf were dinner guests and visitors at the home of Chris Hovland, Rueben and Ray, Sunday of the holiday weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Malowny and children of Edmonton were visitors during the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Kate Malowny.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knudson were Thursday morning callers and coffee guests at the home of Chris Hoveland and sons.

IT'S A GIRL

Mr and Mrs. Geo. H Taylor received word by wire, Tuesday evening from England, that their son Brian and his wife Dineke, were the proud parents of a baby girl, born October 11th, a sister for their two sons, Ernest and Ronald. Mr. and Mrs. Brian Taylor are presently residing at Godstone, Surrey, England.

Mrs. Olaf Chetney was an Edmonton visitor, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, with her husband Olaf, who is a hospital patient. Mrs. Chetney returned to the city Saturday morning to spend a week or two as Olaf has not been very well the past week. She will be staying with her daughter, Gladys and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bladillo while in Edmonton.

Mrs John Nordstrom who has been visiting with her daughter and family at Airdrie for the past month returned home the end of last week.

Mrs. Joe Hooper, son Melvin and Mrs. Mabel Sizer were recent Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Good in Edmonton. They later visited with Joe Hooper in the Good Samaritan Home.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Joe Hooper during the Thanksgiving holiday weekend with most of the family present.

Mrs. Bud Sizer, her daughter Carol and baby of Edmonton were visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. Mabel Sizer a week ago Saturday.

BAPTISM

Grant Donald, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Maxwell of Viking, was baptized at the Thanksgiving Service in the Holden Lutheran Church on Oct. 9th. After the service a family dinner was held at the home of Mrs. Maxwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hurum.

Nels Hvild was visiting around the village for a couple of days last week.

# 300 more pheasants released in area

## . . . ducks plentiful

On Thursday of last week 330 pheasants were released along the railroad right-of-way between Lake Demay and Round Hill. The birds were from the government station at Brooks and were all roosters, fully matured, feathered and carrying leg bands. Any hunter who shoots a banded bird is expected to give the band number to the local Fish & Wildlife officer along with information as to where and when the bird was shot or send this information to that department in Edmonton.

The duck harvest is reported by Fish & Wild Life Officer, Bob Hennig to be excellent but few upland birds have been downed so far. He states that most hunters are keeping to their quota of not more than six ducks per day which must include three Mallards, or three pheasants in one day. Only two hunters have been caught so far infringing the rules, one of them having no hunting license and the other had too many Mallards.

# MacDuff . . .

(Continued from Page Two)

request, had given her a lift on his bicycle to a highway.

He said he had then returned to a nearby bridge from which he had seen Lynne Harper enter a grey, 1959 Chevrolet with yellow licence plates. That was the last time he had seen her.

He himself returned home shortly after 8:00 p.m. to babysit with the younger children in the family.

The simple reconstruction of events was of supreme significance. Doctors at his trial estimated the time of death of the Harper girl at between 7.00 and 7.45 p.m.

Steven had been seen in her company just before then.

At the Supreme Court hearing defence witnesses with impressive medical qualifications testified that their examination of numerous photos of the body and of the autopsy report convinced them she had died much later.

Crown witnesses with equally impressive backgrounds said they were sure she had died within two hours of her last meal, in other words, before 8.00 p.m.

A mass of evidence on the possible time of death, the place of death, and the cause of death, was placed before the Supreme Court. Each side had impressive arguments, impressive witnesses.

Now the judges of the Supreme Court will have to weigh the arguments, assess the evidence, and decide whether one young man was properly or improperly convicted.

At the same time they will be deciding issues central to our legal system. Is there a reasonable doubt about Steven Truscott's guilt? Was he given the benefit of doubt? Or was this slim, unemotional young man demonstrably guilty of a terrible crime? What are the possible margins of error in any legal proceeding, and what are the chances of any person being wrongfully convicted in a Can[illegible].

Even our Supreme Court judges may not be able to give all the answers. What is important, however, is that the questions are being asked.

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# The Ryley Times

MR. AND MRS. C. GALLINGER

## Gallinger-Schultz wedding solemnized on October 1

The Tofield United Church was the scene of a pretty candlelight ceremony on Saturday, Oct. 1, when Betsy-Ann Schultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schultz was given in marriage to Claude Gallinger Jr., son of Mrs. Dorothy Gallinger and the late Mr. Wilmar Gallinger all of Tofield.

Performing the double-ring ceremony was Rev. W. H. McDonould. Mrs. J. E. Stinson was organist and Master David Schultz was candlelighter. Mrs. R. Sitka sang "The Lord's Prayer" during the ceremony and while the register was being signed, rendered 'I'll Walk With God".

Entering the church on the arm of her father, the bride was radiant in her floor-length gown of peau de sole featuring an empire waist and half sleeves edged in white lace. The separate train which flowed from the waist accented the graceful line of the gown. Her shoulder length veil cascaded from a coronet of pearls and her bouquet was of talisman roses.

Floor length gowns of peacock blue peau de sole with matching headpieces and gloves were worn by the bride's attendants. Each of the girls carried bouquets of coral carnations and yellow daisies. Miss Frances Schultz was her sister's maid of honor. Misses Marion Hardy and Janet Stuebner were her bridesmaids.

Attending the groom were Mr. Michael Gallinger, Harold Ferguson and Roy Reem. Ushers were Brian Schultz, the bride's brother and Alex Martin, friend of the groom.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Schultz chose a gold two-piece silk knit suit with matching feathered hat and gloves; black patent accessories and talisman roses en corsage. Mrs. Gallinger mother of the groom, wore a jacketed dress of gold and turquoise brocade, with gold hat and bone colored accessories. Her corsage was also talisman roses.

Following the wedding, a reception for 170 guests was held in the church parlors. Kenneth Appleby was master of ceremonies and Miss Margie McGarvey was in charge of the guest book. Cal Annis proposed the toast to the bride to which the groom happily responded. Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Wood of Clonaida rendered a sacred duet, and Keith Appleby sang two solos.

An evening of dancing was held in the community centre later.

For going away the bride chose a mustard wool suit with brown accessories and talisman roses en corsage. Following a honeymoon to Oregon and the West Coast, the happy couple are making their home in Tofield.

Open house was held on Sunday afternoon and evening at the home of the bride's parents to view the wedding gifts.

Pouring tea during the afternoon were Mrs. D. W. Jacobs, Mrs. Lloyd Cribb, Mrs. Laurie Blades and Mrs. Lief Foshaug. Misses Phyllis Foshaug and Donna Jacobsen were in charge of the guest book.

During the evening, Mrs. Michael Erickson, Mrs. Conrad Patterson, Mrs. Annie McGuttie, and Mrs. Bert Everett poured tea. Mrs. Lorne Lee and Mrs. George Niemetz were in charge of the guest book.

I like the man whose life teems with action — action that makes the world better for all of us.

## Dodds-Ryley

(Mrs. Oliver Lehman)

DODDS - RYLEY, Oct. 13 — Mr and Mrs. Gordon Lang and family of Newbrook spent the Thanksgiving weekend with Mr and Mrs Lloyd Sarsam.

Mr and Mrs Hjalmer Hjelter, their three daughters and granddaughter of Newbrook, Mrs. Ludwig Lorde, Hjalmer Hjelter and Helma and Mr. and Mrs Oliver Lehman were Tuesday guests with Mr and Mrs Ole Hjelter in Tofield.

Miss Lorna Lehman was a Sunday overnight guest with Carolane Sarsam.

## Locals . . .

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. McHaffey on Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs Fred Metcalfe of Fort Saskatchewan, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Warner and three daughters of Edmonton.


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*...where would you start if you decided to complete your high school education?*

Remembering the grade at which you left high school doesn't mean that you retain all the knowledge taught to you in that grade. To help you decide just how much you DO remember, and where you should begin to complete your high school education, the Correspondence School Branch of the Alberta Department of Education provides placement tests which will indicate your starting point, between grade 1 and grade 12. Once this is established, you can enrol with the Branch for a correspondence course which will count for credits toward a High School Diploma on the same basis as students who attend a regular school. Correspondence courses are also available for the lower grades, from 1 to 8.

*...if there's a market for footwear in Alberta?*

Ask the Alberta Bureau of Statistics, a Branch of the Department of Industry and Development. This is where you'll find all the answers to statistical questions on economic activity in Alberta. If they're not in the comprehensive library of statistics, you'll probably find the facts you need in one of the Bureau's publications, such as the annual "Salary and Wage Rate Survey"; the monthly "Summary of General Statistics"; "Alberta Industry and Resources"; or "Review of Business Conditions." If you want details on the market for a specific item, the Bureau of Statistics will carry out a special survey provided there is an indication that such a market exists.

*...where the parents of a cerebral palsy child can turn for assistance?*

Understanding is a vital part of the treatment of cerebral palsy and, to help parents recognize and understand the problems of a child stricken with this disease, counselling services are provided at cerebral palsy clinics maintained by the Alberta Department of Public Health. Here, qualified specialists examine suspected cases and recommend treatment in the clinic or at home. Where home treatment is decided upon, parents are instructed in the necessary techniques and provided with literature and equipment required for the treatment prescribed. In addition to cerebral palsy clinics, the Department also maintains clinics in which free diagnostic services and treatment are available for victims of rheumatoid arthritis and cancer.

*...if preventive medicine applies to Alberta animals?*

The wealth of Alberta depends partly on the health of the Province's livestock and, with animals, as with people, it is easier to prevent disease than to cure it. The preventive medicine program for Alberta animals is carried out by the Veterinary Services Division of the Alberta Department of Agriculture. One facet of the service is inspection of all animals passing through the public auction marts. Approximately 1,000,000 are carried out each year and, over the last five years, 55,000 head of cattle, sheep and swine were removed from public market channels because they were suffering from infectious or contagious diseases that could spread to the buyers' herds!

*...about the significance of those little round window stickers being worn by some Alberta cars?*

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# Scotch Broth

A local farmer was disgusted when a gust of wind caught the cheque he had just received at the post office and wafted it away. Somebody said it was last seen going south with the geese. It may still be able to cover a big bill.

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Over Thanksgiving weekend I visited at several ranches in southern Alberta. Children were always the first to spot my arrival. Invariably they ignored me and greeted my dog, Bruce. He's very popular.

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A speaker at the ATA convention last week asked the teachers some questions. It reminded me of my schooldays and I felt safe to let my thoughts drift, solitary and at home in a front row—where the dunces used to sit. He asked them what a certain picture represented. Subconsciously, I mouthed the word, "ranch". His eye fixed on ME. "How do you know it's a ranch?" he asked.

I almost replied, "slightly curly, brown with a hint of red", having been deep in contemplation of his cute, little beard. But I managed to get out, "Because I've seen ranches before".

Funny how simple, truthful answers flour teachers. He wanted a much more specific one and had to start again.

The incident reminds me of an occasion when a teacher wished information about oysters from a class with one of my family in it. The child identified them as something Mummy ate, "when she went out to dinner with a man". True, but misleading, I [illegible].

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Meeting Creek Home and School members have a good project for the Centennial. They're to add books to the school library. The remark has been made that more comprehensive libraries in schools would be more educational than some of the elaborate equipment provided today.


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## Palmer-Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER - EARLING, Oct. 14 — Thanksgiving guests at the Anton Peter home were, Mr and Mrs. Harry Peter, Camrose, Mr and Mrs. Tom Lamont and family of Leduc, the Henry Rheinharts and Frank Urlachers.

Mrs. Art Hodge is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital having undergone surgery for gallstones.

Hans Stensrud, Mary and Howard of Kitscoty spent the weekend with the Haakon and Cecil Stensruds and Mrs. Ellen Oppens.

Mr and Mrs. Don Campbell Jr., attended the open house Sunday at Sedgewick for Mr. and Mrs. Carston Morken on their 25th wedding anniversary.

Mr and Mrs. Brian McCormick of Kelowna, B.C., were weekend visitors wit hthe Larry Johnsons at Ryley.


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# Tofield Farmers' Union harvest home supper

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The question of a supper was discussed, and the secretary disclosed there would a considerable sum of money available from savings in the administration charges of M.S.I. for the first year; this, together with donation from the local, will make possible this get-together at $1.00 per plate at Community Centre on Wednesday, Nov. 9, at 7:00 p.m. sharp. One of the church groups will do the catering, for members and their wives only. A limit of 150 tickets will be sold. As the caterers have to know in advance how many will attend, members are asked to get their tickets before Oct. 25, either from ticket sellers, or get in touch with Reg Crispin, phone 662-2307. There will be turkey and all the trimmings. It is hoped to have Hon. Grant MacEwan, lieutenant - governor, as guest speaker.

Your attention is directed to the Sept. 25 "Organized Farmer" regarding the offer of a trip to Expo '67 in Montreal. Any F.U.A. member who mails his name and number to Central Office, 9934 - 106 Street, Edmonton, has an equal chance of being selected for this trip.

# 23 days left for 'Battle of the Drip

The project to completely line the inside of the curling rink prior to this year's curling season is "Ready for Action", says president Gabe Pittet. All materials have arrived, the scaffolding is made and foreman Sam Mo[illegible]wich is awaiting manpower to "finish the battle".

In order to properly handle the large sheets, a six-man crew is required for each shift, with the afternoon curlers supplying crews for daytime labour and the town curlers arranging for evenings, the job will be completed in short order.

All curlers are asked to contact Elmer Greenlien or Gabe Pittet so that scheduling of crews can be arranged.


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- 1 cup (½-lb.) ground beef
- 2 tbsp. finely chopped onion
- ⅔ cup tomato paste
- ½ tsp. salt
- ¼ tsp. ground oregano
- 6 hamburger buns
- 12 slices Canadian process cheese

Combine ground beef, onion, tomato paste, salt and oregano to make meat mixture. Spread two tablespoonfuls pizza over cut side of each bun half. Place buns on baking sheet and brown in a hot oven (400° F.) for 12 - 15 minutes. While those are baking, cut smiling faces in the cheese slices, just as in a Jack-O-Lantern, using a sharp knife. Place a "cheese face" over the browned meat on each bun. Return all to the oven for one or two minutes, just until the cheese begins to soften, but not long enough to spoil the face features. Serve hot.

Yield: 12 servings.


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You'd think one heroic deed a year was enough for any 11-year old boy — but not for our award winner, Keith. Last summer Keith and his friend Kenny Beisel were walking along Mill Creek. Attracted by the cries of some children, they discovered 2-year old Debbie Shulz lying face down in about three feet of water. Keith waded into the water, pulled the child out and handed her to Kenny. After making sure she was breathing, they took her home. The other heroic deed? Last April when Keith was on a Boy Scout hike in the Rainbow Valley area, he courageously used his windbreaker to extinguish a menacing grass fire. The windbreaker was burned, but the fire was put out!

*We congratulate Keith and his enterprising friend Kenny, and thank Alberta's Weekly Newspaper Editors for their active co-operation in the Alberta Junior Citizen of the Year program, sponsored by Alberta's investor-owned electric utility companies.*

*This is one of a series of Junior Citizen Award announcements. Our special thanks to Mrs. Dalton, Editor of the Beverly Page and to Keith's nominator, Germaine Dalton of Edmonton.*

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# Harvey La Roque elected new Junior High president

Junior High students have recently conducted their annual election of officers for the Big Three for the 1966-67 term.

Two slates of candidates were chosen and under the chairmanship of Tommy Christensen, made their election on October 6.

A week later, when elections were held the following officers were named: Harvey LaRocque, president; Colin Bowick, vice-president; Lillian Balzer, secretary; Donald Swift, treasurer; Bette Appleby, social convener; Lloyd McGintie, program convener; Donna Schmidt, editor; Judy Moore, assistant editor; Rita Dickson, girls' sport representative; Kerry Blacklock, boys' sports rep.; Don Ozubko, sergeant-at-arms; Lorne Davison, ass't sergeant-at-arms.

Gordon Grover was the Returning Officers, and deputy returning officers were Wayne Baergen and Douglas Finseth. Poll clerks were Fred Sorrell, Anna Ingram and Janice Halverson.

In the election 138 ballots were cast, five were spoiled, and three voters were sworn in.


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SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, Oct. 22nd:
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# Ryley 4-H clubs have election of officers

Ryley 4-H Clubs have held re-organization meetings recently, with the 4-H Girls' Food Club having their's the evening of October 3.

Leaders this year are Mrs. J. Pepper, Mrs. H. Berke and Mrs. G. Burnstad.

New officers are: Judy Burnstad, president; Joan Knooway, vice-president; Valerie Davick, secretary; Norma Hjelter, treasurer; Dolores Nord, reporter; Ellen Oslund, club representative; Janice Davick, social convener.

The courses were outlined and initiation for first-year members was planned.

It was decided to hold a Hallowe'en Dance on Friday, Oct. 28.

Meetings will be held twice a month, on the first and third Mondays. Anyone interested in joining is welcome.

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**4-H CLOTHING CLUB**

At the re-organization meeting of Ryley 4-H Clothing Club, on October 11, new officers for this year were elected as follows: Sharon Mizera, president; Dolores Nord, vice-president; Linda Cross, secretary; Evelyn Kozack, treasurer; Phyllis Kurach, reporter; Gladys Kowalewski, social convener; Linda Olsen, club delegate.

Leaders this year are Mrs. Mizera and Geraldine Kozack.

The meetings will be held on the first Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m.

Lunch was served by Sharon Mizera and Evelyn Kozack.

## Palmer-Earling

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pennell, Jill, Gale, and [illegible] and Chris Meyer, all of Edmonton, and Phyllis Prickette of England, were Thanksgiving Day guests at the Lawrence Pearse home.

Mrs. Edof Wiklun has returned home after spending two weeks at Hinton with the Bernard Williams.


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## Holden news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**HOUSE CHANGES HANDS**

Mrs. Francis Shand of Edmonton was a business visitor in Holden, Thursday of last week and again on Tuesday, settling the sale of the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Loney. John Lashoey has purchased their house and moved into it the beginning of the week, after finishing work on the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow left for Viking the end of last week to stay with their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mertas until they have finished harvesting.

**Mrs. William Shybe was taken to Tofield Hospital in the ambulance Monday.**

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Malick and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Tkaczyk returned Friday from their two week holiday trip to points in southern Alberta and the U.S. They report very good weather until their return trip, when they encountered snow storms in the southern part of the province, with drifts 3 to 4 feet between Medicine Hat and Lethbridge and the snowplows ahead of them.

Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus spent the past week travelling with her husband on his calls. Mr. and Mrs. Giebelhaus were visitors during the holiday weekend with their daughter Edna and her husband at Jasper. They visited in the week with their son Reuben and family at Stony Plain.

Dennis Shavchook was a business visitor in Edmonton on Monday.

Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. J.A. Giebelhaus were Monday afternoon visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. Lars Ritland.

Mrs. R. Scherger and family were visitors in Saskatchewan over the weekend attending the wedding of a relative.

## Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferrel of Sherwood Park visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Ferrel on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Malcolm and boys motored to Red Deer during the weekend to visit Nel's sister and brother-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Henry and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Malcolm of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Malcolm and family were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Malcolm and family.

The Ross Creek United Church Women are holding a tea, bake sale and bazaar at the home of Mrs. Wm. Eglinski on Saturday, Oct. 29, from 2:30 to 5:00 p.m.


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This year, a random selection of a limited number of grouse permits and deer licenses allowing persons to hunt in Camp Wainwright under certain restrictions will be made from all valid applications received from Alberta residents. "Resident" means a person who has resided in the Province for a period of one year immediately prior to the date of application for a license.

Before applying for a permit or a license it is necessary to have a 1966 Wildlife Certificate. A group of hunters, up to a maximum of four, who wish to hunt grouse on the same two-day period allowable and deer on the same one-day period allowable may submit their applications in one envelope. The choice of dates are to be indicated in order of preference on the back of the application envelope. Each applicant is allowed only one application.

Each applicant who is not drawn on the dates or date of his first choice has an equal opportunity to be selected on his second choice etc. All applications must be submitted on special forms available only at Provincial Fish and Wildlife offices. As illegible or incomplete applications do not qualify it is important to carefully read the instructions.

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Department of Lands and Forests
Natural Resources Building
Edmonton, Alberta.

Application Deadline Postmarked November 12, 1966




# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**The annual meeting of the UGG was held September 9th with a good turn-out of members. Don Hultholm was elected as delegate to attend the Annual Meeting to be held in Winnipeg, November 2nd & 3rd.**

The Holden Lodge OORP held a rummage sale and served afternoon lunch, in the Masonic Hall, on October 18th. They wish to thank all those who patronized them helping to make this a success.

Mrs. Bertha Sanderson of Ryley visited with friends in Holden Saturday afternoon and spent the remainder of the weekend visiting with relatives in Edmonton.

Harry Shchinski, who has been in the district for the past two weeks helping his brother John with harvesting, returned home at the weekend after completing fall work.

Steve Kondrat and small son, brother Teddy and his father, Joe Kondrat, all of Edmonton, were Saturday visitors in Holden, also calling on Albert Kondrat.

**OLAF CHETNEY ILL**

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad took Mrs. Olaf Chetney by car to Edmonton Friday evening when she received word that her husband is seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. Brekstad returned later that night and Mrs. Chetney is staying in Edmonton for the next week or more to be with her husband.

Lars Olson is teaching at the Holden school this month, substituting for teachers who are away taking a special course.

Mrs. Mike Chupka and Mrs. Alex Shyba were Edmonton visitors Monday with relations and on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shanley were in Edmonton last week, on business and visiting with their family there.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Tiedemann were business visitors in Edmonton on Monday, also calling on Mrs. Tiedemann's brother, Alex Morrison, whose wife was in hospital for treatment. Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor also accompanied the Tiedemanns to the city.

Mrs. Gene Bilyk was a Monday business and shopping visitor in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Grosland were Edmonton visitors Saturday and called on Olaf Chetney in the hospital.

## Lakeshore - McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Nola and Eddie Ferguson and family were Monday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Eddie's uncle Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Mrs. Ethel Wood joined a number of girlhood friends and school chums who lived in the district north of Halkirk at a luncheon and get-together at the home of one of the girls, Miss Loreta Larson in Edmonton on Saturday.

Combining and threshing in the district should be completed within a week if the weather permits. Weather has been quite cool with freezing at nights. Farmers need at least a couple of weeks of warm and dry wea-

## LCW plans annual Ingathering program

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Lutheran Church Women met for their regular meeting in the Church parlors on Thursday, Oct. 13th, with Pastor S. Rude, 11 members and one visitor present.

Bible Study was led by Pastor Rude. "Cause of the month" on Charities was given by Mrs. Kathleen Hurum and Worship Devotion was led by Mrs. Mabel Starr.

Plans were completed for the "Ingathering" programme to be held on Friday, Nov. 4th when the quartet from the Central Lutheran Church in Edmonton, will be singing and Pastor Holte will bring the message.

A box of good clothing will be packed for Lutheran World Relief and anyone having good used clothing to dispose of may contact Mrs. Otto Hurum or Mrs. Hilmer Olsen. A fellowship supper is also planned for recent new members.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

"Never lose an opportunity of seeing anything that is beautiful; for beauty is God's handwriting—a wayside sacrament. Welcome it in every fair face, in every fair sky, in every fair flower, and thank God for it as a cup of blessing" — Emerson.

—J.W.R.

# Retired farmer, Ferdinand Forre passes on at 70 years

Born June 17, 1896, at Newman Grove, Nebraska, Fernie Forre passed away quite suddenly on September 25 at his home in Tofield. Mr. Forre spent the first ten years of his childhood at Newman then, in 1906, moved with his parents to Alberta. After a brief time in the vicinity of Camrose, they settled in the Palmer Earling district.

On April 19, 1927, Mr. Forre was united in marriage to Anna Marie Steffan, to which union were born two sons, Harvey and Clifford. The Forres farmed in the Palmer - Earling - Gladstone areas until 1964, when they retired and moved to Tofield.

Left to mourn his passing are his loving wife, Anna Marie; sons, Clifford and Harvey, and their wives; five grandchildren; three brothers, Sherman, of Nassau, Bahamas, and Lewis and Towler of Ryley district; two sisters, Mabel (Mrs. M. Mondahl) and Emma (Mrs. J. Knudson), and other relatives.

Funeral service was held in Skudesness Church on September 28, with Rev. Palmer Olsen officiating. Interment followed in the church cemetery, with Lars Olson, Ray Aker, Richard Vasberg, Johnnie Sharuga, Franklin Kathan and Finvald Aspenes serving as pallbearers. Hoveland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.


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## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

Thanksgiving guests at the A. Pearce home included Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thor and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barker and family.

Baden Bowerman spent the holiday weekend with his family here on the farm.

Don't forget the Masquerade Hallowe'en Dance, sponsored by the Community Club, on October 28. Everyone is to come in costume and lovely prizes are to be awarded for the best.

The ladies, in their spare time, are working for the fall bazaar to be held on Friday, Nov. 4. Tickets are being sold on two vouchers, and there will be home cooking, a surprise table, fish ponds and 10 games of bingo.


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# Bardo and district news items

(Mrs. C. Rude)

BARDO, Oct 10 — The Leroy Finseth family were Sunday dinner guests at the Bennie Finseth home in Edmonton.

Lawrence and Elizabeth Anderson and family from Opal, were Sunday dinner guests with Lawrence's parents, the Olaf Andersons. Olaf went back with them to spend a few days and assist with repairing the house which they have recently moved into.

Lester and Gladys Severson returned home on Sunday afternoon from a week's holiday at the home of Lester's brother, Rev Allen Severson and family at Kindersley, Sask., and Mr. and Mrs Olaf Frygstadt at Frontier Sask. From there they motored to Montana, U.S.A., where they spent the remainder of the time at Kalispel, returning home by Fort McLeod and Calgary. Due to the cool wet weather they missed Banff which they had planned to visit.

Mrs. Anne Anderson's dinner guests on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Chris Metz from Ministik, Mr. and Mrs. Currie (nee Corrine Metz) and five children from Edmonton and the Philip Anderson family.

Arnold and Mabel Johnson entertained Barry Mosby, Kenny Stauffer, Ronald and Robert Foshaug on Monday evening in honor of Walter's birthday. On Tuesday Walter accompanied Bertha and Stan Ramstad to Calgary and on Sunday he took the bus to Vernon, B.C., where he will visit his brother Jim and family.

Glenn and Iris Francis were entertained at the Dale Bjornson home in Edmonton on Sunday, when the Bjornson families were gathered to honor Iris on her birthday. The Francis children who had gone to Edmonton with their grandparents, the Bjornsons, on Friday evening returned home with their parents. Myrtle Bjornson spent a few days at the Francis home when Iris attended the teachers' convention at Camrose.

Axel and Nita Kindley, Grandma Foshaug and the Lars Rude family were dinner guests at the Clarence Rude home on Sunday. Emil and Gene Rude spent the afternoon and evening at the Rude home.

Visitors at the Ivan Foshaug home on Sunday to help Philly celebrate her birthday were Mervin and Diane Krogen and a friend from Edmonton, Richard and Beatrice Foshaug and Dawn from Camrose, grandma Foshaug, Arnold and Mabel Johnson, Leif and Evelyn Foshaug and boys, and Harry and Beatrice Mosby and Donna and Berry.

LAYMEN'S SUNDAY

Sunday being Laymen's Sunday, several of the local men were in charge of the service in the absence of pastor A. Dahlen who is on a preaching mission in Washington, U.S.A. Don Litwin was chairman, Leif Foshaug read the text for the day and Olaf Anderson read from scripture and led in prayer. Mrs. Bernice Heiberg and Mrs. Patricia Litwin sang a duet and the Junior choir sang a number. Andy Heiberg and Phillip Anderson ably presented the topic "How can we be sure we are saved?" The pastor will be here next Sunday for morning services at 10:15.

# Lakeshore-McKenzie

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Darrel Sutton of Edgerton was a supper guest and evening visitor at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald, on Wednesday of last week.

Art and Mary Schacher of Medicine Hat were visitors at the home of Art's cousin Ida and George Niemetz last Wednesday.

Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen and family were Sunday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Morley's brother Fred and Grace Jacobsen at St. Albert.

HERE FROM CALIFORNIA

Miss Victoria Ingram of Mill Valley, Calif., arrived by plane on Saturday, Oct. 8th and is spending some time visiting at the homes of her two nieces, Mrs. Margaret Bruce and family of Lindbrook and Mrs. Nola Ferguson and family of Lakeshore, renewing aquaintances with many of her girlhood friends. On Thursday of last week Nola and Eddie Ferguson and Victoria were evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of John and Mary Wood, friends of former years.

Robert and Dede Goubault of Drayton Valley were Saturday overnight and Sunday guests at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood. Their daughter spent the weekend at the home of her cousin Mary Tiedemann.

Roy and Ruth Wickenburg motored to Edmonton with their daughter Janet Wickenborg on Sunday and were dinner and supper guests at the home of their daughter Vivian and Norman Jones. Norm and Vivian brought them home later in the evening. Also visiting Vivian and Norm on Sunday were Norm's brother and sister-in-law Johnny and Laura Jones and son Billy of New Westminster, B.C.

Mrs. Loretta Weir, who is recuperating in an Edmonton hospital, spent the weekend from Friday evening to Sunday evening at the home of her parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson. Friends will be pleased to hear she is improving nicely and hope she will soon be able to return home.

# Ketchameet

(Mary Mitchell)

Visitors with Bill and Mae Ingram on Saturday were Cathy Johnny and Brent Nickerson, Helen, Frank and Carol Ratigan of Edmonton.

Jeannie and Pat Sears motored to Edmonton Sunday evening to visit with the latter's mother, Mrs. Ellen Sears. Ruth Ellen returned with them after spending the weekend at home with her parents and brothers.

OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Yvonne Brown entertained at her home on Saturday evening, when guests were Sharon Strong of Edmonton, Robert and Dede Goubault and Judy of Drayton Valley, Martha, Emil and Mary Tiedmann of Lakeshore, Betty and Clive Gudmundson and girls of Hay Lakes and Keitha Brown and David Burtch. The occasion was to celebrate Yvonne's birthday.

# Ross Creek news

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey and family were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Verden Lawrence, at Partridge Hills.

Wayne McLachlan of Edmonton spent the weekend with Grant Cowey.

Mr and Mrs Syd Cowey were Wednesday supper guests of Mr and Mrs. Maurice VanBuskirk and boys.

MOVE TO EDMONTON

A large crowd attended the auction sale on the farm of Eddie Rustand on Saturday, and several friends and neighbors gathered at their home on Sunday evening to wish them well when they leave this week to make their home in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Schacher and Bradley were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Pedersen and boys. Mr. and Mrs. Max Schacher called on the Pedersens in the evening.

Doyle and Jackie VanBuskirk spent the weekend with their sister, Mrs. Allan Franklin, at Sherwood Park.


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FUTURE DATES

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The Catholic Women's League of Tofield will hold a Tea and Bake Sale in the Library Room on Saturday, Oct. 29, starting at 3.00 p.m. 8-9p-3420

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# Bonnie Bowick feted at pre-nuptial shower

Miss Bonnie Bowick, whose marriage to Mr. Nick Antonenko will be solemnized on November 12 at Central United Church in Edmonton, was guest of honor at a bridal shower in the social room of Tofield United Church last Friday. Hostesses for the occasion were Faye Dodds, Marie Worton, Ingrid Jacobs, Joyce Swift, Joan Sears and Winnie Christensen. On behalf of the hostesses and guests, Marie Worton presented corsages to the bride-elect, to Edna Bowick, the bride's mother, to Mrs Shaw, the bride's grandmother, and to the maid-of-honor, Ruth-Ellen Sears. Bonnie and Ruth-Ellen were seated at the bridal table, which was placed under a canopy of wedding bells and streamers.

The many beautifully-wrapped gifts were opened by Bonnie and Ruth-Ellen, assisted by Miss Tannis Shaw, cousin of the bride-elect, and were passed around to be admired by the 70 ladies present.

On behalf of all the guests, Faye Dodds wished Bonnie much happiness in her married life. Bonnie's reply included gracious thanks to the hostesses for planning the shower and to the guests for attending. She concluded with a warm invitation to visit her in Edson where her new home will be.

Following the presentation of the gifts, a delicious lunch was served by the hostesses, assisted by Olive Pollock, Margaret Dickson, June Christensen and Shirley Swift.

Out of town guests present for the occasion included Grace Scott, Linda Shymka, Linea Darling, Annie Phillips, Susan Komarnisky, Diane Bjork, Marlene Sutton, Kay Fraser and Judy Finn.

Bonnie is the daughter of Mrs. Edna Bowick and the late Harry Bowick. She was born in Tofield and received her early education here, and advanced education at Alberta College, where she took a commercial course.

# Church notes

TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Oct. 23rd

10 00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11 00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Public Worship. Topic: "What's Our Business?"

This is our Anniversary Service—"Continuous witness in this community, formerly through Methodist and Presbyterian congregations, since October, 1904".

Fowl Supper, Wednesday, Oct. 26, 5:30 p.m.

MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD
Sunday, Oct. 23rd

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Program by Young People. Topic: "The Problem of Sin".

"Advice is seldom welcome, and he who needs it most will accept it last".—Vasbee.

Welcome to all.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Anglican
Sunday Services

Sunday, Oct. 30th — Confirmation, visit of Bishop Burch.

8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion except 1st Sunday of Month.
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion 1st Sunday of Month.
11:00 a.m.—Matins all other Sundays
10 30 a.m.—Holy Communion with address, Saints Days and other Holy Days.

Thought for the week: A member of the church tries to recognize the needs of other people. One of the needs is to be accepted as they are.

CATHOLIC CHURCHES
Summer Schedule

TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor Don McLean
Sunday, Oct. 23rd

10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
8:00 p.m.—16mm sound film: "The Master's Face".

BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH
(4 miles south of Tofield at Anderson School)
Rev. Art Dahlen, Pastor
Phone 672-0833
Sunday, Oct. 23rd

10:15 a.m.—Worship Service.
11.15 a.m.—Sunday School.

LUTHERAN CHURCH
Pastor Stanley Rude
Ryley, Alberta
Sunday, Oct. 23rd

HOLDEN—
10 00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11 00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10 00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

# Worthy Grand Matron Hall visits Ionic OES Lodge

Ionic Chapter No. 72 O.E.S. welcomed Mrs. Hazel Hall, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Alberta on Tuesday, Oct. 4. A supper was held in her honor in the Community Centre, for which the tables were decorated with white gates to the "garden of friendship" entwined with the centennial rose. Neil Phillips, W.P. of Ionic, was toastmaster. George Arnott proposed the toast to the Queen, and Mrs. Elizabeth Davison said grace. Mrs. Hall replied to the toast to the Grand Chapter, proposed by Neal Phillips.

Following the supper, a Chapter meeting was held in the Masonic Hall. Mrs. Ella Hard, W.M. of Ionic, welcomed guests from Edmonton, Alix, Viking, Vegreville and Camrose.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Evelyn Nolan, Assoc. Matron, presented Mrs. Hall with Ionic's contribution to her special project of aid for retarded children and Mrs Daisy Young sang "Smiles" in honor of Mrs Hall.

Lunch was served later under the direction of the social committee, convened by Mrs. George Christensen.


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B. Basic causes of Juvenile Delinquency problem.
C. What is presently being done to curb Juvenile Delinquency and the preventative measures undertaken in this field.
D. Steps and action that should be taken to improve preventative procedures for curbing the problem.
E. Steps and action that should be taken to aid in the rehabilitation of Juvenile Delinquents.

Briefs, particularly from private citizens, need not be typewritten or professionally prepared, but where possible, they should be typewritten in triplicate. All briefs should be forwarded to

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PUBLIC HEARINGS

AT LETHBRIDGE

Commencing the 5th day of December, 1966.

and

AT MEDICINE HAT

Commencing the 7th day of December, 1966.

(Further Hearings will be held at Calgary, Red Deer and Edmonton, and if warranted, Grande Prairie.
All persons presenting Briefs are invited to attend and speak in support of their submissions.
Hearings will be as informal as possible.

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# Around the Town

Jim Wallington, of Vermilion was a visitor in Tofield on Tuesday, calling on brother Tom, on his annual visit.

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Mr and Mrs J E Stinson left on Thursday for Abernethy Sask to visit Mrs Stinson's brother and his wife, Mr and Mrs G W Ismond. They returned on Monday evening and report one of the earliest harvests on record in Saskatchewan.

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Tofield Lions Club Mixed Friendship Club for both Bridge and Whist got off to a good start last week.

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Sam Mostovich got Tofield Curling Club members off to a good start last week by lining the inside of the rink to try to avoid moisture dripping conditions during the curling season.

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The names of Rev. W H and Mrs McDannold should have been included with those at the Stinson home for Thanksgiving [illegible]

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Mr and Mrs Wayne Pratt and Mrs. Pratt's father, Sam Warwick of Oakdale, Wash were last Wednesday dinner guests with Mr and Mrs. W A Mitchell. They also spent a few days with Mr and Mrs Angus Mitchell in Edmonton and visited at Warwick and Vegreville. Warwick was named after Mr Warwick many years ago.

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Mr and Mrs Wm. Youmle of Edmonton called on Mr. and Mrs. W A Mitchell on Tuesday afternoon of last week.

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Mrs. Doug Murray and Mrs. John Wall attended a CGIT Leaders Convention in Red Deer over the past weekend.

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Mr and Mrs. W. A. McHeffey returned a week ago from a three week holiday in Washington, Victoria and Vancouver, and Kamloops and many other points of interest visiting friends and relatives along the way.

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Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Hammett, Mrs. Edith Bailey, Mrs. W H Freebury and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Robinson attended the Diocesan Life Members Tea in All Saints Parish, Hall Edmonton on October 12th.

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**CENTENNIAL WORKSHOP**

On Wednesday, October 5, a Centennial Workshop was held at Viking which was attended by J. C Lampitt, Eleanor Campbell, Marjory Everitt, Jeff Norton, Doreen Cribb and Grace Phillips from the Tofield School. Viking's Centennial projects were outlined, centennial flags were displayed and community projects, including those of the school, were discussed.

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# MINISTIK NEWS

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

In the absence of Tom Powell, Keith Harrison conducted services at the United Church on Sunday, with a very good attendance present.

Thanksgiving dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Helen Hennessy on Saturday, when guests included Mrs. M. Liknes of Winter, Sask. (Mrs. Hennessy's sister), and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Liknes and family of Edmonton.

**AT NIECE'S WEDDING**

Mr and Mrs. Claude Leach and Chester and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leach and Donna and Brian attended the wedding on Saturday in Edmonton of Mrs. Leach's niece, Miss Jean Williams, to Dennis Simonson of Kingman.

Glenn Ferguson was able to return to work on Tuesday, after a bout with the flu. Verden Sears has also recovered after being home for some time, suffering with the 'flu.

Alex Kleinschroth returned to his home Friday, after almost two weeks in Tofield Hospital. Continued good health is wished him from all his friends and neighbors.

Mrs. Effie Nasichuk was an Edmonton visitors last Wednesday and Thursday.

It was back to school Tuesday for children, bus drivers, teachers and janitors, who enjoyed Thanksgiving with their families.

**AMATEUR NIGHT**

Many people from the district enjoyed the Amateur Night at South Cooking Lake Hall on Saturday night, sponsored by the U C W. Mrs. S. George was one of the adjudicators.

# News items from Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

KETCHAMOOT — Last week the Ketchamoot UCW met at the home of Mrs. Stanley Brown. There were ten members and four visitors present.

Mrs. Gordon Kyle and Martin Lawson were patients in the Tofield Hospital.

Mrs. Bill Harboway and daughter Cathy of Edmonton spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whillans attended the wedding and reception of their niece, Irene Whillans in Edmonton on Saturday evening.

**B.C. HOLIDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell and Judy, Mrs. Charlie McLeod of Lindbrook and Mrs. Bill Kolowaly of Round Hill motored to Vernon B.C. for the Thanksgiving weekend. On Saturday they attended the 25th wedding anniversary celebration of Mrs. Mitchell's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Melin at Grindrod. On Sunday they took in the beautiful scenic drive around Shuswap Lake and Adam's River to see the Salmon go up the river to spawn.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Donnolley McGinitie and family last week were Mr. and Mrs. Auburn and children from Washington and Mrs. Blakely and Eileen of North Surry, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Appleby and Mr. and Mrs. Don Carlisle attended the wedding of Patsy Roberge in Edmonton on Saturday.

Annie McGinitie, Edith Turner and Gussie Brown spent Thanksgiving Day with Mrs. Brown in Holden.

Randy Sutton was transferred to the University Hospital in Edmonton over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGinitie their son Raymond and Willie Nashman were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McGinitie and family at Viking.

Sharon and Richard Strong spent Saturday with Florence and Jimmy Ingram and the girls.

Gussie Brown was a Monday dinner guest of Agnes and Henry McGinitie.

Raymond McGinitie and Willie Nashman of Edmonton spent the weekend at home with Agnes and Henry McGinitie.

**IT'S A GIRL**

Born to Mr and Mrs. Eric Munkedahl of Ryley, a daughter, Charlotte, last week at the Tofield Municipal Hospital. The new arrival is another granddaughter for Agnes and Henry McGinitie. Little Karen Munkedahl stayed with her grandparents while her mother was in the hospital.

Albert and Myrtle Sutton and daughter Wanda motored to Edmonton on Sunday to spend the day with their son Randy who is a patient in the University Hospital.

Sunday visitors with Charlie and Ruby Sears were Mrs. McLennon, Gail and Lawrence McGinnis and Gary Sears of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs Harold Sutton made a business trip to Edmonton on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lancaster and Mrs. Gould Sr., of Tofield were Monday afternoon visitors with Louise Kyle and family.

Several ladies of the district attended the shower for Bonnie Bowick on Friday evening at the Tofield United Church parlors. Bonnie is to be married on Nov. 12th.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lawson were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Nichols and family, Miss Reest and Delbert Lee, all of Edmonton.


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**A Hallowe'en pumpkin**

This isn't the usual Jack-o-Lantern size, however it will make a lot of pie for 10-year-old Bobby Brown who is proudly showing the huge 60-lb. pumpkin which he grew in his own garden. Bobby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown. — Photo by Peter Nickel.

# Community league's annual bingo Nov. 16

Lionel Borton, president of the Tofield Community League, announced that Wednesday, Nov. 16 has been chosen as the date for the League's Annual Merchandise Bingo.

J. C. Lampett, Bill Christensen and Johnny Baergen are in charge of this event which will have prizes to the value of $300.

Advance sale tickets are available now for $2.00 and the holder of one of these advance tickets will be the winner of the Lucky Draw. Any one of the 15 games will give the winner a valuable prize.

Last year's Annual Merchandise Bingo was a huge success. The League hopes this one will be as well attended.

## Students to attend Edmonton Symphony

Some 146 Tofield students with their chaperones will attend a youth concert in the Jubilee Auditorium in Edmonton on Saturday, October 29th. The program entitled "Adventures in Music", will be conducted by Brian Priestman, leading the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra with special guest artists. The County of Beaver has spent money and time in order to promote music appreciation in its schools by arranging for 800 students in the County to attend the concert.

The first football play-off game for the County Championship was played at Ryley on Monday, October 24th. Tofield defeated Ryley 11-6. The final play-off game will be played at Tofield Wednesday, October 26th.

Parent - Teacher Conference Day will be held November 10th.

A request sheet for special time was sent to each home so that all parents would have an opportunity to attend the morning, afternoon or evening sessions. Students will act as ushers and refreshments will be served in the library during the day.

## Hallowe'en Ball held on Monday

The Hallowe'en Masquerade Ball will be held on Hallowe'en Oct. 31. This event is being revived by the League and all those interested in dancing, or in seeing the costumes whether traditional, imaginative, or futuristic, are reminded of the Masquerade Ball on Oct. 31 in the Community Centre. The sponsor is the Tofield Community League. Those in costume will pay 75c, those without a special costume, $1.00.

## News from Ryley

Readers in the Ryley area will be pleased to know that Mrs. Orval Bray has been appointed news correspondent for that area.

For some time the news from Ryley has been scanty in The Mercury and we are pleased to welcome Mrs. Bray. Ryley readers with news items are invited to send them to Mrs. Bray.

## Students Union elects officers

(Mrs. G. Tayler)

At the recently held meeting of the Students' Union of Holden High School the following executive was elected: president, Larry Faryna; vice-pres., Arthur Michlich; sec'y, Joyce Mielimaka; treas., Judy Good, social convener, Adeline Puk, press representative, Evelyn Manowecki; boys' sports representative, Edward Wrzesnn, girls' sports representative, Joan Zowtuik.

Room representatives: Grade 12A, Carole Chomik; Grade 12B, Veronica Kowalchak; Grade 11A, Jerry Lazynsky; Grade 11B, Don Stepanik, Grade 10A, Diane Holowachuk; Grade 10B, Sharon Larson..

## Mrs. Mary Spilsted passes October 21

On October 21, Mrs. Mary (Polly) Spilsted of Tofield passed away at 69 years of age. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. M. C. Hammond, of Edmonton and a brother, Mr. Harry Napier of Lavonia, Michigan.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, October 25th from Tofield United Church with Rev. W. H McDannold officiating. Interment at Tofield Cemetery.

Andrews-McLaughlin Funeral Chapel (1964) Ltd. were in charge.

**Tofield gridders**

The Tofield High School football squad stopped long enough to have their picture taken last week just before entering the league championship game. They won the league championship, but last night dropped the play-off with Ryley in a two-game, total point series. Photo by Peter Nickel.

## Signs of slowdown ?

Has Canada's long boom lost its momentum? Have the brakes been applied enough to slow down any race-away trends? Yes, in the opinion of some leading financial experts in Ontario, who say now many of the key indicators of business activity are declining exactly as they did before the recessions of 1954, 1957 and 1960. According to these experts, the figures seem to say the peak of the expansion may have been reached in June, and a new and exceedingly sharp examination is warranted now.

They offer high praise to the economic managers at Ottawa in slowing down an economy which was beginning to overheat, but suggest that prudence might indicate a slight easing up on the brakes, especially in the field of credit and money, in order not to promote the slow-down into more of a recession.

Even in the face of highly inflationary wage demands found in 1966, say these experts, consumer prices rose less in the past three months than in any of the three quarter years before.

The theory is interesting especially in the light of the keen desire of citizens all across the country to see some easing in the spiralling upward costs they are now facing. At least it is gratifying to learn that the money managing efforts of Finance Minister Sharp, and the Bank of Canada may have been able to head off worse troubles, like dieting to control overweight. In dieting, however, the question always comes up: how much weight to lose. Today it would seem to be: how much deflation is the right amount? And who decides? On what basis? Something else that is not too clear is whether Canada alone can swim against the tide, financially, or whether that's what we were trying to do before. Are current efforts only swinging us back into the mainstream once more?

To listen to reports, most Canadian housewives would like to see a little more steam taken from the economy to bring food prices at least back into line. Certainly farmers would like to see less spread between what they get for their products, and what they have to pay for the processed article.

## Two views on lotteries

Last week the Irish sweepstakes prompted us to suggest once again the establishment of a government-operated sweepstakes in this country.

During the week, we ran across the comments of another writer which are highly interesting. The opinions of a newsman, Bob Hunter, who has done considerable investigating into operations in centres in the United States, make interesting reading. Some of Mr. Turner's comments follow: "Legalizing gambling in Nevada was supposed to clean it up. But performance has fallen far short of hope. The crooks are in positions of influence; so is the Mafia. Moreover, they have gained respectability.

"When gambling is kept illegal and occasionally is swept under the rug in upheavals of moral reform this gambling has slight opportunity to work its colors into the permanent pattern of American life. But when given a base of legality, as has happened so spectacularly in Nevada . . . the morals and ethics of the gamblers become a part of the accepted pattern of life. . . . At the very least, the gamblers must be contained. They must never have the feeling that the general morality has been dragged down to their level."

Two points should be made, however. There is a major difference between legalized lotteries (run by the syndicates) and state or government operated lotteries. In the latter case, the criminal element would have no entree, and indeed, a responsibly run alternative would be presented. In the second place, we did not suggest the government should step into the field as a source of revenue, although this undoubtedly would develop, or to condone the practice. The point was simply to recognize a fact: and it is a fact that many thousands want to bet on the sweepstakes.

## Trick or treat

A round orange moon shines down from a black October sky lighting the way for witches on broomsticks. Small goblins walk the streets with large bags of goodies as they run up the steps of houses shouting "Trick or Treat"

The familiar scene means it's Halloweien — a favorite for youngsters who on this one night, can dress up in fanciful costumes, cram shopping bags with the makings of an awful tummy ache and stay up long past their usual bedtime.

But too often, the excited youngsters, vision obscured by ill-fitting masks, dash out of shadows and into the street.

There's a screech of brakes a cry . . . a pitiful jumble of candy and cookies strewn about a limp little form on the pavement.

The vision problem is something that parents can do much to solve, points out the Alberta Safety Council, who urges a little imagination, possibly a few ordinary cosmetics, rather than masks to help make life safer for the children.

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## Centennial report

by JOHN W. FISHER
CENTENNIAL COMMISSIONER

What inspires me most, of all Centennial plans and projects, is the fresh, enthusiastic approach of many individual Canadians to our 100th anniversary of Confederation.

At the Centennial Commission we receive hundreds of letters from individuals or families, asking for no praise or assistance, merely telling us about their plans to celebrate the Centennial and offering genuine expressions of their own pride in being Canadians.

It is fortunate that we cannot do much about the pessimists — the knockers and the moaners. In Canada they [illegible] to get far too much publicity. I think we should try to turn our attention away from them as much as possible and join with those who have positive ideas about Canada's future, and for that matter, the welfare of all mankind.

It gives one a warm, happy feeling to think about the Guignard family from Callandar, Ontario, for example, starting off on a world trip in a Model T Ford all [illegible] out [illegible] flags. Their motivation was simply a desire to advertise Canada's Centennial. Mr Guignard, who is travelling with his wife and daughter, says, "I spent six years fighting for Canada. Why not spend one year advertising it?"

We received a straightforward describing his plan to travel from announcement in a letter from J Ward Loveys of Dorval, Quebec coast to coast during this and next summer.

This summer Mr Loveys is motoring to Prince Rupert, B.C., sailing to Skagway, Alaska, then driving down the Alaska Highway and Mackenzie Highway south-east through the Yukon and Northwest Territories. Next summer he'll complete his Centennial trip with a tour of the Atlantic provinces.

Then there are the two young Canadians, one a native, the other an immigrant, who together are crossing Canada on a 20,000 mile back-roads trip writing about their experiences, impressions and what they hear from other Canadians who are planning to celebrate Centennial.

One is Paul Page, 26, a forester and painter who was born in Orilla and lives in Toronto. The other is Marc Chaumard, 27, who was born in Algeria [illegible] has been living in Montreal [illegible] Toronto since coming to Canada three years ago.

They first discussed the idea of a Centennial trip in Toronto where Paul, a graduate of the Ontario College of Art has an art studio and where Marc has been working as a French instructor. They started out with a car and a tent and up to midsummer, have covered Newfoundland, P.E.I., Nova Scotia and [illegible] of New Brunswick. The Kingston Whig-Standard and the Telegram in Toronto have been publishing writings and sketches they have produced during their travels. What pleases me most of all, of course is that they are stirring interest in the Centennial among all the people they meet.

Without prodding by government agencies and without subsidies, many Canadians are making a great contribution to the Centennial celebrations already. It is their kind of enthusiasm that will make 1967 a success. It is people like them who will make the futer of Confederation a success too.

## On the Provincial Scene

By JOHN WARREN

It was a week for everything from storm sewer bylaws (defeated in Bonnyville) to fluoridation plebiscites (approved in such centres as Drumheller, Edmonton, Elk Point, Drayton Valley, Vegreville and St Paul, defeated in Ponoka, Camrose, Calgary, Tofield and High Prairie), to Sunday Sport (generally approved).

There were reeves, mayors, aldermen school trustees to boot. In other words Alberta went to the municipal polls last week — and won't do so again until next October — a fact that gives considerable relief to electoral officers, campaign workers and [illegible]

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While the municipal politicking may have taken some pressure off provincial government news, there were a number of important stories emanating from the capital — aside from Vincent Dantzer's victory over former mayor William Hawrelak for the post of chief magistrate in Edmonton.

The minister of youth, Bob Clark, figured prominently in several news items.

For instance, he announced in a speech that the government would probably take action next spring to establish the position of ombudsman in the province. The new appointee's job would be to act as something of a public defender for citizens involved in disputes with the government and government boards.

Mr Clark also met with a delegation from Ontario that will be doing some of the same type of work as his Alberta department. And he planned a general meeting with welfare and youth groups for early this week as a major

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## From the mail bag

CALLING UNKNOWN CITIZENS

Last Friday night three stalwart, upright, outstanding young men made their play for the Citizens of the Year Award. In a unique and sturdy and very original show of independence they made two gestures.

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Contributed by a Citizen of Tofield.



# School committee meets Oct. 11

Following are the minutes, in part, of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee meeting, held October 11th:

The minutes of the Zone 3 A.S.T.A. Meeting, August 29, were referred to the Committee. It was noted that a resolution was endorsed by Zone 3 requesting that provision for grants for construction and operation of swimming pools be made available, either jointly or severally, to local authorities under facilities planned to meet the needs of the school and community. Cr. Weatherill stated that he was opposed to this resolution as he felt that the matter of showers should be given precedence, and it was moved that the School Committee does not support the resolution requesting aid for swimming pools.

The motion was lost on a vote of 5 for and 5 against.

It was then moved and carried that the minutes of the meeting be accepted.

W. E. Myers, contract bus operator at Viking, attended the meeting, together with his son, Wallace O. Myers. The Committee was informed that W. E. Myers had sold his fleet of buses to his son, Wallace O. Myers. Mr. Myers requested an increase in rates for operating the buses. He also mentioned that some of the roads were quite rough and that beavers were causing damage to some of the roads over which the buses are travelling. Mr Myers was informed that his request for an increase in rates would be discussed by the Committee and he would be advised in due course of the decision in this regard.

After Mr. Myers left, some discussion ensued and the Board was advised that on the basis of the 1965 cost of operating the contract buses an increase of 3c per mile would mean an increase of approximately $3,800 per year. It was also noted that Myers should have applied for permission to sell or to transfer the buses before doing so, and it was moved and carried that Mr. Myers be made aware of this regulation, but that the transfer be accepted.

In regards to the request for an increase of rates, it was moved and carried that the secretary-treasurer obtain some information from surrounding

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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

**CNIB TAG DAY**

Members of the Students Union of Holden High School held their annual Tag Day, Saturday for the CNIB and wish to thank those who patronized this worthy cause.

Saturday, Nov. 5th is "Poppy Day" when ladies of the Legion Auxiliary will be holding a tag day and selling poppies. The proceeds are used for any needy case among Veterans or their families.

Elmer Logan of Grande Prairie was a caller in Holden Thursday evening and visited over the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Olaf Chetney.

Mr and Mrs. Percy Barlow were Sunday afternoon visitors and dinner guests with her sister, Mrs. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby entertained relatives and friends for dinner Sunday. Also visiting for the weekend was their son, Bruce.

**ANNUAL MEETING**

The annual meeting of the Holden and District Curling Club was held Tuesday evening, in the curling rink. The financial statement was presented and a new slate of officers was elected.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and children were Monday visitors and dinner guests with Roberts parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor.

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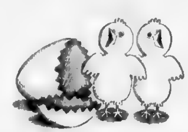

# The Ryley Times



## Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Koetke, Mr. and Mrs Norman Koetke and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Peterson, all of the Gladstone district, left Saturday morning on a hunting trip to Southern Alberta. The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Koetke is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs Otto Hurum while his parents are away.

Leo Hladilo of Edmonton was a visitor around Holden on Saturday.

The Melvin Olson family were recent Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Olson's mother, Mrs. B. Burnstad of the Round Hill district, with all the families being present to enjoy a turkey dinner.

BRIDAL SHOWER

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grosland of Edmonton were visitors over the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Lillie Grosland and other relatives. Mrs. Walter Grosland attended the shower held Friday evening for Miss Linda Roth bride-to-be of Dennis Christianson. Other Edmonton guests attending the shower were Mrs. David Good, Mrs. Walter Cadger, Mrs. Ronnie MacLeod and Mrs. John McLeod.

Mrs. Mary James, who has been visiting her son Arthur and family in Vancouver for the past three weeks, left Tuesday of last week for Victoria, Vancouver Island to visit with her daughter, Irene and family, the Peter Sandeman-Allens for several days before she returns home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shanley were visitors the past week with their family in Edmonton.

Sam Sroka of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his mother Mrs. Tekla Sroka and with other relations.

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## Alberta Teachers Assoc. traces beginning to 1918

(Intended for last week)

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The County of Beaver No. 9 Alberta Teacher's Association held their annual meeting in Holden on Wednesday, Oct. 12th when teachers new to the profession and new to the County and Alberta were included into the association.

Lars Olson gave a short history of the ATA which had its beginning in 1918 when Mr Barnett, an Edmonton School teacher, travelled the length of the province, contacting teachers and explaining it to them. He was the first secretary of the organization. In 1934 a plebiscite was taken with 75 to 80% of the teachers in favour of the movement.

In 1936 the Teaching Profession Act was passed, in 1939 the Teachers' Retirement Fund was formed and by 1944 all teacher training was under the Faculty of Education.

Mr. Olson concluded his address by telling the teachers they must be prepared to exercise their own skill. To make sound judgements, a teachers must be an educated person who never stops educating himself, he said.

Beginning teacher awards were presented to Miss Barabara Arnott and Joe Fornal. The outstanding teacher award was presented to Mrs. Beatrice Fredricks.

The new slate of officers are: president, Oleh Skykora, past-president, B. Evans; sec-treas., William Ogrodnick; ARA Reps., Miss Joanne Kryzanowski; Mr. Fornal, Mr. D. Lauber, Board Rep., C. Cribb; Salary Committee, Mr. Cribb, Mrs. Pearl Allan, Mr. Norton, convention committee, Mrs. Pearl Allan, Mr. Kindley and Mr. Voegtlin; chairman of education committee, Mrs. H. Hanso. Lunch was served at the conclusion of the meeting by the Holden-Bruce sub-local.

## Ryley news

(Mrs. Anne Bray)

Calvin United Church Women held their October meeting in the church parlours with a good attendance. It was decided to hold the annual turkey supper at the Ryley Legion Hall on November 5. It was also decided that the ladies would compile a cook book, at a later date.

BAPTISM

Mr. and Mrs. Odd Orbeck were in Fort Saskatchewan recently to attend the baptism of their granddaughter, Arlane Marie, at First United Church. The Rev. Peter T. Ream officiated at the ceremony for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herby Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Rennie Jensen have moved to Alliance, where Mr. Jensen will operate a bakery business.

Mrs. Anna Kilhan and Mrs. Selmer Johnson are patients in the University Hospital. Hans Hillerud is a patient at the Viking Nursing Home.

Mrs. B. Butler was a weekend guest with Mrs. Harriet Ruddy.

## Rebekahs hold party at Lodge

(Mrs. A. Bray)

RYLEY — A very enjoyable time was spent at Vialta Lodge in Viking, October 10th, when members of Covell Rebekah Lodge No 56 of Ryley served a birthday supper for the senior citizens at the Lodge. The beautifully decorated birthday cake having the names of the four October birthdays, was served and members toured the Home and visited with citizens.

The Senior Citizens all enjoyed themselves as much as the Rebekahs did in planning and attending this party.

Sunday guests at Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Clarence Johnson's were Mr. and Mrs Ernest Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Bray.

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# Have you ever wondered...

### ...what happens to government materials and machinery when they reach pensionable age?

Three possible fates await furniture and equipment that have outlived their usefulness to a government department: retirement, transfer and the auction block. Which it will be is decided by the Alberta Commercial Branch, Department of Industry and Development. Last year, in a series of bargain sales, this agency recovered over $400,000 for a selection of items varying from horses to windows, tractors to furniture, which were still usable but no longer of

use to the government. In addition, many items were sent back to work with another department where they still had a useful future.

### ...how far you are from a provincial park?

In most populated areas of Alberta, not more than 50 miles. As public need dictates the location of the parks, the majority are located in or near heavily populated areas and, as the population increases, so do the number of parks. Altogether, there are 41 of these playgrounds in the Province, each established and maintained by the Parks Division of the Alberta Department of Lands and Forests. It takes a staff of 300 employees to provide the parks with all the facilities and services required, such as approximately 1600 cords of cut wood supplied free each year. In addition, the Parks Division maintains 23 historic sites across the Province, ranging in size from one-quarter acre to 107 acres.

### ...how bridges add to Alberta's beauty?

Next time you drive Alberta's highways, watch the bridges and overpasses and see how many different designs you can count. This variety of shape and color is a contribution to the beauty of our Province by the Bridge Branch of the Alberta Department of Highways. Each year, this Branch builds or rebuilds approximately 400 bridges, and each of the major ones is a part of the program to add to the interest and appearance of Alberta's highways by using varying designs, colors and materials. There are approximately 10,000 bridges under the jurisdiction of the Branch, of which about 700 are steel, 2,200 concrete, 4,300 of timber, and 2,800 large culverts installed in lieu of bridges.

### ...what a high speed digital computer is doing down on the farm?

Actually, it isn't ON the farm. It's a part of the Data Processing Centre of the Provincial Government.

However, it does contribute greatly to a comprehensive farm analysis program being undertaken by the Farm Management Branch of the Agricultural Economics Division, Alberta Department of Agriculture. Under this program, the Branch assists any farmer who so desires to maintain an accurate record of his physical and financial operation. Armed with these figures (this is where the computer comes in), economists can measure the efficiency of the farm, determine the problem areas and suggest possible solutions. Over 400 commercial farmers in Alberta are being assisted under the program, and the only costs to each participant are a $10.00 processing fee and $1.00 for the account book in which the records are kept.

### ...how education can be made more interesting?

Aesop taught many a valuable lesson with his "Fables", because he knew that education was far more palatable when it was presented in a dramatic form. Today's version of this combination is in the radio and television broadcasts to schools by the Audio-Visual Services Branch of the Alberta Department of Education. Twice a day, during most of the school year, radio school broadcasts teach dramatic, entertaining and effective lessons in classrooms across the Province, and a number of television programs are provided each year as well. These have a two-fold purpose: to explore the value of television in education and to supplement classroom work on key subjects. In addition to the broadcast media, the Audio-Visual Services Branch provides sound films, tape recordings and filmstrips and advises teachers and administrators in their uses.

### ...what became of the old-fashioned, travelling dentist?

He's still here, still travelling, but no longer old-fashioned. Today, the dentist who provides service to the outlying

areas of the Province has the most modern equipment, provided by the Dental Services Division of the Alberta Department of Public Health. This Division has three complete units of dental equipment which are transportable and available to those practitioners who volunteer to serve rural communities where dental services have not been established. Approved local organizations such as the Home and School Association or the Chamber of Commerce can apply for this service through the local health unit, the Alberta Department of Public Health, or the Alberta Dental Association.

PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

# School committee meets Oct. 11

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school jurisdictions and that the request be tabled to a later meeting.

**Business Arising from Minutes**

In regards to the grants to Service Organizations for skating rinks the secretary-treasurer advised that the Council of the Village of Ryley on behalf of Ryley Lions Club, Bruce Skating and Curling Association, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks Holden Lodge 286, the Tofield Lions Club had informed him that the skating rinks would be available free of charge to the pupils in the schools during school hours and they accepted with thanks the offer of the $300 grant. No reply had been received from the Elks Club at Kinsella or the Viking Carena Association at Viking, and the secretary-treasurer suggested the matter should be left in abeyance until a reply had been received from these two organizations so that the necessary by-law authorizing the grant could be passed by the Council when all the organizations had replied.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the Woodside School, Cr Dorin stated that he had discussed the proposed sale with a number of people in the area and they had all been of the opinion that the building should be disposed of.

Moved and carried that the Woodside School building be offered for sale by tender.

In regards to the A.S.T.A. Convention, Nov 6, 7, 8 and 9, the official material had now been received, and it was moved and carried that Cr Roddick be appointed the balloting delegate, with Cr Kropielnicki as alternate delegate.

In regards to the Bus Routes at Bruce, the Superintendent of Schools reported that this problem had been solved satisfactorily. He outlined the new routes to the Committee.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

It was moved and carried that Vernon Pratt and John Stefaniszyn be appointed regular school bus drivers for the County.

In regards to the repairs to the roof at the Tofield School, the secretary-treasurer reported that he had, at the recommendation of the Maintenance Foreman, accepted a tender from A. Clark Roofing Ltd. in the amount of $900. The Committee was advised that the work was now in progress.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and action concurred in.

In regards to the Non-owned Automobile Liability Policy, and in particular to the use of form S.E.F. No. R-6, permission to carry passengers for compensation endorsement, the secretary-treasurer informed the Committee that he had discussed this matter with the Manager of the Jubilee Insurance Agencies Ltd., J. Edworthy, who had stated that in order that the County be fully protected, the School Comittee should insist that the teachers, who might be transporting children for any reason whatsoever, should have this endorsement.

It was then moved and carried that two teachers be appointed from each school and that these teachers be required to have the Endorsement S.E.F. No. R-6 with their automobile policies, the County to pay for the Endorsement.

**Correspondence**

A letter from the janitor at the Viking school, requesting permission to hire Mrs Adam Schmidt as a spare helper for the Viking school, was referred to the Committee. It was realized that with the new addition to the school, extra help would be required, and it was moved and carried that Mr Brokop be authorized to employ Mrs Adam Schmidt as a spare helper for

It was moved and carried that letter of appreciation for having been chosen one of the first year outstanding teachers from Miss Barbara Arnett be received and filed.

A letter from the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Holden Lodge No. 286, requesting the use of the School Gymnasium for the ACT Search for Talent on January 21, 1967, was referred to the School Committee.

The Superintendent felt that the gymnasium could be available under certain circumstances for educational and charitable organizations with the proviso that the janitor be paid, plus any damage that may be caused by people attending the occasions. It was noted that the County Policy at the present time rules out the gymnasium for other than school functions, and it was moved that the request be not granted.

The motion was lost with 2 voting for and 8 against.

It was then moved that the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Holden Lodge No. 286, be given permission to use the school gymnasium on January 21, 1967, at a rental of $30 with the guarantee that, as far as possible, they make certain that no damage is done to the school property.

Motion carried, with 2 voting against.

A letter from the Minister of Education concerning the Centennial Train and Caravan, giving approval in principle to any arrangements that the School Authority may make in regard to having the pupils of the schools visiting the train or caravan, was referred to the Committee.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed.

A report on vandalism at the Holden school grounds submitted by the Principal of the Holden school was referred to the Committee. The guilty party had driven his car into the school yard onto the lawn where he had made ruts and damage to the grass by spinning the wheels of his car. Cr Gibson had investigated the complaint and had contacted Cr Roddick, who had advised him to lay charges if he considered it advisable. Apparently the car had returned to the school grounds three times during the night. Constable Eaton had laid a charge against the person concerned for failing to stop for a police officer. The question was whether or not the County should lay a charge. The Superintendent reported that the grass had been "burned" but he could see no actual damage. Constable Eaton was of the opinion that a charge of trespassing should be laid.

It was moved and carried that a charge, Willful damage to property under $50, be laid against the offender.

The Committee was informed that only two teacherages were unoccupied at the present time, and G. Pohar had requested the teacherage at Tofield to be occupied by him at a later time when his wife arrives. This left the basement suite, H 4B, in Holden, and it was not considered that this would be needed as a teacherage during the present term.

It was moved and carried that if a renter is available this basement suite be rented for $45 per month plus utilities to July 30, 1967.

The secretary-treasurer pointed out that, inasmuch as the A.S.T.A. Convention will be held during the regular meeting week in November, it would be necessary that the School Committee meeting be held on an alternate date, and he suggested that the next meeting of the School Committee be held on Wednesday, Nov. 2.

Moved and carried that the next meeting of the School Committee be held on Wednesday, Nov. 2, beginning at 10:00 a.m.

The Superintendent's Report for the month of September was then dealt with and it was moved

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Sympathy of the district goes to Mrs. Peggy Hammond and Mrs. Alice Warner on the death of Peggy's sister and Alice's sister-in-law, Mrs. Polly Spilsted at the Tofield Hospital last weekend, and also to all other relatives of the deceased.

**4-H MEETING**

The 4-H Pee Wee Calf Club of Tofield and district held their organization meeting at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 22nd, when 20 or more members joined. After the meeting lunch was served by the hostess to about 25 children and adults.

The Lakeshore UCW met at the home of Mrs. Isabel Radacki with a good turnout of members and one visitor present. After the meeting a very delicious luncheon was served by the hostess.

Mrs Ruth Wickenberg spent from Wednesday to Saturday in Edmonton at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Vivian Jones. On Saturday Ruth and Vivian motored to Tofield with Ruth's other daughter Janet Wickenberg. Janet and Vivian were Saturday overnight and Sunday guests at the home of their parents, Roy and Ruth, returning to the city Sunday night.

Kenny and Gerry Wickenberg and baby son David of Edmonton were Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Kenny's grandparents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg. Ernie Collins was also a Sunday afternoon visitor and supper guest there.

Ellen Eaton was a Saturday evening visitor and supper guest at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg.

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Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Doug and Vivian Murray in Tofield.

Gail and Bob Ombke of Edmonton were Sunday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Gail's parents, Geo. and Ida Niemeta.

Art and Lyla Rodway, their son Wayne and his girl friend, all of [redacted] were Sunday visitors at the home of Lyla's father, [redacted]

Tony and Jean Valney and three children Debbie, Susan and Michael and Jean's niece's, Heather and Faye Graham, all of Edmonton were Sunday visitors and dinner and supper guests at the home of Mrs. Ellen Eaton. Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Graham, also of Edmonton called just after noon. Mrs. Graham stayed and had dinner and spent the afternoon with Ellen while Mr. Graham went on to visit others in the district. Later in the afternoon Ellen's nephew, Dick and Margaret Weetman and Margaret's father, Mr. MacDonnell, all of Edmonton, arrived and were supper guests and evening visitors and coffee guests with Ellen.

Lorne Graham visited at the home of Jack Johnston on Sunday afternoon. He also called at the homes of Mrs. Ethel Wood and Mr. and Mrs. John Wood before returning to the Ellen Eaton home to pick up Mrs. Graham and return to their home in Edmonton.

# Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

ROSS CREEK, Oct 26th. — A farewell tea was held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Eileen Reinhardt, in honor of Mrs. Margaret Rustand. About 20 ladies enjoyed an evening of games and visiting before a delicious lunch was served by members of the Ladies' Aid.

Frances McLachlan entertained about 15 ladies at a Sarah Coventry Jewellery party on Saturday evening. Miss Vivian [illegible]

The 4-H Pee-Wees organized their club at a meeting held at the home of Donald Wood Saturday afternoon. Ray Cossey and Jane Bailey have joined the club this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey and family visited Violet's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Muhr of Josephburg, on Saturday evening.

**PASSES IN TORONTO**

Deepest sympathy goes to the Malcolm families on the passing of their brother-in-law, Ernie Vickery of Edmonton. Mr. Vickery and his wife, the former Margaret Malcolm, were on a vacation in Eastern Canada when he succumbed to a heart attack in Toronto.

John Lunda and Jerry Strand of Lamont, friends of Brock and Stuart Snider, were Sunday supper guests of the Sniders.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] were Sunday guests of the Neil Baileys [illegible] Neil and Violet celebrate their anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Snider and Stuart were coffee guests at the Tom Sheptyki home on Monday evening.

Ladies are reminded of the Tea the Ross Creek United Church Women are holding this Saturday (Oct. 29) at the home of Olga Kalinski. There will also be a sale of home-baking and many bazaar items. This is an opportunity to do some early Christmas shopping.

# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs T. A. Jones over the weekend were Mr and Mrs Otto Messerschmidt and family of Edmonton and Mr and Mrs Robert Jones and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Baumgartner and family of Rivers, Manitoba. Mr Baumgartner spent two weeks doing electrical work in Calgary while his wife and family spent the time with the Jones and Baumgartner families. Mrs. Harmond Jones and family were Monday visitors. Harmond is at present working in Prince George, B.C.

The October ladies' meeting was held at the Community Hall, where 16 members answered the roll call, "What I enjoyed most about Thanksgiving". Mrs. A. Ferguson gave her convener's report on the fall bazaar, which will take place on Friday, Nov. 4. A most delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Keith Williams, Mrs. Baden Bowerman and Mrs. Joe Davenport.

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# County Council meets Oct. 13th

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No 9, Thursday, October 13, 1966.

In regards to the disposal grounds, the Council was advised that the Town of Tofield did not feel that the annual cash payment of $200.00 was sufficient and the offer had not been accepted; the offer had, however, been accepted by the Village of Holden and the Town of Viking.

Moved that the report be accepted and that the payments of $200.00 for 1966 be made to the Villages of Ryley and Holden and the Town of Viking. Cd.

In regards to the Waskwei Flood Control Scheme, the Sec.-Treasurer advised that he had at the request of Cr. Kropelnicki forwarded a letter to Mr. L. Kroeger, P. Eng. with the P.F.R.A. Vegreville, advising that the Council had decided that the County would accept the responsibility of up to 20% of the cost not paid by the P.F.R.A., in connection with the proposed work concerning the Waskwei Flood Control Scheme.

Moved that the report be accepted and action concurred in. Cd.

In regards to Bridge File 9028, the Sec.-Treasurer informed the Council that the Bridge Branch had agreed to the request that the installation of the proposed 78 inch by 60 inch culvert be deferred and that a request be made for a 20 foot bridge for 1967.

In regards to Bridge File 7668, the Council was informed that the Bridge Branch had stated that due to difficulty in obtaining delivery of culverts, a culvert could not be supplied for this location but would have to be deferred to 1967, however, the County's Public Works Foreman had suggested that the culvert that had originally been delivered for Bridge File 2176 WNW 2-51-16-W.4th could be used at the Bridge File 7668. This had been referred to the Department and the suggestion had been accepted, the culvert had been moved and was in the process of being installed at the time of the meeting.

Moved that the report be accepted and actions concurred in. Cd.

In regards to the Bridge in S.E. 24-49-15-W.4th, Crs. Johnston and Dorin stated that they had not been able to get any information as to when this bridge was put in and who was responsible for the bridge; this apparently was not a bridge supplied by the Department and it appeared that former [illegible] E. B. Starky had made a stream diversion and put this bridge in at his own instigation. The Sec.-Treasurer, stated that he [illegible] to ascertain when this work was done and it was moved that this question be tabled for further information. Cd.

The Sec.-Treasurer informed the Council that the sale of Pt. W 1/2 16-49-11-W.4th, had been approved and it was moved that report be accepted. Cd.

**Correspondence**

Letter from the Asst. B & B Master, Canadian National Railways, concerning culvert situation north of Nugget Lake was referred to the Council. The letter indicated that the Railway Co. would agree to replace the 24 inch culvert already placed under the roadway south of the crossing. In regards to the need of a cul[illegible] under the tracks [illegible] the crossing at [illegible] the [illegible] Co. [illegible] the culvert at a cost of approximately $2000.00. The County would have to provide the [illegible] elevations prior to installation.

Cr. Koudelien stated that the cost was entirely too high and he

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# Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

Kay Coombes and daughter Kathy were Wednesday afternoon visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson, at Holden.

Patsy Sears spent the weekend at home with her parents, Jennie and Pat Sears, and family.

Mrs. Blakely and daughter Eileen, of North Surrey, B.C., are visiting this week with her daughter Opal and son-in-law Donnelly McGinitie and family.

Mr and Mrs. Henry McGinitie attended the silver wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Swanson of Kingman on Sunday afternoon.

Last Friday, Mrs. Blakely of North Surrey, B.C., was a guest of Agnes McGinitie, and is visiting relatives in the district.

The Ketchamoot group of the U.C.W. met Monday afternoon in Tofield at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Lee.

Agnes and Henry McGinitie attended the farewell party for Pastor and Mrs. McLean in Tofield on Sunday evening.

Last Saturday evening several ladies of the district attended the miscellaneous shower for Dianne Hoover at the United Church parlor. Dianne is to be married next week.


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# School committee meets Oct. 11

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and carried that the following bursary applications be approved: Sharon Therese Hewrish and Eileen Ann Stuart, both of Holden, and Doris Linda Haise of Viking.

It was moved and carried that bursary withdrawals submitted by Earl Lionel Hjelter and Ellen Norton be accepted.

The matter of the Edmonton Symphony Concert, "Adventures in Music", to be held October 29, 1966, at the Jubilee Auditorium, Edmonton, at 1:15 p.m., was referred to the Committee. The requested action was:

1. That the School Committee agree to participate in this program.
2. That the School Committee provide school buses to transport pupils.

It was also mentioned that School Committee members and staff were invited, and that information must be submitted to the Superintendent prior to Oct 21 if anyone wishes to attend.

Mr Bruce stated that it appeared that some 10 buses would be required.

Moved and carried that the necessary school buses be provided for transportation of pupils to the Edmonton Symphony Concert on October 29.

The report indicated that Nov 10 had been set as Parent-Teacher Interview Day and that the schools would be closed on that day.

Moved and carried Nov 10 be set as Parent-Teacher Day, and that the County schools be closed on that date.

In regards to Industrial Arts, the report indicated that two memos from the Assistant Supervisor of Industrial Arts had been received as a result of his visit to Ryley and Viking on September 20. The major recommendations were:

1. An increase in the size of each existing shop to 3,000 square feet and possibly 5,200 square feet.
2. Supply equipment for offering plastics, power mechanics and leather.
3. Provide dust collectors at each point.

In regards to the dust collectors, Mr. Bruce suggested that he would discuss this with the Maintenance Foreman to see if something could be done locally on this matter.

In regards to equipment, he suggested that equipment for offering plastics would be very acceptable, both Mr Evans and Mr. Baillie had requested this, and he suggested that the cost would be in the neighborhood of $1,200 for each shop.

Moved and carried that the necessary equipment be supplied for offering a course in plastics and that the Maintenance Foreman be contacted in regards to the dust collectors.

The Band Leader at Tofield had requested a considerable amount of music instruments and it was considered that the cost might reach $1,500. Mr. Bruce stated that he had written a Company for prices but had received no reply. The question was whether the program would be continued in the future or would it possibly be discontinued in a year or two. It was, however, considered if the instruments were not being used at Tofield they might be used at some other point.

Moved and carried that the requested music instruments be purchased.

The Superintendent's report mentioned that three schools requested permission to allow photographers to take individual pictures in the schools. This practice is contrary to present policy and the Superintendent wondered if there was not a need to reconsider this policy. He felt that the permission should be allowed to take individual pupil pictures under certain circumstances. The individual pictures were needed for the year books which most of the schools were now starting to publish. At the present time the onus was on the School Committee whether individual pictures should be taken or not and, in the opinion of Mr Bruce, this would be the responsibility of the parents.

After some further discussion, it was moved and carried that permission be granted for photographers to take individual pupil pictures, and that the previous motion in this regard be rescinded.

In the matter of the Policy Handbook, the report indicated that the Principals' Association had appointed its president, Earl Kindley, as the representative on the Policy Handbook Committee. It was requested that a representative of the School Committee be appointed to work on the Committee to prepare a rough draft of the Policy Handbook; also, that the Supt. of Schools should sit in on this Committee.

Moved and carried that the Policy Handbook Committee consist of Cr Roddick, Earl Kindley and the Supt. of Schools, Marvin Bruce.

The Superintendent's report further contained the statement that requests had been received from two schools for a later than 3.30 closing. The requests had been refused by the Supt. until the School Committee had an opportunity to discuss the matter. The two schools concerned were Viking and Ryley, and they wanted permission to close at 3:45 rather than the present time of 3:30. With the school closing at 3.30 there is no provision for recesses in the Jr. and Sr. High. It was felt that it would not be in the best interest of the schools as a whole to allow the 3:45 closing, and no action was taken on the request.

The secretary-treasurer reported that the County had received a merit rebate in the amount of $806.14, representing a 25% rebate for the year 1965 from the Workmen's Compensation Board.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

This being Mr Stinson's last meeting he, in a few words, expressed his pleasure of having had the opportunity to work with the School Committee. He wished the Committee all success in the coming years, and he also expressed his hope that he might return after a year's absence. The Chairman, Cr Roddick, thanked Mr Stinson for his interest in the school matters and for the valuable work that he had done in the School Committee.


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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Church services continue each Sunday, with Tom Powell as student minister, and a very good attendance.

Over 40 residents of the district enjoyed the most delicious turkey dinner, served by the Hastings Lake Ladies' Club, last Saturday.

**BAPTISM**

Mrs. Ronald Swabey and Cheryl and Mrs. Frank Swabey attended the christening of their niece, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mert McCrae of Edmonton, on Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson was an Edmonton shopper on Tuesday, going there and returning with her son Glenn.

Mrs. Doreen McLaughlin and girls and Mrs Gladys Roddick were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roddick and family.

Several men of the district spent Saturday afternoon preparing the local skating rink for ice later on.

Bruno Jeske suffered injury to his head, requiring eight stitches to close the wound.

Mr and Mrs Elwood Dekinder spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Verden Sears.

Mrs. S. George is enjoying a few days at the home of her son Bruce and family, in Calgary.

Doris Davenport is presently enjoying her stay in Glenrose Hospital, Edmonton.

Baden Bowerman, who is stationed at Sibbald, Alberta, enjoyed the weekend with his family here on the farm.


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thought that, if the ditch along the railroad bed was cleaned out, the water could be diverted to the existing culverts a short distance east of the proposed location of the new culvert and it was moved that the Asst. B &B Master be advised that the Road Foreman, Mr Carlson, had investigated and approved the County's action of putting the culvert at the railway crossing also that permission be requested to clear the ditch along the roadbed to the existing culverts Cd.

A letter from the District Engineer, Department of Highways concerning signing of Municipal Roads was referred to the Council, the letter drew the attention of the Councillors to the importance of adequate signing of Municipal roads. It was stated that the condition, which at this time poses the greatest hazard to the traveling public, is a blind intersection having no signing to clearly define the right of way. The Sec.-Treasurer stated that at the present time the County had 93 yield signs and 14 stop signs covered by appropriate by-laws.

Moved that the letter be received and filed. Cd.

A letter from Mr R W Carew, Viking Centennial Co-ordinator, advising of a Centennial Workshop to be held in the Community Hall in Viking on October 5th at 7 0- p.m. was referred to the Counc Cr. Roddick had attended this meeting and he stated that it had been very well attended, possibly one of the best in the province, there had been over 100 persons registered at this Workshop Films and slides had been shown and the Workshop had been very interesting.

Moved that the report be accepted and the letter received and filed Cd.

Moved that a letter from the Workmen's Compensation Board concerning a Safety Co-Ordinators Training Course to be held in Edmonton, Monday through to Friday, November 21st to 25th inclusive be received and filed Cd

Letter from Alberta Dept. of Agriculture, Plant Industry Division, advising of a 3 day Municipal - Agricultural Fieldmens Conference November 1st to 3rd to be held at the Highlander Motor Hotel in Calgary was referred to the Council.

Moved that the County's Fieldman, Mr. R. Boyles, attend this conference with out of pocket expenses paid. Cd.

Letter from the Plant Industry Division, Dept. of Agriculture, concerning coyote control and 1080 program was referred to the Council. The Sec.-Treasurer stated that he had discussed the situation with the Fieldman who had stated that there would be no 1080 bails put out this year

Moved that the information be accepted and that the Department be advised that the County does not intend to use 1080 bai's this coming season Cd

Letter from Alberta Federation of Agriculture advising of a Farm Labour Seminar to be held at the Capri Motor Hotel at Red Deer on November 9th and 10th was referred to the Council. The tentative agenda was enc'osed and referred to the Council.

Moved that Cr. Weatherill attend this Seminar if he is able to get away from the farm. Cd

Moved that Alberta Wheat Pool be advised that the Council has no objections to a retail license being issued in connection with their Warehouse operations at Bruce. Cd.

Information from the Provincial Planning Director concerning a meeting to be held on Wednesday, October 26th at the Elks Hall in the Town of Vermilion to consider the establishment of a proposed new Regional Planning Commission in the North-East Central part of the Province of Alberta was referred to the Council This Regional Planning Commission would include the County of Beaver No. 9 and it was moved that Crs. Roddick and Kropielnicki attend this initial meeting Cd

Advice from the Dept. of Municipal Affairs that the Municipal Winter Works Incentive Program for 1966-67 would be in operation was referred to the Council.

Moved that the information be accepted Cd.

Preliminary information from the Dominion Bureau of Statistics in regards to the 1966 Census was referred to the Council The report indicated that the population in the County of Beaver was 5,968 at the 1966 Census and had been 6,476 at the 1961 Census, a reduction of 508 persons. Moved that the information be received and filed Cd

The Sec.-Treasurer reported that he had received information from A A M D that the price of culverts had been reduced by approximately 3%. similar information had been received from other culvert suppliers.

Moved that the information be accepted Cd

Moved that the Sec.-Treasurer actions in signing an easement for Calgary Power, to cross Lots 11 and 12 in Block 9, Plan 3040W Holden with the power line, be approved. Cd.

The Sec.-Treasurer informed the Council that a rebate of $164 51 had been received in connection with weed chemical purchase from the A.A.M.D during the past season.

Moved that the information be accepted. Cd.

Cr Roddick stated that he had obtained the waiting room in the Viking Curling Rink for a polling place for the forthcoming Municipal election, originally Hillikers Hall had been listed for this but this hall was no longer in operation The Sec.-Treasurer also referred to the Council the fact that it would be necessary to appoint polling clerks for the election It was moved that the Deputy Returning Officers be allowed, as in former years, to appoint their own poll clerks Cd

The Council was advised that Mr John B Allen had been elected by acclamation as the representative from the Town of Viking to the School Committee of the County of Beaver for a term of two years. Moved that John B Allen of Viking be and hereby is appointed member of the County's School Committee. Cd

Due to the School Convention being held in the week of November 6th and the Municipal Convention in the week of November 13th the Sec.-Treasurer suggested that the Council meeting should be deferred to the week of November 20th and it was moved that the November meeting of the Council be held on November 23rd or 24th Cd

Cr Dorin suggested that a new disposal ground should be obtained for the Hamlet of Bruce and that some 2 acres of land should be purchased for this purpose and he mentioned some land that he had in mind that might be obtainable

Moved that a request be made to the Prairie Farm Assistance Act for an inspection of the following townships, it being considered that the average yield in these townships are less than the 8 bushels to the acre N 1/2 46-11-W 4th, Twp. 47-11-W 4th; Twp. 46-13-W 4th, Twp. 47-13-W. 4th; Twp. 39-18-W 4th. Cd.


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## Holden news

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

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Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby and son Douglas were recent visitors with Bert's father, Harry Appleby, at Vial's Lodge, whose daughter Mrs. Ernest Brown of Ryley was also visiting with him.

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## FUTURE DATES

**ANNUAL TEA AND BAKE SALE**

The Catholic Women's League of Tofield will hold a Tea and Bake Sale in the Library Room on Saturday, Oct. 29, starting at 3.00 p.m. 8-9p-3430

**FILM AND MUSICAL PROGRAM**

Mr. J. R. Francis will show pictures taken on a recent trip to Britain, in the United Church social room, on Tuesday, Nov. 1, at 8 00 p m The Choir are sponsoring this program, which will also include music numbers. Refreshments will be served. A silver collection will be taken. Everyone is cordially invited. 9p-3436

**F.U.A. MEETING**

The Monthly Meeting of the F U A. will be held in the Legion Hall on Thursday, Nov. 3, at 8:00 p.m. A representative of the Blue Cross will be present to speak on "Extended Health Services". 9p-3424

## BIRTHS

**AT TOFIELD HOSPITAL**

HERRING —To Mr and Mrs Dennis Herring, on Sept. 19th, a daughter

HAUGEN. — To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur O. Haugen, on Oct. 6th, a daughter

MAGNESON —To Mr. and Mrs Wilmer Magneson, on Oct. 9th, a daughter

MUNKEDAL. — To Mr. and Mrs. Eric Munkedal, on Oct. 10th, a daughter

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OLOF MONSSON, Sec.-Treas.,
The County of Beaver No. 9 (8-9)



NOMINATION NOTICE

COUNTY OF BEAVER No. 9

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that I will attend at the County Office in Ryley, on

Friday, the 4th day of November, 1966

from three o'clock in the afternoon to four o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of receiving nominations for the office of Councillor.

2 COUNCILLORS TO BE ELECTED

Councillors are to be elected for the following electoral divisions:

DIVISION NO. 2 — DIVISION NO. 3

Given under my hand at the Village of Ryley this 15th day of October, 1966.

OLOF MONSSON,
Returning Officer. (8-9)


## TSU plans yearbook

At a meeting of the Tofield Students' Union held last week, it was decided to publish a centennial yearbook, the theme being "The School—the Centre of the Community". In addition to all students and their yearly activities the yearbook will pictorially illustrate the Tofield community. Plans are being made to contact all business and service organizations so that their place in the community will be preserved for the future.

As a result of this decision, questionnaires were sent out to all parents on October 13, enquiring whether they wanted students' pictures to be taken by a school photographer. The results of this poll was 101-19 in favor of pictures being taken: therefore arrangements are being made to have this service available to the community.


NOTICE

TOWN OF TOFIELD

The Town Office will be OPEN from 9 a.m. to 12 noon ONLY each day November 1, 2, 3 and 4 with Mrs. M. O. Watson in attendance.

CLOSED each afternoon for November 1, 2, 3 and 4. Regular office hours, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. will be resumed on November 7th, 1966.

—RITA E. HALVERSON.


## Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
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Sunday, Oct. 30th

10.00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
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Sunday, Oct. 30th

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10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service

## League notes

The Tofield Community League at the last regular meeting voted in favor of another Merchandise Bingo, to be held Wednesday, Nov 16th, in the Tofield Community Centre

The committee consists of Bill Christensen, Jack Lampitt and John Baergen, and plans are going ahead to make this a bigger and better Bingo than any in previous years.

It was decided to have advance sale of tickets, with a valuable door prize for the holder of the lucky advance sale ticket


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## On the provincial scene

(Continued from Page Two)

step towards putting together the program he will be launching ....

Finally, he said that Alberta needs a program for what he calls "senior adolescents"—people in their early 20's.

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It was also a week just full of odds and ends.

For instance, the government announced that tenders have been called for construction of the final section of the Alberta Resources railway in the Smoky River area. The work is on the final 11 miles of the line that runs 111 miles north from its junction with the CNR main-line west of Hinton.

The provincial treasurer, Mr. Aalborg, announced that Alberta civil servants have been offered pay increases totalling $6,000,000 a year. The employees and the government are still thrashing out a final figure.

The provincial fire commissioner, Austin Bridges, released statistics on Fire Prevention Week. There were 37 fires, resulting in $10,000 damage and one injury. He pointed out that this figure projected over a year would reduce total damage from $18,000,000 to $1,000,000.

Premier Manning and Mr. Aalborg are in Ottawa this week to meet the other provincial leaders and discuss the proposed tax-sharing program between the two levels of government. It's less than a month before the special session of the Alberta legislature is called to deal with the changes.

Five new positions have been created to aid the "human side" of Alberta's A R D A program. Agriculture Minister Strom announced that these would include a guidance counsellor for those on farms who are thinking of going into other occupations. There will also be a farm adjustment specialist, a home development agent, and male and female community advisors.

Mr. Strom also said the province would continue to expand the crop insurance program from the five areas in which it is now operating. And he said that the department is working on a new irrigation policy.

## Mrs. Rose Zuk dies Oct. 16

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

Mrs. Rosa Zuk of Haight passed away Sunday, October 16 at the age of [illegible] years. The deceased had been in failing health for some time.

She leaves to mourn her loving husband Nick of Haight; two sons, Larry and Allen, also of Haight; three brothers, [illegible] Sokalychuk and Harry [illegible]chuk, both of Edmonton; [illegible] Kokalychuk of Fort Saskatchewan; two sisters, Mary (Mrs. [illegible]) and Annie (Mrs. [illegible]), both of Vancouver, B.C.

Prayer service was held Tuesday, October 18 at Park Memorial Chapel, Vegreville. Requiem mass was celebrated on Wednesday morning, October 19 at St. Antony's Roman Catholic Church at Haight with Rev. J. [illegible] the celebrant, and interment was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Zuk was the aunt of Mrs. Mike Chupka. Sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved families.

## Tofield Lions Club plans Variety Night

Tofield Lions Club held their October meeting on Tuesday in Tofield Community Centre, with a good attendance and two new members welcomed. Lion Ed Regehr reported that the Variety Night Show is now certain and outlined the program for Wednesday, Nov. 23rd at 8 p.m. in the Community Centre. This date has been confirmed for use of the Hall.

The Peace Essay contest for Tofield School is now in the hands of Mrs. Grace Phillips and is open to students over 16. A $30.00 prize was authorized by the Club for one essay only. Lion Allan reported on the CNIB Canvass which was not yet completed.

The playoffs for the Friendship Club were set for Tuesday, Nov. 15th at 8 p.m. in the Community Centre, the date also confirmed with the hall caretaker, Martin Langkaas.

## Pre-nuptial shower honors bride-elect

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

About 50 ladies of Holden and district met in the Lutheran Church parlors on Friday evening to honor Miss Linda Roth of Heisler who will become the bride of Dennis Christianson on Saturday, November 5th. On entering the room, the guest of honor was welcomed and a beautiful corsage was pinned on her by Mrs. Ethel Brekstad. Seated at the head table with Linda were her mother, Mrs. Roth, Mrs. Jim Christianson, and her eldest daughter, Mrs. Cadger and Mrs. Laura Christianson, grandmother of Dennis.

Several contests and games were played after which Mrs. Grace Appleby made the presentation of many beautiful and useful gifts wishing the bride-to-be the good wishes of all for happiness in her future life. Linda very graciously thanked all for their lovely gifts and kind wishes offered her. The hostesses served a delicious lunch. Miss Roth is presently on the teaching staff at Heisler school and Dennis is teaching in a school in the Heisler district.

## LOCALS . . .

**CORRECTION**

The names of Mrs. Mildred Watson and Mrs. Dorothea Freebury were unintentionally omitted from the list of hostesses for the shower honoring Miss Bonnie Bowick prior to her marriage. Mrs. Watson and Mrs. Freebury were among the donors of the corsages to the honored guests and Mrs. Watson was in charge of decorating the bride's table.

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Miss Cheryl Halverson from Claresholm spent five days with her parents.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Smith, former residents of Tofield and district, now living in Edmonton, were business visitors in Tofield on Friday.

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Mrs. Chas. J. Kallal is visiting with daughter Connie at the coast.

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**85TH BIRTHDAY**

On Friday and Saturday last, relatives and friends called on Mrs. Annie Lee to wish her many happy returns of her 85th birthday. On Sunday she accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Scott to Edmonton where they were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ray and family.

Friends and neighbors called on Mrs. Annie Lancaster on Tuesday to wish her many happy returns on her birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richards, now of Banff, were also in Tofield. Mr. Richards is Mrs. Lancaster's brother.

Mrs. Jack Bailey and Mrs. Edith Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cossey attended the funeral service for Ernie Vickery in Edmonton on Tuesday. Mr. Vickery was husband of a niece of the late Jack Bailey.

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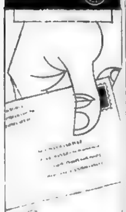

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# Ryley football club pulls hat trick for third county championship

After a shaky start, this season, the Ryley High School football team came back to win the county championship by defeating Tofield 22-19 in a 2-game total-point series.

In the last two years Ryley has had little trouble gaining the championship; however, this year they did it the hard way. Being defeated in their first three games by Tofield, Holden and Viking, did not dampen their spirits. They proved this by defeating these same teams in the next three games. These three wins put them in second place, thus pitting them against Tofield for the championship.

Tofield came on strong, with their usual strong running attack, and led by 5 points going into the second game, which was played in Tofield on Wednesday, Oct. 26. Tofield played hard to keep this lead, but the Ryley boys proved to be too much for them and walked away with a very proud victory 16-8, thus winning the series and championship 22-19.

## New Year's hours extended

New Year's Eve celebrants in Alberta will have an extra two hours for public enjoyment under regulations approved by the Alberta government last week.

An automatic extension allows theaters and places of public dancing to remain open until 2:00 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 1, 1967.

There has been no statement on any changes in regulations affecting the sale of liquor.

## Jasper journey for student orchestra

On Friday, October 21 the Senior Orchestra of Strathcona Composite High School went by bus to Jasper, where they played at three concerts, returning by bus on October 22.

There are over 50 musicians in the orchestra which is conducted by Patricia Brine. The instruments consist of: first violin, second violin, viola, cello, bass, flute, clarinet, oboe, bassoon, trumpet, French horn, trombone, percussion and piano. Edith Mary Smith, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson, played the violin.

Mr. Tweedle, principal of Jasper High School organized the visit and the musicians were billeted with various families.

Besides playing the various instruments, a happy time was also spent in sightseeing.

## Masquerade Ball is highly successful

The Masquerade Ball held on Hallowe'en in the Community Centre was a great success. A large crowd attended and many excellent costumes were seen. Prizes were awarded to: Dr. Freebury, as John Bull; Georgia MacKay, as a Hawaiian; Bill Davison, as Tarzan; Liz Schacker, as a Pumpkin.

Lionel Borton, president of the Tofield Community League, which sponsored the Masquerade, is happy to report a profit on the event.

The November 16 Merchandise Bingo will be the League's next event. Tickets are on sale from League members, and all advance-sale ticket holders will have a chance at the door prize. Other valuable prizes will reward the winner of each of the 15 games.

The committee would like to remind the general public that seating accommodation at the Community Centre is limited, advance sales ensure a seat for the Annual Merchandise Bingo.

## A. R. Cross continues as mayor of Ryley

On October 24, Mayor A. R. Cross was returned as Mayor of Ryley by the Village Council, which appointed Ed Albrecht as deputy mayor.

Meetings of the council will take place on the third Thursday of each month at 8:00 p.m. in the village office.

## New faces on council

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — At the Statutory Council meeting Monday, Oct 24, Councillors Bruce Budd and Lawrence Kaluzny were sworn into office by returning officer Geo. H. Taylor. Lars Olson was elected to office as Mayor for the ensuing year and John Semotiuk as Deputy Mayor.

Councillors in charge of various departments are: Lars Olson, finance and police; Paul Babie, water and sewer; Bruce Budd, public works and fire department; John Semotiuk, community hall and ambulance; Lawrence Kaluzny, health, sanitation and weed control.

Mr. Kaluzny served previously on the council from May 1961 to October 1962, being nominated and elected to serve the unexpired term when Steve Komarnisky resigned from the council.

Council meetings will be held on the third Thursday of the month.

## Floyd Baker resigns from legislature

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK.—Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick attended the Annual Clover Bar Constituency convention at Ardrossan Hall on Tuesday evening.

Floyd Baker, MLA, informed the convention that, due to health reasons and doctor's orders, he will not be a candidate in any forthcoming election.

Mr. Baker has served his constituency well for 31 years and helped any in need regardless of political affiliation. It will be hard to replace him, but the constituents will have to seek to find a man who can fill the position.

Happy retirement years are wished Mr. Baker, and Mrs. Mrs. Baker, who has been a faithful helper to her husband over the many years.

## Drainage District winds up year's work

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — Trustees of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 held their regular monthly meeting on Friday, Oct. 28, in the office of the secretary-treasurer, with Trustees Hans Ruseby, Nick Laskoski and Oscar Afseth present. Regular business was attended to and bills presented for payment. The secretary was requested to write a note of congratulations to be sent to Walter Soloduzuk on his recent appointment.

It was reported that all ditches which had been on the agenda for this year's cleaning project had been completed and the necessary culverts had all been placed. All work was up to date, and all known beaver dams had been destroyed.

## Walter McLennan passes away in B.C.

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—Mr. and Mrs. MacLennan of Poe received the sad news Saturday morning that their son Walter of Powell River, B.C., passed away Friday night after a [illegible]. He leaves to mourn his [illegible] [illegible] his parents, [illegible] brothers. His sister [illegible] arrived there last week to visit, while Mrs. MacLennan and son Jim had just arrived home a week ago from visiting Walter and family.

Jim took his father, Kenneth MacLennan, and uncle Chris Christenson to Edmonton on Sunday. Mr. MacLennan is leaving from there to attend the funeral of his son. The sympathy of all friends in the district is extended to the bereaved families.

**Going to the Fair**

On a one-way trip tomorrow morning are these fine specimens of steers from Byers' ranch south of the city. The Angus steer on the left was chosen by the selectors as the exhibit for the single steer competition. Only 40 singles will go to the Toronto Royal Agricultural Winter Fair from Alberta. The Shorthorn on the right was a close runner-up for single showing, but will be in the carload of the same breed. The consignment from Byers consists of 20 animals altogether, 12 in the carload, a pen of five light Aberdeen-Angus, pen of five heavy Angus, pen of five Angus cross Herefords and the single steer.

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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Mary James who has been visiting for the past few weeks in Vancouver, B.C., with her son Arthur and family and with her daughter Irene and family in Victoria, returned home Tuesday of last week.

John Thieme of Edmonton, former Holden resident was a business caller in the Village a week ago Tuesday also visiting friends the T. A. Lidens and the Lars Olsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson were in Edmonton Saturday, going there with pupils from Holden school who attended the "Adventures in Music" program, which was given by the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra in the Jubilee Auditorium.

**ATA MEETING**

The Holden-Bruce ATA met for their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Pearl Allan gave a report on the March Convention. The theme for the County of Beaver is "Fine Arts in the Schools". Mrs. Grace Appleby, Miss J. Kryzanowski and Mr. J. Fornal attended the Hardisty conference October 22nd and each one gave a very informative report.

**FRIENDSHIP GROUP MEETS**

The Friendship group met on Wednesday, Oct. 19th for their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. R. Raeder, with 12 ladies present. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Mary James, Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus presided at the meeting with Mrs. Campbell taking the Devotions. The ladies discussed sending another parcel of quilts and children's clothing to the missionary in Hong Kong in the near future.

Recent visitors for several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don MacFadyen were Mrs. MacFadyen's sisters, Mrs. R. Lantz and Mrs. E. Fasker of Kelowna, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Petryga, former Holdenites were recent visitors in Holden, calling on friends around the district.

Mrs. Sophie Salamdick who attended the Chamulke 25th wedding anniversary in the community hall, Saturday, Oct. 22nd, called on Mrs. Campbell during [illegible]

Ladies in the district are reminded to keep Saturday, Nov. 19th in mind this being the date that the UCW will be holding their annual fall sale of work, and tea, in the United Church parlors. There will be many items on sale suitable for Christmas gifts, aprons, fancy work and various novelties.

**ATA MEET OCT. 30th**

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson left Tuesday for Red Deer where Lars will attend the Municipal Convention being held by the Union of Alberta Municipalities, November 1st to the 4th. Ray Hovland, Secretary is also attending the convention, both being delegates for the Village of Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow left Monday morning for Calgary to visit with their daughter Muriel and family. Muriel's husband, Ted is still a hospital patient in a Calgary hospital, suffering a relapse on his return home after having recent surgery in an Edmonton hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus and children were Sunday afternoon visitors and dinner guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

Mrs. Bateman entertained at a birthday party Saturday afternoon for her young son who was celebrating his third birthday. Mothers of the young guests were also invited, along with Mrs. N. L. Campbell and Mrs. T. A. Liden.

Stan Wandio of Edmonton, was a visitor with his mother and called on friends in the district, Saturday.


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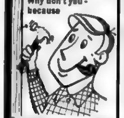

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# Ketchamoot district news briefs

(Mary Mitchell)

Lilly and Harold Schultz entertained their family to a goose dinner on Sunday.

**CONFIRMATION**

Confirmation services were held at the Holy Trinity Anglican Church in Tofield on Sunday, when five girls were confirmed by Bishop Burch. The following girls of the district were among the confirmands, Mary and Margaret Kyle, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kyle and Wendy Fleming, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fleming.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kyle on Sunday following the confirmation were Mrs. L. Beairto and children of Lloydminster, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Young and daughter Deanne of Camrose North, Mrs. Gould Sr., Ray and Alice Gould and children of Tofield and Wanda Dywick and Joan and Frank Denham of Hastings Lake.

Gussie Brown of Agassiz, B.C., who spent the last two months visiting relatives and friends in the district, left last week to return. She will visit with friends enroute, and plans to motor to California to spend the winter with her daughter and other relatives.

Hallowe'en night was busy with young goblins making house to house calls in the district while the teenagers attended the Masquerade dance in Tofield and other pranksters were busy playing tricks on the farmers.

**INTERESTING TOUR**

Edith Davison, Florence Ingram and Marie Mitchell were on an interesting tour on Sunday, viewing part of a petrified forest on the banks of the Battle River near Rosalind and the Cut Knife Provincial Park which was opened earlier this summer. From there they went to the Forestburg strip mine and the Canadian Utilities and Battle River Plant and dam near Forestburg. En route home they called on Father Smekaer at Spring Lake Roman Catholic Church [illegible]


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# The Ryley Times



## District news items from Ryley

(Mrs. A. Bray)

Attending the United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth District annual meeting on Sunday at Camrose were Ernest Brown, Mr and Mrs. Ted Graftaas and Mrs Bertha Winsness.

Billy Jensen celebrated his fourth birthday on Sunday at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Haddy. Guests at the party were Mrs. Willans and Jamie, Mrs Jensen and Michelle, Mr and Mrs. Dan Kading and Jeffrey and Nora from Edmonton. Billy's father, mother and brother, Mr and Mrs Alan Jensen and Michael, from Tofield, were also at the party.

**LIONS RAFFLE WINNERS**

Mrs. Kathleen Anderson was the winner of the Cyrus motor bike which the Lions Club raffled. Miss Gail Lyons won the ladies' motor bike, also raffled by the Lions Club.

Funeral services were held recently for a pioneer of the Beaver Lake area, Thomas Alexander Deby, who passed away at the age of 88 years. Mr Deby was well known in the Ryley district.

Mrs. Gertrude Brown is the new Fuller Brush representative for Ryley.

Alf Anderson had his daughter, Myrtle, son-in-law, Harry, and the three granddaughters, Lynn, Joyce and Denise, from Evansburg, to visit him on October 30. The occasion was Mr. Anderson's birthday.

Cavell Rebekah Lodge held a very successful tea and sale of fancy work and home baking in the Legion Hall on Saturday. The door prize was won by Mrs. Ireland from Edmonton. Members of the Lodge would like to thank all those who patronized this affair.

**HERE FOR FUNERAL**

Mrs Val Greig arrived in Ryley on Saturday from Jasper to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. C. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bray from Red Deer were Sunday guests with Mr and Mrs. Orvil Bray.

Mr and Mrs Ronald Kozoway, of Edmonton, were Ryley visitors on Sunday.

Anton Nelson, former resident of the Ryley district for many years, passed away at Camrose on October 29, at the age of 88 years. He is survived by one son, the Rev. Arthur Nelson of Weldon, Sask., and one daughter, Mrs. Arne Hjordes Knutslien, of Edmonton, ten grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Funeral services were held November 1 in Camrose with Rev. O. H. Haugen officiating, with interment in the Camrose cemetery. A number of people from Ryley attended the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Solberg of Camrose were in Ryley on Saturday visiting with friends, and also attended the Rebekah bazaar in the afternoon.

The Ryley 4-H girls held a Masquerade Dance in the Ryley Community Hall on Friday. A large crowd was on hand to enjoy the affair. Prizes for best costumes went to: First, an Edmonton couple; second, Mr and Mrs. Murray Lyons; third, Miss Smith and Miss McCrae.

**NO TRICKS!**

The usual Hallowe'eners in Ryley were around for tricks or treats. It was one of the most orderly Hallowe'ens Ryley has experienced for some time. There was no destruction of any extent, and the Town Council is to be commended for their organization and patrolling of the town.

**MRS. YOUNG DIES**

Sympathy of the district goes to Mr and Mrs. Clayton Young and Mrs. Bertha Hay in the death of Clayton's mother and Mrs. Hay's sister, Mrs. Cora Young, who passed away October 23 in Tofield.

Mr and Mrs. Garry Gilchrist were visitors last weekend with Carl Nord and Dolores.

## Tofield high school news

The Ryley football team won the County championship. Tofield won the first game of the two-game, total point series 11-6 and Ryley won the second game 16-8, giving Ryley a 22-19 edge.

Basketball practice started this week for Junior and Senior High teams. The turnouts for the teams are the largest in the history of the school. Mr. Rurka is coaching the Junior High teams, assisted by Mr. Pullen and Mr Ronoghan. Mr. Eastlick will coach the Senior High team with aid from Mr. Ferguson.

Report cards will be sent home on November 8 and are to be returned by the parents on Parent-Teacher Day, November 10. A number of incomplete grades will appear on high school report cards due to absences of students who have not made up for tests missed. Incomplete grades will be represented by an "I", in place of a grade.

Magazine sales will not close until Friday, due to the indifference of students this year and the number of people who have not yet been contacted.

The yearbook kit arrived Monday and work is progressing on it.

## League planning Carol festival

The League's Annual Christmas Carol Festival is being planned. In former years, the local and visiting choirs have presented a concert of excellent quality. Packed audiences have enjoyed participating in the community carol singing.

This year the Carol Festival will be arranged by Geo. McFadzean, and the date will be announced shortly.

## 4-H'ers weigh calves on November 5th

The Tofield 4-H Beef Club held their re-organization meeting on October 30. Main business of the meeting was the election of officers. They are as follows: Colleen Wyllie, president; Terry Moore, secretary; Robert Holowaychuck, vice-president; Donald Rodzaki, treasurer; Marilyn Schacker, club reporter. John Moore is the club leader again this year, and the adult committee consists of Mr Cooney, Mr Wyllie and Mr Heiberg.

It was planned at this meeting to weigh the calves at the UGG elevators on November 5 at 1:00 p.m.

## Unique costumes at Hallowe'en

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

MINISTIK — The Hallowe'en dance sponsored by the Community Club was well attended and enjoyed by all.

Best costume prizes went to Keith Williams as a bride and Margaret Jeske as his groom. Costumes for the most work were: Turkeys, worn by Bruno Jeske and Betty Williams; best man, Frank Swabey, as a little old man; best lady, Carol McEwan; boy's best, Keith Horricks, as a pirate; girl's best, Brenda Roddick, as an Indian girl.

Honorable mention goes to Glenn Ferguson and Richard Heilman, as Robots, complete with lights that went on and off. These boys spent many hours preparing their costumes, as did Betty Williams and Bruno Jeske, as Turkeys.

Judges for the affair were Mr and Mrs Jack Simpson of Hastings Lake and Mr and Mrs Alfred Paterson of Looma.


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## Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

The Tofield FWA meeting will be held at the home of Mrs Barbara Appleby on Wednesday afternoon, Nov 9th. Ladies please note the change of date for this month. Visitors welcome.

Sympathy of the district goes to Joey and Eva McLennan and family and Joey's mother and other members of the family in the passing away of Joey's father, Joe McLennan in Edmonton last weekend.

**VISITORS FROM SEBA**

Walter and Evelyn Eaton and family of Seba Beach motored to Tofield on Saturday, where Brenda spent Saturday and overnight with her cousin Ruth Norton. Walter and Evelyn and Karen were Saturday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Walter's brother Leroy and Shirley Eaton at Holden. The boys stayed on the farm where Walter, Evelyn and Karen joined them later in the evening and all were Saturday overnight and Sunday until after dinner guests of Walter's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton. Richard Norton and daughter Ruth brought Brenda out to the farm Sunday forenoon, where she joined the rest of the family for dinner and to return home to Seba.

Janet Wickenberg and Mrs Vivian Jones were Saturday afternoon and Sunday guests at the home of their parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg. Vivian's son Donald was also a Sunday afternoon and supper guest there and Ernie Collins was a supper guest and evening visitors along with other family members.

Esther and Joe Majakey of Edmonton, were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Esther's brother John and Mary Wood. Later Esther, Joe, and Mary were afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Ethel Wood.

Elmer and Vi Geoglein and their guest, Vi's sister Lil Ball of Edmonton, motored to Hanna Saturday and were Saturday overnight and Sunday guests at the home of Vi's and Lil's brother Bill and Eileen Taylor. They also visited their father Thomas Taylor (formerly of Tofield) in the Senior Citizens Home there. On their return trip Sunday they stopped in Edmonton and left Lil at her home there before returning to Tofield.

Joe and Ellenor Jones were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Geo. and Ida Niemetz.

Mrs. Martha Tiedemann was an Edmonton visitor on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. While there she was a Tuesday overnight guest of her sister, Adele and Cliff Gosnell. She also visited with her father Emil Goubault while there.

**BIRTHDAY OBSERVED**

Buelah and Jim Gemmell, and Billy and Lily Johnston and children all of Edmonton and Jack and Helen Gray and three children of North Cooking Lake, gathered at the home of Buelah's and Billy's father, Jack Johnston on Sunday, where they spent the day and prepared a birthday dinner in Jack's honor and helped him celebrate the occasion.

Miss Loretta Ross of St. Albert, Mrs. Emily Carlisle of Edmonton and Mrs. Norm (Pat) Glover of Tofield were Thursday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Buelah's and Billy's father, Jack Johnston on Sunday, where they spent the day and prepared a birthday dinner in Jack's honor and helped him celebrate the occasion.

Miss Loretta Ross of St. Albert, Mrs. Emily Carlisle of Edmonton and Mrs. Norm (Pat) Glover of Tofield were Thursday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs Ethel Wood last week.

Dede and Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley were Saturday supper guests at the home of Robert's sister Martha and Emil Tiedemann. Later they were Saturday overnight and Sunday until after dinner guests at the home of Dede's parents, John and Mary Wood.

Evie and Vic Halwa and three young sons of Edmonton were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Evie's parents, Mary and John Wood.

Mrs Johnny (Gloria) Wood and little daughter Cathy left on Thursday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs John Miller at Onoway and help with her mother, who is ill.

Gail and Bob Oaubko of Edmonton were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Gail's parents, Geo. and Ida Niemetz.

Mrs Lionel (Emma) Ferguson spent Saturday and Sunday in Edmonton visiting with her two daughters Audrey and Harold Kindley and family and Betty and Keith Paddick and three little girls.

Donna and Frank Edwards of Elk Point were Sunday visitors at the home of Donna's parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson. They took Donna's little niece Wanda Weir home with them after she had stayed from Tuesday to Sunday with her grandparents.

Mrs Loretta Weir, who is still a patient in the Royal Alex Hospital in Edmonton, spent from Friday to Sunday evening at the home of her parents Howard and Mae Ferguson. Detective Bill and Mrs Fox and three children of Edmonton were also Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests there. Loretta returned to the city with them Sunday evening.

**Charlie Niemetz has been a patient in Lamont Hospital since last Thursday, where he had surgery on his leg. All wish him a speedy recovery.**

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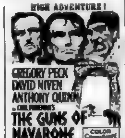


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*We congratulate Calvin and wish to thank Alberta's Weekly Newspaper Editors for their active co-operation in the Alberta Junior Citizen of the Year program, sponsored by Alberta's investor-owned electric utility companies.*

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Building No. 2—7'x9' Timber Oil Shed, Kingman, Alberta
Building No. 3 4'x4' Toilet, Kingman, Alberta
Building No. 4 12'x34' Frame Section Bunkhouse, Kingman, Alberta
Building No. 5 8'x10' Frame Wood Shed, Kingman, Alberta
Building No. 6 12'x12' Timber Ice House, Kingman, Alberta
Building No. 8—8'x12' Frame Coal Shed, Kingman, Alberta
Building No. 9—4'x9' Frame Toilet, Kingman, Alberta
Building No. 1 10'x12' Frame Tool House, Dinant, Alberta
Building No. 2—5'x9' Frame Toilet, Haight, Alberta
Building No. 3 6'x8' Frame Oil Shed, Haight, Alberta
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Building No. 5—4'x4' Frame Toilet, Roundhill, Alberta
Building No. 6—10'x32' Frame Section Bunkhouse, Roundhill, Alberta
Building No. 7 6'x8' Frame Coal Shed, Roundhill, Alberta
Building No. 8 10'x32' Frame Section House, Roundhill, Alberta
Building No. 9 8'x12 Frame Shim Shed, Roundhill, Alberta
Building No. 10 4'x4' Frame Toilet, Roundhill, Alberta
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10.00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "Spiritual Stragglers"
"Sin is the denial of God and the pride and presumption by which we try to play our own God" —Bethick

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, Nov. 6th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service, Communion Service.
8:00 p.m.—Christian Youth Fellowship.
Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. — Bible Study and Prayer.
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Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Nov. 6th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service.

The British pavilion at Expo 67 will rise, cliff-like, out of the water and will have a 200-foot tower. There will be no grass and no flowers. Sir Basil Spence, the architect, describes it as "craggy, tough and uncompromising."

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# Holden and district news items

(Intended for last week)

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Alex Gordy, M.L.A., of Vegreville was a Saturday visitor in Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, who have been staying the past week on the farm at Viking with their daughter Beth and family, the Ernie Mortas, returned home Saturday afternoon, after helping with the harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hooper entertained a number of friends Saturday evening in honor of Cecil's brother, Melvin, who was celebrating his birthday.

Mrs. Lars Ritland was a visitor Tuesday of last week with his sister, Mrs. Hanson at Vialta Lodge and also called on Mr. Ja-[illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols were business visitors in Edmonton Tuesday of last week, Roy having treatment on his shoulder which he injured some time [illegible]. Mrs Hans Brekstad also [illegible] to Edmonton with them to visit her uncle, Olaf Chetney, a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital, and who [illegible] feeling a little improved that day.

**FRIENDSHIP [illegible] MEETS**

The Friendship Group met for their regular meeting October 19th at the home of Mrs. R. Haedey with 12 ladies present. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Mary James, Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus took the chair, with Mrs. N. L. Campbell in charge of the devotions. The ladies discussed sending another parcel of children's clothing and quilts to the Mission in Hong Kong in the near future. At the conclusion of the meeting lunch was served.

George Albrecht left last Wednesday morning by bus to visit for several days with his two daughters and their families at Stony Plain.

Ray Hovland and Mrs. N. L. Campbell were business visitors in Camrose last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Petryga, former Holdenites, were visitors in Holden last week, calling on relatives and friends in the district.

Mrs. Campbell had several friends in for coffee Saturday morning and watched a TV program regarding union of the Anglican and United Churches.

Chris Christenson was an Edmonton business visitor a week ago Monday and also visiting with his sister, Mrs. Elna Parsons at the Good Samaritan Home.

Leonard [illegible] Ludvig Hovland, both of Camrose, were visitors and coffee guests at the home of Chris Hovland and sons Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Grosland were recent Saturday visitors in Edmonton, and called on Olaf Chetney in the Royal Alex Hospital.

Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Maurice Ruskenveld were Saturday afternoon visitors with Mrs. Laura Christianson.

Mr. and Mrs. Salamandick of Edmonton were in Holden to attend the Chermaike 25th wedding anniversary, dinner, and dance on Saturday. Mrs. Salamandick called on Mrs. Campbell during the afternoon.

Visiting the past week with Mrs. John Nordstrom, who recently returned from a visit with her daughter and family at Airdrie were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nordstrom of Viking.

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November 3rd, 1966

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Olsen, daughter Linda, and Dennis were recent Sunday visitors and dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burnstad and family.

Mrs. Olaf Chetney was a Friday visitor in Edmonton with her husband in the Royal Alexandra Hospital, who is feeling improved and hoping to be home soon.

Miss Vickie Motkoski, who is employed in Edmonton, was a visitor during the weekend with her family, the John Motkoskis.

Frank Tehir of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tehir and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shehinski of Edmonton were visitors Sunday of last week at the home of Chris Hovland and sons Ray and Reuben.

Paul Malowany of Edmonton and her daughter's husband from Vegreville were visitors Friday, when they were moving their mother Mrs. Kate Malowany from the Stefaniczyn residence, where she has been living for the past year, into the Brekstad house.

Geo. Albrecht is visiting with his two daughters and families at Stony Plain.

**GOOD HUNTING**

The Ernie Koetke's, the Norman Koetkes and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Peterson who were on a hunting trip for a few days around the Atlee district in southern Alberta, were fortunate in bringing back several antelope.

Steve Komarnisky was a caller in Holden with relatives and friends on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden were visitors and on business in Edmonton Wednesday of last week.

Elmer Loran of Grande Prairie was a visitor for a few days a week ago, with his mother, Mrs. Olaf Chetney and they motored to Edmonton on the Sunday to visit with Mr. Chetney in hospital. Elmer returned home the beginning of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann were in Edmonton Sunday evening of last week and were overnight visitors with Mrs. Tiedemann's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Morrison, returning home Monday evening. Mrs. Morrison has been a recent hospital patient and is not very well. Alan returned home with his parents and was an overnight guest returning to Edmonton Tuesday afternoon.

Chris Christenson was a recent Edmonton visitor and called on his sister, Mrs. Elna Parsons in the Good Samaritan Nursing home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad were Edmonton visitors Monday of last week and visited with Mrs. Brekstad's uncle, Olaf Chetney, in hospital.

Geo. H. Taylor, Co-ordinator of the County of Beaver Unit of EMO attended the regular meeting of Co-ordinators, in the County office at Ryley on October 24th.

Mrs. Campbell was a Wednesday afternoon visitor and supper guest with Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ritland.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

W. J. Rurka is a patient in the General Hospital, Edmonton, having had recent surgery.

Chris Christenson entered an Edmonton hospital early in the week to undergo minor surgery.

Mrs. William Shyba, who has been a patient in the Tofield hospital for the past two weeks with a sever attack of the 'flu, is making satisfactory progress and is hoping to be home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bilyk of Edmonton were visitors during the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Bilyk.

Harry Appleby of Vialta Lodge Viking was visiting with his family, Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hooper entertained a number of friends Saturday evening, October 22nd in honor of Cecil's brother, Melvin who was celebrating his birthday.

John Motkoski who returned from a trip to Fort McMurray last Friday reports very cold weather there and about 12 inches of snow.

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# Around the town

Mrs R. E. Halverson, Town of Tofield Secretary Treasurer is attending the urban Municipal Convention at Red Deer.

**D. MAURER**

David Maurer passed away in hospital on Tuesday morning.

LeRoy Eaton has resigned his position as Town Constable at Holden and is now driving a Royal Mail truck from Edmonton to Lloydminster.

On Sunday morning at Holy Trinity Church five candidates were admitted into full fellowship through the rite of "Laying on of Hands" by the Bishop of Edmonton, the Rt. Rev. W. G. Burch. The candidates were Mary and Margaret Kyle, Wendy Fleumming, Donna Lindsay, Bonnie Kochie. Following the service a congregational social was held at the Rectory.

Mrs G. S. Packham of Burnaby, B.C., is visiting at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. [illegible].

There was a good turnout to view the pictures of the recent trip to England and Scotland shown by Mr. J. R. Francis in the United Church Hall on Tuesday evening. The Church choir sponsored the gathering, and rendered a musical program.

**CHANGE OF DATE**

Tofield Lions Club Friendship Bridge and Whist playoff night has been advanced to Tuesday, November 8th from Nov. 15th as originally planned. It will be held in the meeting room of Tofield Community Centre at 8:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hunter, of Carstairs and two little daughters were visitors at the Hunter and Stekham homes over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Erickson and Orval were Sunday dinner guests at the Hans Boness home in Camrose.

The Rev. Henry Unrau of the Briercrest Bible Institute, Caronport, Sask., will be ministering in the Mennonite Brethren Church of Tofield each evening at 8 p.m. from Nov. 16 to 20.

Mr. Unrau has been teaching and serving in various departments of the Briercrest Bible Institute for some nine years.

He comes to us with a vital message from God for our present times.

Everyone is invited to attend the services.

**CHURCH DEDICATION**

On Sunday evening Rev. W. L. and Mrs. Hammett attended the dedication of the new church of St. Mary Abbots, Barrhead where Rev. Stanley Noble is rector. A short ceremony was later held when Miss Eva May Lilley was admitted to Diocesan Life Membership in the Women's Auxiliary (now Anglican Church Women of Canada) by Bishop Burch assisted by Mrs. Moore, Diocesan President and Mrs. J. Warner of the Diocesan Board. Miss Lilley is well known to many members of the Auxiliary in Tofield.

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# Ross Creek news

(Mrs. L. Vanouskirk)

Gordon Schacher of Tawatina accompanied his brother, Ronny on a [illegible] trip to Medicine Hat, where they visited relatives and attended the Walsh Cattle Sale.

Students of the Lamont school division enjoyed a two-day holiday while their teachers attended the Teachers' Convention in Edmonton.

**FAREWELL PARTY**

Mr. and Mrs. Max Schacher, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hauer, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice VanBuskirk, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schacher of Sherwood Park and Mr. and Mrs. Holley Schacher of Edmonton attended a farewell party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schmidt of Sherwood Park, who will be making their future home in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carlisle and family were Saturday evening visitors at the Maurice VanBuskirk home.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Charlie Niemetz and his daughter, Patsy Loxton, are both hospitalized in the Archer Memorial Hospital at Lamont. Charlie is recuperating following surgery.

Several couples attended Hallowe'en dances at Chipman and Bruderheim on Friday night and at Tofield on Monday night. Mrs. Mable Hauer and Mrs. Sophie [illegible] won first prizes for their traditional "Pumpkin" costumes at the Bruderheim dance, while Mrs. Lizzie Schacher won first prize in Tofield wearing a similar costume.

Local Park employees attended a retirement dinner at the Highway Motor Hotel in Edmonton for Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ferguson of Elk Island Park, who were presented with a battery-operated clock and a crystal vase. They will live in Fort Saskatchewan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hennig of Andrew spent Thursday to Saturday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Alma Snider. On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Hennig accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Snider and boys on a motor trip to Red Deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice VanBuskirk and boys were Sunday dinner guests at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Franklin, at Sherwood Park.

Mrs. Anne Wells of South Edmonton, formerly of this district, called on several ladies here on Monday.

The U.C.W. Tea held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Eglinski was very successful, and the ladies enjoyed being greeted by the Hallowe'en pumpkin who escorted them to the tea and bazaar tables.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Swallowing angry words is a lot easier than having to eat them. —J.W.R.

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## Lakeshore -

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Karen Jacobsen, daughter of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen had a few of her little friends in on Friday evening after school for a birthday party to help her celebrate her birthday on the weekend.

Sunday visitors at the home of Carl and Mavis Jacobsen were Carl's parents, Hans and Martha Jacobsen and Mavis's father, Julius Jacobson, all of Edmonton who were guests at a birthday dinner in honor of their little granddaughter Karen. Also home over the weekend was their eldest daughter Clarice, who is taking nurses' training at the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton.

Mrs. Alice Conroy, Mrs. Mabel Hauer, Mrs. Doris Schacher, Mrs. Lil VanBuskirk, Mrs. Irlene Sieb, Mrs. Violet Bailey, Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen and Mrs. Irene Warner were Tuesday afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Mickey Niemetz, where they celebrated both Mickey's and Mabel's birthdays at the same time.

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# New alderman sworn in

At the first meeting of the Town Council on October 24, following the October 19 civic election, the main matters dealt with pertained to the report on the results of the election by the Returning Officer.

**Returning Officer's Report**

Dr. W. H. Freebury was re-elected as Mayor of the Town of Tofield by acclamation. Of a possible 420 eligible voters, 244 cast ballots, resulting in B. A. Everitt receiving 122 ballots, while J. G. Allan and Gabe Pittet each received 113. A draw named G. Pittet as Councillor for the next three-year term. T. Robt. Nebrebeski polled 100 votes.

**Fluoridation**

The fluoridation bylaw, which required a majority to pass, was defeated, with 116 electors voting against fluoridation and 112 voting in favour; seven refused to vote on the bylaw, and nine ballots were spoiled.

Oaths of Office, administered by Const. Wall, were subscribed to by Dr. W. H. Freebury for a two-year term as Mayor and B. A. Everitt and G. Pittet for three-year terms each as Councillors.

It was moved and carried that the Committees remain the same as the past year, with Clr. Pittet replacing Clr. Allan. Clr. Swift was appointed Deputy Mayor.

M. Bruce, Superintendent of Schools in the County of Beaver, and K. Eastlick, Principal of the Tofield School, were present and wished some indication as to whether or not Council would consider reserving the land south and east of the school for future school expansion programs. After discussion, Council decided to give favorable consideration to this request if approached formally by the County of Beaver No. 9 at a later date.

Mayor Freebury instructed the secretary-treasurer to arrange a meeting of representatives from local organizations to discuss Centennial plans. Clrs. Everitt and Pittet were appointed to represent the Town at such a meeting. Mrs. Grace Phillips is to be invited to represent the school.

**Building Permits**

Building permits were approved to Peter Nurfeld for dwelling, valued at $11,000; Ernest Collins for storage shed, $200, and K & M for alterations, $500, for a total of $11,700.

# Election called in Beaver Division No. 3

Nominations for two candidates in Division No. 3 of Beaver County on Friday last will force an election for this area. The Mercury was informed by Returning Officer Olof Monsson.

In Division No. 2, John H. Roddick was returned by acclamation for another three-year term.

Nominations in Division 3 include those of William A. Dorin and Barney H. Maves. Mr. Monsson reported elections would be held in this district on Saturday, December 3rd, and polling locations are announced in advertisements in this week's Mercury.

Both Mr. Roddick and Mr. Dorin have sat on council for several years, while Mr. Maves is making a new bid for the seat.

## Legionnaires parade on Remembrance Day

Services of Remembrance will be conducted in Tofield tomorrow in much the same pattern as in past years, starting at the Cenotaph at 10.45. Tofield members of the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch No. 91, have made arrangements, with the Rev. W. L. Hammett as chaplain conducting the short service of remembrance at the Cenotaph. The public is welcome, in addition to veterans.

This will be followed by the customary silence, laying of wreaths, and the sounding of the Last Post and Reveille by Rex Boyles as bugler.

Following the service at the Cenotaph, there will be a short parade to the Community Hall, where a joint service of remembrance will be conducted by three members of the clergy. Joining Mr. Hammett will be the Rev. V. McDommold and the Rev. Arthur Dahlen of Bardo. Soloist at the service will be Keith Appleby.

The memorial address will be delivered by Harold Dunham, a member of the Tofield Branch.

At 2:00 p.m., a pot luck supper will be held at the Legion Hut for veterans.

**FROM THE SCRAP BOOK**

Life is full of wonderful things,
I cherish the blessings it sends;
But I'm happy and grateful most of all
For books and flowers and friends. —J.W.R.

## Curlers nearing end of 'War on Drip'

Sheeting of the interior of the Tofield Curling Rink to combat the condensation dripping will be finished this week and the ice-making operations should be underway by the first of next week.

The ladies Curling Club have decided to make a start on finishing that portion over the waiting room, windows for this project have already been purchased.

All members and prospective members are urged to attend the general curling meeting on Monday, Nov. 14th at 8:00 p.m. in the Curling Rink.

**THE WEATHER . . .**

| Nov. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
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| 2 | 45 | 29 | 30.10 | —— |
| 3 | 42 | 24 | 30.28 | —— |
| 4 | 36 | 9 | 30.36 | .02" rain |
| 5 | 36 | 11 | —— | .02" rain |
| 6 | 12 | 3 | 30.35 | —— |
| 7 | 10 | 4 | 30.22 | tr. snow |
| 8 | 30 | 4 | 29.53 | .25" snow |

## Library additions for Book Week

Recent additions to the Tofield Municipal Library for Young Canada Book Week.

Peter Fidler, Canada's Forgotten Surveyor by MacGregor James.

The Room Upstairs by M. Dickens.

Window on the Square by Phyllis Whitney.

The Money by Pratt.

Virtue of Selfishness by Ayn Rand.

Menfreya by V. Holt.

The Collector by Fowles.

The Regiment by Farley Mowat.

The Wedding Book by Birmingham.

It Could Happen to Anyone by Craig.

What You Can Do with a Word by Williams.

The Nightingale by Hans Anderson.

Adventures of Egbert the Easter Egg by Armour.

Merry-go-Round in OZ by McGraw - Baum.

Young Canada Book Week is marked, November 14-22. Visit your library this week for these and other fine books.

## No injuries when blaze levels home near Lindbrook

Fire of undetermined origin, that apparently occurred in the basement, destroyed the frame and stucco dwelling immediately east of the Lindbrook hall Saturday afternoon. H. B. Garland of Edmonton was the owner of the house which was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Herring and family of small children. Mrs. Herring was alone at home at the time with the children, one being a baby seven weeks of age. Information is that they miraculously escaped uninjured. Mrs. Herring dropped the baby out of the ground floor window and jumped out herself. The Tofield fire department responded to the call for help but were unable to do more than control the fire. Fireman Jock Tiedemann had a narrow escape when a tall chimney toppled brushing his left shoulder. Various organizations assisted the family and they are now living in the Hotel in Tofield as vacant dwellings are very scarce.

## Tofield High School news

There will be a contest in the near future for the selection of the best name for the yearbook, the school newspaper, and for the column in the Tofield Mercury. The purpose of selecting one name for all three productions is to establish an identity for the Tofield School.

Names will be submitted by the school students, and judged by an impartial panel.

The school paper was published Tuesday and a copy was distributed to each family. In the future it may be necessary to charge a small fee for these newspapers in order to cover the cost of paper and stencils.

The magazine sales came to a close last week after a final splurge. The sales totalled about $1250, giving the TSU a profit of approximately $430. The students would like to thank all members of the community for supporting this fund raising activity.

MacDuff Ottawa Report

# The agenda problem

OTTAWA. — On the innocuous-sounding Conservative conference agenda dispute could rest the future of John Diefenbaker's leadership.

The battle is being fought before the Party's annual meeting Nov 14 - 16. Its outcome may decide whether the leadership review issue ever comes before the conference floor.

The contestants are the party's two senior leaders.

Mr. Diefenbaker is battling for control of the annual meeting with his right arm—the Conservative national headquarters headed by his appointee, National Director James Johnston.

National President Dalton Camp is fighting back personally and publicly. His stated object is not Mr. Diefenbaker's head, but a more democratic Conservative party.

Normally, there would be no agenda problem. The order and time of speeches and votes is usually drafted by the Party's national headquarters in consultation with its national president. The schedule is then submitted to the national executive for alterations. Finally, it goes to the annual meeting for formal approval.

The trouble this year derives from the breakdown in communication between the Diefenbaker-controlled headquarters and the president. It hit the headlines when Mr. Johnston simply issued his own agenda for the meeting.

Mr. Camp charges that the agenda is invalid because he was not consulted in its preparation. He promises to call a meeting of the national executive to make a proper agenda.

Mr Johnston retaliates with the charge that the Party president ignored his request to help in the preparation of the agenda. Mr. Camp countercharges that the national director turned down his overtures to co-operate with pre-convention business.

The reasons for Mr. Camp's anger are readily apparent in a reading of the Johnston agenda. First, it schedules a "welcome" speech by Mr. Diefenbaker only one hour after the three-day meeting is scheduled to open.

The Party president admits it is normal for the leader to make a speech at a time of his own choosing. But he says it is highly unusual for the address to come so early. And never before has the leader been cast in what he calls the role of "official greeter".

Though Mr. Camp hasn't spelled them out, it is clear what he considers the Diefenbaker-Johnston tactics to be. The 71 year-old leader would, of course, make a rousing speech. A "spontaneous" vote of confidence would then be moved from the convention floor. Obviously it would be

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# Why wear a poppy?

By Don Crawford
(Reprinted from The Legionary, October, 1964)

*"Please wear a poppy," the lady said*
*And held one forth, but I shook my head.*
*Then I stopped and watched as she offered them there,*
*And her face was old and lined with care;*
*But beneath the scars the years had made*
*There remained a smile that refused to fade.*

*A boy came whistling down the street,*
*Bouncing along on care-free feet.*
*His smile was full of joy and fun,*
*"Lady," said he "may I have one?"*
*When she'd pinned it on he turned to say,*

*"Why do we wear a poppy today?"*
*The lady smiled in her wistful way*
*And answered, "This is Remembrance Day,*
*And the poppy there is a symbol for*
*The gallant men who died in war.*
*And because they did, you and I are free —*

*That's why we wear a poppy you see*
*"I had a boy about your size,*
*With golden hair and big blue eyes.*
*He loved to play and jump and shout,*
*Free as a bird he would race about.*
*As the years went by he learned and grew*

*And became a man — as you will, too.*
*"He was fine and strong, with a boyish smile,*
*But he'd seemed with us such a little while*
*When war broke out and he went away*
*I still remember his face that day*
*When he smiled at me and said, 'Goodbye,*

*I'll be back soon, Mom so please don't cry.'*
*"But the war went on and he had to stay,*
*And all I could do was wait and pray.*
*His letters told of the awful fight,*
*I can see it still in my dreams at night,*
*With the tanks and guns and cruel barbed wire,*

*And the mines and bullets, the bombs and fire.*
*"Till at last, at last, the war was won —*
*And that's why we wear a poppy, son."*
*The small boy turned as if to go,*
*Then said, "Thanks lady, I'm glad to know.*
*That sure did sound like an awful fight,*

*But your son — did he come back all right?"*
*A tear rolled down each faded check;*
*Shee shook her head, but didn't speak.*
*I slunk away in a sort of shame,*
*And if you were me you'd have done the same;*
*Four our thanks, in giving, is oft delayed,*
*Though our freedom was bought — and thousands paid!*
*And so when we see a poppy worn,*
*Let us reflect on the burden borne*
*By those who gave their very all*
*When asked to answer their country's call*
*That we at home in peace might live.*
*Then wear a poppy. Remember — and Give!*

# How about the Legion?

Remembrance Day tends to bring the Royal Canadian Legion to the forefront of the community even more than at any other time of the year, so the timing may be correct to wonder how far Canada's current trend to cut loose from Britain will go.

It now seems probable that Canada's service men are soon to drop the 'Royal' portion of their name, possibly coupled with some other move to identify them all under some such name as Canadian Armed Forces.

Possibly Mr. Hellyer's authority wouldn't stretch that far, but what would this tend to mean for the Royal Canadian Legion? Many members will remember it was only a short time ago the 'Royal' was added to the Legions' name . . . would that now come down . . . possibly for the sake of uniformity? Or would anyone care very much?

# And the Mounties?

Apropos the note above, is it likely Canada's famous Mounties may soon become just the CMP, dropping the 'Royal' too? We've always thought RCMP had a very balanced, satisfying ring of substance to it, but CMP sounds a little thin and hollow for some reason.

That brings up another point. Since the horses are gone now, why not drop any reference to them and just call the force Canadian Police. That way the intials could easily tie in with the new design (very unofficially) for the Postes Canada, or is it Canada Post. And all the other CP designs. Think of the efficiency. Think of the money we'd save. And think of the confusion.

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# Centennial Report

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Youth travel programs and cultural exchange visits between communities and ethnic groups are organized and financed by the Centennial Commission to help promote communication and understanding between Canadians separated by our country's great distances.

The idea behind such programs, of course, is that 1967 is a good time for everyone to get to know Canada better and to learn more about its peoples, its varied geography and history. But government programs, as in most other cases, act merely as catalysts. The idea will become a complete success only if Canadians, motivated from within themselves and on their own initiative, get on the move in '67 to see more of Canada and to learn more about it.

Many of us don't take the opportunity to do a little amateur research on Canada even at short distances. I met a middle aged man, for example, who lived most of his life 90 miles from Niagara Falls and had never seen that great wonder of the world, even though he had toured the United Kingdom and half of Europe during the last war.

For the affluent, a trip across Canada could well replace a European holiday with savings to boot. (Though the distance is as great, the fare is less.) For those of us who can't afford such a trip next year we need only choose a travel radius of one or a few hundred miles to fit the pocketbook, and pick an interesting spot we've never visited before.

We have no shortage of fascinating communities, historical sites and natural wonders to be seen. I'll wager that many Nova Scotians and other Maritimers have not yet visited the old French Fortress of Louisburg, now being restored on Cape Breton Island, whose history on the mere printed page stirs excitement and wonder. How many B.C. mainlanders have really explored the beauties of Vancouver Island and met the interesting personalities who live around the island ports and towns?

I imagine I could pick anyone at random on the main street of any Ontario town and find that he had not explored unbeaten paths around the tobacco country

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# Have you ever wondered...

### ...how nursing home facilities are controlled?

Albertans requiring the services of a nursing home are able to enjoy the finest facilities for their care and comfort at a cost well within their reach, thanks to the Nursing Home Plan of the Alberta Department of Public Health. The Province contributes $4.50 per day to the cost of care given in a home operating under the plan which provides facilities considered adequate by the Department's inspection staff. In addition to the essential services such extras as dining rooms, beauty and barber shops and areas for recreational, diversional and religious activities must be included.

### ...where an Alberta farmer can borrow money to increase his land?

Any Alberta Farmer who has the opportunity to improve his operation by the addition of new land needs only 20 per cent of the purchase price in cash. The rest, up to a maximum of $24,000, he can borrow from the Alberta Department of Agriculture Farm Purchase Board, if he meets the requirements set. All it costs him is his application fee to one of the Province's 71 local Farm Purchase Advisory Committees, and an interest rate of 5 per cent which includes life insurance. Up to the end of 1965, the value of credit extended to farmers is estimated at $21 million and the value of the land purchased at $32.5 million.

### ...what is the common denominator in "invest" and "investigate"?

Possession of "all the facts, ma'm" is as vital a factor in investing as it is in investigation. To make sure that Alberta investors have this protection, each individual or company desiring to sell shares or debentures within the Province must first register and file a copy of their prospectus with the Alberta Securities Commission of the Attorney-General's Department. The Commission ensures the prospectus gives a full, true and factual picture of the company and that each prospective purchaser receives a copy before the transaction is complete. In addition to these precautions, the Alberta Securities Commission is continuously conducting audits and has full authority to investigate complaints lodged with it by the public. To maintain contact with national and international securities fields, the Commission works in co-operation with similar Commissions in other provinces and the United States.

### ...how old a boy should be before he starts learning the practical side of forest conservation?

Ten, according to the Alberta Forest Service, Department

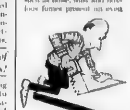
of Lands and Forests. That's the minimum age at which a boy can become a member of the Junior Forest Wardens, an organization originated by the Training Branch of the Service, and now administered by the Department of Youth, which teaches proper conservation needs and procedures. A year 'round program of learning is capped by ten days of practical experience at camp. When a Junior Forest Warden reaches the age of 17 or 18, he can apply for work as a Junior Forest Ranger. As such, he will attend a two month summer work camp where he will be actively engaged in forest conservation projects. Such practical experience helps him decide if he wants to enter this profession. If he does, he is invited to a two year forest technology course provided by the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology in conjunction with the Department of Lands and Forests.

### ...what is the source of Alberta's school books?

From Grade One's "Seeing Through Arithmetic" to Grade Twelve's "Mathematics 32", all text books used in Alberta schools are distributed to dealers, teachers and school boards by the School Books Branch of the Alberta Department of Education. School boards may sell the books to students at cost, they may rent texts or make them available free of charge. A discount of 40 per cent off list price is allowed where books are provided free or are rented to students at a cost of not more than one third the price of the book. A total of $1.5 million worth of texts will be distributed during this school year.

### ...if accidents are the greatest menace to the health of Alberta's industrial workers?

They're not. Health hazards such as noise, dust and noxious fumes present an even



greater threat and they must be controlled if the efficiency of Alberta's industries is to be maintained. Investigations into the causes and cures of these insidious and dangerous problems are carried out by a team from the Industrial Health Services Division of the Alberta Department of Public Health. A doctor, a chemist and an engineer work together to determine the reason for health-hazards in industry and to recommend methods of control. Their services are available to any employer who is interested in maintaining a high degree of health safety and preventing a harmful working environment.

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The Ryley Times



# Ryley resident since 1907, Mrs. Cora Young passes

Mrs. Cora Elizabeth Young passed away at the Tofield Hospital on October 28 at the age of 84 years Born at Madison, Minn U.S.A., she received her education at Madison Lutheran College After teaching school for two years she moved with her parents to Wetaskiwin in 1903 from there to the Ryley district in 1907 She remained in the Ryley district until a year ago when she moved to Fort Saskatchewan. In 1912 she was married to Charles S. Young, who predeceased her in 1954. She was also predeceased by two brothers Joseph in 1914 and Eward in 1962.

Mrs. Young leaves to mourn her loss two daughters, Irene, Mrs. H Thomas of Nanaimo, B.C. Lois, Mrs. Art Clarkson of Fort Saskatchewan; two sons Clayton of Ryley and Alroy of Fort Saskatchewan; a sister, Mrs. Bertha (L.J.) Hay of Ryley; two brothers, Charles Hill of Nanaimo, B.C., and Henry Hill of Edmonton

Mrs. Young was a charter member of the Bethel Lutheran Church at Ryley and also a charter member of Cavell Rebekah Lodge No. 36 of Ryley

Funeral services were held on October 31 at 2 p.m. from Bethel Lutheran Church at Ryley with Rev. Stanley Rude officiating. Interment followed in the family plot at the Ryley cemetery. Andrew and McLaughlin, Funeral Directors were in charge of arrangements.

# B. Rokos heads Ryley curlers

The annual meeting of the Ryley Curling Association was held Thursday, Nov. 3, at which time the ensuing year's officers were named, as follows Bob Rokos, president; N. Hoglund, vice-president; E. H. Brown, treasurer; D Albrecht, secretary.

A local mixed bonspiel is to start the season for the Ryley curlers commencing Monday, Nov. 14. Darryl Albrecht was named to take the entries.

**CURLERS' CARNIVAL**

The ever popular 2-day Curlers' Carnival will start Thursday evening, Nov. 24, and will feature a giant slave auction, with "Fuzzy" Burnstad the auctioneer. A beard and moustache contest, and a "keen ice" competition will also add to Thursday's merriment, along with various games of chance and skill, the latter to carry on Friday, as well as a bingo. The whole affair will be capped with a giant dance to wind up the two evenings of entertainment.

# Ryley Clothing Club holds regular meet

Ryley 4-H Clothing Club held its regular meeting, November 1st in the Home Economics room of the school, and first-year members were initiated. Mrs. Durie, District Home Economist, was present

Mrs. Misera, club leader, spoke about the convention she had attended at Edmonton

The lunch was served by Gladys Kozroski and Phyllis Kurach

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# District news items from Ryley

(Mrs. A. Gray)

Garry Pepper, who is employed by the Treasury Branch at Drumheller, spent last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pepper.

Henry Hill, a former resident of Ryley, now residing in Edmonton is leaving on Saturday by train for a trip through the Eastern United States. His nephew, Alroy Young, from Fort Saskatchewan will accompany him.

Mrs. Anne Loades is here from North Battleford, Sask., to visit her father, Bob Greig.

Patients in the Tofield Hospital from Ryley are J. D MacDonald and Wilmer Magneson

Miss Anne Goodall arrived by bus on Saturday from Carstairs to visit her brother John Goodall.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Neraasen from Billings, Mon., were overnight guests with Harold's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Neraasen. Harold and Florence were enroute to Edmonton to attend their son, Terrance's wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Neraasen motored to Athabasca recently to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. Down and four granddaughters.

**PEN PALS MEET**

Mrs Vesta Wheaton, King City, Calif., made a trip by plane to Edmonton to visit Miss Reyes, a teacher at the Ryley school. Miss Reyes and Mrs. Wheaton had been pen pals for four years before Miss Reyes left Manila, The Philippine Islands for Canada. Meeting for the first time, the two women had a very enjoyable weekend together in Ryley and Edmonton

**AT BENEFIT CONCERT**

Mrs. T Harris spent the weekend in Edmonton on Friday evening she attended the ABERFAN Disaster Fund Concert in the Jubilee Auditorium Edmonton's leading missions and entertainers were represented on the stage All proceeds of the concert were to be sent to the Aberfan Memorial fund in Wales

Attending the annual Union of Alberta Municipalities convention at Red Deer were, Mr. and G. Burnstad, Mr Albrecht, and Mrs. Jack Stumbo, Mr. and Mrs Mr Nordwaski

The annual Lutefisk Lefse and Turkey supper sponsored by the ALCW of the Lutheran Church in Ryley will be held November 18, at 5.30 p.m. in the church kitchen

**SYMPHONY CONCERT**

On Saturday, Oct 29 the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra presented "Adventures in Music" in the Jubilee Auditorium with 107 children from the Ryley school attending. Three buses conveyed the children to the city, and teachers Mr. Lund, Mr. Spronk, Miss Marquez, Miss Reyes, Miss Curraloe and Mrs. Brown, accompanied the children as sponsors.

This was an opportunity made possible by the County of Beaver for school children to visit the auditorium and enjoy this youth concert

# Famous companies to present plays Calgary, Edmonton

Two major presentations of Festival Canada the performing arts program for Centennial year, will be sponsored in Alberta by the provincial government. The Stratford Festival Company will perform in Calgary, February 15 to 18, 1967, and the National Theatre of Britain will be presented in Edmonton, October 9 and 10 next year

The Stratford Festival Company will present "Twelfth Night" and "The Inspector General". Casts will include some of the finest actors of the famous Stratford company

The National Theatre of Britain will star Sir Laurence Olivier in "Love For Love" and "A Flea In Her Ear", a French farce

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# Ozubko-Niemetz vows exchanged on July 30

In a candle-light ceremony at St. J... Cathedral, Edmonton on Saturday July 30, Gail Sha... daughter of Mr and Mrs. Geo... Niemetz of Tofield, became the bride of Robert Ronald Ozubko, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ozubko of Tofield. Rev. Father Gartner officiated at the double-ring ceremony

The bride, escorted on the arm of her father who gave his daughter in marriage, was beautiful in her floor-length gown of chantilly lace "Romance of Roses", featuring a chapel-length train, and was styled with lily-point sleeves, a scalloped neckline with pearls and sequins and scalloped hemline. Her headpiece, a crystal crown with a bouffant finger-tip veil touched with lace appliques completed the ensemble Gift of the groom was a pearlized prayer book on which philodendron orchids tipped with green ivy were arranged.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Joyce Worsfold of Kamloops, B.C., a close friend, and bridesmaids were Miss Linda Ozubko, sister of the groom, and Miss Betty Shultz, cousin of the bride They wore identical flowing floor-length shrimp organza gowns set off with mature crystal necklaces and eardrops, gifts of the bride. Matching head bands were entwined with their hair styles. They carried triangular bouquets of shrimp gladiolus and ivy

The bride's gift to the groom were a tie tack and cuff-links, each with matching brilliance.

The best man was Lee Watson of Edmonton, close friend of the groom. Louis and Maurice Verhynck also attended the groom. Ushers were Don Ozubko, Jim MacKay and Larry Yoder.

For her daughter's wedding, the bride's mother wore a pink ensemble of serrano and lace, with pink and white accessories, and a corsage of deep pink and white roses. The groom's mother chose a gold brocade dress with white accessories. She wore yellow-shaded roses on corsage

The reception to 200 people was held at the Riviera Motor Hotel in Edmonton. The hall was decorated in pink and white streamers and bells with red roses. In charge of the guest book were Mr. and Mrs. Don Niemetz. Master of ceremonies was the bride's uncle, Ed Schultz, who commented on the bride's early life Toast to the bride was given by Graham Allan, friend of both families, to which the groom responded Other speakers included the fathers of the bride and groom, Ted Kremsate, uncle of the bride, and best man, Lee Watson

Following the reception, a dance was enjoyed by all as the married couple mingled with their guests. Friends and relatives gathered from various distant points from southern Alberta, British Columbia, Ontario and California

After a honeymoon to Jasper, Banff, Vancouver, Portland and southern Alberta, the couple have taken up residence in Edmonton.

MR. AND MRS. OZUBKO

# MINISTIK NEWS

(Intended for last week)

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Services were conducted at the United Church on Sunday by Tom Powell This is Mr Powell's first year in Theology

The ladies of the club are all prepared for the bazaar on Friday, Nov 4 They brought their sewing to the hall on Monday afternoon for the ladies in charge to price. Many lovely articles are to be sold

Mrs S. George returned Wednesday evening from a most enjoyable few days with her son Bruce and family in Calgary. She returned with Mrs. Archie Clarke (nee Vivien Barnes) who had been visiting her sister Betty and family

Bill Davenport of Tofield was a visitor at the home of his daughter and family, the Ralph Leaches, on Saturday

Mrs. Helen Hennessy was pleasantly surprised on Sunday afternoon, when Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Arrison of Edmonton came to visit her.

Doris Davenport spent the weekend at her home here. On Monday, her parents took her back to Glenrose school and attended the Hallowe'en party for the children there

The County of Strathcona will hold a fire demonstration at Ministik Hall on Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend this demonstration.

The roof of the German pavilion at Expo 67 will be a net made of steel mesh. It will be supported by eight poles unequal in height and unevenly spaced, giving it an appearance of undulating waves. A plastic underlay will keep out the rain

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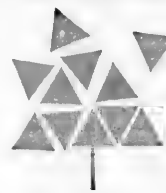
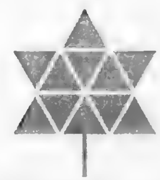


What does Centennial mean to you?



What are you planning for Centennial?

1967 is the year for Canadians everywhere to stop and think about Canada. To look back on how far this nation has come since its rough and rugged beginnings. To think about Canada as it is now: free, prosperous, and with an unlimited future for growth.

To celebrate, magnificent projects are in the works. The Confederation Caravans will bring Canada to millions in rural and tiny out-of-the-way places. The Caravans unfold an exciting colourful story of Canada: from early beginnings right up to the present. Festival Canada brings Canadians the largest entertainment package ever: from western music to opera, musical comedy to drama. Two companies of 300 servicemen each will travel Canada to put on a magnificent stirring Military Tattoo, portraying Canada's past 300 years of military history!

These are just three of hundreds of Centennial events planned for you in the coming year. But what are you doing for Centennial? What is your own personal project? Other Canadians are painting their homes, flying the Canadian flag, planting Maple trees, hooking Centennial rugs, reading up on their Canadian history. What will you do? It's not important how large or how small your project may be. What is important is that you have stopped and thought enough of your country and what it means to you to take up a Centennial project of your own.

The Federal/Provincial events planned will be magnificent and thrilling. But to each of us, the truly exciting and most meaningful projects will be the ones we create ourselves.

What does Centennial mean to you? And what are you planning for Centennial?

The Centennial Commission
Ottawa, Canada.

## From the scrap book ...

# From 24 years ago

Tofield, Alberta.
November 8, 1966.

Editor, The Mercury.
Dear Sir

Looking through the Scrap Book, I came across the following for Armistice, 1942 I think it is still applicable for today as the world is still at war, and as I look into the dim and misty past I still remember the horrors of war. Let us not forget our glorious dead, who sacrificed their all that we may enjoy the freedom we enjoy today. I wrote this while I was at Coal Valley during the last war.

Wishing you every success as Editor, and trust you are enjoying the best of health.

Yours truly,
—J. W. Robinson

**ARMISTICE (1942) LEST WE FORGET**

On Wednesday next, it will be 24 years since the Armistice was signed. We thought then that this was an end to all wars. The sacrifice was great, the pick of our youth giving their all, and many paying the supreme sacrifice, that the world might enjoy a lasting peace. There was a smouldering spark left, and was kindled and fanned by German hate, Nazism and Hitlerism, and burst into flame a little over three years ago, and has swept over Europe and half the world, leaving death tyranny and oppression in its wake.

Today we are fighting this terrible inhuman machine of destruction fighting as a free people. This is a war voluntarily and deliberately accepted in order that the freedom of fair dealings may not be allowed to perish from this earth. This is not a war of conquest or territorial gain. This is not a war of hatred. But a war that we may never be slaves to a Nazi-dominated world. Men who in such a spirit accept the challenge of destiny will see it through to the end with courage and faith. Fighting believing that right will triumph over might, though the struggle may be long and the days may be dark, in the end right will overcome might.

And to the glorious dead, I say "Sleep on, sleep on". Be at rest—your sacrifices were not in vain. Today we pay homage to your memory, a memory that the years have not dimmed, and cannot dim as the years go by. Your sons and the youth of today have picked up the torch and will ever bear it high, and carry it to final victory.

This is not a war of hatred not a war of conquest—but a war of idealism. A war to overthrow Hitlerism and dictatorship and all that it stands for. A war to end wars. A war that small nations and civilization may exist. A war that mankind may enjoy freedom that God meant him to have.

It is Churchill against Hitler. It is England's green and pleasant land. Canada's prairies and vast resources, against the darkness of the German forests, where the hordes are gathered again. It is courage against frenzy. The courage of the civilized man, who knows fear, yet sets it gallantly aside, against the duped and driven and slave-minded German youth. It is the hope of the world against the call of the wild. No less.

Courage is the word for Churchill and for Britain, and all the Empire; courage and energy. It is inconceivable that the citadel of Britain will not hold through these awful months; and the condition in which the Motherland faces the future depends largely on us—on this Canadian nation which has risen to Britain's aid, and so to greatness.

There is a duty of paramount importance to us, as Canadians. It is to give of our time, our money, and our brains to help to win this war. It is true that we have done much. But we must recognize that the momentum of the war has doubled in intensity in recent months, and that in order to maintain our share we must double our efforts, by dedicating our best endeavors to the work, by sacrificing many of those things that we in the past deemed essential to our happiness and comfort.

The people of Britain are doing this. Can we? If we neglect to make our work conform to war necessities, how will we be able to face the consequences of our indifference.

Hope, also, there must be. There will be dark days ahead, struggle and suffering; but we must look beyond these. It is our task to pray with youth, and work together with love, and live in hope, and go forward trying always to make our lives a little more worthy of the great sacrifice that was made in the last war.

Victory in this war is not only to be won in the trenches, in the air, and on the sea. It is something deeper than a mere physical thing. This war is a struggle between good and evil. We are fighting against spiritual wickedness in high places.

Today is the harvest of yesterday and the seed-time of tomorrow. Today the world is reaping a harvest of chaos, darkness and declining Christian civilization. Let us pray with faith and trust, nay convinced, that there will be a bigger, a better, a greater world rise out of this darkness and chaos; and that there will be a glorious seed-time of unity, concord and a lasting and abiding peace among the nations of the world.

—J.W.R

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Annie McGinitle entertained at her home on Sunday evening, in honor of Ada Turner's birthday. The guests were Martin Janet Lawson and Irene, Audrey and Joe Brown, Yvonne and Peter Brown and son Daniel and Lucelle Tiedemann.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell motored to Wetaskiwin on Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs Alfred Sherbeck.

Mr. and Mrs Donnelly McGinitle and Barbara attended the wedding and reception of Diane and Harold Ferguson on Saturday in Tofield.

Sunday visitors with Yvonne and Peter Brown were Rita and Jim Fraser and son of Ribstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown and Mr. and Mrs Lawrence Gill motored to Drayton Valley on Sunday, where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. Chas Sears and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Appleby attended the silver wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Allen in Tofield.

Recent visitors with Grace and Herman Lawson were Eileen and Angus Mitchell of Edmonton.

## Cavell Rebekahs host district two Lodges

(Mrs. A. Bray)

Cavell Rebekah Lodge of Ryley was hostess to the lodges of District No. 2 at a meeting in the Legion Hall recently. This was the 40th annual district meeting and representatives were present from the three Edmonton lodges, Fort Saskatchewan and Lamont.

Mrs. Harriet Ruddy, Noble Grand gave the address of welcome which was responded to by Mrs. Dorothy Clark, District Deputy President, who ably presided over the afternoon and evening sessions. She was presented with a beautiful corsage of pale pink carnations by Mrs. Ruddy.

A beautiful memorial service was conducted by the District Deputy President assisted by Mrs. Diane Thompson and Mrs. Bertha Winsness.

Preceding the evening session a buffet supper was served to about 80 guests. The evening sessions included interesting speeches which were given by the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, Mr. A. Cooke; Mrs. Doris Allard, vice president of the Rebekah Assembly of Alberta and Mrs. O. Johnston Jr., past president of the Rebekah Assembly of Alberta.

Mrs. Johnston who had just returned from attending the International Assembly at Baltimore, Maryland, outlined the program of the International President.

Following the meeting an enjoyable lunch was served by the social committee convened by Mrs. Martha Whitson.

A computer-based accommodation bureau at Expo 67, called Logexpo, will provide quick answers for requests ranging from a luxury suite to "Where can I pitch my tent?" The service is free.

## Spilstead news

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davison from Camrose were visitors at the Floyd Erickson home on Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Hoflin, Mrs. Louise and Larry Winder visited Mrs. Gus Hanson of Bethany home on Sunday.

A number of the men from this district are working on the basement for the Spilstead hall.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### FUTURE DATES

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### CARDS OF THANKS

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Dr. Price, and all Nurses and Hospital Staff for the kindness shown our mother, the late Mrs. Cora E. Young, during her stay in the hospital. Thank you.
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## Church notes

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W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Nov. 13th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Theme: "The Memory of Sacrifice".
"Pray that your loneliness may spur you into finding something to live for; great enough to die for".—Hammarskjold.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
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Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
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**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Leslie Smith
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11:15 a.m.—Sunday School.
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**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Nov. 13th
HOLDEN—
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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service

## POUND NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Joseph Nowak, with pound located on N.E. 26-51-17 W4th, has resigned effective immediately and Paul Kozoway has been appointed pound keeper with pound located on N.E. 25-51-17 W4th. Notices to be posted at the pound, the bulletin board in the Village of Ryley and at the Haight Post Office.

OLOF MONSSON, Sec.-Treas.,
County of Beaver No. 9,
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## ELECTION NOTICE

**Election by Electoral Divisions**

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an election will be held for a COUNCILLOR for Electoral Division No. 3 of the County of Beaver No. 9 for the year 1967 and the election will take place on SATURDAY, the 3RD DAY OF DECEMBER, 1966, from nine o'clock in the forenoon to five o'clock in the afternoon.

The Electoral Division has been provided with the following polls:

POLL NO. 1 is at Bruce Community Hall.
POLL NO. 2 is at Charles W. Barber Residence N.W. 4-47-14 W4th.

I will at the County Office in Ryley on Monday, the fifth day of December, 1966, at twelve o'clock noon, sum up the votes and declare the result of the election.
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(11-12-13)


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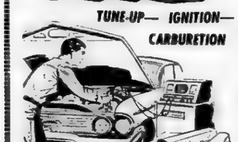
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## MacDuff Ottawa report

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carried in the traditional manner by a show of hands

Mr Camp's initial objective is idea of a secret ballot on the to get the meeting to debate the leadership issue. What chance would there be of getting such a resolution approved — let alone debated—after such a demonstration of loyalty to the chief"

Secondly, and even worse for the Party president, the Johnston agenda would put off the election of party officers until the afternoon of the last day of the meeting. Normally, they are held the first day

Mr Camp is running for re-election as president on the platform that a leadership convention should be held before the next election. Toronto lawyer Arthur Maloney has been put up by the Diefenbaker loyalists to run against him on the diametrically opposite platform that leadership conventions must only be held when the incumbent voluntarily resigns.

This has been Conservative practice to date But other leaders have given way voluntarily when party dissidents have ganged up on them privately

Mr. Diefenbaker is not such a leader After 10 years and five elections at the helm, he remains convinced that he is the man of the people, if certainly not of all the Party manipulators. The usual vote of confidence will be quite sufficient justification for him to stay on

Mr. Camp says his chances of re-election will be seriously compromised if the presidential vote is held off until the end of the meeting. By that time, the younger Conservatives among whom his strength rests, will probably have gone home.

Apparently Mr. Camp—whom observers think should have anticipated the Diefenbaker - Johnston tactics — has lost the first round in the battle of the agenda.

The second round will be fought at the national executive meeting where the forces are fairly evenly divided. If the embattled Party president doesn't get his kind of agenda then, a final round will almost certainly be fought on the convention floor.

## Hastings Lake

(Intended for last week)

(Mrs B Gladue)

The Ladies Club reports a highly successful annual turkey supper on October 15 and would like to thank all who attended The club met at the home of Mrs Rowland on October 20 Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs A Scott on Thursday November 17

Congratulations are extended to Maureen Perushar and Vernon Fuske who were married at St Francis Catholic Church Tofield, on Oct 21 Mr and Mrs Rowland and Theresa attended the wedding and reception at the Ritchie Community Hall, Edmonton

Several work parties have at last got the outside of the new addition finished This has been hard work, and just the same few have turned out when a party was called Thanks are extended to all who helped

## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs Walter Grosland visited with his mother, Mrs Lillie Grosland, during the weekend

Mrs Helen Tiedemann was a business visitor in Edmonton on Monday, also visiting with her brother and sister - in - law, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison

**HOSPITAL SEIGE**

Mrs. Ted Anderson of Calgary and her niece, Marilyn MacDougall, daughter of Mr and Mrs MacDougall of Spirit River, who is a student at the University of Alberta, were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests with Mrs. N L. Campbell Muriel has been staying for several days in Edmonton where her husband Ted is a hospital patient Ted underwent major surgery a couple of months ago and, after returning home suffered a relapse and had to enter a Calgary hospital with severely congested lungs As his condition became worse the last few weeks, he was flown to Edmonton to be under the care of his doctor there

Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow, who were visiting with their daughter and family in Calgary, are staying there to look after the children until Muriel is able to return home

## Centennial . . .

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and old Loyalist communities along Lake Erie's north shore, the old German Canadian settlements in the Kitchener area and studied the Huronia museum on Georgian Bay. If I were an Albertan I would want to see those Japanese Gardens, Lethbridge's own Centennial project, and perhaps meet some of the enthusiastic Japanese Canadians who were right behind that community effort

Lots of people in La Belle Province have neither yet roamed the narrow streets of the old town of Quebec nor taken a motor

## Holden Elks install officers

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —The Holden Lodge, B P O Elks held a special meeting Sunday evening for the installation of Officers for the ensuing year 1966-1967

The installation ceremony, which was an open ceremony, was conducted by DDGER Lyle Grosland, assisted by PDDGER Earl Hardy Attending were members of Holden Lodge OORP, visitors from Viking lodges BPOE and OORP wives of Holden Elks and invited guests. The drill team of the Holden OORP, assisted by Cond Helen Bilyk as assistant installing officer, escorted the newly installed officers to their positions and, later, members exemplified one of their drills

Officers installed were Bro. William Kelly, exalted ruler; Bro Zane Bilyk, past exalted ruler, Bro. Donald Manchur, leading knight; Bro. Eddie Faryna, loyal knight; Bro Eugene Bilyk, lecturing knight, Bro John Semotuik, secretary-treasurer; Bro. J. Lindberg, chaplain, Bro. Joe Furnal, esquire; Bro. Paul Stokol, inner guard, Bro Gordon Story, tyler; Bro Oleh Shykora, trustee; Bro. Lars Olson, publicity director, Bro Lars Olson, historian; Bro Earl Hardy, pianist

Following the installation of officers a hearty vote of thanks was extended by Bro. Lars Olson and members to PER Bro Zane [illegible] for his untiring efforts in increasing the Lodge membership and furthering Elkdom during his term of two years as Exalter Ruler. Bro John Semotuik is also serving his third consecutive term as secretary-treasurer of the Lodge

Roses from the world over will be planted in a 100-bed rose garden at Expo 67. The garden, which will be near the United States pavilion, will feature the Canadian Centennial Rose, a rich coral-colored bloom.


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**SPECIAL LISTINGS for Saturday, Nov. 12th:**

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## John Moore attends 4-H meet in Edmonton

(Intended for last week)

John Moore attended a [illegible]cial conference for 4-H [illegible] at the Saxony Motor Inn from October 24th to 28th. The Hon R. C Clark, Minister of Youth, and C. L. Usher, deputy minister, gave an interesting outline of their Youth program. The 4-H Branch will change over to the Junior Youth program gradually, and a complete change will be made April 1, 1968. Until this time, Charlie Cheshire said, the Department of Agriculture would be working with the 4-H clubs.

P D. McCalla, supervisor of horticulture, outlined the tree-planting program for the Centennial project they are working through the 4-H clubs in Alberta.

Bruce Hogle, as guest speaker, spoke on the importance leaders have in educating young folks so that "our country will improve when these young folks take on leadership roles".

Mr. Moore said a lot of discussion on 4-H problems took place in the halls and rooms. Here is where several leaders will get a lot of ideas on how to solve their own individual club problems.

There were 237 leaders at the conference, which was sponsored by the Alberta Wheat Pool, United Grain Growers, Department of Agriculture and the Department of Youth.

## "Roses are blooming in . . . ." Tofield

(Intended for last week)

"Roses are blooming in . . . ." Tofield. To prove it, Mrs. James Reddick enclosed a wild rose in full bloom in an envelope and sent it to The Mercury She picked it October 6, and stated there was a bud on the bush. The colder weather may have prevented it from reaching maturity

October is not usually associated with the wild rose in bloom, and this is only one example of what nature can do when it tries.

## Pee Wee Club elects new officers

(Intended for last week)

The Pee Wee Club met on October , at the home of Donald Wood The new officers are Ronald Kallal, president; Grace Helberg, sec'y; Randy Jones vice-pres ; Linda Rude, treas The club leader for this year is Donald Wood again. Lunch was served after the meeting by Mrs Wood

The next Pee Wee meeting will be held on November 12

## Ketchamoot

(Mary Mitchell)

Last Wednesday evening friends and neighbors of the Ketchamoot district held a farewell pot luck dinner in the Tofield Legion Hall in honor of Harold and Isabel Sutton and son Brian They'll make their home in Edmonton where they have purchased a house in the Goldbar district

Gordon Kyle and Roy Whillans helped Harold and Isabel Sutton move their household furnishings to Edmonton on Friday

Albert and Myrtle Sutton and Wanda spent Sunday visiting with Randy in the University Hospital where he is steadily improving in health

**TO GERMANY**

Roy and Dorothy Whillans and the boys attended the farewell party for their son Vernon, Lorraine and family, who will be leaving for Germany soon

Herman Lawson, Ron Brown and Fred Hostetler are on a hunting trip near Rocky Mountain House

Mr and Mrs Gordon Kyle and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs John Thomson in the Bardo district


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## Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs Alvin Chomick and small baby, of Edmonton, were visiting over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sizer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson returned Wednesday evening from Red Deer, where Mr. Olson had attended the convention of the Municipalities of Alberta.

Leroy Eaton was visiting with his family during the weekend. He is employed driving a mail truck and stays in Edmonton during the week.

Mrs. Bateman was a Friday visitor in Edmonton, with her father, Rev. Goosen; and called on Chris Christenson in hospital.

Geo H. Taylor was a business visitor in Edmonton on Monday

Ray Hovland, village secretary, returned from Red Deer on Saturday afternoon, where he attended the convention of the Union of Alberta Municipalities, Nov. 1 - 4. Mr. Hovland also visited with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hovland, at Hilladown, near Red Deer.

Mrs. Laura Christianson left on Monday for Edmonton, and was then going on to Regina, Sask., to visit her oldest sister for a few weeks.

Mr and Mrs. Bateman were Sunday evening visitors and coffee guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer was a visitor in Edmonton for a few days last week, on business and visiting with relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Christianson of Edmonton were visitors over the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Laura Chrisianson, also attending the wedding and reception for their nephew, Dennis Christianson, on Saturday, Nov. 5th.

**HERE FOR WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grosland, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cadger, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cadger, Mrs. B. Hagrud, Mrs. Oscar Burnstad and Mrs. Gertrude Wahl, all of Edmonton, attended the wedding and reception Saturday, Nov. 5, of Dennis Christianson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Christianson, to Miss Linda Roth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roth of Heisler. The wedding ceremony was held in the Holden Lutheran Church and the reception and dance were held in Heisler


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*We congratulate Roy and thank Alberta's Weekly Newspaper Editors for their active co-operation in the Alberta Junior Citizen of the Year program, sponsored by Alberta's investor-owned electric utility companies.*

*This is one of a series of Junior Citizen Award announcements. Our special thanks to Mrs. J. Currie, Editor of the Carstairs News and to Roy's nominators, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Stiles of Carstairs.*

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# Lakeshore - McKenzie news items

(Ellen Eaton)

The Lakeshore UCW will meet at the home of Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg in Tofield on Tuesday, Nov. 15th at 2 p.m. Please note the change of date. It is also requested all committee members have their reports ready if possible as the Dec meeting will be for election of officers etc.

Mr. and Mrs John Miller and daughter Linda of Onoway arrived on Thursday of last week and were guests at the home of their daughter Gloria and Johnny Wood over the weekend. They left to return home on Tuesday

**FERGUSON-HOOVER RITES**

On Saturday afternoon, Nov 5th., Diane Hoover, daughter of Cyril and Gloria Hoover became the bride of Harold Ferguson, son of Lionel and Emma Ferguson, all of Tofield, in a double-ring ceremony at the Tofield United Church The Lakeshore and Ketchamont UCW catered at the reception to over 120 guests held in the Tofield Community Hall later in the day A dance followed in the evening in the hall. Hearty congratulations and all good wishes are extended to the newlyweds

Leroy and Shirley Eaton and children of Holden were Sunday evening coffee guests at the home of Leroy's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton Leroy also had dinner with his mo her on Monday on his way back to Edmonton

We are pleased to report that Mrs Johnny (Lily) Warwa returned home on the weekend from the Tofield Hospital after undergoing an appendectomy. All wish her a speedy recovery

Johnny and Lily Warwa were Tuesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Gen and Ida Nemeth

Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs Ethel Wood and son Donald were Ethel's daughter Marg and Lorne Sherrerb h, her brother-in-law, John and Mary Wood and their son Johnny and Gloria Wood and Gloria's sister Linda Miller.

Mrs Loretta Weir of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson, returning to the Royal Alexandra Hospital Sunday evening for further treatment

**VISITS SISTERS**

Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg went to Lacombe on Thursday of last week to visit her sisters, Mrs. Sybil Nelson and Mrs. Nettie Thomas Ruth's daughter, Mrs. Vivian Jones of Edmonton accompanied her to Lacombe where they attended a birthday party that evening at a friend's home in honour of Nettie's birthday. Vivian returned to Edmonton on Sunday while Ruth remained and visited relatives and friends. She also visited another sister, Mrs. Art (Ada) Heaton at Alix and others in Red Deer and other points, returning home on Tuesday evening Ruth reports a very enjoyable trip.

## Ministik news

(Mrs. J. Tadlock)

After United Church services on Sunday, the congregation agreed to pay the student as was requested by conference, and continue winter services. It was also decided to change the evening system as soon as possible

**FATHER PASSES**

Sympathy is extended by friends and neighbors to Mrs. Don Jones in the passing of her father at Wilkie, Sask., last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Jones and John, and other members of the family attended the funeral on Saturday afternoon.

Birthday greetings are being extended to two gracious ladies of our community this week. To Madame Bourgier on attaining her 79th birthday, and to Mrs. Annie Oliver on her 85th.

Miss Evelyn Cook left Thursday by train to spend some time with her mother in Brandon, Manitoba

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hertrieks spent Saturday evening with friends at the Penthouse in Edmonton. They enjoyed dinner, followed by dancing. The occasion was the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs Milton Hertrieks of Namao.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce George of Calgary were coffee guests of Mr. and Mrs Jim Roddick on Saturday afternoon, and supper guests of Mr. and B. George before returning home. They had attended the funeral of Gordon Riley, a business associate of Bruce

After lovely fall weather, a thin blanket of snow now covers the ground.

Haden Bowerman, who has been stationed at Sibbald, Alberta on construction work, has returned home and commutes daily to Edmonton where he has a position.

**SUCCESSFUL BAZAAR**

The annual fall bazaar sponsored by the Ministik Ladies' Club was a huge success. The convenor, Mrs. A. Ferguson, wishes to thank all who attended and those who helped in any way to make it the success it was. Winners of merchandise vouchers were Mrs. Geo. Bierks of Namao, and Andrew Ferguson. Grocery hamper winners were Mrs. Geo. Kleinschmidt, Jim Roddick and Mrs. Haden Bowerman. Winner of the beautiful turkey was Mrs. Ben Rollheiser. After 12 games of bingo, a delicious lunch was served by club members

Doris Davenport spent the weekend at her home Mrs Ben Rollheiser brings her home each weekend to be with her parents and sisters, the Joe Davenports.

Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen and daughter Dixie motored to Czar to visit with Margorie's brother, Russell and Jean Jones and family over the weekend.

**AT FUNERAL**

On Wednesday of last week, Mrs Martha Tiedemann and son Bob attended the funeral of Joel McLennan in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whiting of Calgary spend last week with their daughter Eva and Joey McLennan and family of Lakeshore.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann, their son Bob and their daughter Mary were Monday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Emil's brother, Bill and Mary Tiedemann of Deville. Mrs. Mary Tiedemann and her sister, Mrs. Vince (Roberta) Bates had just returned from a trip to Ontario, Que., New York State and Vermont, where they visited with relatives and friends before returning home. Mary reported a very enjoyable time all throughout the trip.

## Spilstead news briefs

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

The Spilstead Ladies Society held their regular monthly meeting November 2nd at the home of Mrs Gertie Fairbrother It was decided to have the annual Fall Sale at the Spilstead hall on November 16th, accompanied by a bingo game in the evening. Everyone is welcome.

Donald Bertsch, Gloria Scott, and Janice Ferguson were visitors at the T. W Fairbrother home on Saturday and Sunday

Mr. and Mrs Cliff Fairbrother Mr. and Mrs. Stu Buchler of Edmonton were dinner guests at the T. W. Fairbrother home on Sunday and also called on the Ernest Fairbrothers family.

## Fine prizes for League Bingo

The committee in charge of the Community League's November 16th Merchandise Bingo in the Community Centre has made public a partial list of the prizes for this event Among the valuable prizes are an electric broom, mixette, electric toaster, two ovens, train case, spray steam iron, electric combination knife sharpener and can-opener, hair dryer, interior car warmer.

The other prizes are similar in style and value. There is also a valuable door prize for which holders of advance sale tickets are eligible.

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# Around the town

Frank Langkaas was the winner of the Legion Arf and Arf Carlisle was the winner of the $50.00 bill for Sept. and Eugene Arf and Arf $30.00 for October

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Mrs. Kay Blacklock visited her parents at Warner over the weekend.

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Mr and Mrs. Assie, of St. Bruix, Sask., visited with Gabe and Nancy Pittot for a couple of days. Mrs. Assie is Mr. Pittot's sister

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Mrs. Pat Glover was the winner of the Tofield Community League $100.00 bill for October.

Graham and Ella Allan celebrated their silver wedding anniversary recently. Graham's mother, Mrs D. K. Allan, 90 years young, of Westlock was able to be present. Bill and Aileen Taylor of Hanna and other relatives and friends were also present.

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Tom and son Bob Nahrebeski returned recently from a hunting trip to the area west and south of High Prairie area. They saw a good many cow moose but had no luck with seeing bull moose

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**ON TV**

Thomas W. Jacobs had the honor of being shown on TV last week when washing his pigs in preparation for the Commercial Swine Show and Sale, also winning 3rd prizes, 1-4th and 1-5th.

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**LIONS SUPPER MEETING**

Tofield Lions Club held their windup of Friendship Club bridge and whist playoffs in the Community Centre on Tuesday evening, following the regular supper meeting at 6 30 p.m. Matters for attention at the meeting were flooding the skating rink, football pool report, hockey pool set-up and Hockey League East from Tofield, Santa Claus promotion for children early in December, and assistance for the Herring family who unfortunately lost their home in a fire recently. The meeting was shortened, in order that the bridge and whist play-offs could commence at 8:30 o'clock.

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Dr G. M. Price is a patient on the Hospital.

Cyril Hoover is out of hospital and was able to be present at the mariage of daughter Dianne to Harold Ferguson on Saturday.

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## Health class girls host boys at lunch

(Intended for last week)

On October 26, the Grade VIII girls' health class entertained the boys in their class at a Hallowe'en luncheon. This event held in the audio-visual room, featured Hallowe'en motif invitations, place cards, and decorations. Mr. Eastlick, principal of the Tofield School and Mr. J. C Lampett, vice-principal spoke to the group. Mr. Koziol and Mrs. Phillips, the Grade VIII home-room teachers were also present. Ruth Dickson was chairman. Esther Poeticker proposed the toast to the Queen and later thanked the teachers for making the luncheon possible


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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Smorlie were recent Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pearse

Mrs. Hooper and Melvin were Edmonton visitors last Thursday with Mr. Hooper in the Good Samaritan Nursing Home. Mrs. Hooper also visited with Mrs. Edna Parsons.

Nick Kohut of Edmonton was a business caller in Holden on Wednesday of last week and visited his mother, Mrs. Mary Kohut.

**IS IMPROVING**

Chris Christenson, who entered an Edmonton hospital for surgery last week, is making very good progress and hopes to be home soon.

Mrs. Alice Jones of Edmonton was a visitor with her mother, Mrs. Carrie Olson, for the weekend.

Mrs. N. L. Campbell and Mrs. Mary James were Saturday visitors and dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Carrie Olson.

The annual Workers Conference of the Lutheran Church Women was held in Bawlf on Saturday, Oct. 29. Those attending from Holden were Mrs. Hilmer Olsen, Mrs. Melvin Olson, Mrs. Algot Hultholm, Mrs. Paul Schwanke and Mrs. Otto Hurum

Mr. and Mrs. Igor Lozynsky (nee Sylvia Komarnisky) of Red Deer have been receiving congratulations recently on the birth of their second son.

**Leroy Eaton terminated his employment as constable with the Village of Holden on Oct. 31. Mike Hladile, who was previously employed as Village Constable, is presently taking care of the police duties in the village.**

Mrs. Harold Giebelhaus entertained on Saturday evening, Oct 29, when Mrs. Metzger (nee Gloria Komarnisky) and baby daughter from California were visiting with her for the afternoon and evening Guests were Mrs. T. A. Liden, Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus and Mrs. N. L. Campbell. Gloria motored here from Edmonton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Komarnisky, with whom she has been visiting. Mr. and Mrs. Komarnisky were attending the wedding and reception of relatives in the district.

Mrs. Chetney was an Edmonton visitor on Tuesday of last week, with her husband Olaf, who is still a hospital patient and who is beginning to feel some improvement

Mr. and Mrs. Geo H. Taylor had their small grandson Aaron staying with them last week, while his mother, Mrs. Robert Taylor, was away in Oregon, U.S.A., attending the funeral of her grandmother.

Elizabeth Jakobow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jakobow, was a supper guest and overnight visitor last Monday evening with Mrs. Campbell, and was out on Hallowe'en visits.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Beveridge were visitors in Edmonton on Saturday, where Mr. Beveridge was attending a business meeting

**PIONEER GROUP MEETS**

The Pioneer Group held their regular meeting Wednesday, Nov. 2, at the home of Mrs. Peter Jakobow, with 17 ladies present. The secretary, Mrs. Campbell was in charge of the meeting and Mrs. Maurice Huskenveld had charge of devotions. A chapter in the Study book was also taken. Plans were discussed for the annual fall sale of work and tea which will be held Saturday, Nov. 19, in the church parlors. At the conclusion of the meeting the hostess, Mrs. Peter Jakobow, served a delicious lunch. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Mary James, with Mrs. H. Raeder taking the devotions.

Mr. and Mrs. Oleh Shytora and Mrs. W. J. Rurka were last Tuesday evening visitors with Mr. Rurka, a patient in the General Hospital, Edmonton, where he is receiving treatments.

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VANCOUVER ISLAND, B.C. — In a darkened room, entombed in a solid granite mountain in Colorado, military men are vitally concerned with the activity taking place on and beneath the waters of two oceans, thousands of miles away. These Canadian and U.S. men who serve at the North American Air Defense Command's underground nerve center use the eyes and ears of the Canadian Forces' integrated Maritime Command to search the waters off both coasts of the continent in a never-ending surveillance for any aggressor that could threaten the mutual security of both countries and their populations.

Three Alberta men are part of this Maritime Command team protecting this continent against aerospace attack. They are Flight Lieutenant C. A. Nelson, a navigator from Donalda and Sergeant W. Prokuda, a flight engineer from St. Michael, and Flying Officer G. R. Whitson, a radio officer from Tofield.

## "Must stand for something" teachers told

A meeting of the Tofield sub-local of the A.T.A. accepted a program of activity for the remaining school year. Several meetings are planned for the teaching staff which are to serve as an encouragement to better teaching, closer student evaluation, and reporting. Plans were also made for Education Week, consisting of a program for the public.

The speaker for this A.T.A. meeting was Mr Hardy of Holden, who reported on his visit to the School of Fine Arts in Banff where he attended the Leadership Conference. His emphasis was placed on the teacher's responsibility in this age of change and rebellion. "Society generally is in rebellion" were the words of Mr Hans Bergeron, who spoke at the conference and teachers must lead in the areas of their responsibility or face a society in ferment which will force upon its teachers and upon itself the changes which must come.

Mr Bergeron went on to say that the school exists for the student. Consequently the teacher must seek to understand his student as the doctor seeks to understand his patient and the lawyer his client. Not only the power and structure of our society are being theatened today but the very values and principles from which our society draws its meaning and vitality. If out of all this we are to reap the "Great Society" by getting better people, we must get better institutions to implement human generosity. Mr. Bergeron continued, "If we are to rescue the carcass of our culture from society's organizational valley of dry bones, the professions must somehow provide the leadership." He suggests that the place to begin is to re-valuate the conditions of our own house (the teaching profession) and ask ourselves if the organizational patterns we have made are really geared to achieve the ends we seek.

Mr. Bergeron then concluded by saying that the true rebel must stand for something. It is easy to dissent but much harder to provide solutions. Restlessness must not be confused with revelation, and to be up and going is not necessarily to be up and doing.

The local teachers generally appreciated this interesting report and if we are united in one matter at least it is the matter of providing the needed guidance for young citizens at a crucial age in life and a critical age in society.

## ELCC is First Autonomous Lutheran Church in Canada

Dr. Karl Holfeld of Saskatoon was installed as president of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Canada in a festival service Nov. 8, celebrating the birth of the first autonomous Lutheran Church body in Canada. The service highlighted the constituting convention of the new church held in Regina, Nov. 7, 8 and 9. Dr. Holfeld has served since 1949 as president of the Canada District of The American Lutheran Church, which on January 1, 1967, becomes The ELCC

Pastor A Dahlen and lay delegate Andy Heiberg represented the Bardo Congregation at the convention

Other officers elected were Dr. S. T. Jacobson of Saskatoon, vice-president, and the Rev. Robert G Johnson of Winnipeg, secretary. Also installed were four executive secretaries of Boards of the ELCC: the Rev. Larry Reyelts, Saskatoon Congregational Life, the Rev. H. Curtis Satre, Saskatoon Canadian Missions, Daniel Skaret, Saskatoon, Trustees, and George Barber, Calgary, Publications

Conducting the installation was Dr. Fredrick Schiotz of Minneapolis, president of The American Lutheran Church of which The ELCC was heretofore a district, who also delivered the sermon at the festival service and presided during the first day of the convention. Prefacing the festival service was a pageant, "Prelude to Presence" written for the occasion by Rev. Reyelts.

The constituting convention adopted its constitution and by-laws, and approved a budget of $765,000 for its first year of operation. It also voted to apply for membership in the Lutheran Council of Canada, the Lutheran World Federation, and the World Council of Churches.

The new autonomous church has a membership of some 77,000 in about 330 congregations, and were represented at the convention by nearly 400 pastors and lay delegates.

## Mrs. Sara Dyck passes at 83 yrs.

On November 9th, Mrs. Sara Dyck of Tofield passed away in her 83rd year. She is survived by her loving husband Peter J. Dyck; one son John, and one daughter (Elizabeth) Mrs. John Koop, all of Tofield; also seven grandchildren. Funeral service was held on Saturday, Nov. 12 at 2 p.m. from Tofield Mennonite Church. Rev. John Neufeld and Rev. Abe Heidebrecht conducted the service, and interment was made in Tofield Cemetery. Andrews - McLaughlin Funeral Chapel (1964) Ltd., were in charge of arrangements.

## Sudden awakening for Tofield pair

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Pollock got a sudden awakening at 5:15 a.m. Monday morning when a Weston Bakery semi-trailer truck ran off North side highway No. 14 east of the Texaco Service Station into the ditch and up on the driveway, pushing the house trailer in which the Pollocks were asleep over against the Service Station. Considerable damage was done to the trailer and contents, but luckily, no physical damage to the Pollocks although they were thrown out of bed

It is reported the power steering on the truck failed, thus causing the accident.

## Legion has Remembrance Day service and parade

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — Services for Remembrance Day were held by the members of the Holden Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion, with members and others parading from the Legion Hall to the Cenotaph where wreaths were placed by various organizations.

Taking part in the parade were members of the Legion, Legion Auxiliary, the Sea Cadets, Cubs, Scout Troops, Girl Guides and the Brownies. Those laying wreaths were: Joe Alexander, for the Legion; Mrs. James, for the Legion Auxiliary; John Semotuik, for Village of Holden; Earl Hardy, for Provincial Government; William Kelly, for B.P.O. Elks, and Officer Wm. Taylor of Viking, for Sea Cadets. Last Post and Reveille were sounded by Gerald Ruskenveld.

Remembrance Service was held in the Community Hall, with Mr. Bateman in charge of the service and giving the address, and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor the pianist

A buffet lunch and social hour was held in the Legion Hall following the service. Several members of the Ryley Branch attended the ceremony and the parade, and later the lunch in the Legion Hall. The raffle held by ladies of the Auxiliary was won by Steve Stokowski.

## Holden OORP meets Nov. 8

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN — The Holden Lodge O.O.R.P. held their regular meeting Tuesday, Nov. 8, with a good turn-out of members.

A report of the recently held rummage sale was given, which indicated it had been a successful affair. It was also reported that two large boxes of good used clothing had been packed and sent to the Salvation Army.

A report of the Chamber of Commerce supper was given, which had been very poorly attended, with only twelve of their members present.

Members taking part in the Installation of Officers of the B.P.O. Elks and later exemplifying a Lodge Drill, and the pianist were complimented on their fine performance.

Lunch hostesses were Ladies Doris Story and Jean Story.

## Injuries not serious when car overturns

(Mrs. A. Bray)

RYLEY — Mrs. Bob Rokos and three children had a miraculous escape from serious injuries when the car in which they were travelling overturned in the ditch.

Mrs Rokos and children were returning to Ryley from Camrose when the accident occurred. They were taken to the Tofield hospital badly shaken up and bruised. Ricky was detained for treatment for a back injury and the others were able to return home.

The car was badly damaged.

## Students Union officers named

(Mrs. A. Bray)

Ryley Junior High Student's Union officers for this year are: president, Marion Johnson; vice-president, Jean Booth; secretary, Marilyn Hovland; treasurer, Thelma Voegtlin; social convener, Joan Kozoway; boys' sport representative, John Manchuk; girls' sport representative, Debbie Norton.

# Resident here since 1910, David E. Maurer passes on

David Elmer Maurer, son of John and Leah Maurer, was born in Pulaski, Iowa, July 4, 1882. He passed away at the Tofield Municipal Hospital, November 1, at the age of 84 years, 3 months and 23 days.

In early childhood he moved with his parents to Milford, Nebraska. In 1910 he was among the first Mennonites to move into the Tofield area, where he resided until his passing. He was a charter member of the Salem Mennonite Church, in which he took an active interest.

Married to Anna Stauffer October 29, 1912, Mr. Maurer leaves to mourn besides his wife one son, John of Tofield, five daughters, Lorene (Mrs. William Wideman) of Tofield, Mildred (Mrs. Gordon Buschert) and Edna (Mrs. Neil Good) both of Carstairs, Freda (Mrs. Paul Voegtlin) of Ryley and Mrs. Erma Mast of Glendive, Montana; two sisters, Amanda Maurer and Mrs. Emma Bishop of Lincoln, Nebraska; 22 grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren. One granddaughter and one brother predeceased him.

Funeral service was held in the Salem Mennonite Church, Friday, Nov. 4, at 2:00 p.m., with Mr. Harold Boettger officiating. Hymns "What A Friend We Have In Jesus" and "Often Weary And Worn" were sung by the audience, and the choir sang several numbers at the close of the service as well as at the cemetery. Mr. Stauffer opened with Scripture reading and prayer, and Mr. Stutzman spoke on the topic, "The Antidote to Death", basing his thoughts on II Timothy, Chapter one, "He hath abolished death and brought to light Life and Immortality".

Interment took place in the church cemetery. Pallbearers were Harry Stauffer, Wayne Yoder, Donald Yoder, Leonard King, Edward Buschert and Dwight Maurer. Hoveland Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

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To Mennonite Church—Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hjelter.

To Trondhjelm Church—Edwig and Bernie Thompson.

To Mennonite Church Library—Harold and Viola Boettger, Marvin and Edith Boettger.

To Church Cemetery Fund—Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell Sr.

**Card of Thanks**

The kindness and sympathy of all our neighbors and friends in our recent bereavement were greatly appreciated by us. We would like to thank you for the comforting expressions of sympathy and thoughtfulness shown to us.

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# Ryley students have gala hay-ride party

(Mrs. A. Bray)

The Ryley Junior High School sponsored a hay ride on Wednesday evening, November 9, when about 70 junior and senior high school students had a very enjoyable outing. At the Dodd's campsite a bonfire was built where students could "thaw out". Cocoa and hot dogs were served.

On the return trip Mr. Penner one of the chaperones, participated in an 18 m.p.h. cross-country race in an effort to warm his frozen feet.

Special thanks goes to Mrs. Wideman, who was in charge of the lunch committee, to the chaperones, Mr. Penner, Mr. Sinch, Mrs. Stashko, and Mr. Bussell.

The students are grateful to Mr. Stauffer and Mr. Magnuson for the use of the conveyances, and to the drivers, Kenny Patrie, Lorne Booth and Roger Oslund.

# Compulsory schooling for mentally retarded?

At the semi-annual meeting October 21-23 in Lethbridge of the Alberta Association for Retarded Children, a resolution was put forward to ask the provincial departments of education and welfare to instigate compulsory education for all mentally retarded children and, if necessary, to assist in the provision and maintenance of a residence for rural students.

Dr. Patricia Austin, University of Alberta, was appointed chairman of the Centennial Athletic Program. It will be a competition between all the schools in northern Alberta for retarded children.

Dr. Austin will be at the Burgess School in Camrose, November 18, with representatives from Grande Prairie, Edmonton, St. Paul, Hinton, Vegreville and Vermilion to set up the program. Demonstrations will be given in each school and the awards will be competed for in 1967.

The new addition to the Dorothy Gooder School at Lethbridge was officially opened during the meeting.

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# The Ryley Times



# Ryley bonspiel fills entries

A grand total of 24 rinks are entered in the opening local mixed bonspiel in Ryley, with first draws scheduled to commence this evening. At least one new curler is on each of the rinks as another year of curling starts operations in the Ryley Curling Rink.

**CURLERS CARNIVAL**

Thursday and Friday, Nov. 24 and 25, are set aside for two fun-filled evenings at the Ryley Curling Association's second annual carnival gets underway. "Fuzzy" Burnstad assured The Mercury Wednesday that he would be in fine voice for the slave auction on Thursday evening. Fuzzy will then be one of the contestants in the beard and moustache contest. Judges' names for this competition were not publicized for various reasons. Friday evening will also have two main features, a merchandise and cash bingo and a giant dance. Both evenings will have several games of skill and chance, and the whole affair promises to be one offering fun and merriment for everyone in the community.


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## Ryley news

(Mrs. A. Bray)

Miss Susan Smith and Miss Beverly McCrae, teachers at the Ryley school, spent the Armistice weekend in Montreal, leaving Nisku Airport Thursday evening by jet. Miss McCrae arrived back in Ryley Sunday evening.

Badminton has again been organized at the Ryley School. Players are invited to attend these games every Tuesday and Friday at 8.30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Olsenburg have left for Winnipeg to visit their daughter Mrs. Lyle Penner.

**TRIP TO DENMARK**

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jensen made a trip by jet to Denmark to attend the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Niels Jensen, Herman's parents. They had a very enjoyable reunion with relatives and friends in Denmark. On their return trip they stopped over at London, England visiting many historic places there.

Miss Kay Fisk was a patient in the Tofield hospital last week for a tonsillectomy.

University of Alberta students home for the weekend were, Patsie Helgeland, and Annette Vericia Brown, Gail Kirkeland, Elgertie.

Miss Teresita Encarnacion was a weekend guest with Miss Reyes, Miss Marquez and Miss Corrales at their home in Ryley.

Miss Encarnacion is a grade five teacher at Bruce and also teaches music to other grades. Before coming to Canada she was a music teacher in Manila, The Philippine Islands.

Mrs. Peter Munkedahl and two children returned home last week after a reunion with relatives and friends in Holland. They went by jet and report a very enjoyable trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Hellesen have their grandson Patrick Pickles visiting with them.

Jim Goodall was a weekend visitor with his mother Mrs. W. Goodall.

Mr. and Mrs. William Woods travelled to Delisle, Sask., recently to visit with relatives. Mrs. Gertie Brown was at their farm during their absence to help with the farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sundlie were weekend guests from Edmonton with Berghild Sundlie.

## Former Ryley woman passes at 92 yrs.

(Mrs. A. Bray)

Mrs. Hilda Johnson passed away at Sherbrooke Lodge on November 10 at the age of 92.

She came to Ryley in 1911 from Iowa, U.S.A. She was well known in the district having resided here many years before moving to Edmonton.

Surviving are three sons, Leonard, Terrace, B.C.; Fred, Fort Saskatchewan, and Oscar, Vancouver, B.C.; four daughters [illegible] Oliver, B.C., Mrs. O. J. (Leona) McFadyen, Mrs. H. N. (Stella) Hanson, and Mrs. H. (Gladys) Loran, all of Edmonton; 14 grandchildren; two sisters Mrs. Johanna Haugdal, Bergen, Norway, Mrs. Ida Christiansen, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

Graveside services were held at the Ryley cemetery with interment in the family plot.


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# Lions name essay judges

(Intended for last week)

Jack Stumbo, president of the Ryley Lions Club, has announced judges for local entries in Lions International's Peace Essay Contest are Jack Stumbo, Marvin Bruce, superintendent of schools of Ryley, Harold Parsons, vice-principal of Ryley School, and Norman Hoglund, treasury branch manager, Ryley. They will determine the club's entry in the International Contest.

The Contest is open to all young people in the County of Beaver No. 9 who are 14 years of age and under 22 as of January 15, 1967.

The contest was initiated to generate an awareness and understanding of peace among tomorrow's leaders, Mr. Stumbo said.

He said the contest would release the ideas of a cross section of the world's youth on the most pressing challenge facing the world today.

The contest offers a grand prize of $25,000 in the form of an educational and/or career assistance grant to the world winner. A grand total of $50,000 in awards will be made. In addition to the $25,000 first prize, eight world division semi-finalist prizes of $1,000 each will be given and these eight semi-finalists will also get travel expenses to Chicago, Illinois, in July, 1967. At that time, the first prize winner will be chosen from the eight. Also, more than 20,000 local, district and multiple district awards will be made.

The Ryley Lions Club's winner will be advancing up the ladder to that prize.

Winners of the Cyrus Motorcycles, raffled by the Ryley Lions Club, were Miss Gail Lyons and Mrs. Kay Anderson, both of Ryley. The draw was made Friday, Oct. 28, during the Ryley 4-H Food Club Hallowe'en Dance.

# Tofield 4-H members have monthly meeting

(Marilyn Schacher)

The Tofield 4-H Beef Club held their regular meeting on November 10. Edward Kallal led the pledge and the members answered the roll call with the weight of their calf.

The program of the year was read to the members, consisting of many very interesting debates, talks, and demonstrations.

Many 4-H members were fortunate to win trips and attend camps this summer. Marjorie Moore spoke on her trip to a junior leadership camp at Goldeye; Nette Appleby spoke on a 4-H tour to Taber and Colleen Wyllie gave a very interesting talk on a trip won to the Provincial 4-H Eliminations at Olds. Mr. Moore spoke on the Provincial Leadership meeting that he attended.

The 4-H Pee Wee Club held their meeting at the home of Charles Rude on November 12 with Marjorie Moore the guest speaker. The Pee Wees have 10 members this year. Lunch was served.

# Tofield High school news

On Thursday, Nov. 10, a very successful Parent-Teacher Conference was held. Two hundred and ten of the two hundred and forty-four families of the Tofield School students met with teachers during the day. Many parents were able to confer with all of the faculty members teaching their child. This was made possible by the addition of the evening session.

Grades one, seven and ten apparently cause the greatest parental interest, as 96 per cent of these parents were in attendance. The grades of least interest appear to be eight, nine and eleven, as only 81 per cent of this group were at the school.

Any parent who was unable to attend on the regular day may arrange to see any staff member by contacting the school office.

Another conference will be held in the spring, as this meets with the requests of a majority of the parents of the community.

## Holden news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Cliff Foran was a visitor in Holden over the holiday weekend, coming from Edmonton Thursday evening and returning home with Cliff Saturday.

**CHURCH RALLY**

Mrs. Helen Tiedeman attended the annual rally of the AWML of the Lutheran Church, which was held at Beaver Hills church Sunday, November 6th. Those attending from the Bruce Lutheran Church with Mrs. Tiedemann were Mrs. Hattie Minchau, Mrs. Harold Hissett was the chauffeur drove the ladies to the rally.

Miss Anne Appleby, student at the University of Alberta, and Bruce Appleby spent the weekend with the Bert Applebys.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedemann were business visitors in Edmonton Monday. Mrs. Gene Bilyk also driving into the city with them.

Mrs. Laura Christiansen, who visited with relatives for several days, returned home last Thursday evening.

## Modern etiquette

Q. When a man is standing in an elevator in an office building, and a woman friend enters, does he remove his hat?

A. He should lift his hat in greeting her. But custom and etiquette do not require that he remove his hat in a business elevator.

Q. Who pays for the beverages and other liquid refreshments at a wedding reception, the bride's parents or the bridegroom?

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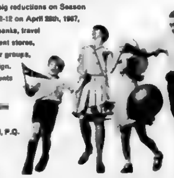
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## Lakeshore -

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Congratulations go to Marilyn and Don Langille of Calgary on the birth of their daughter on Saturday, also to the proud grandparents, Ollie and Verlyn Moon of this district. Ollie left Tuesday of last week for Calgary to look after her two grandchildren while Marilyn is in the hospital.

Mrs. Martha Tiedemann motored to Edmonton with her son Bob on Monday. Bob returned home Mon. evening while Martha remained overnight and Tuesday in Edmonton, visiting relatives there.

Glenn Bailey of Golden Spike, who was visiting relatives and friends in Tofield and district, was a Thursday evening visitor and coffee guest at the home of Roy and Ruth Wickenberg in Tofield.

Barbara Baines of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home of her aunt Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald.

Mrs. Helen Gray of North Cooking Lake was a Thursday forenoon caller and coffee guest at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood.

Leroy and Shirley Eaton and children Margie and Ronnie of Holden were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Leroy's mother, Mrs. Ellen Eaton on the farm. Leroy continued on to Edmonton in the afternoon while Shirley and children remained until later in the day when Mervin Ross and Ellen Eaton motored to Holden taking them home.

Elmer and Vi Geoglein, Mrs. Edith Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Stinson were Monday supper guests and evening visitors at the home of Mrs. Alice Warner in Tofield.

Norm and Vivian Jones and son Donald of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Fred's brother Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and girls. Clarice Jacobsen, nurse-in-training at the Royal Alexandra Hospital, accompanied Fred and Grace to visit her parents and sisters, returning to the city with them in the evening.

Dennis and Janette Jacobson and baby were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Dennis's aunt, Mavis and Carl Jacobsen.

Don and Deanna Niemetz and little son Sheldon of Vauxhall were weekend guests at the home of Don's parents George and Ida Niemetz from Friday to Sunday.

## Centennial year to be tops for curlers

Interior sheeting of the Tofield Curling Rink is finished, thus completing the "War on the Drip" which commenced late last spring. Members at the general meeting of the Curling Club on Monday heard the Ladies' Curling Club announce they would undertake to install the windows, floor and staircase to the upper area over the waiting room. It was suggested that the entire Club would take the project of completely finishing the interior of the rink as a personal Centennial Project. E. Halverson was named caretaker for the forthcoming year and has already started work for the season's operations.

Club curling will follow the same pattern as last year. Mixed curling will be once a week; skips can choose their own rinks and hand in a list of rink personnel to Jack Whyte. The same procedure will be followed for the men's curling; the skips are asked to obtain one new curler for their rink wherever possible, otherwise the club will supply a curler. Anyone wishing to curl and not already placed on a rink are asked to contact Jack Whyte, or any member of the executive and they will be placed on a rink.

Ice should be ready for curling by November 27 and regular club draws are slated to start Monday, Nov. 28.

The Farmers, or Afternoon Club have their annual meeting planned for Friday, Nov. 25, in the evening.

afternoon. Also there Saturday overnight and Sunday were their daughter and son-in-law, Gail and Bob Ozubko of Edmonton.

Jim and Lorene Francis and children of Viking and Johnny and Gloria Wood and daughter Cathy were Sunday dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of Lorene's and Johnny's parents John and Mary Wood.

The Lakeshore UCW met at the home of Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg in Tofield on Tuesday, Nov. 15 with a fair attendance of members and two visitors present. A very enjoyable meeting was held, followed by a delicious luncheon served by the hostess.

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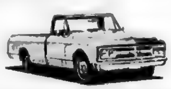

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## Ross Creek News

Mrs. L. VanBuskirk

On the occasion of her birthday last Thursday, Mrs. Mabel Heuer entertained Mr and Mrs. Bernie Schacher, Mr and Mrs. Art Hardy, Mr and Mrs Max Schacher, Mr and Mrs Gene Schacher, Mr and Mrs Ken Pedersen, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Klatchuk, Mr and Mrs. Lorne Schacher, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Klemchuk.

Ronnie McLachlan spent the weekend with his friend Jimmy Lauder, in Chipman.

Mrs. Virgie Schacher demonstrated Sarah Coventry Jewellery to about 15 ladies at her home on Sunday afternoon.

### VOLLEYBALL TOURNEY

A school volleyball tournament was held on Friday evening with boys' and girls' teams from Chipman, Lamont and St. Michael participating. Chipman boys won two games and lost two while the Chipman girls won four and lost two.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice VanBuskirk and boys spent Sunday evening in Edmonton visiting Mr and Mrs. Jim Hyslop.

Art Ferrel suffered a burned leg in an accident last week and spent a short time in the hospital.

Two university students, Brian Lee and Bud Morris were supper guests at the home of Mr and Mrs. Graham Snider on Saturday.

Mr and Mrs. Doug Forbes and boys spent the weekend with Ruth's parents Mr and Mrs. Ernie Ferrel. While here, Doug did some electrical wiring on the new church.

Norman McLachlan spent the weekend in Edmonton helping Mr and Mrs. Sylvester Zaroola move to a new apartment.

Mr and Mrs. Graham Snider and Craig were Sunday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. John Hem... of Andrew.

Mr and Mrs. Graham Snider and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McLachlan visited Mr and Mrs Bill Ciccun, Friday evening.

Mr and Mrs. Howard Malcolm enjoyed playing cards with Mr and Mrs. Graham Snider on Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs. Ivan Malcolm visited Florence's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haggerty of Drayton Valley, over the weekend.

The Ross Creek Athletic Club held a meeting at the home of Raymond McLachlan on Thursday, to discuss the forming of boys' hockey teams.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice VanBuskirk, Mr and Mrs Charlie Niemetz and Mr. and Mrs Carl Jacobsen attended the turkey supper sponsored by the FUA at Tofield on Wednesday evening.

Mr and Mrs. Paul Stadnick of Mundare were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs George McLachlan.

Maureen McLachlan spent the weekend with her sister Gayell, in Edmonton.

Beth Lauder, Dorothy Lappenbush of Chipman, Beatrice Ferrel, Clara Yarsawich and Winnie McLachlan called on Gertie Ferrel where they enjoyed coffee and birthday cake, made by Beth for Gertie.

Laurie Weatherall, who is attending agricultural college in Vermilion, visited Stuart and Brock Snider on Sunday.

Air Cadets Blaire and Monte Malcolm, Brock Snider, Ronnie, Clifford, Allan and Gary McLachlan attended the Armistice parade and memorial service at Lamont.

### AT WEDDINGS

Several district people attended the wedding of Bill Antoniuk and Joyce Small in Mundare, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Schacher attended the wedding of Doris' cousin Doug Davies to Jean Martindale in Edmonton on Saturday.

Mrs. J. Bailey of Tofield spent a few days with her daughter, Alice Cossey.

Maxine Schacher spent the weekend with her aunt Mrs. Doug Dean of Sherwood Park.

School children enjoyed an extra long weekend when Parent-Teacher interviews were held on Thursday, and the Armistice holiday on Friday.

## Bardo news items

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Sept. 15 — Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stokkan spent the weekend of Nov 5th and 6th at Carstairs with their son-in-law Bob and daughter Marlene and children, who are now settled in their new home. The two families also drove into Calgary where they visited a school chum of Olaf, A. Jergenson who is operating in the city.

Glen Bell, Larry Foshaug and Lars and Merlin Rude returned home on Saturday evening with an elk, they shot on a hunting trip in the Edson area.

Mrs. Inga Ness was taken to St. Mary's Hospital on Thursday evening where she immediately underwent surgery for a ruptured appendix. The several visited her in hospital on Sunday and report her condition remains critical.

### IN CAR ACCIDENT

The relatives of Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Strand of Everson Washington have had word saying that they are both improving after being involved in a car accident, when Mrs. Strand sustained a broken wrist and thumb and a nasty gash on her face, and was hospitalized at White Rock for a few days. Rev. Strand escaped with only a shake up. One occupant of the other car was killed.

Friends and relatives visiting at the Elmer Sitler home on Wednesday afternoon and evening to wish Alice a happy birthday were her daughter Gail and children from Edmonton, Mrs. Hamer Schmidt, Mrs. Olive Sutton, Mr and Mrs. Herman Swanson from Tofield, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cinnamon, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sitler and little son, Mrs. Olaf Anderson and Mrs. Clarence Rude.

### WCTU MEETS

The WCTU met at the home of Mrs. Nora Anderson on Wednesday afternoon, with 14 members and one visitor present. Mrs. Mary Finseth read a poem "A clear conscience". Mrs. Laura Francis read from the scripture and led in prayer. Several items of business were taken care of and a clip sheet "Human Rights in Canada" was most informative. The December meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Norma Anderson on Wed. Dec. 14.

Grandma Foshaug visited at the George Foshaug home Sunday afternoon when Glenda was celebrating her birthday.

Rudolf Johnson from La Glace is a visitor at the Phillip Anderson home. On Sunday they all motored to Edmonton where they were dinner guests at the Bill Green home.

## Hastings Lake

Mrs. B. Gladue

At the Hall Board meeting held at the home of the Stewart brothers, it was decided to hold the Christmas Bingo on Friday, Dec. 2, at which time the 50-50 raffle will take place.

The Social Credit Group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Gladue on Wednesday, Nov. 9.

The first whist drive of the season is planned for Saturday, Nov. 26.

Rehearsals for the Christmas concert have started, with Mrs. J. Dunham in charge.

Mrs. Helen Gladue and John Gladue of Hondo were guests for a few days last week with Mrs. M. Gladue.

Derek Tiedemann has been in Tofield Hospital for treatment to a crushed hand.

Several members of the ladies' club went to Edmonton Tuesday evening, and enjoyed very much the show, "Sound of Music" which they attended.

## Palmer-Earling notes

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER - EARLING, Nov. 16 — James Hoveland, Camrose, will show slides of Norway, Sweden and Denmark at the Skudesness Church, Sunday night, Nov 20, 8 p.m. This is a project of the LCW, and all are welcome to attend. The LCW will meet November 16 (note change of date), in order to bring up the December meeting earlier.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Brairud of Zion Church, Helmut Roth of Skudesness and Jacob Lovrod, Bawlf, were the delegates who attended the constituting convention of the E.L. Church Tuesday and Wednesday at Regina, Sask. Pastor Palmer Olson also attended the convention.

Raymond Hovland and Lars Olsen, Holden, attended the Municipal convention at Red Deer last week. Ray's father, Chris Hovland accompanied him and spent the week near at the Glen Hovland home at Hillsdown.

Marvin Roth, varsity student at Edmonton and Lois Sorgen, nurse-in-training in Edmonton, spent the weekend with their respective parents.

The John Bruce, Lewis Foure and Lawrence Hovland families and Malinda Roth of Camrose were Sunday dinner guests in Wetaskiwin with Mr and Mrs. Robert McKee.

The Bob Beattie family spent three days with relatives at White Bear, Sask.

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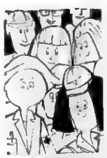

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*... who brings power to rural residents of Alberta?*

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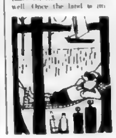

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## Legion Auxiliary has November meet

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —The Ladies Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion held their regular meeting in the Legion Hall on Monday, Nov. 7, when final plans were discussed and made for the lunch which was served after the Service on Remberance Day. It was also decided to hold the usual raffle of a food hamper, and a report of the Poppy Tag Day was given by the treasurer. President Ethel Brekstad thanked those ladies who had taken part in the tag day. Plans for the dance, held the evening of Nov. 11, were made. The next meeting will be held Monday, Dec. 5. Lunch hostess was Mrs. Anne Black.

## Former Holden druggist, James Third passes on

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN —James A. Third of Edmonton passed away Monday, Nov. 7. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, Judith, one son, James, of Ottawa, three grandchildren, two sisters, Misses Bess and Eva Third, both of Edmonton.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, Nov. 10, from Foster & McGarvey Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. Donald Parr officiating, and interment in the Edmonton cemetery.

Mr. Third, with his brother Clayton, and families resided in Holden for several years from 1923, when they operated the drug store. On selling the business they moved to Mannville, where they had a drug store for many years, later moving to Edmonton. Clayton predeceased his brother several years ago.

When residing in Holden the brothers and families took part in all community activities, and both James and Clayton were members of the Holden Masonic Lodge.

## Holden oldtimer, Olaf Chetney dies

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

The community was saddened by the death of one of the oldtime pioneers, Olaf Chetney, who passed away suddenly, Saturday night. Olaf had been a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton for several weeks having had serious surgery. Saturday afternoon he came home by ambulance and had been sitting up talking to friends, but later succumbed.

The funeral was held Wednesday, November 16th. Olaf will be greatly missed by all, always having a cheery word for everyone. The sympathy of all in Holden and district is extended to the bereaved family.

## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow returned home last Saturday afternoon, after spending two weeks visiting with their daughter Muriel and family in Calgary. They were in charge of the children for a few days while their daughter was in Edmonton with her husband Ted, who is a patient in the University Hospital. Ted is receiving treatment for a rare ailment and is now making slow but satisfactory recovery. Muriel was able to return home to Calgary the early part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barlow were Sunday luncheon guests with their sister Mrs. Campbell.

**NEW CHURCH**

Mr. and Mrs. Bateman attended the opening of the newly built church at Three Hills Sunday, Nov. 13. They received a special invitation to attend this event as Mr. Bateman served there for one year as lay preacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Litun, former Holden residents, were Remembrance Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Basaraba and family, and also attended the Legion Buffet lunch and social afternoon.

Peter Elkowich of Wainwright was a business visitor in Holden Wednesday afternoon. Marvin Giebelhaus is renting the living quarters of the building and moved into it the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Story left for Edmonton Thursday to visit with their daughter Florence and family, Mr. and Mrs. Koop Spanenburg.

**EVANS-HOOVER WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Benson, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lindberg, attended the wedding of Miss Janet Hoover, a former teacher at Holden school, and Ronald Evans of Swan Hills at the Ritchie United Church, Saturday, November 5th. The happy couple will make their home in Swan Hills, where Janet is teaching and her husband is in business.


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## Ketchamoot news

(Mary Mitchell)

On Tuesday afternoon, the Ketchamoot UCW held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Peter Brown. There were eight members present, and plans were made for their Christmas party.

**SAIT AWARD**

Dwayne Sears, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas Sears was presented with a scholarship award on Wednesday at the Southern Alberta Institute of Technology in Calgary. Dwayne is taken 3rd year of power engineering.

Harold Coombes was a Sunday dinner guest of Ivan and Mary Mitchell.

Laurie Sears left Wednesday morning by plane to Thompson Lake where he is employed by the McGregor Telephone Co.

**AT WEDDINGS**

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sears and daughter Ruth-Ellen attended the wedding and reception on Saturday of Bonnie Bowick and Nick Antonenko who were married at Central United church in Edmonton.

Last Saturday Roy Whillans and Ray Ovelson motored to Strasbourg Sask. where they attended the wedding of their nephew Kenny Rasmussen of Camrose. The newlyweds will reside in Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brown entertained several guests at their home on Friday evening to view a number of colored slides shown by Mary Mitchell. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Clive Gudmundson and children of Hay Lakes, Mrs. Emil Tiedemann, Lucille and Mary, Kietha and Stanley Brown.


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# ELECTION NOTICE

**Election by Electoral Divisions**

**PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an election will be held for a COUNCILLOR for Electoral Division No. 3 of the County of Beaver No. 9 for the year 1967 and the election will take place on SATURDAY, the 3RD DAY OF DECEMBER, 1966, from nine o'clock in the forenoon to five o'clock in the afternoon.**

The Electoral Division has been provided with the following polls:

**POLL NO. 1 is at Bruce Community Hall.**
**POLL NO. 2 is at Charles W. Barber Residence N.W. 1-47-14 W4th.**

I will at the County Office in Ryley on Monday, the fifth day of December, 1966, at twelve o'clock, noon, sum up the votes and declare the result of the election.
Given under my hand at the Village of Ryley this 8th day of November, 1966.

OLOF MONSSON, Returning Officer.
(11-12-13)

# Holden and district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Padlecki of St. Paul were Friday visitors with friends in Holden and also attended the Legion Social afternoon held after the Remembrance Day service.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols were Camrose visitors Wednesday evening attending the Old Timers' Association Annual Dance and banquet.

Elizabeth Jakabow and her young brother were Friday afternoon visitors and lunch guests with Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

**TO SOUTH AFRICA**

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Beveridge received word recently from their daughter Diane that she is planning to spend a three week holiday during the Christmas season with friends in Johannesburg, S. Africa.

Mrs. Gene Bilyk and daughter Judy were business visitors in Edmonton Monday of last week, driving there with Mrs. Henry Tiedemann.

Chris Hovland was visiting the week of November 1st to the 5th with his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hovland at Hillsdown, driving there with his son Ray who attended the Convention of Alberta Municipalities at Red Deer.

Mrs. Jakabow and children, Elizabeth and Johnnie, were Saturday afternoon visitors with Mrs. Campbell. Pete was a business visitor in Vancouver last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Basaraba, who have been residing in the Bill Kilt residence for the past year, moved into the Alberta Pacific Grain Co. house a week ago Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Grosland and children of Edmonton were visitors during the holiday weekend with their families, also attending the funeral of her uncle Alex Pooke and attending the Owchar wedding, Saturday, November 12th.

Mrs. Bertha Sanderson of Ryley was a visitor in Holden on Thursday evening, attending the farewell party for her sister Mrs. Cliff Roran.

Mrs. Sanderson of Ryley was a Thursday and Friday overnight visitor with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Beveridge, and also attended the Remembrance Day service and social afternoon held in the Legion Hall.

**FAREWELL PARTY**

A number of ladies of Holden and district met Thursday evening in the Legion Hall in honor of Mrs. Cliff Roran who is now residing in Edmonton. On entering the room a red rose corsage was pinned on the guest of honor by Mrs. Winnifred Beveridge. The evening was spent in a social hour and visiting. Frieda was presented with a purse of money from her friends and Mrs. Hazel Armstrong on behalf of the Legion Auxiliary presented her with a cup and saucer. The evening was brought to a close by the hostess serving a delicious lunch.

## From the scrapbook

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—J.W.R.

## THE WEATHER . . .

| Nov. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 9 | 33 | 13 | 29.63 | 1.25" snow |
| 10 | 13 | 1 | 30.05 | — |
| 11 | 17 | 1 | 30.08 | 5" snow |
| 12 | 13 | 1 | — | 1" snow |
| 13 | 10 | 8 | 30.33 | 3.5" snow |
| 14 | 13 | 5 | 30.15 | 1" snow |
| 15 | 13 | 10 | 30.08 | 1" snow |
| 16 | — | -0 | 30.18 | light snow |

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## Spilstead news

(Intended for last week)

(Mrs. Gertie Fairbrother)

A number of relatives and friends gathered at the Spilstead hall Friday evening for the Oscar Brown family who are moving to B.C. soon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fairbrother and girls were supper guests at the Ernest Fairbrother home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmuth Fester and family, also Miss Myrtle Stouffer from Edmonton were Sunday supper guests at the Ernest Fairbrother home.

Sympathy from this district goes to Mrs. Hammond of Edmonton in the passing of her sister Mrs. Polly Spilstead who formerly resided in this district.

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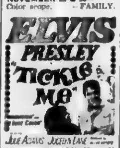

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**ANNUAL BAZAAR AND TEA**
The Afternoon Branch of Holy Trinity W.A. will hold their Annual Bazaar and Tea in the Library Room on November 19, from 3.00 to 5.00 p.m.
7-11-12p-3410

**CHRISTMAS TEA AND BAZAAR**
The Annual Christmas Tea and Bazaar, sponsored by the Evening Group of the U.C.W., will be held on Saturday, Dec. 3, in the United Church basement. Home baking and Christmas candy will be specialized, as well as Christmas [illegible] and aprons.
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SIGURD LEFSRUD,
Solicitor for the Executors,
Viking, Alberta.
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## Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Nov. 20th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "Stewardship of the Truth".
"The Church that does not reach out—dies out!"

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, Nov. 20th
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Final Revival Meeting. Rev. H. Unrau.
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First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ....... 9.00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ......... 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Leslie Smith
Sunday, Nov. 20th
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
Tuesday, 8:00 p.m.—Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.
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11:15 a.m.—Sunday School.
Evangelistic Meetings this week. Speaker: C. Stolwick.
Nov. 18th, 5:30 p.m. — Youth Banquet.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Nov. 20th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Divine Service.

## MINISTIK NEWS

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Remembrance Day services were conducted at the United Church on Sunday, by Tom Powell. Despite the below zero weather, there was a good attendance.

Influenza has been making the rounds in our district many being victims of the "bug". Harvey and Elaine Kleinschroth are patients in Tofield Hospital and it is hoped their stay will not be too long; also that everyone else who contracted the 'flu will be feeling better soon.

Recent word from Rev. and Mrs. Howard Munro says they are now at Fairview in Northern Alberta after three years at Valleyview. They are enjoying their new post and wish to be remembered to all their friends here. They were both student ministers here, but at different times.

Mrs. Steve Dunn, Brent and his new sister came from Calgary last week to visit Mrs. W. C. Barnes. Mrs. Barnes was getting acquainted with her new granddaughter.

Mrs. Helen Hennessy spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Edmonton at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Liknes. She also attended the bazaar and coffee party at the Winnifred Stewart School for the mentally retarded children, where Mrs. Liknes was a convenor.

**AT FATHER'S FUNERAL**

Mrs. Tom Jones and family returned last weekend from Wilkie, Saskatchewan, where she attended the funeral of her father. She brought her mother home to reside with her.

## Viking pioneer dies at 82 yrs.

A pioneer of the Ryley district, Hans B. Hiterud, 82, died in Viking Hospital, Saturday.

Born in Bardo, Norway, in 1884, he came with his parents to the United States and in 1904 settled in the Ryley district.

He was a member of the Alberta Wheat Pool for many years, and was a charter member of Ryley Lodge No. 75, IOOF.

He is survived by his wife, Martha, one son, Glenn, of Ryley; four daughters, Mrs. C. (Hazel) Patterson of Tofield, Mrs. H. K. (Evelyn) Moen of Vancouver, B.C.; Mrs. S. H. (Merle) Hately of Madeira Park, B.C., and Mrs. J. C. (Beulah) Giebelhaus of Vegreville; 2 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday from Ryley Lutheran Church, with Rev. Stanley Rude officiating. Burial was in Ryley Cemetery.

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## Ministik ladies club has November meeting

The November meeting of the Ministik Ladies' Club was held at the Community Hall with 15 members present.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson gave a report on the annual fall bazaar which was the most successful one to date. She thanked all who helped and all who came to make it the success it was.

Names were drawn for the club's Christmas party which will be held at the hall, and the date was set for the Christmas program. Plans for the program are well on the way and the convenor is well pleased with the co-operation received from the children.

Entertainment was provided by Mrs. Andrew Ferguson, the winners being Mrs. Jim Roddick, Mrs. V. Sears and Madame Martha Rouyier. Hostesses were Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. S. George and Mrs. Albert Horricks and they served a most delicious lunch.

November birthdays included Mrs. Ralph Leach, Mrs. Gladys Roddick, Mrs. Pat Paterson, Madame Rouyier and Mrs. Jim Roddick.

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# Around the town

Miss Gerry Hardy spent the weekend with relatives in Edmonton.

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Sympathy of Tofield and district goes out to Conrad and Hazel Patterson in the death on Saturday evening last of Hazel's Father Hans Hulerud, an old-timer of the Ryley district.

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Mr and Mrs. Cal Annis and son David of Brooks were holiday weekend guests at the W.A. Swift home. They also attended the Antoienko-Bowick wedding in Central United Church in Edmonton on Saturday.

Twelve years ago, on November 15th, 1954 water and sewer services became available to residents of Tofield.

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There was a good turnout at the Remembrance Day Service held by the Royal Canadian Legion, Tofield, on Friday last. Rev. Walter L. Hammett Rev. W. H. McDannold, Pastor A. Dahlen, and Comrade Harold Dunham all took part. Keith Appleby was soloist

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Mrs. J. A. L. Smith and daughter Edith Mary, of Edmonton, were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson

# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs. Harry Shebinski the holiday weekend with relatives of Edmonton were visitors over tives and friends.

Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Carrie Olson were Thursday dinner guests and afternoon visitors with Mrs. Mary James.

Mr. and Mrs. R Lutz were Edmonton visitors Saturday, attending the wedding and reception of a niece.

Mrs. Lutz was a Thursday evening visitor at the home of Mrs. Campbell.

Tommy Rudd, a student at the University of Alberta, was visiting with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Bruce Budd over the holiday weekend.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Chris Christenson a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton after surgery is feeling very well and is up and around. He has been making a daily visit with Olaf Chetney who was also a patient there.

Leonard Johnson of Camrose was a Friday visitor and dinner guest at the home ofChris Hovland and sons Rueben and Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bilyk of Edmonton were visitors with his family over the holiday weekend and attended the funeral of Alex Pooke Friday, November 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grosland of Edmonton were visitors with his mother, Mrs. Lillie Grosland and other relatives in the community over the holiday weekend. They also attended the Legion Dance in the Community Hall, Friday evening.


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# Curling club meets Tuesday

The Afternoon Curling Club's annual meeting has been set for Tuesday evening, Nov. 22, at 8:00 p.m. at the curling lobby. Election of officers and other business pertaining to the club's activities will be discussed.

The curling rink has been entirely renovated and the "war on the drip" completed, so conditions for curling this year will be greatly improved. The fees this year will be the same as in the past, $15 for the season.

Those wishing to curl are urged to submit their names to Vernon Walker or Andy Heiberg by November 22 or attend the meeting, as teams will be drawn up that evening.


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# Alex Pooke passes at 41

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—Alex Pooke passed away suddenly Tuesday, Nov. 8, at the age of 41 years. He is survived by his loving wife, Florence; three sons, Leonard, Bernie and Robert, all at home; his mother, Mrs. Annie Pooke, of Holden; six brothers, John, Peter N., Harry and Metro, all of Holden, Bill of Camrose and Paul of Inland; four sisters, Mrs (Clara) Nick Bilyk, Mrs. (Mary) Peter Owcher, Mrs. (Minnie) James Tymchuk and Mrs. (Olga) John Osadchuk, all of Holden.

Prayer service was held Thursday evening, Nov. 10, at the Holy Ghost Ukrainian Catholic Church. Requiem Mass was held Friday, Nov. 11, at the Holy Ghost Ukrainian Catholic Church, Holden, with Rev. B. Lozynsky the celebrant, and interment was in the Holden cemetery.

Sympathy of the district is extended to the bereaved families


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# The Mercury

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# 'Copter bringing Santa to Tofield

Boys and girls of all ages will be at the Tofield ball diamond Saturday, Dec 3rd The helicopter bringing Santa to Tofield is due to set down at 2:17 according to Santa's "helpers". From the ball diamond Santa will ride to the Community Centre in a sleigh where the children will each have their chance to express first, second and maybe even third choice for that Sunday morning in just 4 weeks time Each child will receive candy courtesy of the Lions and Legion, as they enter the Centre on their way to Santa, and everyone will get a ticket far a free draw on a selection of toys

**SPECIAL VALUES**

On the same day most of the businesses in Tofield are featuring special values to honor the occasion Parents will have the opportunity to finish their Christmas shopping while the children are visiting Santa, at special bargain prices

## Wildlife photographer brings Africa film to town

One of the few wildlife photographers who can command repeat audiences several times in the same community, Edgar T Jones is bringing his new film "Kenya-Uganda Safari" to town Tuesday, November 29th. The ninety minute film will be shown in the Tofield Community Centre.

Mr. Jones has made many appearances on both Canadian television networks, as well as in person in many centres throughout the country, and is very well known to thousands of sports-minded people.

His latest film shows massive elephants on the Congo-Uganda border, crocodiles and hippos, the fearsome Cape Buffalo at close range and many other unusual and interesting species of wildlife in this rapidly-opening up area.

## Send Yule cards the 'Lions' way

Mrs. A. Bray)

Ryley Lions Club wishes to announce its inception of a Community Christmas Card erected between Fred Loades Hardware and the post office The purpose of this card is to eliminate sending Christmas cards to local residents

Instead of sending cards, you estimate the cost involved in postage and cards, then place this amount in a locked box secured to the billboard, and sign your name on the card (e.g. Mr. and Mrs. John Doe and family).

Proceeds from this card will be given back to your community through the activities of your Lions Club

## Winners named in colouring contest

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — In the recent Remembrance Day colouring competition, sponsored by the Holden Legion for Grade III pupils in Holden and Bruce schools, the following were prize winners:

Holden School — 1st, Rosalie Mydlak, ($5.00); 2nd, Lawrence Pasnak, ($3.00); 3rd, Gary Halabut, $1.00)

Bruce School — 1st, Debbie Kelm, (5.00); 2nd, Candise Koppel, ($3.00); 3rd, Eileen Otto, $1.00

The Holden Legion has sponsored a competition each year for the past several years. Last year it was held for Grade I pupils, and previous years for higher grades—an essay on the meaning of Remembrance Day.

## Tofield High school news

The High School Basketball schedule for this term was drawn up recently, and is as follows:

Dec. 2—Tofield at Holden; Ryley at Viking.
Dec. 9—Holden at Viking. Tofield at Ryley.
Dec. 16—Ryley at Holden; Viking at Tofield.
Jan 6—Holden at Ryley; Tofield at Viking.
Jan. 13—Viking at Holden; Ryley at Tofield.
Jan. 20—Holden at Tofield; Viking at Ryley.
Jan 27—Tofield at Holden; Ryley at Viking.
Feb. 3—Holden at Viking; Tofield at Ryley.
Feb. 10—Ryley at Holden; Viking at Tofield.

The T S U. executive has planned a hayride, basketball game and sock-hop for Friday, Nov. 25. The hayride will commence at 5 00 o'clock and follow a specific route. It will be followed by an alumni basketball game and then a sock-hop, with the evening to conclude at 11.30.

The alumni basketball game is open to the public and will start between 7.00 and 7:30 p.m.

The High School girls were guests of the High School boys at an ice cream and cake party Monday noon The boys had challenged the girls to an order-taking contest during the Curtis Magazine Drive and had lost.

## Holden woman dies at 80 yrs.

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN.—An old time pioneer of Holden district, Mrs. Julia Maruszeczka passed away Wednesday, Nov. 16, in the Viking Hospital at the age of 80 years She was predeceased by her husband, George, in 1934, and leave to mourn her loss: one son, Leo of Bruce; one daughter, Josephine (Mrs. T. J. Jacobs), of Edmonton; 10 grandchildren, and 17 great-grandchildren.

Prayer service was held Sunday at 8:00 p.m., and funeral mass was held Monday, Nov. 20 at 10.30 a.m. from St. Gregory's R C. Church, Holden, and interment was in the Holden cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Maruszeczka and family resided for many years on the farm now owned by Steve Zawalek. Besides farming, they carried on a butcher business and a lumber yard, taking part in all community affairs. Mrs. Maruszeczka has made her home the past several years with her son Leo and family at Bruce.

## Slain Mountie served in Tofield

A former Tofield RCMP constable from 1964 - 1965, Gordon Pearson was shot to death Tuesday morning in a restaurant at Winterburn, west of Edmonton The lone gunman who fired the shot also wounded two other men critically.

Constable Pearson was called to the Holly Restaurant, an all-night cafe in a service station at Winterburn shortly before 4:00 a.m. to quell a disturbance there. This he had successfully accomplished, when a man walked in the cafe with a rifle and fired it point-blank at Pearson. A woman spectator rushed the critically injured policeman to an Edmonton hospital, driving in the patrol car at 100 miles per hour, but Const. Pearson was dead on arrival.

Two hours after the shooting, a combined city police and RCMP force rushed a Jasper Place apartment, arrested Charles Hill, 26, and charged him with capital murder

Married only last August to the former Harmien Weaver of Neerlandia, Constable Pearson's funeral will be held Saturday in the same church where he was married.

## Tofield marks Book Week

A good sized audience turned out last Thursday evening in the Tofield Community Centre and certainly enjoyed the skits put on by Grade 8 students under the capable guidance of Mrs. Grace Philips Art Evans of the Edmonton Journal gave a fine talk on the great value of reading books of all types

As an expression of appreciation to Mrs. Rose Dodds and Mrs. J. E. Stinson, for their services at the Tofield Library for over 11 years, they were presented with engraved polished chrome dishes by Mr. E. F. Watson who was master of ceremonies of the evening.

An expression of appreciation by Mr. Watson was given Mrs. W. H. Freebury who originally sparked the Tofield Library and continues unstintingly in giving of her time and energy in keeping the library going Other ladies were also named as valuable workers and all mentioned are volunteers.

## Launch winter truck program

Truck registration for winter work will commence Friday, November 25, and end December 31. Necessary forms will be available in the Highways Building, Edmonton, and in the offices of several District Engineers.

The program this winter is expected to be smaller than last year and will be primarily in the more remote areas of the province. The nature of the work places much of the hauling in isolated areas, requiring the trucker to have portable living accommodation. A number of the haul routes will be across muskeg terrain and out of some of the major river valleys. The operators must, therefore, be competent and have the trucks in good operating condition

The gross earning amount will be set initially at $1200.00 per owner called to the work. However, this figure will be adjusted if required depending on the volume of work and the success in obtaining trucks promptly when called.

## Ryley Hockey Club turkey bingo winners

The Ryley Junior Hockey Club under the supervision of T. Kerlee, sponsored a turkey Bingo on Wednesday, Nov. 16 in the Legion Hall. The following people won turkeys. Mrs. Albrecht (3), John Fish (1), Bill Watsness (1), Rodney Kolodychuk (2), G. Kirklund (1), Jim Nichols (1), Barry Stumbo (2), P. Kolodychuk (1), Mrs. J. Pepper (1), A. Sutton (1), Jimmy Lien (1), K. Reid (1), Kenny Pope (1), Miss McCrae (1), Mr. Kerlee (2)

Door prizes were won by a girl from Bruce, Vernon Roth and Mr. Monsson.

## THE WEATHER ...

| Nov. | Max. | Min. | Barom. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 16 | 10 | -0 | 30.18 | 2.10" snow |
| 17 | 11 | -6 | 30.38 | ——— |
| 18 | 34 | 2 | 30.11 | tr. snow |
| 19 | 36 | 2 | 30.15 | ——— |
| 20 | 26 | 10 | 29.68 | .50" snow |
| 21 | 14 | 12 | 29.90 | 2.1" snow |
| 22 | 13 | -5 | 30.70 | ——— |
| 23 | — | -4 | 29.96 | ——— |

## Ryley school 'Homecoming' December 10

(Mrs. A. Bray)

RYLEY.—Excitement is mounting at the Ryley School as the students prepare for the Annual Homecoming festivities to be held December 10. Homecoming will start at 5.00 p.m. with a banquet in the Legion Hall. The 1966 graduates will be honored, and former graduates from previous years will be in attendance. Following the banquet there will be time for reminiseing with friends

At 8:00 p.m. the usual basketball games — former players vs Ryley High teams — will take place in the Ryley School Gym.

**QUEEN CANDIDATES**

This year, three candidates are competing for Homecoming Queen. They are Marilyn Hjelter Grade 12, Patsy Stumbo, Grade 11, and Shirley Jacobson, Grade 10 These three girls and other students from Ryley High have been busy with their campaign for Queen.

During the intermission, the crowning of the queen will take place There will also be a draw for the door prize.

It is the sincere wish of the Ryley High students that this Homecoming will be successful, with a large turnout. Everyone is welcome to attend the Homecoming games.

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Several ladies called at the home of Mrs Mabel Saser one day last week, visiting with her for the afternoon on the occasion of her birthday.

Mrs C Hammer and children spent the holiday weekend visiting with her mother, Mrs. Mabel Saser. Her granddaughter Melanie also visited with her for a few days.

Mr and Mrs. Lloyd Bilyk of Vegreville were Holden visitors, calling on relatives and friends, Wednesday afternoon of last week.

**HERE FROM OTTAWA**

Mrs. Lew Rauknevold of Ottawa arrived last week to visit with her mother and other relatives. Mrs. W. J. Burka and Mrs. Rauknevold went to Edmonton on Thursday and are staying for a few days with Mr Burka, who is seriously ill in the General Hospital.

John Pavyna was a Daysland visitor on Wednesday of last week, and visited with Chris Hovland in the hospital there. Mr Hovland is making good progress, and is able to be up and around.

Mrs Bateman drove her husband to Ryley on Monday, Nov. 14, where he officiated at a Funeral, then went on to Edmonton. Her father, Rev Geeson, drove to Holden with her and was visiting with the family for the week, also renewing old friendships.

**NEW POLICEMAN**

A. P. Rykewich of Lloydminster has taken the position of police constable with the Village of Holden, commencing his duties November 16. Formerly employed as policeman at Grand Center and Smoky Lake, Mr. Rykewich is married with one child. His family will be moving to Holden in the near future.

Recent evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Zuk were Mr. and Mrs. M Starko of the Shelburne district.

Miss Ethel Brown and Mrs. Pauline Holowachuk left early Saturday morning for Red Deer, where they were to attend a meeting of teachers from grades 1, 2 and 3, on teaching methods. Teachers from Viking and Ryley were also to attend the meeting.

**WINS BURSARY**

Patricia Pepper of Ohaton, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs Kennie McLennan, a student at Olds Agricultural and Vocational School, was one of 39 students awarded scholarships, prizes or bursaries. Patricia was awarded an Alberta Wheat Pool - Henry Wise Wood Memorial bursary.

The funeral service for Walter McLennan of Powell River, B.C., was held Wednesday, Nov. 9, at 2 00 p.m. with Mr. Stauffer officiating at the graveside service. Mr. Stauffer was a long - time friend of Walter. Mrs Walter McLennan accompanied Ken McLennan and Mrs. Grace Pepper back from Powell River to attend the service and was a visitor for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Kennie McLennan before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Giebelhaus had members of their family visiting with them during the Remembrance Day holiday weekend, and entertained at a family dinner on the Sunday. Present were their daughter Edna and her husband of Jasper, Dr. and Mrs. Earl Giebelhaus of Rimbey, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pedersen and sons of Camrose, Mr. and Mrs Harold Giebelhaus and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Giebelhaus and family of Sunny Plain.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad were Sunday dinner guests with Mrs. Olaf Chetney.

Mr. and Mrs. Oleh Shykora were visitors over the weekend with W. J. Burka at the General Hospital, Edmonton.


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## Lakeshore . . .

(Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Ethel Wood was a Saturday afternoon visitor and coffee guest at the home of Mrs. Edna Bowick in Tofield.

Mrs. Loretta Weir, patient at the Royal Alex Hospital, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Howard and Mae Ferguson. Another daughter, Mrs. Doris Brown and little son David were also Saturday afternoon visitors and coffee guests there. Later on Saturday Art and Irlene Trent and son Timothy were afternoon visitors and coffee guests of Howard and Mae and family.

Ellen Eaton was a Wednesday evening visitor and supper guest at the home of Roy and Ruth Wachenberg at Tofield last week.

**WINTER IN CITY**

Jim and Beelah Gemmell of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the home of Beelah's father Jack Johnston. Jack returned to the city with them to spend the winter there and also with his other daughter, Lyla and Art Rodney part time.

Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and daughters Donna and Karen were Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Lillian and Percy Fairbairn.

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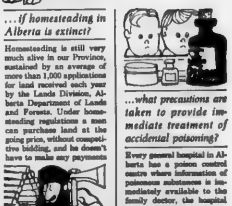

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# The Ryley Times



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## Ryley news

(Mrs. A. Bray)

The Ryley 4-H Dairy Club is sponsoring a Turkey Bingo on December 12, in the Ryley Legion Hall, starting at 8:00 p.m.

Miss Susan Smith arrived back in Ryley on Thursday evening. Due to the airline strike, she had to return by train from Montreal.

Member of the Cavell Rebekah Lodge will entertain the Senior Citizens of Ryley and district at a banquet in the Ryley Legion Hall on December 7.

Mrs. Anna Killian is home again, after being a patient in the University Hospital, Edmonton, for some time.

The lutefisk and turkey supper at the Lutheran Church was a huge success, the ladies reporting that they had cleared over $300. The committee would like to thank all those who helped make the supper the success it was.

Gurmukh Singh, a teacher at the Ryley School, is a patient in Tofield Hospital. Mr. Singh injured his back while playing basketball.

Mrs. Manderson is a patient at the Tofield Hospital.

Mrs. Odd Orbek was an Edmonton visitor on Saturday. Her daughter, Mrs. H. Anderson, and granddaughter Rita, from Fort Saskatchewan, spent the day with Mrs. Orbek in the city.

The Ryley 4-H Beef Club will hold a turkey bingo in the Ryley Legion Hall on December 19, at 8:00 p.m.

Mrs. Harriet Ruddy was an Edmonton visitor on Sunday, the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kading.

Mrs. Edof Wiklun was in Edmonton on Saturday, Nov. 19, to attend Convocation Exercises at the University of Alberta. Her daughter, Mrs. Betty Benson, received her degree of Bachelor of Education at the ceremony. Mrs. Benson (nee Betty Wiklun) received her early education in the Ryley district. She is presently on the Holden teaching staff.

Mrs. Doug Down and four children motored here from Athabasca to visit Mr. and Mrs. Nerassen and while here attended the lutefisk and turkey supper at the Lutheran Church.

Don't forget the Ryley Curling Carnival, November 26 and 28.

## Ryley Boys' Food Club re-organizes

(Leonard Paulson)

The Ryley boys food club met at the school with Glen Magneson acting as chairman. The 4-H pledge was led by Bobby Cross; Leonard Paulson spoke on his trip to Taber the past summer, and Glen Magneson told of the week he spent at the Vermilion Agriculture and Vocational [illegible]

The executive for this year is: president, Glen Magneson; Vice-pres., Doug Maaren; sec., Kenny [illegible], treasurer, Wade Magneson, reporter, Leonard Paulson, club delegate, Harry Harbak; social convener, Bobby Cross and Garth Jensen; leaders, Mrs. W. Maaren and Mrs. W. Magneson.

The first meeting of the year was held at the Home Economics Room, when roll call was answered with ideas for raising money.

Douglas Maaren read the minutes of the last meeting and the treasurer gave the financial report. For their activity part of the meeting the first year boys made biscuits, second year boys made chocolate cake, and two kinds of fudge were made by the third year boys.

## Badminton Club names officers

(Mrs. A. Bray)

The Badminton Club met at the Ryley school on Tuesday, Nov. 22. The new officers are president, Dr. G. Price; vice-pres., Roger Oslund, sec.-treas., Lorne Booth; social convener, Mrs. F. Lyons.

Badminton games are every Tuesday and Thursday at 8:00 p.m. at the Ryley Gym.

**ELECTION NOTICE**

**Election by Electoral Divisions**

**PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an election will be held for a COUNCILLOR for Electoral Division No. 3 of the County of Beaver No. 9 for the year 1967 and the election will take place on SATURDAY, the 3RD DAY OF DECEMBER, 1966, from nine o'clock in the forenoon to five o'clock in the afternoon.**

The Electoral Division has been provided with the following polls:

**POLL NO. 1 is at Bruce Community Hall.**
**POLL NO. 2 is at Charles W. Barber Residence N.W. 4-47-14 W4th.**

I will at the County Office in Ryley on Monday, the fifth day of December, 1966, at twelve o'clock, noon, sum up the votes and declare the result of the election.
Given under my hand at the Village of Ryley this 9th day of November, 1966.

OLOF MONSSON, Returning Officer.
(11-12-13)

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**DECEMBER 17th is the last date for local Christmas mail delivery**

**NOTICE**

**TOWN OF TOFIELD**

**BY-LAW No. 508 (in part)**

**A BY-LAW PROVIDING FOR THE USE OF SIDEWALKS WITHIN THE TOWN OF TOFIELD AND FOR THE REMOVAL OF ICE, SNOW AND DIRT THEREON.**

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Town of Tofield
Mrs. Rita E. Halverson,
Secretary-Treasurer.
(13-14)



## Ross Creek district news items

(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. John Hennig of Andrew, and Mr. and Mrs. Graham Snider and Craig visited Mr. and Mrs. August Lappenbush at Ouaway on Saturday.

Mrs. Frances Chernyk, from B.C., is visiting her sister Mrs. Nick Malkewich, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice VanBuskirk visited Mrs. Shertel and family in Edmonton on Sunday while the boys stopped at Sherwood Park to visit their sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Franklin.

**Deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. Fred Schechor on the death of her father, J. A. Miller of Medicine Hat.**

The Lamont High School boys' and girls' teams were both victorious in the volleyball tournament on Friday night and will be playing in northern Alberta play-offs at Cold Lake.

The Geo. McLachlan and Jim Antoniuk families attended the chicken supper and bingo sponsored by the Catholic Women's League of Chipman, on Saturday evening.

**Gloria Antoniuk and a girl friend are vacationing in Hawaii.**

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## Lakeshore . . .

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

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Wayne Carlisle of Lamont spent Sunday at home with his parents Ethel and Don Carlisle and brothers.

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Mrs. Andrew Ferguson spent Thursday in Edmonton, visiting her sister Mrs. John Potts, and doing some shopping as well.

# Lakeshore -

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Emil and Martha Tiedemann accompanied their daughter Yvonne and Peter Brown and little son David of Ketchamoot on a motor trip to Edmonton on Sunday where they were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brice.

Mrs. Ollie Moe returned home on Monday afternoon from Calgary where she had been staying at the home of her daughter Marilyn and Don Langille. She was in charge of her two grandsons while Marilyn was in hospital and made the acquaintance of her new granddaughter Jacinda Lynn, after Marilyn returned home.

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# Ketchamoot district news items

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Mrs. George McMann and Mrs. Henry McGinitie attended the Mission Circle meeting at the home of Mrs. Leo Bauer in Tofield last Wednesday.

Donna and Kelly Wiltsen and children of Ross Creek were Sunday visitors with Ethel and Don Carlisle and family.

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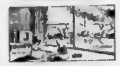

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# Holden news items

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Holstein Fodness and son of Oliver, B.C., visited here for a few days last week, having come to attend the funeral of Olaf Chetney, on November 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson were visitors in Edmonton during the holiday weekend, returning home on the Thursday. Lars was attending meetings regarding school and educational affairs, and left on Friday for Lethbridge to act on a conciliation board.

Mrs. Dale Jerrey was a visitor one afternoon last week with her aunt, Mrs. Ness, a guest at Vialta Lodge, Viking.

Mrs. Pearl Allan attended a teachers meeting at Hardisty on Saturday.

Bert Appleby visited with his father, Harry Appleby, at Vialta Lodge, Viking, on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Gorney, MLA, of Vegreville, attended the Social Credit meeting held in the Holden Legion Hall, Tuesday evening, November 15.

Mrs. Larry Benson was a weekend visitor in Edmonton, and Mrs. Giebelhaus was supervising her class Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Corliss had the former's mother, Mrs. Corliss of Edmonton, visiting with them for several days last week. Mrs. Corliss Sr. will be moving in the near future to make her home here, near her family.

Frank and Lawrence Tchir of Edmonton were visiting during the weekend with their family, the Fred Tchirs.

Mrs. J. A. Richardson, Mrs. McDannold and her sister who is visiting her, drove here Saturday afternoon and attended the Holden U.C.W. tea and sale.

Stan Rubins, who has been away on business the past two weeks, returned home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were business visitors in Edmonton Sunday and Monday, also visiting with their daughter and son-in-law.

Many old-time residents of Holden and district were in Holden to attend the funeral of Olaf Chetney and paying their last respects to an old friend. Among those from Edmonton were Jack Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Harris, Mrs. Hagerud, Mr. and Mrs. Arne Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Evenson, and Mr. and Mrs. Pederson of Camrose.

The ladies of the U.C.W. held their annual sale of sewing, Christmas gifts and tea on Saturday, Nov. 19. The event of the afternoon was a parcel post sale, with the parcels being sent from many former residents of Holden and district. The ladies wish to thank all those who patronized the tea and sale, making it a very successful event.

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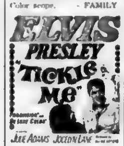


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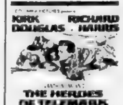


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Mrs. Helen Hennessy spent four days last week in Edmonton at the home of her nephew Irving Liknes and family. She also attended the open house and coffee party at the Winnifred Stewart School, and viewed the beautiful handwork done by the pupils there.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill George, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas George were Sunday guests of their mother Mrs. S. George. Mr. and Mrs. Walter George were Saturday visitors with her.

Mrs. Michael Nasichuk again spent the weekend at her home on the farm. She is employed in Edmonton.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson spent Thursday in Edmonton, visiting her sister Mrs. John Potts, and doing some shopping as well.

# Lakeshore -

**(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)**

Emil and Martha Tiedemann accompanied their daughter Yvonne and Peter Brown and little son David of Ketchamoot on a motor trip to Edmonton on Sunday where they were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brice.

Mrs. Ollie Moos returned home on Monday afternoon from Calgary where she had been staying at the home of her daughter Marilyn and Don Langille. She was in charge of her two grandsons while Marilyn was in hospital and made the acquaintance of her new granddaughter Jacinda Lynn, after Marilyn returned home.

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# Ketchamoot district news items

**(Mary Mitchell)**

Agnes and Henry McGinitie attended the Hopper-Ferguson wedding and reception in Tofield recently.

Mrs. George McMann and Mrs. Henry McGinitie attended the Mission Circle meeting at the home of Mrs. Leo Bauer in Tofield last Wednesday.

Donna and Kelly Wiltzen and children of Ross Creek were Sunday visitors with Ethel and Don Carlisle and family.

Raymond McGinitie is driving a Chrysler, Art Williams a Pontiac and Dennis Lawson a Comet, all new models in their respective classes.


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# Holden news items

**(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)**

Holstein Fodness and son of Oliver, B.C., visited here for a few days last week, having come to attend the funeral of Olaf Chetney, on November 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson were visitors in Edmonton during the holiday weekend, returning home on the Thursday. Lars was attending meetings regarding school and educational affairs, and left on Friday for Lethbridge to act on a conciliation board.

Mrs. Dale Jerrey was a visitor one afternoon last week with her aunt, Mrs. Ness, a guest at Vialta Lodge, Viking.

Mrs. Pearl Allan attended a teachers meeting at Hardisty on Saturday.

Bert Appleby visited with his father, Harry Appleby, at Vialta Lodge, Viking, on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Gerussy, MLA, of Vegreville, attended the Social Credit meeting held in the Holden Legion Hall, Tuesday evening, November 15.

Mrs. Larry Benson was a weekend visitor in Edmonton, and Mrs. Giebelhaus was supervising her class Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Corliss had the former's mother, Mrs. Corliss of Edmonton, visiting with them for several days last week. Mrs. Corliss Sr. will be moving in the near future to make her home here, near her family.

Frank and Lawrence Tchir of Edmonton were visiting during the weekend with their family, the Fred Tchirs.

Mrs. J. A. Richardson, Mrs. McDannold and her sister who is visiting her, drove here Saturday afternoon and attended the Holden U.C.W. tea and sale.

Stan Robins, who has been away on business the past two weeks, returned home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were business visitors in Edmonton Sunday and Monday, also visiting with their daughter and son-in-law.

Many old-time residents of Holden and district were in Holden to attend the funeral of Olaf Chetney and paying their last respects to an old friend. Among those from Edmonton were Jack Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Harris, Mrs. Hagerud, Mr. and Mrs. Arne Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Evenson, and Mr. and Mrs. Pederson of Camrose.

The ladies of the U.C.W. held their annual sale of sewing, Christmas gifts and tea on Saturday, Nov. 19. The event of the afternoon was a parcel post sale, with the parcels being sent from many former residents of Holden and district. The ladies wish to thank all those who patronized the tea and sale, making it a very successful event.

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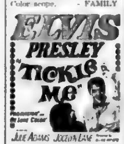



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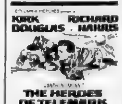



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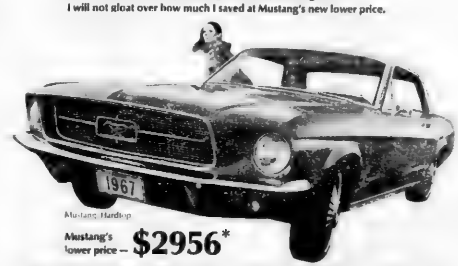

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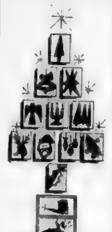

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# Around the town

Graham and Ella Allan attended graduation ceremonies at the University of Alberta on Saturday when their son David Allan received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Psychology. He plans to continue studying for his M.A. degree.

Weekend visitors at the T. Gray home were, Evie and Alan Fair and Diane from Lacombe, and Pat and Ken Rabby and Dawn from Calgary.

Misses Betty Lindsay and Eileen Hall of Calgary and Murray Lindsay from Swan Hills were visitors at the W. E. Lindsay home over the weekend.

**BIRTHS**

Born to Dick and Donna Oshand a daughter, on Nov. 21.

Born to Dick and Susan Kapteyn on Nov. 22, a daughter.

Cpl Roy Murray spent Friday and Saturday of last week at Milk River, with other RCMP friends.

**Residents of Tofield and district were saddened to learn of the death of RCMP Constable, Don Pearson, when shot down while on duty at Winterburn. He was stationed in Tofield from January 15, 1961 to April 11, 1965.**

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

Friends and relatives gathered at the Legion Hall recently to shower Theresa Hietman with many lovely gifts. She was assisted in opening the gifts by her sister, Mrs Margaret Hunley and her husband's sister Miss Joyce Ellis. Theresa graciously thanked everyone. She was married Nov. 19 at the Roman Catholic Church at Camrose.

Curtis Eyestone and Allan Sarson of Vancouver and Don Wise of Grande Prairie visited at the Halverson home during the week. Mr Eyestone is a brother of Mrs. Halverson.

Miss Margaret McClymont is baby-sitting at the home of Mrs. Don Ball on Highway 14 just west of the Alberta Game Farm.

Robert Wall has received notice to report to RCMP for training at Regina, Sask., Nov. 28th. He will spend the initial three months at Regina, and will be posted later to some other training centre.

Rev. W. H. McDonnold travelled to Leduc on Friday, where he attended the 50th anniversary of the Masonic Lodge there. He was in contact with J. W. Somers, a former druggist in Tofield many years ago.

Claude and Michael Gallinger and four friends from Holden are away on a big game hunt in the Fort Assiniboine area, to be gone from Thursday until Tuesday.

# Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mrs. Clara Armstrong was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black during the Remembrance holiday weekend.

Chris Hovland has been a patient in Daysland Hospital the past week, suffering with a very severe cold and 'flu. Reuben drove him to the hospital Saturday morning.

Chat Armstrong, who has been barbering for the past year in store next to the Holden Drug Store, has moved to the Pool Hall, taking the place of the late Alex Poole.

Mr and Mrs Henry Tiedemann and son Robert were business visitors in Edmonton on Monday, where Robert was having dental work done.

Reuben Hovland has been loading a car-load of malting barley the past week. This is the first car-load of malting barley to be shipped from the Holden district since 1941. The type grown was 'Betsy'.

**HERE FOR FUNERAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brekstad of Winnipeg were visitors for a few days with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstad, and Mrs. Olaf Chetney, attending the funeral of Olaf Chetney on Wednesday, Nov. 16. They left Thursday afternoon on their trip home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sizer were visitors at the home of Mrs. Mabel Sizer on Saturday of last week.

Fred Johnson and son Keith, of Vancouver, B.C., were visitors and dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Mabel Sizer a week ago Tuesday. Keith is a grandson of Mrs. Sizer.

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# The Mercury

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**For long service**

Marking the service given to the Tofield Library by Mrs. Ross Dodds, left and Mrs. J. E. Stinson, E. F. Watson last week presented each with engraved polished chrome dishes. Both have served the library for over 11 years. The presentation was made recently when an excellent program was arranged to mark Young Canada Book Week, during which several members of the community were cited for the help they had provided the library over the years.

# Ryley carnival well received

Ole Hagen was the big winner at the Ryley Curlers' Carnival held last week. He was the fortunate winner of the $50 Centennial Bond. Although attendance was lower than hoped for on Thursday evening due to icy road conditions, the turnout for Friday's evening of entertainment was sensational, and the curlers realized in excess of $1,000 profit for the entire venture.

**SLAVE SALE POPULAR**

Bobby Penner brought "prime" price on Thursday evening as auctioneer Garnet Burnstad brought the hammer down at the price of 25c per pound. All slaves were sold on a "per pound" basis and prices ranged from 10c to 25c per pound.

The Beard contestants numbered five and all received prizes for their endeavors. Howard Berke was awarded the prize for most original, Ed [illegible] was easily the most [illegible] with his [illegible] silver "bush", Wilmer Magnuson rated the most comical prize, Lloyd Wickstrom was far and away the curliest, and Garnet Burnstad received the [illegible] for the most outstanding [illegible] "chin whiskers".

The two evenings of revelry were [illegible] with a most successful dance on Friday evening.

**OPENING 'SPIEL PROGRESSING**

All evening draws are filled as the opening bonspiel proved very popular, with 30 mixed rinks participating. No names of winners were available at press time.

# French Charolais arrive in Canada

Charolais cattle straight from their native France recently arrived in Canada and are in quarantine on an island in Quebec. In view of the fact that the strain will eventually spread on the North American continent, some findings on their effect on British stock may be of interest. Importations from France have been there sufficiently long for some data to be collected.

The Milk Marketing Board of England and Wales has come to the conclusion that the Charolais crosses grow faster than crosses by the major British breeds. According to their report, however, they have presented more calving difficulties. Between 1962 and 1964, over 11 per cent of calves caused trouble against two per cent in other breeds and crosses. Because Charolais cross calves were carried four days longer than purebreds, high calving weights resulted. Calving mortality was also higher. On average, Charolais bulls sired 2.6 per cent that died within 12 hours of birth, against 0.8 per cent with purebreds.

The report admits, "Charolais bull's sire calves which are carried longer, are heavier at birth, cause more calving difficulties and are rather more likely to die at a young age than are calves sired by British breeds."

Growth and food conversion results are summarized as giving

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# Mr. Hooper celebrates 86th birthday

(Mrs G. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — Mrs. Hooper and son Melvin were visitors with Mr. Hooper in Edmonton on Thursday and Sunday. Mr. Hooper, who has been a resident in the Good Samaritan Nursing Home for the past year or more, is now a resident in the new nursing home, the Lynwood Auxiliary Home, which is quite close to his daughter Mrs. David Good and family.

Mr. Hooper was celebrating his 86th birthday on Friday, November 25th, and received a beautiful bouquet of flowers from all his family in honour of the occasion, and also received another lovely bouquet from his son Chester, Tillie and family, in B.C. On Friday, Dorothy took him a birthday cake and the grandchildren were also visiting with him. Mr. Hooper is keeping very well and is enjoying his new home.

# Gary Bilyk is presented governor-general's medal

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

On Thursday afternoon, November 24th, a ceremony was held at the Holden school when Gary Bilyk, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bilyk was presented with the Governor-General's gold medal for the highest standing in grade nine departmental examinations for the County of Beaver No. 9.

In the absence of M. Bruce, superintendent of schools, due to illness, Mrs. Ruddy, assistant superintendent, presented the medal to Gary. Mr. Roddick, councillor for the County of Beaver, presented a lovely gold wrist watch to Gary from the county and Oleh Shykora, on behalf of the A.T.A., presented a plaque.

Gary is to be congratulated on his achievement, especially since he had taken the work of two grades in one year.

# Farm curlers plan to hold turkey contest

The interior of the curling rink has been completely renovated, the upstairs lobby has been made usable for spectators, and now the ice surfaces are being flooded . . . all that remains now is for everyone to get the old curling fever.

The afternoon curling club has completed its draw and, as in past years, has come up with 16 rinks, curling Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 1:30. The men's club and the mixed evening club are still in urgent need of curlers. Those wishing to curl in the evenings should contact either Graham Allan or Jack Whyte.

As a prelude to curling this year, the afternoon curling club will sponsor a curl-fest and turk-a-rama shoot on December 10, with activities to get underway at 7:00 p.m. There will be four challenge games between four town and four country rinks. A suitable trophy will be awarded in this event.

Immediately following the challenge games, the turk-a-rama shoot will begin, and anyone may participate in this. There will be open events, children's events, ladies' events, and even a few novelty events. Each person will be allowed to shoot two rocks for a dollar, with 10 people shooting for each turkey . . . so, if

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# Mail early for servicemen

Ordinary mail letters to Canadian Forces Post offices in Britain, Europe and the Middle East and Cyprus must be posted by Dec. 7 to be sure of delivery by Christmas Day. Ordinary mail parcels and newspapers for these areas should be posted by Nov. 21.

Final airmail dates for letters are: Britain, Dec. 14; Europe, Dec. 12, Middle East and Cyprus, Dec. 8 and Indochina, Dec. 8 when addressed via Box 230 Saigon.

Deadline dates for airmailing parcels are: Dec. 10 for Britain, Dec. 8 for Europe and Dec. 6 for the Middle East, Cyprus and Indochina.

# Mrs. T. Graftaas to head Ryley UCW

(Mrs A. Bray)

RYLEY — The UCW of the Calvin United Church of Ryley met at the church November 24, when the annual election of officers took place. The following were elected to the executive for 1967: past president, Mrs. F. Manderson; president, Mrs. T. Graftaas; 1st vice-presi., Mrs. S. Helgeland; 2nd vice-presi., Mrs. F. Munkedal; sec.-treas., Mrs. N. Hogland, visiting committee, Mrs. T. Harris; cards and supply, Mrs. R. Cross; devotional, Mrs. F. Manderson; sewing committee, Mrs. R. Mizera and Mrs. R. Whitson; social, Mrs. S. Helgeland.

It was decided to hold a bake sale and sale of sewing handicrafts on December 10, at Fred Loades's Store. Coffee and lunch will be served beginning at 10 a.m. Mrs. Whitson is the convenor for the enterprise.

# Halt grain shipments to West Coast docks

VANCOUVER, Nov. 29—A tie-up of dock operations at West Coast ports has forced Canadian Pacific to impose a temporary embargo on the movement of Prairie export grain to Vancouver. Grain shipments for the Lakehead and domestic customers are not affected.

The embargo takes effect immediately. It was ordered to prevent a serious build-up of loaded boxcars at Vancouver grain terminals and to permit full use of equipment for other shipments, including grain bound for the Lakehead. It will also enable Canadian Pacific to resume a steady flow of grain to Vancouver as soon as normal dock operations are resumed.

As of midnight, Nov. 28, the CPR had 1,015 grain cars waiting to be unloaded at Vancouver.

# Who speaks for whom across the table?

Guest Editorial from The Montreal Star

The Montreal Star two weeks ago carried an important editorial . . . on the eve of the Air Canada strike . . . on the appalling situation facing the country. The situation of course has changed: the Air Canada strike is over, the possibility of a postal strike has been delayed ten months, and the railways seem past the immediate likelihood of strike.

The Star comments: "What is more important however, is the condition which the three events expose. We are suffering a collapse in traditional procedures. In each case, deep dissatisfaction exists in the ranks of the union. The traditional controls are breaking down. The pace is being set by the rank and file or by its shadow leaders . . . not by those elected to office or by that same membership. . . . And the system of negotiations for its part has become increasingly cumbersome and prolonged.

. . . The union knows, or feels, that if it presses the point it will force the cabinet to enter negotiations directly, that what happens before this stage is merely skirmishing. This is the real lesson of the seaway and dockers settlements in the federal field, and of the hospital settlement provincially. The real boss was exposed and the normal procedures shown up to be nothing but window dressing.

It is this fact more than the amount of the settlement which constitute the Pearson guidelines. What happens before the direct involvement of the government now appears to the men to be of no account, time wasted, a period in which what patience exists in the ranks is exhausted.

But there must be procedures and there must be order if we are not to have chaos. If the government is to intervene, if those who appear to be charged with responsibility are not really so charged—the port authorities in the case of the Montreal Harbor dispute—then we would be better off with a new system. On the other hand if the membership will not accept the direction of the leaders whom they appoint and the negotiators they choose, then the job of these men is impossible. Negotiations become meaningless; on the management side, the real decisions are made elsewhere; on the union side the negotiators cannot commit the union.

Law is not involved here so much as practice. If the government is in, it should be in from the beginning; if the membership is not willing to give its spokesmen the green light, then some other system for determining rank and file wishes must be found. As it is today, those who confront each other across a table are not the determiners of events in either case. The result is near chaos.

## No easy answer

When a farmer is also a hunter it is not difficult to talk rationally about hunting regulations. Get hunters and farmers together at a meeting and there will be some rather strong remarks. At least that is what [illegible] at D[illegible] last week. The provincial gov[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

ing any farmer's fields. They could secure this by signing a guest book and receiving a certificate. If checked by a game warden or any other law enforcement officer it would be just as serious to not have a permission certificate as it would to not have a license. The good hunter should have no qualms about getting the permission and those whom everyone seems to feel is causing the trouble could be [illegible] out with a few stiff fines. In any case something must be done. Pro[illegible] is not the answer according to [illegible] hunters, and some farmers. On the other hand farmers cannot live safely in what many of them called No Man's Land. Education and courtesy all around would do a lot to correct the situation.

## Too good to be true?

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## What else is new?

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and the solidarity of the [illegible] members. What on earth is new about that? It's years since the [illegible] members have had a chance [illegible] attack but only weeks before much the same pattern could be seen at the Liberal convention. The younger members always want [illegible] faster than the middle-aged and the middle-aged would like to move more quickly than the older members.

It's years since a keen observer of life commented to the effect that if a [illegible] own definition! he hasn't any spunk [illegible] when he reaches 31 he hasn't any brains.

## Centennial report

by JOHN W. FISHER
CENTENNIAL COMMISSIONER

I wish the Centennial Commission could buy a ticket and the travel fare for every person in Canada to see Expo 67 next year. But I just don't have the budget to do that.

Millions of Canadians won't see Expo but most of those who can't make [illegible] see some Centennial [illegible]

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LIFELINES FOR THE ELDERLY

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to brighten a lonely day.

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for blood poisoning, diabetes, ulcers or high blood pressure.

of a number of other countries.

In major cities there will be dazzling performances on stage by top artists from Canada and abroad. There will be [illegible] and there will be sports events such as the Pan American Games at Winnipeg and [illegible]

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It's going to be a big birthday celebration and no one is going to be left out of the party. There [illegible]

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Montreal [illegible] of Expo [illegible] it was once the site of an Indian village called Hochelaga.

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# School Committee meets Nov. 2

Following are the minutes, in part, of the County of Beaver No. 9 School Committee meeting, held Wednesday, Nov. 2.

Present: Crs. W. A. Dorin, A. L. Gibson, W. D. Johnston, G. Knutalien, W. Krupelnicki, J. H. Roddick and H. Weatherill. Also present were J. B. Allen, C. J. Nord and N. Semotuk representing the Towns and Villages, as well as Superintendent of Schools Marvin Bruce.

The meeting was called to order at 10.37 a.m., and Messrs. J. B. Allen and C. J. Nord subscribed to the Oath of Office and were officially seated in the Committee.

**Business Arising from Minutes**

In regards to grants for skating rinks, the secretary-treasurer reported that the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks Lodge [illegible] and the Viking Carena Association had indicated in writing that the school pupils at the respective points would be allowed access to the skating rinks during school hours without charge.

It was moved and carried that the County Council be requested to pass the required by-law and that the sum of $200 be paid to each of the Organizations concerned.

In regards to W. F. Myers' request for increase in rates on his school buses, comparative figures were placed before the School Committee and in particular the rates paid by the Killam School Division.

After some discussion, it was moved and carried that the rates for contract buses be increased by 2c per mile as from September 1st.

The following tenders were received by the Committee for the purchase of Woodside School: Albin Lukawiecki, Holden, $25; Bill Landiak, Lavoy, $300; Mrs. Jean Benson, Bruce, $325.

Moved and carried that the tender submitted by Mrs. Jean Benson, for the Woodside school building in the amount of $325, be accepted.

In regards to the Symphony Concert the Superintendent reported that 500 students and 25 teachers had attended the Concert; 16 buses had been used for transportation.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

**Band Instruments**

Mr. Bruce reported that the instruments required by the band leader had been purchased at a cost of $1,338.00.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and the account paid.

**Correspondence**

Letters of appreciation from Mrs. Beatrice Fredericks for having been chosen the Outstanding Teacher for the year, and from Earl Kindley for having been granted leave of absence for educational purposes from June 20 to 30, were referred to the Committee.

Moved and carried that the letters be received and filed.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. Jeanne Courchesne, in response to her written request, be granted permission to live outside the school district in which she is teaching.

**Bus Supervisor Attends**

The Bus Supervisor attended at this time and his report for the month of October was read to the School Committee. It was noted that a Bus Inspector from the Attorney General's Department had been in the office and the shop on November 1 and had given a report on his inspection of bus No. 3, operated by John McLier at Kinsella. A number of inconsequential items were complained of by the Inspector. He had refused to let the bus on the road even to finish the day's run and it had been necessary to take a replacement bus down to Kinsella. Mr. Reid requested that the Councillors examine the bus and compare the condition of the bus with the Inspector's report. He had also mentioned that amber reflectors were required on the front of the buses; the peculiar thing was that this Inspector had inspected the last two new buses, that had been purchased, and had not mentioned the front reflectors at that time. He had stated that this regulation had been in effect for the past 11 years, but neither the Bus Supervisor nor the Secretary-Treasurer had been able to find any regulation to that effect. He had also inspected bus No. 30 and had passed this bus without any objection. Mr. Reid had found that the brakes on this bus were almost nonexistent and would not take hold without a considerable amount of pumping. On bus No. 40 the rear tires were very smooth and the Inspector had made no mention of this.

In regards to Mr. Foster's request to keep his bus at home, Cr. Dorin reported that he and the Bus Supervisor had interviewed Mr. Foster on November 1. Mr. Foster had stated that he intended to build a metal machine shed and inquired if he could store the bus in this shed, if not, he stated that he was prepared to erect a separate building from lumber. Cr. Dorin recommended that Mr. Foster be permitted to keep the bus at home provided he erects a suitable garage from lumber and heats it with propane as he had suggested. It was mentioned that R. Foster was a very good driver.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and that Mr. Foster be advised of the recommendation.

It was moved and carried that the Bus Supervisor's report for October be accepted and his account in the amount of $45.38 be paid.

In regards to the Inspection Report, it was moved and carried that bus No. 3 be repaired as to mechanical and tire deficiencies.

SCHOOL COMMITTE (Cont'd)

It was mentioned that Derek Tiedemann had injured his hand and was unable to work at the present time, and it was moved and carried [illegible] the Shop Committee and the Bus Supervisor be authorized to obtain temporary help in the bus garage.

It was also considered that possibly additional full time help was required, and it was moved and carried that the County advertise for a licensed mechanic or a third or fourth year apprentice.

A letter from the Vegreville Health Unit No. 15 concerning examination of school teachers, bus drivers and other school employees for Tuberculosis was referred to the Committee, and it was moved and carried that all employees, who are in contact with school pupils, be required

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(Mrs. G. M. Taylor)

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Harry Appleby of Vialta Lodge, Viking, was a visitor in Holden on Monday of last week with his family, the Bert Applebys, and also attended the funeral of Mrs. Julia Maruszecka, held on the Monday morning from the Roman Catholic Church.

Reuben Hovland was a last Wednesday evening visitor and overnight guest with his brother Glen and family at Hillsdown.

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The meeting began with Bible study followed by a social hour. The next meeting will be held on December 9 in the Parish Hall at Ryley.

## Former Ryley mayor passes in Edmonton

(Mrs A. Bray)

John Jevning, aged 76 years, passed away November 26, in Edmonton. Graveside services were at the Ryley Cemetery at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, November 29.

Mr. Jevning was a former resident of Ryley for many years and at one time was the mayor of Ryley.

He leaves to mourn his loss his loving wife, Tracy; one daughter, Mrs. E. W. (Marion) Conn, and one son, Neil and six grandchildren.

## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

At the United Church on Sunday, tentative plans were made for the regular Christmas Eve service, at which Rev. Dwight Powell, superintendent of Home Missions, will be in charge. He is the father of student Tom Powell.

A most enjoyable evening of bowling was spent by 18 members of the Community Club at the Sherwood Park bowling alley. The evening was topped off by lunch and coffee, before they returned home.

Miss Evelyn Cook arrived home on Friday, after a most enjoyable three-week holiday with her mother and friends at Brandon, Manitoba.

Mrs. Jim Roddick was pleasantly surprised on the occasion of her birthday last week, when daughters Margaret and Edna came with a birthday cake and lovely gift. Doug and Clara George and Mrs. S. George were also surprise callers.

Alex McSporran enjoyed his 83rd birthday on Wednesday, and many best wishes are extended to him from all his friends and neighbors.

Your correspondent had a nice visit with Bella Ross in Edmonton last week, and she sends her best wishes to all her friends in Ministik.

Harvey and Elaine Kleinschroth returned home from Tofield Hospital, after spending a week there.


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*...who administers Alberta's new towns before there is even a population?*

Many of Alberta's new towns must be carved out of the bush and a wilderness must be turned into a habitable area with streets, water, sewer and power, even before the population starts to arrive. This takes money and people and, in most cases, arrangements for both are supplied by the Municipal Inspection Branch of the Alberta Department of Municipal Affairs. Loans of up to one million are available from the Provincial Treasurer for the development of a new townsite and experts from the Branch form a Board of Administrators which will oversee the growth of the town until the population and prospects become sufficient for the local residents to assume control.

*...why you can't fish with live bait in Alberta?*

Any fisherman who puts that enticing little wriggler on his

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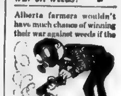

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Mrs. Marjorie Jones was hostess to 17 ladies at a tupperware demonstration and tea at her home on Friday evening. After the demonstration a delicious luncheon was served by the hostess and her mother Mrs. Ellenor Jones.

Carl and Mavis Jacobsen and daughters Donna and Karen motored to Edmonton on Sunday to the home of Mavis's father, Julius Jacobson where Mavis helped her father entertain in honor of his birthday. Also among the guests was Carl's and Mavis's oldest daughter Clarice, nurse-in-training at the Royal Alexandra Hospital.

## Ryley Luther League elects executive

(Mrs A. Bray)

The organizational meeting of the Ryley Junior Luther League was held in the parish hall, November 22nd. Elected for the executive were the following: president, Douglas Maaren; vice-president, Brian Bunstad; secretary, Diane Hillerud; treasurer, Ralph Berke; club reporter, Darlene Hammer; social convener, Loralie Magneson and Paula Nordby.

The meeting began with Bible study followed by a social hour. The next meeting will be held on December 9 in the Parish Hall at Ryley.

## Former Ryley mayor passes in Edmonton

(Mrs A. Bray)

John Jevning, aged 76 years, passed away November 26, in Edmonton. Graveside services were at the Ryley Cemetery at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, November 29.

Mr Jevning was a former resident of Ryley for many years and at one time was the mayor of Ryley.

He leaves to mourn his loss his loving wife, Tracy; one daughter, Mrs. E. W. (Marion) Conn, and one son, Neil and six grandchildren.

## Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

At the United Church on Sunday, tentative plans were made for the regular Christmas Eve service, at which Rev. Dwight Powell, superintendent of Home Missions, will be in charge. He is the father of student Tom Powell.

A most enjoyable evening of bowling was spent by 18 members of the Community Club at the Sherwood Park bowling alley. The evening was topped off by lunch and coffee, before they returned home.

Miss Evelyn Cook arrived home on Friday, after a most enjoyable three-week holiday with her mother and friends at Brandon, Manitoba.

Mrs Jim Roddick was pleasantly surprised on the occasion of her birthday last week, when daughters Margaret and Edna came with a birthday cake and lovely gift. Doug and Clara George and Mrs S. George were also surprise callers.

Alex McSporran enjoyed his 83rd birthday on Wednesday, and many best wishes are extended to him from all his friends and neighbors.

Your correspondent had a nice visit with Bella Boss in Edmonton last week, and she sends her best wishes to all her friends in Ministik.

Harvey and Elaine Kleinschroth returned home from Tofield Hospital, after spending a week there.


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*...who administers Alberta's new towns before there is even a population?*

Many of Alberta's new towns must be carved out of the bush and a wilderness must be turned into a habitable area with streets, water, sewer and power, even before the population starts to arrive. This takes money and people and, in most cases, arrangements for both are supplied by the Municipal Inspection Branch of the Alberta Department of Municipal Affairs. Loans of up to one million are available from the Provincial Treasurer for the development of a new townsite and experts from the Branch form a Board of Administrators which will oversee the growth of the town until the population and prospects become sufficient for the local residents to assume control.

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*...who measures Alberta?*

Before homesteaders can move in, before communities can be started or subdivisions built or roads constructed, the land has to be measured and boundary monuments established. To see that this is done properly is the job of the Surveys Branch of the Alberta Department of Highways. In addition to being responsible for the establishment of base lines and surveying of townships and highways, the Branch has direction over all surveying done in the Province under the Al-

berta Surveys Act, and examines all plans of survey to ensure their compliance with that Act. The results of all this work are recorded on plans which are registered in the Land Titles Office and subsequently reflected in a variety of maps produced by the Mapping Division of the Surveys Branch.

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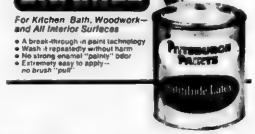


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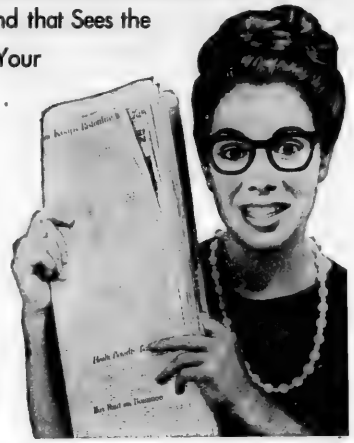

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## School committee

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to undergo the test for Tuberculosis

The Superintendent's Report was referred to the Committee at this time. Item No. 1 was a report of Inspector of High Schools for the following teachers: Cornelius Kyrosk, Boris Stashko, Mrs. Wayne Baillie and Miss Susan Smith, all of Hyley.

The reports were very satisfactory, and it was moved and carried that the reports be accepted and filed.

Mr. Lloyd Cribb, representative of the local ATA, attended the meeting at this time and he requested that a record of the top three students in Grade XII be forwarded to the Local ATA.

He also referred to the matter of sabbatical or educational leave that had been discussed during the salary negotiations in the spring. The Chairman asked that the Committee had this day discussed this matter and that the Local ATA would receive some further information on this matter after next month's meeting.

The Superintendent's report referred to ASTA Seminar on "Employee-Employer Relations" to be held on December 6th to 7th and the Supt suggested that representatives should be appointed at this meeting.

Moved that Crs. Radnick and Krupelnicki and the Sec.-Treasurer or the Asst. Sec.-Treasurer, whoever can take time off, be appointed to attend this Seminar fee.

In the report it was mentioned that the Ryley school required a spirit duplicator as the old machine was in poor condition. It was recommended that an electric drive Heyer Duplicator be purchased for this school.

Moved that the requested spirit duplicator be purchased. Cd.

The report referred to additional school ground in Tofield. this land being located south and east of the present school ground. Mr. Bruce attended the Tofield Town Council Meeting on October 24th and in his opinion the land would be available if the school Committee desired to obtain it.

Moved that we apply for the land in question. Cd.

A revised form for the bursary agreement was referred to the Committee at this time. In this connection it was reported that the following number of students were in each of the following categories.

First year — 10; Second year — 10; Third year — 8; Fourth year — 1.

The suggested revisions to the bursary agreement were fully discussed and after one or two minor adjustments it was moved that the proposed form be accepted and that the new bursary program be put into effect this year. Cd.

The Committee was advised that Gary Eugene Bilyk of Holden had been awarded the Governor General's Medal for the best student in the County in Grade IX examinations and that, as had been the practice in previous years, a watch had been obtained to be presented on behalf of the Cunty.

Moved by Cr. Krupelnicki that the report be accepted and action recurred in. Cd.

On account of the "Employee-Employer Relations" Seminar being held December 6th to 7th, that interfering with the regular date for the School Committee meeting, December 6th it was moved that the next meeting of the School Committee be held on December 14th. Cd.

## Holden news items

(Mrs. G. M Taylor)

Mrs. Carrie Olson was in Edmonton last week visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Alice Jones, and her sister, Mrs. O.berg.

Mrs. Bateman and her young son were Friday visitors in Edmonton with her father, Rev. Greson Mrs. N. L. Campbell accompanied Mrs. Bateman and spent the day visiting with Mrs. Mazzie McAfee. Mr. Bateman returned with them in the evening.

**50TH BIRTHDAY**

Several ladies of Holden and relatives visited with Chris Christensen at his home Thursday afternoon, Nov. 24, taking lunch and holding a birthday party in his honor. Chris was celebrating his 50th birthday, and was presented with a basket and money from his friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fleety Barlow were Sunday afternoon visitors and almost spent with their sister, Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Chris Hovland, who was a patient in the Daysland Hospital for ten days, returned home a week ago Sunday evening, and is now feeling quite well.

Chris Christensen, who had been a patient in the Royal Alexandra Hospital for two weeks, following surgery, returned home a week ago Sunday evening, and is looking and feeling very well.

Pete Jackabow, who was a business visitor in Vancouver for two weeks, returned home last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Mabel Sizer was a visitor in Edmonton on Thursday last week, driving up with Mrs. Hooper and Melvin and visiting with Mr. Hooper.

Mrs. Dale Jeffrey was a visitor with her son, Mrs. Ness, for an afternoon last week, at Visits Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherrard and daughters were visitors Tuesday of last week with Mr. Ludvig Sandbeck at Visits Lodge, Viking.

Mrs. Chorney was a business visitor in Edmonton on Thursday of last week.

Harry Appleby was a visitor in Holden on Monday of last week, to attend the funeral of an old friend, Mrs. Julia Marzsecka.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wright have been away on holiday for the past two weeks, visiting at several points in the United States.

**NEW POLICEMAN HERE**

Mr. Bykewich, the new police constable for the village of Holden, Mrs. Bykewich and their son moved into the Mike Pastuak residence the end of last week, coming from Lloydminster, where they have been residing. Mr. Bykewich has been on duty in Holden for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hooper and family, who have been living in the former Hvidd residence for the past few months, have moved over to the Bill Kill house and will be making their home there.

Mrs. Henry Tiedemann and sons, David and Robert, and Mrs. G. H. Taylor were business visitors in Edmonton on Monday of last week.

The Bowling club is now organized and the rinks and games are in full swing, playing three evenings a week.

## Curlers . . .

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you think that you can out-draw everyone else, come and win your Christmas turkey at the curling rink on Saturday evening, December 10.

A pair of curling shoes will also be raffled during the evening, and the ladies will be serving lunch throughout the evening.

Proceeds from this endeavor will be used to purchase a heater for the curling rink, which will make curling much more comfortable this year.

## Hastings Lake news items

(Mrs. E. Gladue)

The ladies club met at the home of Mrs. O. Brett Nov 17 The following donation have been sent out. Retarded children, TB, CNIB Red Cross, Crippled children, cancer care, Col. Newburn unit, St. Joseph's Hospital, Salvation Army.

The Christmas concert is arranged for Dec 17 Everyone is busy getting ready for it.

The Social Credit whist drive was well attended, winners being ladies high, Mr N Scott and low Mrs. A. Gladue; gent high N Scott, 2nd low M. Dunham. The next whist drive, Dec. 16th. The group will meet at the home of Mrs. M. Gladue Dec. 16th

A work party was called on Nov 21st and a good start was made on the inside of the new part of the hall

Final plans have been made for the Christmas bingo at the hall, Friday, Dec. 2nd at which time the 30.50 raffle will take place.

## Charolais . . .

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Charolais crosses 10.6 per cent faster growth rate than Hereford crosses and 5.7 per cent faster than Holstein crosses. Live-weight gain from 90-360 days was 1.67-lb. per day against 1.38-lb Holstein and 1.51-lb. Hereford. Single suckled calves grew fastest at 1.89-lb. per day, multiple suckled, are in full swing, playing three evenings a week.


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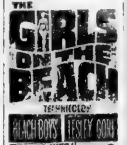


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## Mrs. C. Olsen hosts Friendship Group

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — The Friendship Group held their regular meeting on November 16th at the home of Mrs. Carrie Olsen, with 15 ladies present. Mrs. Joe Hooper was in charge of the devotions.

Plans were discussed for packing a parcel of quilts and children's clothing to be sent to the missionary in Hong Kong, and the ladies hope to get these items packed at their next meeting.

At the lunch hour, Mrs. Bateman was a visitor also bringing her father Rev. Gereson, who was visiting his family, to renew acquaintances made when he was minister of the United Church here a number of years ago.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Campbell.

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## Widynowski-Wagner vows pledged in summer rites

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Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length lace gown, styled with pearl-beaded neckline, lily-point sleeves, and a three-tiered panel skirt. Her shoulder-length veil was held in place by a crystal tiara, and she carried a white prayer book on which was a bouquet of red roses and stephanotis.

Attending the bride was her sister, Darlene, and cousins, Amanda Kuhl and Rose Marie Wagner. They wore similar pink silk gowns with empire waists and lace bodices, and carried bouquets of chrysanthemums.

Best men were the groom's brother Kenneth, Lee Watson and Ronald Louis, and guests were ushered by Arthur Wagner and Joey Yurkowski.

About 250 guests were present at the reception and dance at Stony Plain Community Centre. Lee Watson was master of ceremonies, and John Seich, uncle of the bride, proposed the toast to the bride, responded to by the groom.

For going away, the bride wore a brown suit with pink accessories.

The happy couple are residing in Calgary.

## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Leonard Johnson, Ludvig Hovland and Mr. and Mrs. Swanson, all of Camrose, were Friday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Chris Hovland and sons, Reuben and Ray.

Mrs. Bateman and her young son, Mrs. Olive Good, Mrs. J. A. Goebelhaus and Mrs. Campbell visited with Mrs. Lars Ritland on Monday afternoon of last week and enjoyed a pancake tea.

Leroy Eaton was in Holden on Saturday to load their household goods, and moved his family to Edmonton, where they will be making their future home.

Geo H. Taylor was a Saturday afternoon visitor with his son Robert and family, at Bruce.

Mrs. Ted Anderson (nee Muriel Barlow) and children, of Calgary, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow the weekend of November 19th, leaving on the 20th to visit her husband, Ted, who is a patient in the University Hospital, Edmonton, receiving treatments. She phoned her aunt, Mrs. Campbell, to give her the news that Ted is now beginning to make slow and satisfactory progress. The children were also going to see their father before they returned home later on Sunday.

**DRAINAGE BOARD MEETS**

The Board of the Holden Drainage District No. 1 held their regular monthly meeting Friday afternoon, November 25. Trustees Oscar Alseth, Hans Huseby and Nick Laskoski were all present. Regular business was attended to and bills received. Some discussion arose re. drainage problems on certain lands.

## Ross Creek news

(Mrs. Van Buskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McLachlan were shoppers in Edmonton on Saturday and were overnight guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art McLachlan.

Walter Ulan, Bill Eglinski, Norman Hauer and George McLachlan took part in the Farmer's Bonspiel at Vegreville on Friday. They brought home travelling alarm clocks, having placed 3rd in the 2nd event.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Malcolm spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Palmore.

August Snider was a Saturday supper guest at the home of his son Mr. and Mrs. Graham Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald McLachlan and family of Sherwood Park spent Sunday visiting relatives in the district.

Max Schacher and Larry attended a cattle sale at Tomahawk on Tuesday.

Former correspondent Mrs. Bessie Pedersen was a district visitor and spent Sunday with her son Mr. and Mrs. Ken Pedersen.

**NOTICE to RATEPAYERS**
**County of Beaver No. 9**

1. After December 1, 1966 current taxes on land eligible for Homeowners Tax Discounts will have to be paid in full.
2. Homeowners discount will be refunded to ratepayers after it is received from the Provincial Government.
3. Send your Application for Homeowners Tax Discount WITH your payment of 1966 taxes.
4. Read your application carefully and be sure it is signed on the back.
5. You must be living on the land claimed.

OLOF MONSSON, Secretary-Treasurer,
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County of Beaver No. 9
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### FUTURE DATES

**CHRISTMAS TEA AND BAZAAR**

The Annual Christmas Tea and Bazaar, sponsored by the Evening Group of the U.C.W., will be held on Saturday, Dec. 3, in the United Church basement. Home baking and Christmas candy will be specialized, as well as Christmas novelties and aprons. 12-13-14c-2833

**GOLDEN WEDDING**

Open House will be held at the Tofield Legion Hall, Tofield, on Friday, Dec. 16, from 2.00 - 5.00 p.m. and from 7:30 - 9.00 p.m., in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Burkholder's Golden Wedding. 14-15p-3445

### CARDS OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks are extended to our wonderful friends and relatives for the many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, memorials and floral tributes received during our recent bereavement. Special thanks to Pastors Rude and Ostrem, Dr. Price, Nurses and Staff of the Tofield Hospital, Doctors, Nurses and Staff of the Viking Hospital, Matron and Staff of the Viking Nursing Home, the Pallbearers, and Ryley Lodge, No. 73, I.O.O.F.

—Mrs. H. J. Hillerud and Family. 14c-3441

### ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Carpenter, of Calgary, announce the engagement of their daughter Patricia Anne Thornton, to Mr. David L. Seveson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Seveson of Tofield. Miss Thornton is in her third year in the Faculty of Education, and Mr. Seveson in his third year in Biochemistry at the University of Alberta, Edmonton. 14c-2844

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## Church Notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Dec. 4th
10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship. Topic: "What's in a Name?"
December 11th — White Gift Sunday.
"To all who receive Him gives the power to become the children of God in the twentieth century".

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Sunday, Dec. 4th
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all.
11:00 a.m.—Worship and Communion Service.
8:00 p.m.—Christian Youth Fellowship. Theme: "The Best Investment"
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**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**
TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Leslie Smith
Sunday, Dec. 4th
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
Tuesday, 8:00 p.m.—Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.
All Welcome.

**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
(4 miles south of Tofield at Anderson School)
Rev. Art Dahlen, Pastor
[redacted]
Sunday, Dec. 4th
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, [redacted]
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Dec. 4th
HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service

**SALEM MENNONITE CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
December 4th to 11th—Revival Meetings, with Ernest S. Garber of Brownsville, Oregon, as guest speaker—7.30 each evening and 11:00 o'clock Sunday morning.

### LEGAL NOTICES

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Area Engineer. 14c

## Ross Creek News

Mrs. L. VanBuskirk

Mrs. Judy Franklin and Shaun of Sherwood Park spent a few days last week at the home of Judy's parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Antoniuk accompanied Maurice Van Buskirk.

Max and Rolley Schacher on a trip to St. Paul to attend a cattle sale on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Snider and boys attended a 40th wedding anniversary celebration in honor of Elma's uncle and aunt at Bruderheim, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hennig.

**VOLLEYBALL GAMES**

The Chipman boys' and girls volleyball teams went to Andrew for a tournament on Friday evening. Each team won two games and lost one.

The Lamont girls volleyball team accompanied the boys volleyball team to Cold Lake for the Northeastern Tournament on Saturday. Unfortunately the boys lost but the girls won their games and will be going to Calgary for the Provincial Tournament next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mohr of Josephburg accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey and family to Golden Spike on Sunday to visit Neil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bailey.

**NOTICE**
**TOWN OF TOFIELD**
**BY-LAW No. 508 (in part)**

A BY-LAW PROVIDING FOR THE USE OF SIDEWALKS WITHIN THE TOWN OF TOFIELD AND FOR THE REMOVAL OF ICE, SNOW AND DIRT THEREON.

3. That the occupants of properties fronting on or abutting onto any sidewalk within the Town of Tofield shall at their own expense remove any accumulation of snow, ice or dirt, and that if any such occupant makes default in removing any snow, ice or dirt removable by him, any expenses incurred by the Town in so doing shall be recoverable by distress against the goods and chattels of such occupant in the same manner and as if such expenses were taxes levied pursuant to the ACT and so recoverable.

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WEANER PIGS from $8.00 to $14.00 each. Feeder Hogs up to $35.00 each. Piggy Sows up to $90.00 each. Bred Gilts $70.00 each. Boars brought from $35.00 to $70.00 each.
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# Around the town

Miss Olga Johnson of Kansas City Kansas, arrived at the D W Jacobs home on Thursday. Miss Johnson is a niece of Mrs Jacobs and will remain a week on her visit.

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Members of the United Church Choir were coffee guests Thursday night, after practice, at the new home of Mr and Mrs Claude Gallinger.

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Tofield Students' Union held a hay-ride last Friday at 5 00 p m, followed by girls and boys Alumni basketball games in the gymnasium commencing at 7 30, also followed later by a sock hop. Tofield girls won their game, but the boys were defeated in their try. A number of the Alumni were from out of Tofield and visited with their families over the weekend.

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RCMP Cpl Roy Murray attended the funeral on Saturday of the late Constable Pearson at Neerlandia Alberta.

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Mr and Mrs E L Brooks of Edmonton were visitors at the Simson home on Sunday.

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A fairly large crowd turned out to see Edgar T Jones' Kenya-Uganda film in the Community Centre on Tuesday night.

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# New highs in all departments reports Bank of Montreal

Record deposits of almost $5 billion and loans of more than $3 billion are reported by the Bank of Montreal in its 149th annual statement, released here by Horace Seller, manager of the bank's Tofield branch.

Commenting on the bank's annual figures for the year ended October 31, Mr Seller said new highs had been established right across the board—in assets, loans, deposits and earnings.

Deposits of $4,905 million included personal savings of $2,207 million. Total loans climbed to $3 290 million, with an increase of $172 million in the key category "commercial and other loans".

Assets reached $5 423 million, an increase of almost $380 million from 1965.

EARNINGS PEAK

Record high earnings are recorded for operations of the bank's more than 1,000 offices at home and abroad, Mr Seller continued. The net earnings figure of $19,-905,200 is an increase of $1,173,-246 from 1965. Total provision for income taxes is $20,988,731.

## THE WEATHER ...

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| 24 | 45 | 8 | 27 91 | .05" snow |
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| 27 | 26 | 13 | —— | —— |
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**Turkey Bingo**

**WEDNESDAY, DEC. 7th**

COMMENCING AT 8:15 P.M.

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# Bardo news items

(Mrs. C. M Rude)

BARDO, Nov 30 — Mr. and Mrs Sigurd Haugland from La Glace and Mr and Mrs. Balderston and children from Sexsmith who had been to Saskatchewan to visit Haugland's daughter and family, spent the weekend of Nov 19 and 20 at the Philip Anderson home.

Mr and Mrs Brian Berreclоth and little son Tod from South Edmonton spent the weekend with Brian's parents, the Robert Berrecloths. The two families visited at the Glenn Jones home on Sunday.

Mervin and Diane Krogen from Edmonton visited with Grandma Foshaug on Friday evening. The Leif Foshaug family visited her on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs Peter Bjornson of Edmonton spent the weekend with their son-in-law and daughter Glenn and Iris Francis.

The Ivan Foshaug family were guests at the Ed Wenner home in Edmonton on Sunday when Ed was celebrating his birthday.

Mrs Inga Ness who was a patient in St. Mary's Hospital in Camrose for two weeks following surgery, was moved back to Bethany Home and Hospital on Thursday where she is steadily gaining strength.

**Johnny Jevning of Edmonton passed away on Saturday. Mr. Jevning is a cousin of Mrs. Axel Kindley and grew up in the Bardo district, later moving to Ryley and then [redacted]**

Walter Johnson, who spent some time with his brother Jim and family near Vernon, B.C., spent a few days with his parents here. On Monday he left for Calgary where he will seek employment.

Raymond and Betty Brooks and boys spent the weekend at the Clarence Rude home; and Merlin and Joanne Rude were Sunday dinner guests.

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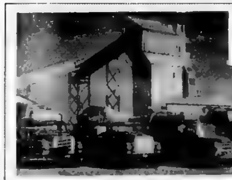

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| **Ketchup** | Heinz, 11 oz. | 3/85c |
| **Cake Mix** | Duncan Hines, Ass't. 19 oz. | 2/79c |
| **Shortening** | Crisco | 3 lbs. 79c |
| **Grapefruit** | Scona, Red | 10/99c |



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# Town battles country in Saturday bonspiel

The Tofield Curling Rink promises to be a beehive of activity on Saturday evening, Dec. 10th. Preparations have been completed for the challenge game between the town and country curlers and 50 turkeys will be available for the turkey shoot to allow everyone a chance at a turkey.

In conversation with Gabe Pittel, president of the Tofield Curling Club, he intimated that his town rinks possess just too much skill and finesse for their country cousins to cope with, so he is going around freely predicting an easy victory for his side. Earl Rose, president of the Farmer's Club, when informed of Pittel's statement 'snorted' skill and finesse — they'll need more than that; with our power we'll sweep them right out of the rink."

With feelings running so high between the two presidents everyone is urged to come out and cheer their respective sides to victory. A suitable trophy will be awarded the victors.

A great deal of interest is being shown in the Turkey Shoot. Everyone can participate in this whether or not they belong to a club. Ten persons will shoot for each turkey, with each person getting two shots. If a shot covers the button eight points will be awarded, a bite of the button earns seven points, bull on the blue will be worth six, while a bite of the blue is five, full on the red is two points and a biter gets one. No sweeping will be allowed, so get your weight down pat! Competitions will be open with special events for ladies, children and other special novelty events.

During the evening a pair of curling boots will be raffled; watch for George Lee, Russell Ferguson and Percy Fairholm, as they will be pushing ticket sales. The curling boots on display will be size 9 . . . If this is not your size, Robinson Stores will fit you with your size.

Proceeds from the evening's activities will go towards a heater for the rink.

## Amateur hockey league schedule

10-12 and under, Jan. 1, 1967

TINY MITES & PEE WEES

| | |
|---|---|
| Dec. 16 | Irma at Viking |
| Dec. 17 | Ryley at Holden |
| Dec. 17 | Tofield at Irma |
| Jan. 6 | Viking at Ryley |
| Jan. 6 | Holden at Tofield |
| Jan. 13 | Tofield at Viking |
| Jan. 14 | Ryley at Irma |
| Jan. 21 | Holden at Ryley |
| Jan. 21 | Irma at Tofield |
| Jan. 28 | Tofield at Holden |
| Jan. 28 | Viking at Irma |
| Feb. 3 | Holden at Viking |
| Feb. 4 | Ryley at Tofield |
| Feb. 11 | Viking at Holden |
| Feb. 11 | Irma at Ryley |
| Feb. 17 | Ryley at Viking |

BANTAMS

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|---|---|
| Dec. 13 | Ryley at Holden |
| Dec. 20 | Irma at Ryley |
| Dec. 27 | Holden at Irma |
| Dec. 28 | Irma at Holden |
| Jan. 3 | Holden at Ryley |
| Jan. 10 | Ryley at Irma |

# Tofield Community League plans coming activities

Lionel Burton, president of the Tofield Community League, has announced several activities which the League is sponsoring in the near future.

On December 15, the League's Annual Christmas Carol Festival will be held in the Community Centre. This event is under the direction of George McFadzean. Thomas Jacobs and John Baergen are in charge of ushering.

On December 19, a Turkey Bingo will be held. There will be 21 games at 10c a game or the entire evening for $2.00.

On December 31, the Annual New Year's Eve Dance will take place in the Community Centre. Admission is $1 00.

On January 10, 1967, the League's Annual Potluck Supper and Election of Officers will begin the Centennial year. Supper is planned to begin at 6 30. Please bring you own dishes and cutlery in addition to your contribution to the supper.

On January 5, 6 and 7, Tofield is to have a chance to see the award-winning "Mary Poppins" in the Community Centre.

## Ryley 4-H Club meets Nov. 28

(Mrs. A. Bray)

The Ryley 4-H Beef Club held their third meeting on November 28, at 8:00 p.m at the Ryley School. Kevin Bugge opened the meeting with the pledge, and each of the 31 members present answered the roll call by giving the weight of his or her calf. These calves, numbering 28, were weighed November 5, at Lyon's Ranch.

It was decided that a turkey bingo be held on December 19, at the Legion Hall. For recreation the club decided to attend a hockey game in Edmonton in the near future.

The next meeting will be held at 8.00 p.m. at the Ryley school on December 13.

NEW PROJECT

The 4-H clubs of Ryley are planning a very interesting project. They intend to write a book on the start and subsequent history of the buses operating in the Ryley area.

The club would appreciate any information or high-lights on this subject. Please contact Mrs. G. Annebo, Mrs. W. Magneson, Mrs. J. Pepper, Mr. Peter Muskedal, or Mr. Bob Westmancoat.

## Clothing and quilts sent to Hong Kong

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — The Friendship Group met Wednesday, Nov. 30, at the home of Mrs N. L. Campbell, with 16 ladies present. This meeting was held instead of one in December, and the ladies were busy packing a parcel containing four quilts and numerous other articles of children's clothing such as warm woollen sweaters, mitts, etc. This is being sent to the Missionary in Hong Kong.

They had also received a thank-you card from the Leprosy Mission headquarters in Toronto, thanking them for the parcel of used postage stamps. These are sold to a buyer of used stamps and the proceeds are sent to assist Leprosy patients. The ladies would appreciate receiving used stamps, which should have a quarter-inch margin of envelope left around the stamp.

# Sports' interest is keen among school enthusiasts

Basketball is again in full flight. From early appearances, the Tofield school and community can be justly proud of the calibre of play this year. In recent league games the Tofield boys were defeated 42-30, while the girls won their encounter 33-16.

The next games will be at Ryley when the teams take on the high-flying Ryley hoopsters. Ryley defeated Viking in their last time out.

Your support at any or all of these games is always very much appreciated.

Curling is now well underway, with eight school teams organized. Curling will be every Tuesday after school, with Mr Cribb again in charge.

## Students to work at Blood Donor Clinic

As usual, arrangements have been made to have the High School organize and provide workers for the Red Cross Blood Donors' Clinic to be held on January 17, 1967.

The local school appreciates this opportunity to take part in another worthwhile community project. Tofield was the first school in the province to look after a clinic, although a number have followed the example.

Remember, it is hoped to see all eligible donors at the Community Centre for this very worthy appointment.

## Christmas program to be December 21

A special welcome is extended to the community by the Tofield School to come to the Annual Christmas Concert, to be held in the school gymnasium on Wednesday, Dec. 21, at 7.30 p m.

Grades II, V and VIII are presenting the program this year.

## Carnival night is big success

(Mrs. A. Bray)

At the Ryley Carnival, November 25, there was suspense and excitement as the judges gave their decisions on the moustache competition.

Judges, Mrs. Marvin Bruce, Mrs Robert Lund and Mrs. H. Willans very ably announced the winner and presented first to Larry Zuk; second to George Bekker and third to Lawrence Anderson.

Daryl Albrecht master of ceremonies presented the three lady judges with gifts and thanked them for their help. During the intermission with Mrs. Lloyd Wickstrom at the piano, two selections were rendered by a quartette, Mr. Regher, Mr Dunham, Mr. Wickstrom and Mr. Dunham.

With bingo, games of chance and the auction of the slaves at midnight, everyone reports an enjoyable evening. It is reported that one slave was bought by a group of ladies, and is now doing household chores.

The Curling Club was very satisfied with the results of the Carnival and would like to thank all those who helped in so many ways.

# Locals around town

Mr. and Mrs Neal Patterson left on Thursday by car for Montreal where they will be making their home. Neal has been employed previously with Montreal Engineering in the capacity of an Electrical Engineer, and working on his M Sc Thesis in Edmonton, where Mrs. Patterson was also working in her profession of R N. They came from Montreal to Edmonton in 1965. Neal is continuing with Montreal Engineering.

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Mrs W H Freebury and Mrs Edna Bowick attended a school for librarians in Calgary on Friday, in company with other Librarians from Librarian School District No. 9 in Alberta.

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Geo Funk and Henry Thiessen returned recently from a successful hunt in the Pinto Creek area about 60 miles S.W. of Grande Prairie. They bagged a moose each.

Mr and Mrs. Claude Gallinger attended a wedding in Calgary last Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs Floyd Kendall and Kennie of Edmonton visited with Mrs. Edna Kendall last Sunday.

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Teachers at Tofield School held their annual banquet, this year catered to by the Evening group of the UCW, in the basement of United Church. After the program was held prior to two Santas coming in to distribute small gifts to those present.

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**In the election held Saturday last in the County of Beaver for Division No. 3 in the Bruce area, it has been learned that W.C. (Bill) Dorin held quite a substantial lead over Barney Maves.**

Rufus Wilson left on Wednesday to spend Christmas with one of his daughters.

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AT FAREWELL PARTY

Mrs. Clifford Appleby, Kenneth, Leslie, Nettie and Susan visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Ferguson of Vegreville on Sunday, Dec. 4 for a pre-Christmas dinner and farewell in honor of their sons Brian and Lawrence and Gregg Zeigler, son of Mr. and Mrs Arthur Zeigler of Vegreville. The boys are sailing from Vancouver on December 11 to Australia, New Zealand, and then to Europe on an extended holiday, expecting to be gone about a year. They are nephews of Mrs. Appleby.

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Kenneth Appleby of the U of A. and Leslie Appleby of Calgary SAIT spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Appleby.

## No shortage of mandarins

The West Coast dock strike has delayed the arrival of Japanese mandarin oranges in Tofield.

Ships carrying the fruit have been re-routed to a number of United States ports, at Seattle, Portland and Astoria.

Unloading has been slowed in some of the smaller ports, which are not equipped for the job. John Baergen, manager of the Tofield Co-op, said supplies should start arriving today (Thursday), and no shortage of mandarin oranges is expected this year.

# Mercury Classifieds

Fifty cents for the first issue, seventy-five cents for two issues or three for a dollar. Two cents a word for anything over twenty-five words. Cards of Thanks have a minimum of one dollar for fifty words — two cents a word will be charged over the minimum.

## FUTURE DATES

GOLDEN WEDDING

Open House will be held at the Tofield Legion Hall, Tofield, on Friday, Dec 16, from 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. and from 7:30 - 9:00 p.m., in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Burkholder's Golden Wedding.

F.U.A. ANNUAL MEETING

Don't forget the Tofield Farmers Union Annual Meeting at 8:00 p.m. December 13, in the Legion Hall. The M.S.I. financial statement will be presented. Your Secretary has YOUR 1967 FUA Membership cards. Contact your secretary at once for there will be no canvass this year. Those who want a Blue Cross Plan, be sure and attend, and get this going.

—Geo. G. Abernethy, Sec'y.

## DEATHS

BELL.—On December 4, James Wesley Bell, 73, late of Tofield, passed away in hospital. Surviving are his brother, William Bell, of Whonnock, B.C., and two sisters, Mrs. J. (Ethel) Fairman and Mrs. F. (Lily) Applin of Edmonton. Funeral services were held at Hainstock's Chapel in Edmonton on Wednesday at 1:30 p.m., Dr. A. B. Cragg officiating, with interment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Hainstock & Son, Limited, 10541 - 81 Ave., Edmonton. 15c-2847

## CARDS OF THANKS

Our sincere [illegible] to our friends and neighbors for their timely help in fighting the hog barn fire at our farm recently. Also a special thanks to Donnelly McGinnis and the Tofield Rural Fire Truck and crew for answering the call for help. The greater part of the building and all animals were saved.

—Mr. and Mrs. Peter H. Warkentin. 15p-3454

## IN MEMORIAM

HENDERSON —In loving memory of Jason Henderson, who passed away December 11, 1964, and Allan Henderson, who passed away December 22, 1964.

When wintry winds are blowing,
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In the land to which we're going,
God shall wipe away all tears,
He will help us through our sorrow.
Be our comfort and our stay,
Till that sweet, eternal morrow,
When He'll wipe our tears away

—Thanking God for this blessed hope. Esther Henderson and Family 15p-3452

MALKEWICH, Kathleen Edith - Another year, another day, November 29 1960

Treasured memories of Kathleen, who left us suddenly Nov 29, 1960

Six years have passed
Since you were called away,
How well do we remember that and weary day
We often visit your grave,
And cover it with tears,
How hard it is to leave,
And come home without you, dear.
Happy face, loving smile,
Silent is the voice we loved to hear
Today, a cluster of fondest memories
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## Palmer-Earling

(Mrs. Joe Knudson)

PALMER-EARLING, Dec. 2.—Alton Mosand of Bawlf, and Joe Knudson of Studesnes were canvassing Wednesday night for the Canadian Bible Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Anderson spent a few days at Cold Lake with their son Harold Anderson and family.

Reuben Hovland loaded a carload of malting barley last week, the first to be shipped from the Holden district since 1941. The type grown was "Betsy".

Henry Cuthbert, director of Canadian Red Cross Society, Edmonton, was a local caller on Wednesday.

## Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schacher of Sylvan Lake accompanied their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hauer on a motor trip to Medicine Hat over the weekend, and all attended the wedding of Carol Elserman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Elserman of Maple Creek, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Van Buskirk were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carlisle of Ketchamoot.

The final volleyball tournament of the season was held in [illegible]mont High School [illegible] Sat. The trophies went to the Chipman boys and the Lamont girls.

NEW CHURCH

Services were held in the new Ross Creek United Church for the first time on Sunday. There is still some work to be done on the building but members hope to have it completed during the winter months. Services will be held the 1st and 3rd Sunday every month, with Rev. Barske of Lamont in charge.

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# The Ryley Times



## District news items from Ryley

(Mrs. A. Bray)

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hogland, Shannon and Shelly have moved to the new Treasury Branch house in the northeast part of town.

The Lutheran Manse has been sold to Mr. and Mrs. B. Barnick, who have taken up residence there and have the Rev. Stanley Rude staying with them.

Mrs. K. Umphrey from Edmonton was a weekend guest with Mrs H. Ruddy.

**TREASURY BRANCH PARTY**

Mr and Mrs. N. Hogland, Mr. and Mrs. A. Harbak, Mr. and Mrs. E. Klowitter and Mr. and Mrs. Karenko attended the Treasury Branches' Christmas party at the Bonaventure Hotel in Edmonton. Prior to the party they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fisk. Mr. Fisk was the former manager of the Treasury Branch in Ryley before leaving in June to reside in Edmonton.

Miss Leona Wiens, nurses' aide, is employed at the new Foothills Hospital at Calgary.

Mr and Mrs Gordon Fisk and Suzy from Edmonton were Ryley visitors on Sunday, attending church services and visiting with friends.

Fred Nordwaski is a patient in the Tofield Hospital.

Miss Beverley MacRae and Miss Susan Smith, Ryley teachers, were Edmonton shoppers on Saturday.

The Village of Ryley has purchased a snow-blower, and John Jeffrey is using it to keep the sidewalks clear of snow.

Mrs. Mabel Johnson is home after being in hospital in Edmonton for many weeks, and is much improved in health.

Mr and Mrs A. Norton have moved into the Budinsky house recently vacated by the N.Ioglands.

**RETURN FROM GERMANY**

Mrs. Chaplin has her daughter (Kathy) Mrs. Gerry Ness and granddaughter Margaret Ness visiting her. Mr. and Mrs. Ness have just recently returned from Germany. Mr. Ness is with the airforce in Gimli, Man., and Mrs Ness and daughter will be leaving for Gimli soon. Mrs. Moreside (Peggy) from California and Mrs. Schouen (Connie) from Vancouver, both daughters of Mrs. Chaplin have also been here to visit their mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Herby Anderson and family from Fort Saskatchewan were weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Orbek.

**FREE SKATING**

Ryley may well be proud of the new skating rink built this year by the Lion's Club. Free skating is being enjoyed. John Jeffrey looks after the ice. The club would welcome volunteer help for supervision in the evenings. Please contact M. Bruce, R. Lund or R. Cross.

Travelling to Vermilion to curl in the Lion's Zone playdowns recently, were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kondrowski and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kast.

The Turkey Supper sponsored by the Catholic Ladies was held in the Legion Hall. Carl Nord won the lovely rug made by Mrs. Podruzny.

**FREEZER BINGO**

At the Freezer Bingo held at the Legion Hall on November 30, there were many prizes of frozen food. However, the big prize of the evening, a side of baby beef, was won on the blackout by Miss Lucy Diserlas. The Oddfellows sponsored this bingo.

Garry Wiens a student at the Vermilion School of Agriculture spent the weekend at his parents home, Mr and Mrs. Abe Wiens.

## Local teachers at conference

(Mrs. A. Bray)

Attending the Inaugural Conference of the Early Childhood Education Council of the Alberta Teachers Association in Red Deer recently, were several teachers from the County of Beaver Schools.

Mrs. W B. Ruddy, Supervisor of Instruction for the County, and teacher from Holden School, Mrs. Pauline Holowachuk, Gr. 2, and Miss Ethel Brown, Gr. 3, king School, Mrs. Margaret accompanied teachers of the Viking School, Mrs. Margaret Phillips, assistant principal, Mrs. Irene Hafso, Gr. 1, and Mrs. Kaye Dorward Gr. 2.

Leaving from Tofield were Mrs. Daisy Young, Gr. 1, Mrs. Eleanor Campbell, Gr. 2, Mrs. Jean Sears, Gr. 3, Mrs. Marjorie Everitt, Gr. 3 of the Tofield School.

Mrs. Edna Hammer, Gr. 2 of Ryley School also attended.

All reported a very inspiring session where the latest research into methods of teaching young children was presented by specialists in this field.


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## Retired Holden farmer, Olaf Chetney passes

Olaf Chetney of Holden passed away on November 13 at the age of 76 years and 8 months. Born at Tiller, Norway, on February 27, 1890 he received his education in Norway and operated a bakery in Heimdahl for several years. In 1916 he came to the United States where he was employed by a bakery in North Dakota. During a visit to Alberta and Saskatchewan the following year, he was impressed with the fine farm land. Within a short time he became a well-known farmer in the Holden district where he lived until two years ago when he retired to reside in the village of Holden.

As a responsible member of this community, Olaf was a councillor for the Municipal District of Beaver for ten years or more; was an active curler; a charter member of the Elks Lodge; a willing worker at the Lutheran Church, and a participant in many community projects.

Mr Chetney is survived by his loving wife Borghild, and by many nieces and nephews.

The funeral service was held in the Lutheran Church at Holden on November 16 at 2 p.m., with Rev. S. Rude officiating. Hymns sung during the service were "Jesus Lover of My Soul", "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me". Rev. Rude spoke from Psalm 9, verses 1-5; from John 1-12, and Psalm 23. The theme being "the Lord is my Shepherd". Messers Friggstad and Thoring of Frontier, Sask., sang the solo "Beyond the Sunset".

Burial was in the Holden cemetery. Honorary pallbearers were Arne Nelson, Alex Harris, Lars Ritland, George Armstrong and Art Seigel. Pallbearers were Hilmer Olsen, Lyle Grosland, Ernie Good, Melvin Carlson, Pat Fleming and Arthur Olson.

Hoveland Funeral Home, Camrose, was in charge of arrangements.

**Floral Tributes**

Loving Wife; Ethel, Hans and Clare; Leslie, Carol and Ralph; Mother, Ernest Logan and Family, Ralph, Helen, Bob and Bryon, Holden Lutheran Church Women, Evelyn Gering, Norman, Ruth Gerdes and Family, John, Margrethe and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Slonopas; Eva Houlton and Alice Houle; Mr and Mrs John Olafson, Annie and Paul, Karen, Knut, Mildred and Family.

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To Holden Cemetery Fund—Mrs. Bertha Nohr.

To Holden Lutheran Church Candle Fund—Mr. and Mrs. Bob McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Herb Erickson; Mrs. R. Hagerud; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sorgen; Mr. and Mrs. Lyle rosland, Mrs. Lillie Grosland; Mr. and Mrs. Donald McGregor; Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Smorlie.

To Trondhjem Church—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burnstad; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Burnstad.

To St. Gregory Church Building Fund—Mrs. Pokraka and Lucille.

**Card of Thanks**

The kindness and sympathy of all friends, neighbours and relatives in the recent loss of my dear husband was greatly appreciated. I wish to express my heartfelt thanks for the many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, floral tributes and memorials, and especially to those who cleared the church roadway.

—Mrs. Olaf Chetney.
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| Jan. 24 | Holden at Ryley |
| Jan. 31 | Ryley at Irma |
| Feb. 7 | Irma at Holden |
| Feb. 14 | Holden at Ryley |
| Feb. 21 | Ryley at Irma |

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# Ryley oldtimer dies in Viking November 12

Hans B Hillerud passed away in the Viking Hospital on November 12, at the age of 82.

Born in Bardo, Norway, he immigrated with his family to Crookston, Minn., as a youth, and arrived in the Ryley district in 1904, where he homesteaded. In 1912 he married Martha Solberg, his loving helpmate for nearly 55 years.

For a time he managed a livery business in Ryley before moving to the farm, where he resided until his retirement.

In his early years he played hockey and football, but later curling became his favorite sport. Fond of music, he sang in the Bardo Male Chorus and was an amateur violinist. He served on the local school board and municipal council, was a Wheat Pool member, and a charter member of Ryley Lodge, No. 75, I.O.O.F.

Mr. Hillerud is survived by his loving wife, Martha; one son, Glenn, of Ryley; four daughters, Hazel (Mrs. C. Patterson) of Tofield, Evelyn (Mrs. H. K. Moen) of Vancouver, B.C., Merle (Mrs. S. H. Hately) of Madeira Park, B.C., and Beulah (Mrs. J. C. Giebelhaus) of Vegreville; 21 grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren; also nieces and nephews in Washington, U.S.A. An infant son predeceased him in 1930.

Funeral services were held at the Ryley Lutheran Church on November 16, with Pastor Stanley Rude officiating, assisted by Pastor G. Ostrem of Camrose, with interment in the Ryley Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Albin Anderson, Arnold Bugge, Lawrence Rude, William Maaren, Erling Sand and Raymond Patterson.

Andrews - McLaughlin Funeral Directors had charge of arrangements.

# Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
**W. H. McDonald, B.A., B.D., Minister**
**Sunday, Dec. 11th**

10:00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "The Fulfilled Prophecy".

Friday, Dec. 16th, 7:45 p.m.—Sunday School Program.

Christmas music by Senior Choir next Sunday.
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**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
**Sunday, Dec. 11th**

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m.—Family Program. "Preparing for the arrival of Jesus our Savior".
Everyone welcome.

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**
**Anglican**
**Sunday Services**

8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion except 1st Sunday of Month
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion 1st Sunday of Month.
11:00 a.m.—Matins all other Sundays.
10:30 a.m.—Holy Communion with address, Saints Days and other Holy Days.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**

TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
RYLEY—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 9:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 10:30 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12:00 noon.

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Pastor Leslie Smith**
**Sunday, Dec. 11th**

10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone.
Tuesday, 8:00 p.m.—Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.
All Welcome.

**BARDO LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**(6 miles south of Tofield at Anderson School)**
**Rev. Art Dahlen, Pastor**
**Phone [illegible]**
**Sunday, Dec. 11th**

10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**Ryley, Alberta**
**Pastor Stanley Rude**
**Sunday, Dec. 11th**

HOLDEN—
10:00 a.m.—Divine Service.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
RYLEY—
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service

**SALEM MENNONITE CHURCH OF TOFIELD**

December 4th to 11th—Revival Meetings, with Ernest S. Garber of Brownsville, Oregon, as guest speaker—7:30 each evening and 11:00 o'clock Sunday morning.
No meeting Saturday evenings.

# Bardo news

(Mrs. C.M. Rude)

BARDO, Dec 7 — The congregational annual meeting will be held at the Community Centre on Friday evening, Dec. 9 at 8:00 p.m.

The WCTU meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Norma Anderson on Wednesday, Dec. 14 at 2:30 p.m. An offering for Missions will be taken.

Lester and Gladys Severson, Dee, Patricia and Gregory Lewin and Lars and Gladys Rude motored to Edmonton on Sunday where they were dinner guests at the Ed Brandt home. The Seversons also visited Gladys's sister, Muriel Irving in the University Hospital where she is recovering nicely after being seriously ill.

Several families from this district attended the fine program given by the parish Luther league at Round Hill on Sunday evening.

# CGIT plans vesper service

The C.G.I.T. group of the Tofield United Church is having its vesper service on Sunday, Dec. 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the United Church.

The service is based on a Centennial theme, and everyone is invited to attend.

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# From the mail bag

## Who was responsible?

Tofield, Alta.,
December 5, 1966.

Sir:

Upon reading the minutes of the School Committee meeting for the County of Beaver in The Mercury of December 1, a few paragraphs particularly caught my attention. It seems from this report that the Committee members were making much of the fact that an inspector from the Attorney-General's dept. stopped one bus from operating, while overlooking more serious defects in two other buses.

To my mind, the important point of this incident, is not that the inspector may have goofed. What seems to me of far more importance is the fact that two buses were admittedly being operated, one with faulty brakes and the other with badly worn tires.

As a ratepayer of many years in this locality, I would like to ask the top brass of the school division, as to exactly who was responsible for these buses being allowed to operate in this condition, and what steps, if any, are being taken to ensure that other buses are not being operated in similar or perhaps worse conditions.

I think these are questions to which the ratepayers, and especially the parents of children riding the buses, are entitled to a straighforward answer.

From this, and other incidents that I have heard of, it certainly seems there is considerable laxity somewhere along the line.

I think most people will agree that this laxity should be pinpointed and eliminated, before we have a catastrophe here, such as happened at Lamont a few years ago, and a near miss at Ellerslie just a while back.

Yours truly,
Clifford C. Plants

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## Greetings

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Let us keep in mind at this happy time, Peace is not a Christmas gift wrapped beautifully.

All the world's best for 1967.

Yours sincerely,
B. Pederson.

# Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

**'PHONE CALL FROM ENGLAND**

Geo. H. Taylor had a pleasant surprise last Sunday morning, on receiving a long distance telephone call from his son Brian and family in Godstone, England, to wish him birthday greetings; also having the pleasure of hearing his two small grandsons, Ernest and Ronald, wish him "happy birthday". Brian and his family will be returning to Canada in the early part of 1967, where he will be employed by the Federal Government in Ottawa.

**HOME FROM CALIFORNIA**

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wright, who have been holidaying for the past three weeks at Los Angeles, California, and visiting other points, returned home last Saturday. Mrs Wright is back at her duties in the Royal Bank and Chester is back on the job with Calgary Power.

Mrs. Campbell received the good news last week from her niece Muriel, Mrs. Ted Anderson of Calgary, that Muriel's husband who is a patient in the University Hospital, is getting much stronger, and hopes to return home soon.

**Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Budd left Thursday, Dec. 1, on a week's holiday trip to Nassau in the Bahamas, going by air. The trip was awarded to Bruce by the John Deere Farm Machinery Co.**

Mr and Mrs. John Lemko and children were Sunday visitors with his brother Mike and family, helping him to celebrate his birthday.

**GOOD HUNTING**

Gerald Rinkenveld and Arthur Olson, who were away for a few days on a hunting trip, have returned home, bringing back a moose and an elk.

Geo. H. Taylor was a caller in the County Office at Ryley on Monday afternoon, on E M O business. Also attending was Councillor William Dorin and one of the staff from the Northern Zone.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chupka were Sunday and Monday visitors in Edmonton, shopping and on business.

Lloyd Pooke of Vegreville was a Friday visitor in Holden, calling on relatives.

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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr and Mrs Paul Stri 'nuk were shopping and business is itors in Edmonton a week ago Monday and visited in the evening with P ul's mother who has not been well

Mrs Lew Ruskenveld of Ottawa who was visiting for two weeks with her mother, Mrs W J Burka and other relatives and with her father, who is a patient in an Edmonton hospital, returned home a week ago Thursday

Mrs Corlias Sr has moved from Edmonton and is making her home in Holden to be near her family She is residing in the Stefaniczyn house

Mrs Earl Hardy was a Friday business and shopping visitor in Edmonton

Mr and Mrs Percy Barlow were Thursday dinner guests and afternoon visitors w Mrs N L Campbell

Bruce Appleby was a visitor over the weekend with his family, the Bert Applebys

Mrs Campbell Mrs J A Giebelhaus and Mrs Corliss Sr were afternoon visitors and lunch guests last Monday with Mrs Lars Ritland Mrs Corlias is Mrs. Ritland's new neighbour

Paul Malowany of Edmonton was a Saturday visitor with his mother Mrs Kate Malowany

Mr and Mrs Robert Taylor and children were Thursday morning visitors and dinner guests with Robert's parents, Mr and Mrs G H Taylor

Mr and Mrs Keith Bratrud have been receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter November 22nd, at St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose Mr. and Mrs Bratrud reside on the farm which they purchased from Tom Nalesnik (the former Strickland farm)

Mr and Mrs Zane Bilyk were Wednesday visitors in Edmonton last week and called on Bill Burka, a patient in the General Hospital Mr Burka was feeling some better and is up and walking around

Mrs Marie Olson is helping clerk at the M & M Store since Mrs Florence Giebelhaus left

Frank Tchir, of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his family, Mr and Mrs. Fred Tchir

Mr and Mrs Alfred Sorensen were Friday evening visitors in Edmonton, driving there to pick up their son David who is attending the Red Deer Composite High School, and who came to spend the weekend with his parents

The Pioneer Group will be meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary James.

MISSION FILMS

Mr and Mrs Henry Tiedemann and Mr and Mrs Adolph Laube attended a lecture and showing of films on Thursday evening of last week, held in St John's Lutheran Church, Vegreville Dr and Mrs Kornhaus of Oregon, U.S.A., showed films of the Medical Mission and their work in Nigeria and New Guinea Others from the Bruce Lutheran Church attending the meeting were Mr and Mrs Reuben Munchau, Mrs Hammermaster and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hissett

Mr and Mrs. Bert Appleby were visitors during last week with Bert's father, Harry Appleby, at Viatta Lodge in Viking Mrs. Ernest Brown of Ryley was also visiting her father, H. Appleby

The ladies of the Social Credit Auxiliary held their annual Christmas party on Saturday evening, Dec 3, when they entertained their husbands and escorts to a sumptuous turkey supper A variety of games were played during the evening and gifts were exchanged, after which lunch was served, bringing the enjoyable evening to a close

Miss Anne Appleby, a student at the University of Alberta, was a weekend visitor with her parents and family, Mr. and Mrs Bert Appleby

Felix Slonovas of Edmonton was visiting during the weekend with his mother Mrs N Slonovas, and also with his daughter and son-in-law on the farm


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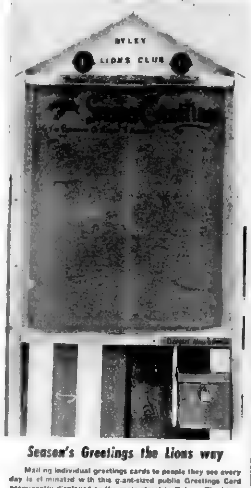


## Season's Greetings the Lions way

Mailing individual greetings cards to people they see every day is eliminated with this giant-sized public Greetings Card prominently displayed on the main street in Ryley. The Lions erected this novel sign where residents estimate the cost of buying and mailing local holiday greetings cards and place this money in the box on the signpost, then place their own names on the oversized card. All proceeds will be used for community betterment. --Mercury Staff Photo.

# Country teams win in 'grudge' curling tilt

The Tofield Curling rink Saturday evening was the scene of challenge games between town and country; and a gigantic turkey shoot.

The evening activities got underway at 7 p.m. with the four challenge games. The town rinks skipped by Arnold Swift, Rev McDannald, John Wall and Geo. McFadzen took an early lead over the rinks skipped by George McLachlan, John Moore Art Francis and Ken Rempel. However, better conditioning soon began to show up as the country teams slowly edged even, then went ahead to win three of the games and lose the other one by a 6-4 score. The over-all score was 19-15 for the country.

A certain measure of the victory has to be attributed to the superior scouting system of the country coaches.

After the games, since the country had gotten the "town's goat", Gabe Pettit, president of the Tofield Curling Club was presented with a mounted goat to keep in their possession to remind them of their downfall until next year.

The turkey shoot was held later and before the evening was over 27 turkeys had found their way to the roaster.

The blindfold events had the crowd in stitches as the curlers lost complete sense of direction and rocks were going in every direction. Winners of the events were E. Ferrel, Charles Rude, and Elmer Geoglein, and the left handed event was won by Percy Fairholm.

Winners in the open events were I. Foshaug, G. Pettit, M. Eleniak, H. Page, G. McFadzen, P. Fairholm, B. McFadzen, Barbara Appleby, Irma Francis, Ruby Sears, D. Everrit, Darrel Albrecht, L. Rude, Ron Geoglein, Barbara Geoglein. Double winners were G. McLachlan, Ole Haugen, Bob Wylie and Glenn Francis

High scorers for the evening were G. McLachlan and Mrs Ruby Sears who each scored 12 points in winning their turkeys The only button shot of the evening was pulled off by Brian McFadzen and it was also good enough to win a turkey for him.

The curling shoes which were raffled were won by Lars Rude.

The evening was a great success both as entertainment and financially.

# Luther Olson named to senate of university

LUTHER OLSON

Luther S. Olson, chairman of the Board of Regents of Camrose Lutheran College for several years, has been elected to the University Senate effective last November 1. He becomes one of thirty representative members of the Senate. It is thought Mr. Olson is the first member of the Senate ever elected from Camrose.

Mr. Olson has been closely connected with developments of the junior college in Camrose ever since initial planning for the program got underway, and was chairman of the finance campaign which raised sufficient funds and pledges to ensure the first step in the long-range development program During early discussions with the university, he was also closely involved with working out details and plans for development.

The Senate's responsibility includes inquiring into any matter which might tend to enhance the usefulness of the University. It is empowered to require reports on any matters from any faculty or school council, the students' council or any member of the academic staff, to receive and consider submissions from anyone interested in the university and to arrange for public meetings, radio and television programs and other ways of providing information on the functions and operations of the university.

Mr. Olson's term is for three years.

## Fire destroys barn & animals of V. Rudzcki

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

An early morning fire at the farm of Victor Rudzcki on Monday destroyed the barn, as well as a cow and calf, a number of brood sows and young pigs, and other items

Several neighbors turned out to offer assistance, and were able to save some of the animals and articles. The Tofield Fire Brigade responded to a call for help, and were able to contain the fire, thus saving a quantity of feed stored near the barn

It is believed that defective wiring was the cause of the fire. Partial insurance in the amount of $2,500 was carried on the building.

The Tofield Local FUA immediately began a relief fund for the young Rudzcki couple, contributing $30.00 as a local; with individual members adding another $80.00 Other individuals and organizations are being asked to contribute to the trust fund set up by the FUA.

## Tofield Lions have Christmas supper

Tofield Lions held their first meeting of the month on Tuesday in the Tofield Community Centre meeting room, with President "Chick" Blocklock in the chair and District Governor, Art Stapleton of Morinville in attendance.

After business was dispensed with, a Christmas dinner was enjoyed, provided by Karl and Vi Myers of the Tofield Cafe. Deputy District Governor, A.P. Renneberg and eight members were present from Daysland

It was learned that 47 Peace Essays have been entered by Tofield School Pupils and are to be appraised by the local clergy before being sent elsewhere

1967 is the Golden Anniversary of the founding of Lions Clubs by the late Melvin Jones

# Ionic lodge, Eastern Star, installs Mrs. Evelyn Noble as worthy matron

Ionic Chapter No. 72 O.E.S. held its annual installation ceremoney on December 12 in the Masonic Hall, Tofield, which was decorated for the occasion with baskets of poinsettias and holly.

Officers installed by Mrs Grace Phillips for the Centennial year were: Mrs Evelyn Nolan, worthy matron; Mr. Neil Phillips, worthy patron; Mrs. Daisy Young, associate matron; Mr. George Arnott, associate patron; Mrs Patricia Glover, secretary; Mrs. Mary Whyte, treasurer; Mrs Helena Thiessen, conductress; Mrs. Vivian Murray, associate conductress; Mrs. Joyce Swift, marshal; Mrs. Marjory Everitt, chaplain; Mr. Paul Thomas, organist; Mrs. Mabel Boyles, adah, Mrs Marie Murray, Ruth, Mrs. Evelyn Moore, Esther; Mrs. Yvonne Borton, Martha; Mrs. Kay Walker, electa; Mr. George Thiessen, warder; Mrs. Ella Hardy, sentinel.

Assisting the installing officer were Mrs. Georgia Christensen, installing marshal; Mrs. Ella Allan, installing chaplain; Mrs. Margaret Arnott, installing conductress, and Mrs Esther Anderson as temporary organist

Following the installation ceremony, Worthy Matron Nolan presented the retiring Worthy Matron, Mrs. Ella Hardy, with her Past Matron's jewel, which was passed on by Mrs. Blanche Hardy This jewel was a very special one in that it was a treasured family heirloom as well as being a symbol of a year as head of Ionic Chapter.

Mr. Neil Phillips was presented with a gift by the Worthy Matron in recognition of his services to the Chapter.

Associate Matron, Mrs. Daisy Young presented Worthy Matron Nolan with a beautiful bouquet as a token of the fraternal love and best wishes of the Chapter. Mrs. Daisy Young, accompanied by Mr. Paul Thomas, sang "Star Of The East", a favorite song of the Worthy Matron.

After the meeting was closed, a special Christmas lunch was enjoyed. The Christmassy table decorations were made by Mrs. Mabel Boyles; Mrs. Evelyn McDannold, Mrs Ollie Moos, Mrs Vivian Murray and Mrs. Marie Murray arranged and served the attractive and delicious lunch.

# Winter's beginning

That dirty weather you've been experiencing the past few weeks isn't winter at all. In case you're interested, you've only been getting a little practice for the real thing.

Officially, winter begins next Thursday, December 22, when the sun is at its farthest point south. Known as the winter solstice, this is also the shortest period of daylight of the year, and the longest night, although strangely enough the earth is nearer the sun this day than at any other time of the year.

Conversely, as December may be the darkest month of the year, points out the Canadian Highway Safety Council, it may seem the darkest month for accident victims. Shorter daylight hours, bad weather and poor visibility are some of the factors contributing to December's hazardous driving conditions.

# But no safety

Recent announcement of a hot new model by one of the major auto manufacturers left us highly intrigued a few days ago. Even as a parliamentary committee was touring certain auto plants looking at safety features, this press release struck our desk.

It highlights the huge new horsepower and amazing "big car" transmission featured by the new model, then goes on to list a wide variety of other features, all designed to give the impression of great reserves of raw, naked power designed into the new unit.

It lists special markings, special paint, special body design and identifying features and so on.

But in all the "high powered" promotion the only reference to any feature which could even mildly be considered a concession to safety were the inclusion of heavy-duty chassis components, a doubtful contribution at best, and red-line tires, or tires, that is, designed to stand up to racing speeds.

The mail the same week suggested that more innovations may be introduced to cars during the next ten years than appeared in the past 50. The question is not will they come, says one writer, but when will they come? Air that becomes more polluted every year, congestion on the streets and hazards on the highways will be the major causes of design changes, according to this expert.

Not, it will be noted, interest for the safety of the public, so much as the convenience and mobility of the public, with an eye to the growing smog danger and the public indignation about it in the certain knowledge it is not necessary.

Already past the idea and drawing board stages are cars with steering wheels only six inches in diameter which can be turned with a twist of the wrist, TV screens that do the job of the rearview mirror, 'little black boxes' that could route you across Canada by flashing appropriate turn signals on a screen, and alert systems that send taped warning messages to the driver.

Stick around for a look at the 1977 models.

# Food crisis shaping up

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... What is not said, however, is the problem that will face the world fifteen years later still.


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# A WEEKLY LOOK AT EXPO '67

by Tracy S. Ludington

Any day — for six months in summer '67 — you can see the wonders of 70 countries of the world in Montreal and have the time of your life doing it!

Pausing a moment to think of it — Montreal is in a most strategic location for the greatest show on earth. It is the world's largest inland seaport, home of the world's two largest transportation corporations, and on the international air map, Montreal is the air-crossroads of the world.

Now, with the opening day of April 28 a half-year away, enthusiasm for Expo is mounting at a steadily and rapidly-increasing rate, in the city of Montreal itself, throughout Quebec province generally, and Expophilia is spreading all across this country.

From the outset, and through the preliminary period of gestation, a great deal of the Expo story had to be taken on faith. True, the International Exhibitions Bureau had authorized an Exhibition of the First Category outside of Europe for the very first time — but the very magnitude of the undertaking was too-staggering for many to grasp and the task of developing man-made areas in the mighty St. Lawrence River appeared to some too great to be capable of achievement.

During the first week of October, however, the word was flashed: Expo will be ready on time.

Immediately there was a great upsurge of interest in all parts of Canada, so great an upsurge in fact that the over-all total of the attendance forecast was upped from 30,000,000 to 35,000,000.

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... been made, so that the visitor may select, and having selected be freely transported to the land of his or her desires.

Daily there are new news bomb-shells about Expo — the possibility that U.S. President Johnson will open the American Pavilion for example — and weekly in this column will be gathered the most titillating of the tidbits, so that the man-in-the street in each and every Canadian town and city will be kept abreast of the latest and best at Expo as plans are made for a visit to 'the greatest show on earth' that opens April 28, 1967 and continues until October 27, 1967, seven days a week from 9 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. and with the entertainment area open until 2:30 a.m.

(Address correspondence to Tracy S. Ludington, EXPO '67 at 7005 Kildare Road, Montreal 29)

# From the mail bag

## To a curler

The Mercury welcomes Letters to the Editor, and appreciates being able to assist in keeping spread ideas of various members of the community.

While a nom de plume is acceptable for publication purposes, however, the writer of any letter must be identified to the publisher ... only for the sake ... before the letter can be published.

If the writer ... [illegible]

The Editor

## Generous response

... Alberta
... November 30, 1966

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Sincerely,
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Gladys McKernan

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We wish to convey our thanks ... [illegible]

... best regards and good wishes.

Yours truly,
F.M.R. Wheelock,
District Secretary

## From the scrapbook

The lives of those ... [illegible] ... and truly good life ...

—J.W.R.



# Ketchamoot district news items

(Mary Mitchell)

Jimmy Ingram left Wednesday morning by Canadian Pacific Airlines for Whitehorse to visit with Sharon and Richard Stang.

The Ketchamoot group of the UCW met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harold Schultz, for their Christmas party.

Irene Lawson of Edmonton spent the week at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lawson.

Nola Williams of Edmonton spent several days last week at home with Mrs. Williams and Arthur.

Mary Mitchell was Christmas shopping in Edmonton for a few days last week and while there visited with Randy Sutton who is a patient in the University Hospital.

**TO AFRICA**

A family gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ray as a going-away party for their son Bruce Ray, who is leaving soon for Nigeria, British West Africa.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

A birthday party was held on Sunday afternoon for Debbie Oliver on her 6th birthday at her home, when guests were her great-grandmother, Mrs. Annie Lee of Tofield, her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown and Mr. and Mrs. George Lee, Aunt Phyllis, Yvonne and Peter Brown and son Daniel, Irene and Sandy Scott and daughter Betty Ann and Annie McGinitie.

## Sale proceeds given to Children's Home

(Mrs. G. Fairbrother)

SPILSTEAD. — The Spilstead Ladies' Society held their annual fall sale and bingo at the Spilstead hall on November 19. A large crowd attended, helping to make it a successful affair. Geo. Lee was the very efficient auctioneer.

Mrs. Bob Jones of Edmonton had the lucky ticket on the quilt, and Bud Ray the second ticket on a pair of pillow slips.

Sixty dollars is being sent to Bethany Home for Children at Gwynne.


# Season's Greetings

The past year holds many special memories for all of us. We remember happy associations with old friends, the pleasures of new acquaintances, accomplishments of which we are proud and difficulties we have overcome.

One outstanding achievement this past year has been the great steps taken towards unification of the Christian church.

This surely is a message that we, who stand on the threshold of our country's centennial, should heed. Let us all resolve to work together to strengthen the many bonds that unite our country and seek to bridge the gaps that divide us.

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# Spilstead news items

(Mrs. G. Fairbrother)

The Spilstead Ladies' Society held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Gae Hoflin on December 8. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Bertha Belcourt's home in January.

Mrs. Louise Winder attended a birthday party for Arthur Hoflin on December 3.

Larry Winder was at Wildwood cutting spruce trees for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Belcourt and Gi Gi visited the Ernest Belcourt's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Belcourt were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Ray in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmuth Foster and family and Miss Myrtle Stouffer of Edmonton were recent visitors at the Ernest Fairbrother home.

## Senior Citizens are honored at banquet

(Mrs. A. Bray)

About 65 guests sat down to a turkey banquet in the Legion Hall on Wednesday, Dec. 7th. This was the annual Senior Citizens' banquet sponsored by the Rebekah and Oddfellows lodges of Ryley.

The guests were welcomed as they arrived by Mrs. H. Ruddy, Noble Grand, and Mrs. E. Pepper, Vice-Grand.

Following the banquet Rev. McDannold and Rev. Hammond of Tofield each spoke a few words.

To entertain the guests, Mrs. Eleanor Campbell showed the slides she had taken while in Hawaii last summer. Mrs. Ruddy paid tribute to the Senior Citizens and expressed the wish that the lodge members would be able to enjoy their company at the annual dinner again next year.

## Farewell party for Holden district pair

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

HOLDEN. — A farewell party was held in the Holden Community Hall on Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Christianson who have sold their farm and are retiring from farming. The evening was spent in dancing, and during the evening Lyle Gosland, on behalf of their many friends, made a presentation of a purse of money to the ... of honor, with ... [illegible] ... new life and ...

Mr. and Mrs. Christianson and family were leaving the ... end of the week for Camrose, where they have bought a home.

Out of town friends attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. ... and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gosland all of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Hultholm of Camrose.

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## Mrs. W. Swift passes

Tofield and district was saddened to hear of the death today Wednesday, of the late Mrs. W. C. Swift in Edmonton.

The funeral will be held Friday at 3 p.m. at Hainstock's Funeral Home, Edmonton.


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# NOTICE

## Of Preparation Of Assessment Roll, 1967

## The County of Beaver No. 9

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NOTICE is hereby given that the assessment of the previous year has been adopted under the provisions of The Assessment Act, and that the assessment roll of the said municipality has been duly prepared and that if any person thinks that any property has been wrongfully assessed, or assessed too high or too low, or that his name or the name of any other person has been wrongfully entered upon or omitted from the roll, he may at any time prior to the 31st day of January notify the secretary-treasurer in writing of the particulars and grounds of his complaint.

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(15-16-17)


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# The Ryley Times

Thousands of waifs such as this one are orphaned and abandoned in Korea. It is to help them to help themselves through learning to read, and then learning a trade, that the Canadian Save the Children Fund appeals for your help and your dollars. At this time of giving, please put these hapless ones high on your list and send your donation to The Canadian Save the Children Fund Headquarters at 70 Hayter Street, Toronto, or to Mrs. J. D. Turner, Sunfield, Suite 3, R.R. 2, Calgary, Alta.

## Ryley news briefs

(Mrs. A. Bray)

Martin Sutherland has taken up residence in a suite of rooms at the Fred Nordwaski home. He is the W.T. Rawleigh representative for the Ryley district.

Mrs. H. Ruddy and Mrs. O. Bray were recent guests of Mrs. Ruddy's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kading in Edmonton.

Miss Susan Smith, high school teacher at the Ryley school was absent from school on Monday. Mrs. O. Bray instructed her classes for the day.

The UCW of Calvin United Church held a very successful sale of Baking and Handicrafts at Loades Hardware on Saturday.

Gordon Pope of Edmonton was a weekend visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F.G. Pope.

Mr and Mrs. R. Kozaway were Sunday visitors in Ryley with Mr and Mrs N. Hogland.

At the Hockey game in Holden Tuesday evening the Bantam league, Ryley vs. Holden, Holden boys were the winners 6-1.

The United Church Sunday School Christmas program and carol singing will be held Dec. 22, at 8 p.m. in the Ryley United Church.

Regular Christmas Day Services will be held December 25th in the United Church in Ryley at 11:30 a.m.

Mrs. Dan Campbell is moving around in a wheel chair, as she has a severely sprained ankle after a fall.

Sunday guests at the F. Pope home were Mrs. Amy Pope, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fish.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Ryley patients in the Tofield Hospital are Mrs Clayton Young, Mrs. E. Klowitter, Mrs. Mabel Johnson and Mr. David Harris.

J.D. MacDonald is a patient in an Edmonton Hospital. Mrs. MacDonald is staying in the city while Mr. MacDonald is hospitalized.

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## 4-H Club names bingo winners

(Mrs. A. Bray)

The Ryley Dairy 4-H Club Turkey Bingo was held in the Legion Hall December 12. The following is a list of the winners: Donald Chappel, Mrs. Oss, Johnny Fish, Wade Magneson, Mrs. Clara Kozak, Charles Magneson, Roger Ganytea, Lawrence Chupka, H. Parsons, Mrs. Anne Hammer, Abe Wiens, Denis Patrick, Mrs. G. Campbell, Denis Patrick, Vern Roth, Edna Gjerde, Nick Kolodychuk, Pete Crinca, Wade Magneson.

The Dairy Club would like to thank all those who attended the Bingo and to wish all a "Merry Christmas."

It is of interest to note that this year is the 20th year that the Dairy Club has operated in Ryley and district.

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| McCORMICK'S SNACKERS | 16 oz. pkg. 43c |
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| CARNATION INSTANT BREAKFAST—Choc., Choc. Malt, Coffee, Strawberry, Vanilla | 6's pkg. 80c |
| SMOKED OYSTERS Sea Lord | 3¾'s tin 29c |
| AYLMER CATSUP 15 oz. btl. | 3 for $1.00 |
| BETTER BUY MARGARINE White or Colored, 1 lb. packages | 3 for 79c |
| MALKIN'S TOMATO JUICE 48 oz. tins | 3 for $1.00 |
| AYLMER SOUP Tomato or Vegetable, 10 oz. tins | 4 for 43c |
| NABOB COFFEE Reg. | 1 lb. bag 79c |
| ICE CREAM Carnival | 3 Pt. Ctn. 59c |
| LIBBY'S FRUIT COCKTAIL Fancy, 14 oz. tins | 4 for $1.00 |
| RASPBERRY JAM Malkins | 2 lb. tin 49c |
| STUFFED MANZ. OLIVES Malkins | 8 oz. jar 39c |
| CHERRY PIE FILLING E. D. Smith | 20 oz. tin 53c |
| CHOCOLATE BUDS Sweet Treet | 16 oz. bag 39c |
| ALUMINUM FOIL WRAP Reynold's, 12" rolls | 2 for 89c |

*HOLIDAY PRODUCE*

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| RED TABLE GRAPES California | 3 lbs. 49c |
| FRESH TABLE CARROTS—Washed | 3 lb. bag 29c |
| GRAPEFRUIT Florida & Texas | 6 for 49c |
| CRANBERRIES Ocean Spray | 1 lb. pkg. 39c |
| FRESH TABLE FIGS AND DATES Portuguese, Turkish, and California | pkg. 49c |
| CELERY HEARTS California | pkg. 49c |
| APPLES Delicious, Spartan, McIntosh | 4 lb. bag 69c |

*MEATS FOR THE CHRISTMAS FEAST*

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| TURKEYS Grade A, 22 lbs. and up | lb. 43c |
| TURKEYS Butter Ball Canada Grade A, 10-16 lbs. | lb. 59c |
| HAMS Ready to Eat, Whole or Shank Half | lb. 65c |
| MAPLE LEAF - SALAMI - SUMMER PARTY CHUBS 12 oz. | each 59c |
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| R.T.E. COTTAGE ROLLS Smoked, Cryovac | lb. 69c |

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## Canadian immigrant of 1912 Anton Nelson passes on

Anton A. Nelson passed away on Saturday, Oct. 29, in St. Mary's Hospital, Camrose, at the age of 88 years.

He was born in Norway on January 5, 1878, and on September 4, 1904, he married Agnette Lunden. They came to Canada in 1912, and worked in the Bardo area close to Tofield until 1916, when they moved to La Glace in the Peace River area, where they homesteaded until 1920, when they moved to Ryley. Here they farmed until the end of 1951 when, in retirement, they moved into Ryley. They moved to Edmonton in 1959 then entered Bethany Nursing Home, Camrose, in July 1966.

Mr. Nelson is survived by his wife, Agnette; one daughter, Mrs. Arne Knaustau, of Edmonton; one son, Pastor A. Nelson, of Weldon, Sask.; 10 grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral service was held in Hoveland Funeral Chapel, Camrose, on November 3. Pastor O. H. Haugen officiating. Interment followed in Camrose Cemetery.

Pallbearers were A. Bugge, C. Bugge, T. Mahlum, O. Hagen, all of Ryley, and W. Neuman of Edmonton.

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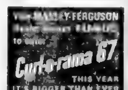


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## Holden

(Mrs. G. Taylor)

LUTHERAN LADIES' MEETING

The Lutheran Ladies Aid held their regular meeting December 8 in the church parlors. Mrs. Margaret Olsen presented each member with a Christmas corsage. Bible Study was led by Mrs. Irene Olson and the worship offering was taken by Mrs. Kathleen Husum. Pastor Little gave a talk on the new Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada which will start on January 1 1967. At the Missionary meeting the speaker was Pastor A. Morck of Colombia, South America now residing in Camrose. At the conclusion of the meeting the hostesses served a Christmas lunch.

GOLDEN WEDDING

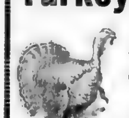
A number of Holden district residents attended the golden wedding anniversary party of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Moadahl held Sunday, Dec. 4, in the Bawlf Community Hall. About 275 relatives and friends gathered to honor them. Mr. and Mrs. Moadahl are the parents of Mrs. Harry Bonnie of Holden and her twin sister Mrs. Harry Afseth. An old family friend, Hans Huseby was called upon to extend congratulations to the guests of honor. Holden and district residents attending were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zwierschke, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Brekstal, Mrs. Mabel Sorer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bonnie and family, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Moreland, Mrs. Emma Nordstrom, and former Holden residents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Afseth and children of Wainwright.

Tommy Budd, University of Alberta student, was visiting over the weekend with his family.

**TOFIELD COMMUNITY LEAGUE**

*Christmas*

**Turkey Bingo**



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## Lakeshore-McKenzie news items

**(The Mercury is sorry last week's budget of Lakeshore-McKenzie news was not printed that week; Mrs. Eaton certainly forwarded her news in ample time to carry the report of the U.C.W. Space limitations coupled with human error based on cold weather mechanical operation was responsible).**

(Ellen Eaton)

Your Lakeshore-McKenzie correspondent wishes to wish, Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year to the Editor and staff of the Tofield Mercury, to all it's readers and especially to all my neighbors and friends.

To all who are contributing news items to the Lakeshore McKenzie column would you please give your news to Mrs. Ethel Wood Phone 662-2213 for the next month or so, as your present correspondent is leaving this week for her Christmas holidays with her daughter.

Miss Barbara Baines of Edmonton spent the weekend at the home her aunt, Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald.

Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Mavis and Carl Jacobsen were their daughter Clarice and Mavis's father, Julius Jacobson, both of Edmonton.

Mrs. Keitha Brown of Ketchamood, Mrs. Martha Tiedemann and daughter Lucille accompanied Martha's daughter Yvonne and Peter Brown also of Ketchamood on a motor trip to Edmonton on Saturday to do some shopping.

BIRTHDAY OBSERVED

Mrs. Ollie Moos, Mrs. Vivian Myers, Mrs. Isabel Rutzcki, Lillian Fairholm, Mrs. Rose Walker, Mrs. Katie Baergen, Mrs. Violet Bailey, Mrs. Alice Cossey, Mrs. Mickey Niemetz, Mrs. Irlene Sieb and Mrs. Winnie McLachlan, gathered at the home of Mrs. Mavis Jacobsen on Tuesday afternoon to help her celebrate her birthday. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haukedahl of Tofield and Mrs. Vi Geoglein were also visitors there, helping Mavis celebrate the occasion.

Morley and Marjorie Jacobsen and family were Friday evening visitors and supper guests at the home of Morley's uncle, Bill and Marjorie Wolfe in Edmonton.

Mrs. Ellen Eaton motored to Edmonton Sunday evening with Janet Wickenberg and was a Sunday overnight guest at the home of her son Leroy and Shirley Eaton. On Monday evening she returned home with George and Ida Niemetz. All had supper with Shirley before returning home.

Mrs. Ruth Wickenberg of Tofield spent from Thursday to Saturday in Edmonton at the home of her daughter Vivian and Norm Jones. On Saturday she came home with her daughter Janet.

Norman and Vivian Jones of Edmonton were Sunday afternoon and supper guests at the home of Vivian's parents, Roy and Ruth Wickenberg.

Rolland Herbert and two friends of Winnipeg arrived in Tofield on Saturday where Rolland is visiting relatives and friends. Rolland is the eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Herbert of the district north of Lindbrook and is well known to residents of the Lakeshore district as well. He expects to leave for home again the end of the week.

## Amateur hockey league schedule

(Intended for last week)

10-12 and under, Jan. 1, 1967

TINY MITES & PEE WEES

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| Dec. 16 | Irma at Viking |
| Dec. 17 | Ryley at Holden |
| Dec. 17 | Tofield at Irma |
| Jan. 6 | Viking at Ryley |
| Jan. 6 | Holden at Tofield |
| Jan. 13 | Tofield at Viking |
| Jan. 13 | Ryley at Irma |
| Jan. 21 | Holden at Ryley |
| Jan. 21 | Irma at Tofield |
| Jan. 28 | Tofield at Holden |
| Jan. 28 | Viking at Irma |
| Feb. 3 | Holden at Viking |
| Feb. 4 | Ryley at Tofield |
| Feb. 11 | Viking at Holden |
| Feb. 11 | Irma at Ryley |
| Feb. 17 | Ryley at Viking |

BANTAMS

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| Dec. 13 | Ryley at Holden |
| Dec. 20 | Irma at Ryley |
| Dec. 27 | Holden at Irma |
| Dec. 28 | Irma at Holden |
| Jan. 3 | Holden at Ryley |
| Jan. 10 | Ryley at Irma |
| Feb. 18 | Holden at Irma |
| Feb. 19 | Viking at Tofield |
| Feb. 25 | Irma at Holden |
| Feb. 25 | Tofield at Ryley |

Fri. games 5:00 & 7:00 p.m.
Sat. games 10:30 & 12:30 p.m.
Sun. games 1:30 & 3:30 p.m.
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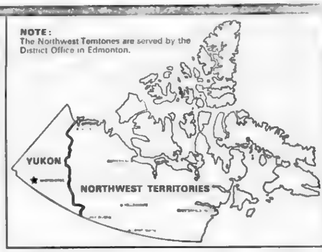


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# Homecoming festivities honor graduates of 1966

(Mrs. Orvil Bray)

Homecoming activities on Saturday, Dec. 10, honored the 1966 Ryley graduates. Chaired by Miss Gail Lyons, president of the Ryley High School Students' Union, the evening commenced with a banquet in the Legion Hall, where the blessing was asked by Paul Voegtlin. Marvin Bruce, Superintendent of Schools in the Beaver County, offered the toast to the Queen.

Seated at the head table were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Voegtlin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lund, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Symyrozum, Miss Gail Lyons, Lorne Booth, Miss Marilyn Hjelter, Barry Albrecht, Miss Patsy Stumbo, Lynn Kurach, Miss Shirley Jacobson and Ronald Pepper.

Paying tribute to all former students who, today, represent a large variety of professions in all corners of the world, Mr. Parsons, vice-principal of the Ryley School, offered the toast to the graduates. Lloyd Symyrozum, guest speaker and former teacher of the Ryley School delivered an address to the graduates, stressing the need for individuality in a conforming world.

The [illegible] banquet, an innovation this year, was considered a success and will be [illegible] years as part of the [illegible] to the graduate.

A [illegible] o'clock proceedings [illegible] Ryley School Gym [illegible] game [illegible] The [illegible] team [illegible]

[illegible] the evening were the [illegible] half time, the draw for [illegible], the presentation [illegible] scholastic and athletic awards and the crowning of the Homecoming Queen. Winning the draw [illegible] were Murray Lohman of Camrose, the electric blanket, and Myrna Sather of Strome, the electric clock.

There were many faces, both familiar and unfamiliar, but none lovelier than those of the three candidates for Homecoming Queen, Miss Shirley Jacobson (Gr. 10), Miss Pat Stumbo (Gr. 11) and Miss Marilyn Hjelter (Gr. 12) as they were escorted to the dias by Ronnie Pepper, Lynn Kurach and Barry Albrecht. Winner of the intense campaign for queen was Miss Marilyn Hjelter who was crowned by Tommy Annebo, master of ceremonies, as the 1966 Homecoming Queen.

Awards in recognition of high scholastic achievement were forthcoming from many sources. Miss Lois Kay Voegtlin won two awards for the highest marks in the 1966 grade nine departmental exams, presented by the Ryley Sub-local A.T.A. and Cavell Rebekah Lodge of Ryley. Miss Carol Lien earned the Ryley Junior High School award for achieving the second highest average in the grade nine examinations. The Ryley High School Students' Union award for highest achievement in 1966 grade twelve departmentals was won by Miss Annette Vergette.

Trophies representing victory at the County Volleyball tournament were presented to the Ryley boys' and girls' teams. Individual athletic awards in the various sports during the 1965-66 school year were presented by Mr. Boris Stashko as follows: boys' basketball, Gary Wiens; girls' basketball, Mary Ann Osada; baseball, Roger Oslund; softball, Kay Fisk.

The outstanding event of the evening was the presentation to Margaret Lee (Fisk) Kosoway by Paul Voegtlin of "The J. D. McDonald Trophy" for outstanding citizenship.

## Ryley news

(Mrs. A. Bray)

**RAFFLE WINNER**

Cavell Rebekah Lodge No. 30 would like to announce that Mrs. B. Winness was the lucky winner of the garden chair raffle. The chair was made and donated to the Lodge by O. Orbeck. The proceeds of this raffle will be used for youth work.

## Ministik news

(Mrs. J. Reddick)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport were hosts Monday evening to members of the Community Club.

Several people from this district attended the grocery bingo at Hastings Lake Hall last Friday and all reported an enjoyable evening.

## Lakeshore

(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)

Mrs. Charlie Smith of South Cooking Lake accompanied her son Marsh on Monday afternoon to the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood and son Donald. Mrs. Smith and Ethel were friends of 40 years ago when Ethel was at Alliance.

Dede and Robert Goubault of Drayton Valley were Saturday overnight and Sunday until after dinner guests at the home of Dede's parents John and Mary Wood.


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## Holden news

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

The Sunday School pupils of the United Church will be holding their Christmas concert on Monday, Dec. 19. On Friday, Dec. 23, the junior and senior carolers will be holding a carol service. Mrs. Dorothy Bateman has been training the junior choir, and they have been singing at the regular church services for the past few weeks.

The Lutheran Church Sunday School pupils are planning to hold their Christmas concert on Friday evening, Dec. 23.

The Holden 4-H Club wish to remind all those interested that they are holding a meeting in the Community Hall on Saturday evening, Dec. 17, at 8:00 o'clock, and will have guest speakers at tending. All are welcome.

The B.P.O. Elks are sponsoring a Children's Christmas party on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 17, in the Holden Community Hall. It is understood that Santa will be visiting there.

Geo. H. Taylor was a Monday afternoon visitor with his son Robert and family.

Mrs. Alfred Sorensen was a shopping visitor in Edmonton on Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce MacDonell were business and shopping visitors in Edmonton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visitors and lunch guests Sunday after church with Mrs.

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(Mrs. Ellen Eaton)
(Intended for last week)

The Lakeshore UCW will hold their December meeting at the home of Mrs. [illegible] West [illegible] Dec. 15 at 2 p.m. This being the Christmas meeting [illegible] don't forget the exchange of gifts [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

Donna and [illegible] [illegible] and Donna's [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and Ferguson

Charlie and Mickey Nemetz and son Doug were Sunday afternoon [illegible] at the home of Mickey's brother Howard and Mae Ferguson.

Norman and Vivian Jones of Edmonton were late Saturday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Vivian's parents, Ray and Ruth Wickenber.

Carl and Mavis Jacobson were Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Charlie and Mickey Nemetz.

Ron and Gail Chubko of Edmonton were Saturday overnight guests at the home of Gail's parents [illegible] Nemetz.

[illegible] Nemetz were [illegible] visitors to Ed[illegible]. They were supper guests at their daughter Mrs. [illegible]

TO CALGARY

[illegible] Mass and [illegible] where [illegible] were guests at the home [illegible] and family [illegible] They returned home [illegible] Mrs. Ethel Wood accompanied them on the trip [illegible] Ponoka where she [illegible] overnight and part of [illegible] guest of her friend Mrs. MacIntosh. She returned home Saturday evening by bus.

Judy Gerhardt and her friend Joan Simons both of Drayton Valley were Saturday overnight and Sunday guests of Judy's cousin Mary Tiedemann at the home of Mary's parents, Emil and Martha Tiedemann.

Emil and Martha Tiedemann were Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests at the home of Sandy and Irene Scott at Lindbrook.

**Doris and Howard Brown are receiving congratulations on the arrival of their chosen son last week.**


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## NOTICE

# TOWN of TOFIELD

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RITA HALVERSON, Sec.-Treas.,
Town of Tofield

# Emma Komar wins trophy

The fall season of Ladies Bowling ended Nov. 21st with a pot luck supper held at the Legion Hall. Emma Komar who held the high average for the third season in a row, was presented with the bowling trophy by the Club.

The high scoring team consisted of Margaret Jensen, Heddy Coover, Emma Komar and Geo Mckay. The teams for the winter season will be made up before the New Year.

New members wishing to join please phone Alice Gould at 662-3106 or Gertie Pointer at 662-4006 soon after Christmas.

BABY SHOWER

The ladies of the Bowling Club gathered at the home of Annie [illegible] the evening of November 30th and all went next door to [illegible] to surprise Emma Komar with a Baby Shower. A pleasant evening was spent visiting and admiring the small son. A tasty lunch was served before the ladies left for home.

# Lois Voegtlin wins Rebekah Lodge award

In the form of an annual award Cavell Rebekah Lodge, No. 56 of Ryley, gives recognition to the student who achieves top standing in the grade nine departmental examinations. The 1966 award was won by Miss Lois Kay Voegtlin, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Voegtlin.

In presenting the award, Mrs. W. B. Ruddy, Noble Grand of the Lodge, paid tribute to Lois's parents and teachers, who provided the training and incentives for success.

On behalf of the Lodge, Mrs. Ruddy extended congratulations to Lois and the sincere wishes of each member for continuing achievements in future school years.

# Ross Creek News

(Intended for last week)
(Mrs. L. VanBuskirk)

Jimmie Lauder of Chipman spent the weekend with Ronnie and Clifford McLachlan.

A teen-agers party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ferrel on Friday evening in honor of Evelyn's 16th birthday. About 20 guests enjoyed the get-together.

SERIOUSLY ILL

Word has just been received that Mrs. Andy Olson, of the Vegreville Nursing Home, formerly of this district is seriously ill in the Edmonton General Hospital. This grand old lady is one of the few remaining old pioneers having reached an age of more than 90 years.

**Shoppers of the Beaver Lake Service are advised that in the future the store will be closed on Thursday afternoons.**

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Schwartz and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Donald McLachlan and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McLachlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McLachlan enjoyed an evening of cards on Saturday when Mr. and Mrs. Ron Geoglein entertained two tables at bridge.

Mrs. Marie Henry and children of Red Deer visited with her sister Mrs. Nellie Malcolm for a few days. Saturday evening the Malcolm and Henry families attended a turkey supper held in the Mundare Recreation Centre.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Malcolm and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Osborne were among the youngsters who watched Santa arrive in Tofield on Saturday.

Grant Becker Sr., was hospitalized for a few days but is up and around again.


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Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act, the County of Beaver No. 9 will offer for sale by public auction at the county office at Ryley, Alberta, on Friday, the 30th day of December, 1966, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, the following lands

| Pt. of Sec. | Sec. | Twp. | Rge. | M. | Pt. of Sec. | Sec. | Twp. | Rge. | M. |
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| S.E. | 14 | 49 | 13 | 4 | N.W. | 26 | 49 | 17 | 4 |
| S.W. | 14 | 49 | 13 | 4 | N.E. | 8 | 51 | 17 | 4 |
| N.E. | 31 | 50 | 15 | 4 | N.E. | 1 | 49 | 18 | 4 |
| S.E. | 31 | 50 | 15 | 4 | | | | | |
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# J. D. McDonald trophy instituted by A.T.A

The Ryley Sub-local A. T. A. have instituted an annual award honouring Mr. J. D. McDonald, Principal of the Ryley School for over 20 years and now retired.

This is a double trophy with the Greek Torch and Olive Wreaths symbolizing enlightenment and victory in the world. The large trophy will be kept on display in the Ryley School with name plates added each year. Each annual replica will be awarded for outstanding citizenship in both school and community and will become the property of the winner.

J. D. McDonald gave many years of valued leadership to both teachers and students as principal of the Ryley School. He was interested at all times in both academic achievement and the acceptance of community responsibility. This award is a tribute to his life-long example and ideals.

The winner of the first "J. D. McDonald Trophy for Outstanding Citizenship" in the 1965-66 school year was Mrs. Margaret Lee Kozoway.


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# Tofield School news hi-lites

For the fourth consecutive year the Grade VIII classes are collecting toys for the children in Aberhart Memorial Sanatorium. Many of these children are Metis and, since they are far from home, do not receive many, if any, gifts at Christmas time. Mrs. Elsie Samuel, matron of Aberhart, has sent a list of girls and boys in need of attention at Christmas. There are three children listed, their ages ranging from one to fifteen years. One day soon, the Grade VIII's will wrap and tag these presents, thus giving a practical application of the Christmas spirit.

Hobby Day was held recently by the two Grade VIII classes in the Audio-Visual room. Each student described his hobby in glowing terms of interest to the assembled classes, after which he gave a practical demonstration of his particular interest. Music was played by several students on various kinds of instruments. Collections of many kinds including stamps, coins, foreign money, old money, and rocks were shown. Sewing was displayed and cookies were eaten. Band instruments and Scout uniforms were exhibited and explained. Animals came in for their share of attention, especially from the 4-H members. Tours were re-travelled and illustrated with pictures. Book friends were introduced and mechanical prowess demonstrated. Even TV. watching was described as a hobby.

Mr. David Balzer has been preparing a Jr. Hi entry for the Community League's Christmas Festival. Mr. Balzer, who attends University of Alberta, has been donating two noon hours per week to conduct the chorus in "Shepherds Shake Off Your Drowsy Sleep" and "Jesus Is Born".

Mr. Norton's Grade VIII Art classes have a display in "the Roundhouse". Both conventional and abstract art is on display and attracting much attention. Mr. Ronaghan's Grade VII Art class is also putting up a display of Christmas art.

# Tofield takes two from Ryley

The green and white clad basketball teams from Tofield swept Ryley aside in games played Friday night. The girls team was led to victory by Charie Astley who scored 9 points and played an outstanding game on the boards. All 11 girls saw action and each contributed to the 19-11 score by hawking the ball, scoring or blocking Ryley shots.

The boys game saw the locals fall behind and trail until the midway mark of the second quarter. At this point the height of the Tofield team appeared to tire the shorter Ryley boys. Tofield took control of the boards and slowly stretched their lead until the final gun score of 53-43. Duane Stauffer, playing his best ball game in two years, scored 21 points. Derrill Bell and Henry Schroeder chipped in 12 and 10 points successfully.

This Friday, Dec. 16, Tofield hosts Viking. Come out and see these young athletes in fast moving action. Everyone is welcome.

# Tofield High school news

The Tofield Public School will close for Christmas vacation from 3:30 p.m. Thursday, December 22, until 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, January 3.

The annual Christmas Concert will be presented to the public at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 21. Grades 2,5,8 and the School Band will be spotlighted.

Forty one high school students, accompanied by Miss Cumming and Mrs. Conn attended the performance of Handel's Messiah at the Jubilee Auditorium on Wednesday night. The County furnished the bus and Charley Sears drove.

Anyone wishing to see a picture of the Tofield Graduating Class of 1966 may do so by stopping at the school office. Copies of the Class picture can be ordered for later delivery. Individuals who had pictures taken may see them by contacting Mr. Eastlick or Mrs. Dodds.

# The 4-H Klub Korner . . .

(Marilyn Shacker)

The regular meeting of the Tofield 4-H Beef Club was held on December 8. Susan Appleby led the pledge and the members of the club answered the roll call with what they wanted for Christmas. The members then gave their feed reports telling the amount of feed that their calf eats per day.

Three very interesting debates were given at this meeting. Nettie Appleby and Lyle Henberg of the negative and Monte Malcolm and Gordon Antoniuk of the affirmative gave a debate resolving that mini-skirts should be allowed in school. The negative side of this debate was chosen the winner. Jim Dodds and Miles Rose of the negative and Doug Finseth and Brian Litwin of the affirmative gave the second debate resolving that Tofield should have a public library as a Centennial project. The negative side won this debate. The third debate was given by Pat Kallal and Linda Rose of the negative and Ross Casey and Judy Moore of the affirmative. This debate resolved that urban areas should be included in 4-H projects. The affirmative side were the lucky winners. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed each debate. Mr. McDonnald, Mrs. Wood, and Mrs. Brown were the judges for these debates.

It was planned at the meeting to have a judging competition on December 28. It will be held at Ralph Casey's at 1:30 p.m. The club has also planned to have a Whist Drive on January 20. A committee was appointed to look after arrangements.

The meeting was ended with a very interesting and useful demonstration given by Grant Casey on the various kinds of feed.

The Tofield 4-H Pee Wee Club held their regular meeting on December 10th at the Ralph Casey home. The pledge was given by Randy Jones and the members answered the roll call with the breed of their calf. The members then gave their feed reports. The Pee Wee Club decided at this meeting to raffle a cowboy hat. Three interesting talks on projects were given. Ray Casey spoke on the characteristics of the ideal club calf, Doug Jones on the disadvantage and advantages of early selection of a club calf, and Ferlin Schacker on the steps in judging. Guest speaker at this meeting was Grant Casey. Lunch was served by Mrs. Casey, Mrs. Bailey, and Mrs. Ferguson.


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# TOWN of TOFIELD

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Dated this 14th day of December, 1966.
-RITA HALVERSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

# Ketchamoot district news briefs

(Mary Mitchell)

Recent visitors with Ron and Kay Coombes and family were Mr. and Mrs. Lars Olson of Holden.

Roy and Dorothy Whillans motored to Edmonton on Sunday where they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Whillans.

Weekend guests with the Harold Schultz family were Nick and Marie Runka and the boys of Edmonton. Saturday evening callers were Keith and Mrs. Appleby and family, and on Sunday afternoon Alice and Olaf Stokkan were coffee guests.

Saturday evening visitors with Ivan and Marie Mitchell were Bertha, Yvonne and Peter Brown and son Daniel, David Bertch, Jimmy and Flo Ingram. The evening was spent viewing some slides of the far north.

**The Tofield Fire Brigade was called early Saturday morning to a fire at a hog barn on the farm of Peter Warkentin.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Belcourt, Butch and Brian Mitchell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell. Afternoon guests were Warren Bel[illegible] and his daughter Zee Zee of Edmonton.

[illegible] Lawson is a patient in the Tofield Municipal Hospital where he underwent surgery Wednesday morning.


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# Ministik news briefs

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

Final plans have been made for the Christmas Eve service at the United Church at 8 30 p.m. The Rev. Dwight Powell superintendent of home missions will be in charge. Everyone is cordially invited to attend and join in with the carol singing and service.

The ice has been put in the skating rink at the school and on Sunday was crowded with enthusiastic skaters and hockey players.

Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong of North Surrey, B.C. spent a week visiting Bill Davenport of Tofield. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leach and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davenport and family before motoring to Carberry, Man., where they will spend Christmas with Mr. Armstrong's father.

Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roddick.

Mrs. W. J. Critenden of Transcona, Man., spent a week with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Les Whitford. She leaves this week for Vancouver from where she, her son and family will motor to Los Angeles, Calif., to spend Christmas with another son and family.

Mrs. Andrew Ferguson was an Edmonton shopper on Saturday, also having a visit with Mrs. Grace Gibson (Grummett).

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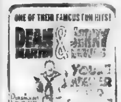


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**Sunday, Dec. 18th**
10.00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship.
Topic: "Christmas Is About God"
Senior Choir advent music
"In the Event of Advent, God came into our midst with a baby in His arms. Remember, babies grow!"

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11 00 a.m.—Worship Service
8 00 p.m.—Family Program.
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11 00 a.m.—Holy Communion 1st Sunday of Month.
11:00 a.m.—Matins all other Sundays.
10 30 a.m.—Holy Communion with address, Saints Days and other Holy Days.

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First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ........ 11.00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ........ 9:30 a.m.
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Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ........ 11 00 a.m.
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11 00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
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10 00 a.m. Worship Service
11 00 a.m. Sunday School
Friday, Dec. [illegible] p.m. [illegible] Round Hill—The Parish Choir presents the Christmas Cantata "How Far Is It To Bethlehem"

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**Ryley, Alberta**
**Pastor Stanley Rude**
**Sunday, Dec. 18th**
HOLDEN
10 00 a.m.—Divine Service
11 00 a.m.—Sunday School
RYLEY—
10 00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 00 a.m.—Divine Service.

# Strilchuk wins Gr. challenge at Ryley 'spiel

The Ted Strilchuk rink, comprising Bill Holowachuk, Joe Strilchuk and Bob Kushnerik, emerged the winners in the grand challenge events in the opening mixed bonspiel at Ryley, by defeating Garnet Bernstad and his rink, comprising Roland Routh, Karen Bruce and Jean Marquer, in the finals.

Third prize went to the Sig Helgeland rink, with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Helgeland and Bob Hammer, and fourth to Jim Nicholas and his team of G. Kirkland, H. Johnson and I. Sorensen.

**SECOND EVENT**

The second event was won by Vernon Roth and his fellow curlers, Berris Stasko, Emily Stasko and Doug Lehman. They won over the Shona Hallberg rink of Wm. Winsness, John Goodall and Roy Magneson. Third prize went to Bob Rokas and his crew of Lloyd Runka, Eric Larsen and Johnnie Wong, and fourth to the Murray Lyons' rink. With Murray was Barbara Harbak and Albert Cardinal.

**THIRD EVENT**

The third event was won by the Warren Kushnerik rink. Playing with Warren were Larry Gordeski, Evelyn Kozak and Delores Nord, who downed the Jack Divison rink of Jack, Noah Wideman, Margaret Wideman and Rodger Kathan. Third prize was won by the Robert Anderson rink, consisting of Robert, Jan Snortheim, Berry Albrecht and Julia Anderson; and fourth in the third event went to the Garry Keohane rink. Garry had Tommie Anaelo, Arlene Dorin and Geraldine Kozak on his team.

The Curling Club was pleased at the entry of 30 rinks in the 'spiel, and thank all who helped in any way in making it a success.

The regular draws are now up, and John Kozdrowski says the more you curl the better the ice [illegible] let's curl.

# Ministik news

(Mrs. J. Roddick)

**Mrs. Alphonse Loch's mother, Mrs. Maria Antoniuk, is much improved in health after a long stay in hospital.**

Friends [illegible] to hear the young Miss [illegible] Boverman is in Tofield Hospital.

Leona Roddick had the misfortune to fracture her arm on Tuesday and now wears a cast on it. After a short stay in hospital, she was able to return to school.

**SAFE DRIVING AWARD**

Bill George of Edmonton, eldest son of Mrs. S. G[illegible], was recently feted at a banquet at the Bonaventure Hotel where he was presented with a [illegible] and [illegible] for [illegible] safe driving [illegible] for [illegible] the production department for whom he works.

Your Ministik correspondent takes this opportunity of wishing the Mercury and staff, other correspondents, friends and readers everywhere a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and bright New Year.


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# Holden district news items

(Mrs. O. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shyba were business and shopping visitors in Edmonton on Monday of last week.

Mrs. Campbell entertained at supper on Sunday evening of last week, when guests were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. Bateman and Mr and Mrs. J. A. Gieselbaus.

**LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS**

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion held their monthly meeting, Monday evening, December 5, in the Legion Hall. Regular business was attended to and reports of the Nov. 11 raffle and dance were given. The annual donations to the Legion Hospital Fund and the Salvation Army were made. Their annual Christmas party was discussed and plans made to hold it December 18, when members will entertain their husbands and guests to a turkey dinner.

Mr and Mrs. Douglas Hardy of Edmonton were visitors over the weekend with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs. Earl Hardy.

Alex Gordley, MLA, of Vegreville, was visiting in Holden on Friday evening, and called at the village office.

Chris Barich of Fence Coupe, B.C., visited in Holden on Friday evening with his mother's aunt, Mrs. Laura Christiansen. He and Mrs. Christiansen were also visitors with Mrs. Campbell. It is 16 years since he and his family left Holden and the first time he has been back for a visit. His mother was the AGT agent in Holden for several years before leaving Holden, and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Wahl.

Mr and Mrs. Harry Shibinski of Edmonton were visitors over the weekend with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. John Shabinski.

Chris Haviland and son Ray were Saturday evening visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs. Lewis Parve, to congratulate him and help celebrate his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Haviland and family and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Holleson and family were recent Sunday evening dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson, in Camrose.

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

Mr. and Mrs. David Gibson, son and daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gibson, who were recently married, are now happily residing on the former Nick Podiuk farm. A shower was held by friends and neighbours on Friday, Nov. 25, for the well known couple.

Harry Peake was visiting with his brother and family, the Bill Peakes, on Thursday of last week.

Reuben Haviland, who left on a holiday trip on December 3rd, visited at points in South Dakota, U.S.A., on his way to Nebraska and other points in the United States.

Mrs. A. L. Gibson is presently a patient in the hospital at Daysland.

Alex Barlow of Poe was visiting in Holden last Thursday and called on his brother Percy and wife.

Mike Kiddine and Helmut Roth, of the Bawlf district, were Thursday afternoon business callers in Holden.

E. J. Knudson of the Ryley district was also a business caller in the village Thursday afternoon.

Members of the Holden Lodge, O. O. R. P., visited the Viking Lodge, at their regular meeting December 6. Those visiting were Ladies Ida Mason, Kathleen Hurum, Beverly Mauchur, Mary Hardy and Mrs. Nordstrom.

**PIONEER GROUP MEETS**

The Pioneer Group met Wednesday, Dec. 7, at the home of Mrs. Mary James, with 18 ladies present. A report of the sale of sewing at the annual bazaar, November 19, was given by Mrs. Campbell. A lesson was taken in the Study Book and the Devotions were taken by Mrs. Rauder, who read the first chapter of Luke on the birth of Christ. At the conclusion of the meeting a delicious lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. James. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Earl Hardy on January 4, with devotions by Mrs. Doris Story.

Alex Shibinski of Vegreville was here Tuesday of last week, checking on his property and visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Appleby and Ina Andrew were visiting with Ted's father, Harry Appleby at Vista Lodge, Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey S. Beveridge entertained a number of friends on Sunday afternoon at a pre-Christmas party.

Mrs. Irene Strilchuk is helping at the post office during the pre-Christmas holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Coutu were business callers in Viking on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mielimaka were Sunday lunch guests and afternoon visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Zuzak.

The Holden Lutheran Church held their congregational fellowship supper on Friday, Dec. 2, which was very well attended. Mr. Runka of Edmonton was the guest speaker during the program and also showed films pertaining to his t.a.k.

Mrs. Evans of Viking, Mrs. Cecil Hooper and Mrs. Mabel Sizer were afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the home of Mrs. Mary Hooper on Saturday afternoon of last week.

The Bruce Budds returned on Thursday of last week from a six-day trip at Nassau in the Bahamas, where they enjoyed the sunshine and warm weather.

## LOCALS . . .

Roland Herbert of Winnipeg, has been visiting members of the family for nearly a week.

**LIONS AID HOCKEY**

Tofield Lions Club held an executive meeting last Friday evening in the town council room. Most important item was setting up transportation for Junior Hockey Clubs to meet the amateur schedule as shown in Tofield Mercury. District Governor Art Stapleton plans to visit the club next Tuesday and members were briefed on procedure to be followed.

Miss Velda Koop and Dauglas Pollard were entertained Saturday evening along with other relatives at the John Wall home. Miss Koop is a niece of Mr. Wall, and Miss Koop and Mr. Pollard will be married at Tofield Mennonite Church on January 2nd next.

**HOLIDAY ENDS IN TRAGEDY**

On their way to British Honduras by car on Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Stauffer, son Milo, and Mr. and Mrs. Milo Stutzman were involved in an accident with a motor grader in the Medicine Hat area, which apparently turned into the pathway of their car. Present reports are that Boyd was able to walk away but shaken up, his wife was seriously injured with broken legs, son Milo a broken hip, Mrs. Milo Stutzman, broken legs and Milo Stutzman a broken arm. They were all in the Medicine Hat Hospital.

## Hastings Lake news items

(Mrs B. Gladue)

The last Social Credit whist drive for this year was held on Dec 10. Winners were: ladies' high, Barbara Lochlin; low, Mrs Gill Gratz; high, Mr. Dunham; low, Mr. Kyle

The Hall Board met at the Dunham home Dec 7th, when plans were made for the New Year's dance at the hall.

The general Hall meeting is called for Saturday evening, at 8 p.m. It is urged that everyone attend

The grocery bingo sponsored by the Hall Board was a great success, and the Board would like to thank everyone who made it so


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We wish you merriment and the many joys of giving and receiving, at this happiest of holiday seasons. May this truly be a Christmas to remember! With our best wishes we want to express our warm appreciation of your kind patronage and good will. We sincerely hope that our cordial relations will long continue.

## Put Santa back in Christmas!

Over recent years thousands of us have become familiar with the slogan "Let's put Christ back in Christmas" as many people objected to the abbreviation of Xmas. So we were highly interested a year or so ago to find [illegible] strong statement arguing for [illegible] that [illegible] the Greek [illegible] indeed [illegible]

[illegible] for a new argument [illegible] some of the members of the United Church's Board [illegible] the following article [illegible] different point of view [illegible]

[illegible] "Let's Put Santa Claus Back into Christmas" [illegible] reproduced here:

**Let's Put Santa Claus Back into Christmas**

This is the season when people are most [illegible] spirit of St. Nicholas, the generous nature which will again sweep over the world this December.

Very little seems to have been [illegible]

[illegible] in fact something of the Christmas meaning begins to take shape.

A clergyman's wife found that out [illegible] when she added White Gift Sunday to the church festivities. She came upon a legend which told the story of a birthday celebration in the court of Kublai Khan. In his honour all the gifts and decorations were white.

Many churches still celebrate White Gift Sunday but it involves mainly a presentation of canned goods and other gifts [illegible] from [illegible] well-stocked shelves [illegible] is turned over to some anonymous individual or organization to distribute. No mention will be made of service or personal involvement.

That's Santa's secret! He doesn't send [illegible] to deliver the gifts. He comes himself. He is personally [illegible] there is the [illegible] the living concern. [illegible] we would bring the spirit of Santa Claus back into Christmas. [illegible] made history when they presented gifts in Bethlehem, but if we are going to make history, we [illegible] more than money [illegible] giving their time as well as their treasure.

[illegible] a year-round [illegible] Saint Nicholas, [illegible] something we [illegible] without.

## Helping stem the brain drain

[illegible]

## Pipeline for wheat?

[illegible]

## A WEEKLY LOOK AT EXPO 67

(By Tracy S. Ludington)

[illegible]

## MacDuff Ottawa Report

BETTER ELSEWHERE

[illegible]

TIME WAS THE FACTOR

[illegible]

LEFT HANDED FAVOR

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# Old elevator moving to Calgary Heritage Park

Rapidly disappearing from the landscape, the Alberta Wheat Pool elevator at Shonts is being dismantled for transportation to Calgary. Arrangements for its moving have been carried on for several weeks, with the idea of preserving one of the earliest prairie elevators still in operating condition.

It will join a remarkably complete collection of early buildings and equipment on display in Heritage Park, in Southwest Calgary, where a remarkable effort has been made to preserve early, but often forgotten, relics of the province's history. Included are such widely diverse entries as a model of the lake steamer Moyie, a windmill, early harness and farm machinery, barber shops and general store, and even a cemetery.

The Alberta Wheat Pool has made a gift of the elevator to the Park and will pay a portion of the cost of dismantling, moving and reassembling it at the Park. The balance will be paid by a grant from the Centennial Committee. The proportion of the cost of sharing has not been clarified as yet.

The building will be completely dismantled by the York Shaw Building Movers and reassembled in Calgary. The footings at the Park are now in place and dismantling of the elevator will commence shortly.

The original lease for the site of this elevator was taken out on August 1, 1909, from the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company by the Searle Elevator Company Limited of Winnipeg. Construction was commenced that fall and the elevator was open for business in 1910.

Sometime following this the Security Elevator Company was absorbed by the Northern Grain Company and this in turn became the Northern Elevator Company.

In 1947 the Alberta Wheat Pool bought the Northern and acquired the Shonts elevator in the transaction. It has now become unserviceable and obsolete from a grain handling point of view and is being turned over to Heritage Park as a historic relic of early western grain marketing.

The elevator was 25,000 bushel capacity. It was powered by a single cylinder Fairbanks Morse engine and had a 6,000 lb., 14 foot scale with hand cranked log dumps for tipping wagons to be unloaded.

Over the years some modernization has taken place but in the reassembling at Heritage Park the Alberta Wheat Pool will supply the original or similar equipment from its warehouse so that the plant will be almost exactly as it was when built in 1910.

## Better English

**What is wrong with each of these sentences?**

1. I became angry at her because of her insolence.
2. He tells me that he is feeling very good today, but everyone cannot say that.
3. After shuffling the deck, he dealed the cards out to the players.
4. Despite his efforts, the transaction was a perfect loss, not only to him, but to every person involved.
5. We invited all of our relations to the party, but all of them couldn't attend.
6. Most all of the girls are going, and it's an all right situation.

**What are the correct pronunciations of these words?**

7. Process. 8. Epitome. 9. Verbatim. 10. Scenario. 11. Mauve. 12. Defalcate.

**Which six words in the following group are misspelled?**

13. Chinchilla, vanilla, scintilla, picadillo, violoncello, canoeing, aforegoing, owning, benefiting, plagiarizing, meticulous, ridiculous, tuberculosis, conscientious, instantanious, ampitheater, amplification, amputation, ambivalence, ambidextrous, plagiarize, mesmerize, franchize, galvanize, specialize, insipid, decrepid, intrepid, interpretation, retrobate.

**ANSWERS**

1. Say, "angry WITH her". 2. It is better to say, "feeling very WELL", and "NOT everyone CAN say that". 3. Say, "He DEALT the cards", and omit "out". 4. Say, "was a COMPLETE (or, TOTAL) loss, not only to him, but to every OTHER person involved". 5. Omit the first "of", and say, "We invited all our RELATIVES to the party, but NOT ALL of them COULD attend". 6. Say, "ALMOST all (omit 'of') the girls are going, and it's an ATTRACTIVE situation".

7. Pronounce first syllable as "praw", preferred. 8. Pronounce ee-pit-oh-me, accent second syllable. 9. Pronounce vur-bay-tim, accent second syllable. 10. Pronounce to rhyme with "stove". 12. Pronounce dee-fawl-kait, accent second syllable.

13. Peccadillo, owing, instantaneous, amphitheater, franchise, decrepit.

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## Modern etiquette

Q. How long properly does a young woman wear mourning for her father or mother?

A. Properly no longer has anything to do with this, as it did in yesteryear. Now it is entirely a matter of a woman's feelings and choice. Most people today do not consider it necessary at all.

Q. Should candy be served to guests in its box, or in a special dish?

A. It's all right to offer candy in a box to guests in the living room—but at the dinner table it should be served in a dish.

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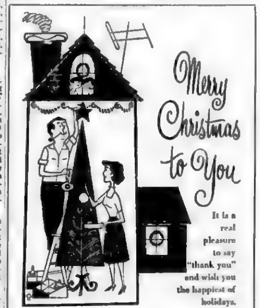


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# The Ryley Times

## Ryley and district news items

(Mrs. A. Bray)

University of Alberta students home for the Christmas holidays are Miss Patricia Brown, Miss Gail ... and Miss Annette Vergette.

J... ... was a weekend guest with ... parents Mr and Mrs. ...

Mr and Mrs. Dick Whitson have their son and daughter-in-law Mr and Mrs Gordon Whitson and little Bradley from Comox, B.C., here for the holidays.

R. Greig left Ryley last week to spend the Christmas holidays with his daughters Mrs John Palmquist and Mrs Anne Loades in North Battleford, Sask.

Mrs. H. Hilsrud left Nisku Airport December 16, for Vancouver where she will visit her daughter, Mrs Hilmer Moen and family and another daughter Mrs Merle Hately and family at Maderia Park, B.C.

Miss Marlene Albrecht is arriving home on Friday from Penticton, B.C., to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Albrecht.

Mr and Mrs. Chester Kongsrud of Jasper were recent guests with the S. Kongsruds of Ryley.

In celebration of the Christmas season, Norman Hogland, manager of the Treasury Branch and Mrs. Hogland entertained at a staff party at their home Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fisk from Edmonton were also guests at the party.

### 4-H CLUB MEETS

The Ryley 4-H Clothing Club held their regular meeting on Home Ec room. The members December 6, at 7:30 p.m. in the were shown an interesting film, "Alice Adam's Originals". Members of the Club went Christmas caroling on December 17, and later enjoyed a skating party to which all Ryley 4-H Clubs were invited.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Halberg left Nisku airport December 15 for Vancouver where they will spend the Christmas holidays with their son-in-law and daughter Mr and Mrs. A. Gumbleton and family. For the New Year's holiday they will visit three of their daughters at Powell River, B.C.

Mrs John Nordstrom from Holden was a recent guest with Mrs T. Harris.

A number of ladies from Ryley and Tofield called on Mrs. Alma Adams on December 18. The occasion was Mrs. Adams' birthday. A pleasant afternoon was spent and the hostess served a delicious lunch.

**Ed Albrecht left the Municipal Airport in Edmonton last Sunday for Inuvik, where he will stay for some time.**

Mr. Kerlee, teacher at the Ryley school leaves December 22, to spend the Christmas holidays in Montana and Utah, U.S.A.

Miss Sue Smith and Miss Beverley MacRae are leaving Nisku Airport, Friday for Montreal and Quebec to spend the Christmas holiday with relatives.

Freddie Lyons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lyons is a patient in the Tofield hospital. He had the misfortune to fall and suffered a broken leg.

### 25th ANNIVERSARY

A number of Ryley and Bathgate friends motored to Fort Saskatchewan to attend the Silver wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Jim Thorsley, December 18. The party was held at the home of Mr and Mrs Charlie Edwards. Mr and Mrs. Thorsley grew up in the Ryley district and have many friends here.

## Hockey interest keen

(Mrs. A. Bray)

At Holden on December 17 at the hockey game, the Tiny Mites of Ryley playing Holden, were victorious, score 6-4.

In the Pee Wees' game Holden and Ryley tied, the score being 3-3.

Coaches for these teams are: Bob Dueck, for the Tiny Mites and Vernon Roth for the Pee Wees.

There is great enthusiasm shown among the boys in these hockey games, and coaches are to be commended for their help and support in promoting this sport.

## Ross Creek News

(Mrs. L. Van Buskirk)

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cossey visited Mrs. A. Olsen resident at the Venta Nursing Home but formerly of this district, at the General Hospital in Edmonton.

Mr and Mrs. Ken Pederson's little son Martin has been a patient at the Royal Alexandra Hospital for about two weeks suffering from an allergy.

The 4-H Pee Wee Calf Club held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Ray Cossey. Mrs. Violet Bailey and Mrs. Mae Ferguson served lunch.

**Shoppers at the Beaver Lake Service are reminded that the store will be closed every Thursday.**

The Ladies Aid had their Christmas meeting at the home of Mrs. Mathilda Hertlein on Wednesday evening. Despite the very cold weather they had a good turnout. The "Mystery Sisters" exchanged gifts, and lunch was served by Mrs. Violet Bailey and Mrs. Wilma Osborne.

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### CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to express a heartfelt "thank you" to all the people who turned out to help fight our barn fire. A special thanks to the Tofield Rural Fire Dept., also to the many friends and neighbours who gave so freely of their time and efforts after the fire, a very sincere "thank you".

—Vic and Sylvia Rutucki
17c-2853

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Department of Municipal Affairs

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## District governor visits Ryley Lions

(Mrs. A. Bray)

RYLEY — Ryley Lions held their last meeting of the month on Friday, Dec. 16, in the Ryley Legion Hall. The president, Jack Stumbles, chaired the meeting. In attendance were the District Governor, A. I. Stapleton of Stettler, and the late national Director, Virgil Moshansky, of Vegreville.

Marvin Bruce, Robert Lund and Elmer Wallace were inducted into the order by District Governor Stapleton.

A buffet supper was enjoyed by all. Later, a quartette, Mr. Wickstrom, Mr. Regehr and the Dunham brothers entertained with a few selections. The Christmas party continued with all joining in the singing of Christmas carols.

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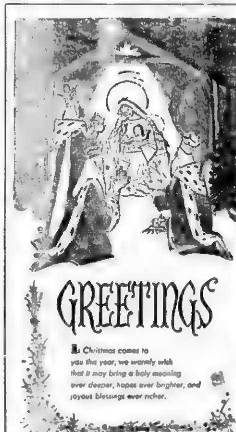
## Rebekahs meet here on December 20th

(Mrs. A. Bray)

RYLEY — Cavell Rebekah Lodge No. 54 held their Christmas party after their regular meeting on December 20. Gifts were exchanged after a buffet supper was enjoyed by all.

The Noble Grand, Mrs. H. Ruddy, and the Vice-Grand, Mrs. E. Pepper, presented the officers of the lodge with gifts in appreciation of their support during the year 1966.

Installation of the new officers will be held January 3, 1967.



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| 18 | 20 | 14 | — | |
| 19 | 30 | 18 | 29.97 | |
| 20 | 34 | 18 | 29.90 | |
| 21 | — | 15 | 28.15 | |

## Dodds-Ryley

(Mrs. Oliver Lehman)

DODDS - RYLEY, Dec 16 — Mr and Mrs Kenneth Zook and family left on Wednesday afternoon for Wakarusa, Indiana to spend Christmas with Elsie's parents, Mr and Mrs. Warren Nunn.

Mrs. Peter Fast is a patient in the Tofield Hospital.

## Scotch Broth

"This is the week when Christmas comes
Let every pudding burst with plums
And every tree bear dolls and drums . . ."

These lines from "Keeping Christmas", by Eleanor Farjeon just about sum up a family Christmas day with traditional fare, and fun for the children.

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Nothing can be added to or subtracted from the Christmas story. Its very simplicity lifts us above the commonplace into the beauty and charm of an atmosphere that defies analysis.

The greatest hope of man this Christmas is still one that has come down through the ages—that some day men will "beat their swords into ploughshares and their spears into pruning hooks".

Gloom should not pervade our spirits even though, with the passing of another year, the world is seemingly more unsettled. The message which comes again and will remain with us always, is the message of the angel: "Behold I bring you tidings of great joy".

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL READERS

## Holden OORP makes annual donations

Mrs. G. Taylor

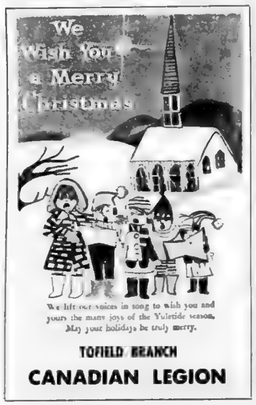
The Holden lodge OORP held their regular meeting on December 9th. Semi-annual reports were given, annual donations were made to various organizations and a memorial service was held in memory of departed members of the lodge.

Plans were made to hold the lodge's 21st anniversary party on Saturday, January 21st.

A donation had also been sent to the School for Deaf Children in Edmonton, towards their Christmas party.

Mrs. Hertha Sanderson of Ryley attended the meeting and was presented with a lodge emblem spoon by HRL Mason from the lodge, in memory of her residence and membership in Holden.

Lunch hostesses were Ladies Helen Bilyk and Marilyn Skyhora.





## Church notes

**TOFIELD UNITED CHURCH**
W. H. McDonnold, B.A., B.D., Minister
Sunday, Dec. 25th
10.00 a.m.—Teen Church.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Public Worship.

**MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH OF TOFIELD**
Saturday, 7.30 p.m.—Christmas Eve Program, Sunday School in charge
Sunday, Dec. 25th
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages
11.00 a.m.—Worship Service
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Everyone welcome

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Sunday Services
8.30 a.m.—Holy Communion except 1st Sunday of Month
11.00 a.m.—Holy Communion 1st Sunday of Month
11.00 a.m.—Matins all other Sundays.
10.30 a.m.—Holy Communion with address Saints Days and other Holy Days

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TOFIELD—
First, Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ... 11:00 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sunday of every month ... 9.30 a.m.
RYLEY—
First Third and Fifth Sunday of every month ... 9.30 a.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays of every month ... 11.00 a.m.
MINISTIK—
Every Sunday at 12 [illegible]

**TOFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**
Pastor Leslie Smith
Sunday, Dec. 25th
10.00 a.m.—Worship Service.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School for Everyone
Tuesday, 8.00 p.m.—Bible Study and Prayer Meeting
All Welcome

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Sunday, Dec. 25th
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Tuesday, Dec. 26th 8.00 p.m.—Sunday School Christmas Program

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Ryley, Alberta
Pastor Stanley Rude
Sunday, Dec. 25th
HOLDEN—
10.00 a.m.—Divine Service
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School
RYLEY—
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Divine Service.

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## Ferguson-Hoover vows exchanged November 5

The Tofield United church was the scene of a lovely afternoon wedding on November 5, when Miss Gloria Dianne Hoover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Hoover, became the bride of Mr. Harold Watson Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Ferguson, all of Tofield. Rev. W. H. McDonnold officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was radiant in a floor-length gown of peau de soie and lace featuring a chapel-length train and styled with elbow-length sleeves and plain rounded neckline. Her jewellery, a single strand of pearls, was a gift of the groom. Her headpiece, a cluster of crystal drops and leaves with a bouffant finger-tip veil completed the ensemble. She carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses with white streamers tipped with roses.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Jean Kozushka, the bride's sister, and bridesmaids were Miss Joyce Lampitt and Miss Marion Hardy, friends of the bride. They wore identical floor-length gowns of cornflower-blue crepe and royal velvet, set off by tiaras of crystal. Each wore a single drop pearl necklace, gift of the bride, and they carried bouquets of white baby 'mums.

The best men were Claude Gallinger Jr., Floyd Taylor and Glen Winder, friends of the groom. The ushers were Robert Hoover, brother of the bride and Alan Ferguson, brother of the groom.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Hoover wore a teal blue wool-knit suit with teal and black accessories, and a corsage of pink sweetheart roses. For her son's wedding, Mrs. Ferguson chose a burgundy wool suit with burgundy and black accessories and yellow sweetheart roses en corsage.

The reception was held at the Tofield Community Hall, where the guests were received by the bridal party and the parents. In charge of the guest book was Miss Judy Kindley, niece of the groom. Master of ceremonies was Ben Rutz of Viking, and toast to the bride was proposed by Ewart Hoover, the bride's uncle, to which the groom ably responded. Following the reception a dance was enjoyed by all.

For travelling, the bride chose a brown three-piece wool suit with matching accessories and wore a white cymbidium orchid en corsage.

After a brief honeymoon to Jasper and points north, Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson have made their home in Tofield.

## Modern etiquette

Q. What have you to say about letters of condolence?

A. All too often this is a letter that is put off and finally never written at all, simply because you can't think of what to say. It is extremely thoughtless to let this happen, for in time of great sorrow the fact that one's friends are standing by can mean so very much. It isn't WHAT you say that's so important—it's the fact that you SAID it.

Q. How does one properly eat a hard-boiled egg at the table—an egg that has been served in its shell?

A. Tap it gently with the blade of your knife, strip off the shell, then eat the egg with your fingers.

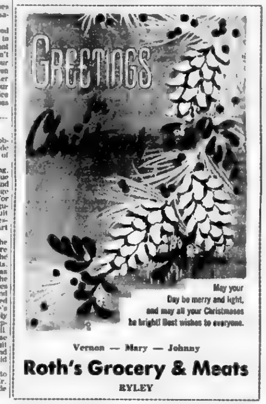
Q. Is it proper, when setting the dinner table, to put the butter on one plate and pass this around to your guests, or to put it on individual bread-and-butter plates?

A. This is more a matter of convenience than propriety. Usually it is more convenient to serve the butter on individual plates than to have your guests pass it around.

Q. What do you think increases one's popularity as a conversationalist?

A. The ability to be a good listener. It takes perseverance to learn how, especially if you want to express your own view. Don't fidget, sneak glimpses at your watch, or stare into space, even if you're bored. Look the speaker in the face and give him your undivided attention. It's a nice feeling when someone else does the same for you, isn't it?

## Keep your Xmas Merry - drive safely



# Christmas messages from province's heads of state

LIEUT.-GOV. G. MacEWAN

From the office I have the honour to occupy, I extend the Season's richest greetings to all the people of Alberta and beyond, to the people who live in our villages, towns, and cities, to those who make homes on farms and ranches, to those who live in our vast northland, to those who travel, to those who must work to maintain public services on the holidays and to [illegible] in any way.

It is a time when good will and good cheer should fill every heart. Families will be together as they should be, and it would be my hope that family gatherings will be happy ones with young ones having fun and young and old enjoying big appetites. May happiness prevail.

I would hope also that Canadians would not let the Christmas Season pass without pausing for moments of thanksgiving for all the great gifts of nature which we enjoy and which have contributed so greatly to our comfort and prosperity. These rich treasures have been entrusted to us, not to be exploited in the shortest possible time, but to be managed wisely to make them serve mankind as long as possible.

And along with all the people of Alberta, I would join in the hope that an ever growing measure of peace and goodwill may prevail throughout the world.

Grant MacEwan,
Lieutenant-Governor
of Alberta.

PREMIER E. C. MANNING

The festive season is with us once again and I sincerely welcome this opportunity to extend to each of you best wishes for a very Merry Christmas and good health, happiness and prosperity in the coming New Year. I hope this will be one of the best Christmases you have ever known.

As we enjoy Christmas Day with loved ones and friends, let us not forget those less fortunate than we for whom this day has brought no festivities and who face only bleak tomorrows amid the ravages of war, privation, oppression and the misery that follows in their train.

Let us also remember that this is the anniversary of the birth of the One who came into the world that men might have life and have it more abundantly. We cannot consistently honor Him and the purpose of His birth unless we are prepared to yield ourselves to Him as living instruments through which He can bring to pass peace on earth and good will towards men. To this end, let us resolve to work for a world of reason and understanding in which God's will for men may be done, not just among a favored few but among all mankind. Such a dedication of our lives will give a new depth of meaning to our commemoration of Christmas and ensure that its joys and its hopes will abide with us throughout the New Year.

To each of you, on behalf of all members of the Government of Alberta, I extend these best wishes for a joyous Christmas and a purposeful rewarding New Year.

Ernest C. Manning,
Premier of Alberta.

## Sisbert-Thiessen vows exchanged

A wedding of local interest took place on November 26 at the Jasper Place United Church, when Miss Katie Theissen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Theissen of Tofield, was united in marriage with Floyd Seibert of Edmonton.

Miss Linda Theissen was her sister's bridesmaid, and best man was a friend of the groom. Little Arlene Regehr, niece of the bride, was flower girl, and Miss Olga Theissen was the soloist.

A reception for 50 guests followed in the church parlors.

FROM THE SCRAP BOOK

Have a place for everything and keep the thing somewhere else; this is not advice, it is merely custom.—Mark Twain.
—J W R.

## Tofield FUA elects officers

At the annual meeting of Tofield local Farmers Union of Alberta, held December 9, R. Georgiein was elected president, with C. Sears vice-president and C. Niemetz secretary for 1967.

The M.S.I. financial statement was presented, showing a healthy statement, with 118 members the group. The question of forming a Blue Cross group was again discussed, and while this local is slowly building up, there are still a lot of members who have not yet expressed their views. If any members who are an interested would just contact their neighbours, it is felt this would go over with a bang; but if members just sit back with the hope that someone is going to canvass the whole district, then the project is doomed. There is a difference of some $25 per year between group and non-group plan, which is worth some effort on the part of members. Also, there are still some who have not yet picked up their 1967 membership cards . . . contact your secretary.

A bank account in the Bank of Montreal for the V. Rudacki family, who lost their barn and some ten sows and cattle, was opened with $50 from the local and some $70 from individual donations. Other organizations were also to be asked for contributions.

The FUA members are invited to a social evening in January by the FWUA . . . more about this later.

On November 9, the local had a very successful harvest home supper, with some 180 members participating. The ladies of the Mennonite Church did the catering to a splendid turkey supper with all the trimmings.

Mr. Page, executive member from Didsbury, was guest speaker, and gave a very informative talk on FUA activities pointing out among other things that the Farm Unions were responsible for saving the farmers over one million dollars this year by blocking the rise in grain handling charges.


TENDERS

For installation of a ventilation system for the repair shops in Ryley will be accepted by the undersigned up to 5 o'clock P.M. January 6, 1967.

Proposed plans must have the approval of the Workmen's Compensation Board.

For further details contact Ryley no. 7 or 110.

Olof Monsson, Sec.-Treas.
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| TURKEYS—16 lbs. and up | lb. | 47¢ |
| GARLIC SAUSAGE | lb. | 59¢ |
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| EMPEROR GRAPES | 3 lbs. | 49¢ |
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## Kingman district news items

(Mrs. J. A. Anderson)

KINGMAN Dec. 20 — Oscar Erga spent last week at Drayton Valley, visiting his son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Ted Swanlund and family.

Mrs. Ingrid Hovelson and Mrs. A. Anderson spent Saturday in Edmonton and were supper guests at the Gary Acres home.

Ken Johnson, Larry Asp, and Brian Simonson are home from the Edmonton school of Technology for two weeks holiday.

Alfrieda Suchan and Gary are leaving this weekend for Wilkie, Sask., to spend Christmas with her parents.

Mrs. Conrad Simonson entered St. Mary's Hospital on Sunday suffering from an infected [illegible]

David Osness who is employed with AGT was home for a short visit on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haukedahl of Tofield and Mrs. Ragna Heiberg and Eysten were Sunday evening visitors at the Ingvald Ness home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Johnson attended the silver wedding anniversary celebration for Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Schlender at the Bonaventure Hotel in Edmonton on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Schlender is the former Evelyn Johnson.

**Mrs. Roy Ovelson left for the coast Thursday evening to attend the funeral of Harvey Welch who was killed in an accident last week. Harvey is a nephew of Mr. Ovelson.**

Mr. and Mrs. P. Boness, Mr. and Mrs. C. Simonsen and Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson were at the Albin Anderson home Saturday evening to wish Mr. Anderson a happy birthday.

BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Myhre of Hinton a son, Dec. 16.

Mrs. J. A. Holte will leave on Thursday for Grande Prairie to spend the Christmas holidays with her son and daughter-in-law and granddaughters, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Holte and girls.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Stutzman of Kingman, and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Stauffer and son Milo of Tofield met with an accident near Medicine Hat last week, when their car driven by Mr. Stauffer collided with a snow plow, which was turning into a service station. The party was on their way to the Honduras, Central America to visit with Leonard Stutzman, a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Stutzman.

Milo Stutzman, has a broken arm, Mrs. Stutzman a broken leg, Mrs. Stauffer has both legs broken, a bruised arm and four broken ribs and face lacerations, and Milo Stauffer a dislocated hip. Boyd Stauffer escaped injury. Mrs. Stutzman, Mrs. Stauffer and son Milo will be hospitalized for about three weeks in Medicine Hat hospital and will then be brought to the Tofield [illegible]

## Thieves active in village

Mrs. G. Taylor

An attempted break-in was made at the NADP creamery in Holden on Friday evening. Entrance was tried through one of the windows but the culprits were able to pry the window open only a couple of inches.

The same evening, thieves entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lud Mielimaka while they were both absent. Lud attending a meeting and Mrs. Mielimka visiting at Mrs. S. Mielimaka's. On returning home about 11 o'clock they discovered that Lud's coin collection had been stolen. Apparently those responsible were just looking for money, as nothing else seemed to have been taken and they also appeared to be familiar with the premises.

## Santa C'aus visits children in Ryley

(Mrs. A. Bray)

RYLEY. — On Saturday, Dec. 17, Santa Claus came to Ryley. This year he came by snowmobile, and over 200 children greeted him as he drove up to the Legion Hall.

Three films were shown to the children, and afterwards Santa greeted each child. One little boy who plays hockey told Santa all he wanted for Christmas was to win all the hockey games. Santa tried to explain that this would be hard to put in a stocking!

Santa and his helpers then passed out treats to all the children. Leaving Ryley, Santa made a trip to the Tofield Municipal Hospital, where treats were given to the children there.

## Council clarifies welfare restrictions

One of the main items on the agenda when Tofield Council met on December 5th, which came in for a good deal of discussion, was the matter of welfare applications from local residents. Mayor Freebury and councillors Berse, Everitt, Herndon, Patterson, Pittet and Swift considered three applications.

It was Council's unanimous decision that only foodstuffs be allowed to be purchased, eliminating pop, cigarettes, potato chips and candy and pastries limited to $3 per month. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to inform the recipients as well as the merchants of these restrictions. Clr. Pittet moved that the applicants be accepted.

Correspondence from the Department of Welfare asking the Town to provide a Christmas bonus to welfare families was read and approved.

The question of a cheque to cover the expenses incurred by the Welfare Officer, Mrs. M. Boyles, was discussed. It was moved by Clr. Swift that $100 be paid to Mrs. Boyles. Carried.

The question of assistant maintenance man, Emil Halverson, was discussed. It was decided that Mr. Halverson be hired on an hourly basis as required to March 31, 1967, and on April 1, 1967, be returned to a monthly basis.

Building permits from Peter Wiens for a garage for $1,200, and from Ella N. Roth for a garage for $800, were approved. The By-Laws Committee agreed to revise the Building By Law regarding garages and the distance from front property lines for presentation at the next meeting.

The Bardo Lutheran Church requested the purchase of Lots 3, 4 and 5, Block 22, Plan 3165NY. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to find out if they would be interested in the last three lots of the same block, which would allow them better access. If not, no objection was raised to the sale of the three lots they desired.

The 1967 Assessment has been increased by $38,340.00.

Clr. Everitt moved that the office be closed December 26 and 27.

The secretary-treasurer was instructed to contact George Fochsee and Bob Haycock regarding their cars being parked on Main Street for the past couple weeks. The vehicles are to be removed for snow-clearing purposes.

## Kingman

The Kingman Baptist Church was filled on Sunday for the Sunday school Christmas program and fellowship dinner.

The Salem Sunday school program was very well attended Sunday evening and everyone present enjoyed the very fine program given.


Christmas Greetings

As the Holiday Season approaches once again, we wish to express our deep appreciation for your patronage this year . . . your confidence in our products . . . and your evident goodwill and friendship.

We hope we may continue this close association and take this opportunity to extend our sincere good wishes to you and yours for a

Very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

— ★ —

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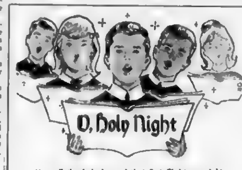

O, Holy Night

May all the holy joys of that first Christmas night abide with you and your loved ones during the holiday season, bringing the same peace and tranquility that shone upon the earth on that Night so long ago.

E. H. ALBRECHT — D. E. ALBRECHT

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## Bardo news

(Mrs. C. M. Rude)

BARDO, Dec. 19th. — Your correspondent once again takes this opportunity to wish the Editor, Staff and all readers of The Camrose Canadian and Tofield Mercury a Joyful and Blessed Christmas.

# Survey shows support for Medical Centre lags

The Holden Chamber of Commerce supper meeting was held on Friday, December 16, with 26 members and guests present.

The minutes were read and approved as read, and three accounts passed for payment.

Bruce MacDonnell gave a report on the proposed Medical Centre. Cash, cheques and pledges amounted to $7,500; the Sports Day Committee donation of $425, and the Elks Lodge to donate $50. It is estimated that if all pledges are honored, a total of $8,000 would be in hand. The Medical Committee had interviewed the Village Council and requested a grant of five mills which would be assessed on the village ratepayers at large.

**It was also interesting to note that our of a possible 425 families in Holden and district which were contacted, only 195 had supported the Medical Center with funds.**

Reg Minchin, one of the guest speakers gave an account of his trip to Chicago. He had been one of the 14 4H delegates from Alberta to the 6th Congress of 4H Clubs, held in the U.S.A. Canadian representation was made possible by M.M. & C., which has a plant in Saskatchewan and sponsors candidates from 4H Clubs. Miss Eileen Stuart, who is attending the University of Alberta, showed enhanced colour slides of her trip to Toronto and Ottawa. She had been the runner-up on high points in Alberta and therefore received this trip.

Mr. Minchin thanked the Holden and District Chamber of Commerce on behalf of the special guests and also the ladies for the wonderful supper. He invited the young people of the district to join the 4H Clubs.

A vote of thanks was given to Harold Giebelhaus who had supplied chocolate milk, and congratulations were extended to him on his first year's operation of the dairy.

Don Hultholin, treasurer, gave his report, showing a bank balance of $209.65. Bruce Budd, president, asked Mrs. Hadley to say a few words regarding the Sun Publishing Co. and The Holden Herald. An open question period was then held.

It was decided to hold the Christmas lighting competition again, throughout the village and district, prizes being $10 first, $5 second, and $3 third. It was also agreed the Chamber of Commerce would share the rent equally with the B.P.O. Elks for the kiddies' Christmas show held Saturday, Dec. 17th.

M-mbers were advised that the New Year's Eve party and supper would commence at 8:00 p.m. instead of 9:00 p.m., as advertised.

President Budd then thanked the two guest speakers and Mrs. Hadley for their interesting talks. The meeting then adjourned.

## Turkey winners in 4-H Bingo

(Mrs. A. Bray)

BYLEY—The Byley 4-H Beef Club meeting was held on December 14. President James Panick called the meeting to order, with Freddie Lyons giving the Pledge. Secretary Darryl Lyons read the minutes of the last meeting, and Mr. Kehoe, district agriculturist, showed two films on the raising and feeding of Beef Cattle.

The club would like to thank all those who attended the Bingo on December 19. Turkey winners were Harold Beetz, Elmer Bruce, Nick Kolodychuk, Vern Roth, Bill Winsmus, Mrs. Neufeldt, Diane Dueck, Mrs. Kongsrud, Dennis Wood, Mrs. E. Larson, Stan Kabon, Evelyn Kozak, Ken Hilburd, Edwin Klowsiler, Pete Wiens, Elaine Hammer, Gail Lyons, Pete Dueck, Lynn Harbak and Mrs. John Bruce.

According to scientists and statisticians, over 70,000 Albertans have arthritis.

# Modern etiquette

Q. Would it be proper for an department or "runaway" marriage to be announced later by means of the customary engraved cards?

A. Quite proper.

Q. Is it all right to use informals in giving thanks for wedding gifts received?

A. Yes, so long as there is no greeting that substitutes for the written words of thanks and if the informal is conservative and of good quality paper. It should be sent, of course, first - class mail, sealed.

Q. Is it considered proper or in good taste to send a male patient in a hospital a bouquet of cut flowers?

A. Although not exactly "improper", cut flowers are usually sent only to women. A growing plant is the customary gift to a male patient.


Noël Noël

At this glad Christmastide, we wish for you the great gifts of faith renewed and spirit uplifted by the joy and promise of His holy birth.

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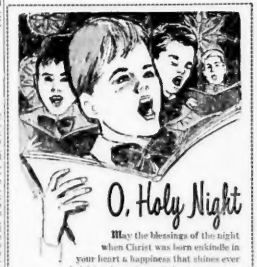

O, Holy Night

May the blessings of the night when Christ was born enkindle in your heart a happiness that shines ever brighter throughout all the days to come.

ARNETT MOTORS

GEORGE ARNETT — RAY GOULD
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## MacDuff . . .

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meeting between Mr. Bachelder and Mr. Gordon.

**STILL MONTHS AWAY**

With the Mercantile Bank home to be settled and several briefs still to be heard before the committee gets down to detailed examination of the Bill it will be well into 1967 before the revision becomes law, allowing Canadian banks to charge higher interest than the present 6 per cent ceiling, issue debentures and invest in conventional mortgages.

The first Bank Act revision was introduced by Finance Minister Gordon in May, 1965. It never reached committee stage and died when Parliament was dissolved. The Sharp Bill with some major changes from the Gordon version was introduced last July.

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**CAPITAL HILL CAPSULES**

The pro Rink enigma of 1967 is John Diefenbaker as it has been each year since his government was defeated. So far he has ignored the cold truth of the ballots cast by delegates at November's annual meeting of the party and declares he is still in the fight. The Tories are planning a full leadership convention which gives plenty of time for second thoughts. Liberals are also talking of a full convention in the light of persistent and growing rumors that Prime Minister Pearson intends to retire this year. If this comes about, Ottawa may see a repitition of 1948 when both old parties changed leaders within a few weeks of each other.

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Canada can look forward to higher unemployment this winter than in 1965-66. A trend in this direction developed in October and was more plainly seen in November when the number of jobless at 288,000 was 18,000 higher than a year ago and when a greater than seasonal decline in employment occurred.

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Prime Minister Pearson exploded the bubble of rumor that had been persistent around Parliament until when he announced that no member of this Parliament had accepted payment from CBC. One columnist had gone so far as to suggest that with the numbers reported to be involved Mr. Pearson would have to call an election in February. Seventeen members of the previous Parliament did accept payment between May 1963 and September 1965 but even if this had been known and successful suits for forfeiture of the seats been brought there is nothing that would have prevented them sitting in the present Parliament.

# Audience fills Centre for Yule Carol Festival

The annual Christmas Carol Festival, sponsored by the Tofield Community League, was held on December 15 in the Community Centre, with Father Scrivens as chairman. The Centre was filled to the doors to hear a record number of choirs participate in the festival, which is one of the highlights of Christmas in Tofield.

The invocation was given by Mr. Quiring, who also read the Christmas Story which the Carol services honors. Paul Voeglin conducted the community carol singing, which was accompanied by Mrs. Mildred McFadzean. The benediction was given by Abe Bourgon. Choirs participating included Tofield High School chorus, conducted by Dick Thiessen, accompanied by Loretta Dueck; United Church choir, with Henry Schroeder as guest conductor, and Mrs. J. E. Slinson as accompanist; the Salem Mennonite choir, directed by Paul Voeglin; the Junior High School chorus conducted by David Balzer, and accompanied by Lillian Balzer; the Tofield Mennonite choir, conducted by Henry Schroeder, and accompanied by Elaine Boergen; the Bardo Lutheran Church choir, conducted by Mrs. Lester Severson, accompanied by Mrs. Litwin; the Ryley School chorus, conducted by Paul Voeglin; the Kingman Parish choir, conducted by Terry Grainger; the Tofield Mennonite Brethren Church choir, conducted by Martin Hamm, and accompanied by Loretta Dueck.

On behalf of Lionel Boston, president of the Community League, who was hospitalized, J. C. Lompitt presented Roland Balzer with the League's fifty-dollar cheque, which is awarded annually to the student obtaining the highest marks in the Grade IX June exams. Mr Lompitt in his presentation stressed the part the parents, community and school all play to a student's success.

In Roland's reply to Mr. Lompitt, he thanked the Community League for providing an incentive to the students, his parents for their continuing love and encouragement, his teachers for their capable instruction and God for His guidance.

## Good weather report reaches underground

**News of the good weather must have got through to the underground forces and a sentry sent up to take stock of the situation. A gopher was seen near The Junction on Sunday sitting up but only partly bright-eyed and not at all bushy-tailed.**

**Frankie Maisley Jr., and Willie Lyster spotted him as they were driving along and gave him a chase. No doubt he reported back that humans were as "ornery" as ever and enemy activity in full blast on the highway.**

## From the scrapbook

Mrs. Robinson joins with me in wishing the Editor and his staff, and all our kind friends, a Happy Christmas and the best for the coming year.

May God bless you all, and give you the peace that the world cannot give.—J.W.R.

## Palmer-Earling

(Mrs. J. Knudsen)

The Salt Lake community centre held their monthly meeting on Wednesday night. In closing pie and coffee were served.

A skating rink has been made at Harold Reurik's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slater were happy to have their daughter (Alice) Dr. and Mrs. Jose Aguilar and baby son Charles Aurelio of Cuenca, Equador, South America, home for two weeks.

Seasons greetings to the staff and readers of this column! Thanks for your co-operation during the past year.

## Bardo district news items

Worship services on Christmas morning at 10 o'clock, and the Sunday School concert at 8 p.m. Monday, Dec. 26th.

David Severson and his fiancee Miss Anne Thornton of U. of A., spent Sunday at the Lester Severson home. David will spend the remainder of the Christmas holidays with his parents, while Miss Thornton will leave Monday for Calgary, to be with her parents.

Mrs. Axel Kindley had a phone call from a school pal, Mrs. Nora Tinkham of Fisher, Minn., one evening recently. Mrs. Tinkham (nee Swanson) lived with her parents and sisters where the Don Litwin poultry farm is located, from 1911 to 1913. She moved to reform her friends that her father, 85 years old, had passed away in August and her 83-year-old mother in September.

A gopher which apparently did not make provision for the long winter months has been seen for nearly a month on the Leroy Fimerth farm. Each day the Fimerths watch from their kitchen window, as the robert comes out of its burrow to nibble on stubble, sometimes staying out for over an hour.


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STAN KWASNEY

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# Holden news items

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols were visitors in Daysland Friday evening when they attended The Old Timers Association Christmas supper and party.

On Sunday afternoon, Dec. 11 Mr. and Mrs. Bateman with the junior choir from Holden United church visited at Vialta Lodge, Viking, where they entertained the guests with a program of carols, and visited with former residents of Holden district whom they knew. After the program all enjoyed a delicious afternoon tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Mertz of Viking with the younger children were Monday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow, also calling on their aunt, Mrs. N. L. Campbell.

Some of the students at the University of Alberta who arrived home at the weekend to spend the Christmas holidays with their families are Vivian Carlson, Tommy Budd and his sister Linda and Miss Anne Appleton.

Mrs. Henry Tedemann was a business and shopping visitor in Edmonton Monday.

**HOLDEN BASKETBALL**

Holden high school students travelled to Viking on December 9th to play basketball. Both the Holden boys and girls teams were successful, the Holden girls defeating the Viking team by a score of 26-10 and the Holden boys team defeated Viking by a score of 41-26.

The scorers for the Holden girls team were: Lorraine M. 10, Adeline F. 8, Patty G. 3, Judy R. 2, Marilyn T. 2 and Jacky R. 1. Viking scorers were Zelinski 1; Lessman 2, and Hanson 2.

Scoring for the Holden boys team were Jerry L. 12; Larry F. 10; Bruce K. 9; Jerry O. 6; James F. 2, and Art M. 2. Viking scorers were: Fraser 14; Babyak 7; Welsh 5 and Struseder 4.

# Ross Creek news

(Mrs. L. VanBunkirk)

Mrs. Emma Borstad of Edmonton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Cossey on Sunday.

Bill Eglinski and some of his friends enjoyed a successful big-game hunt near Whitecourt.

**M. KUYSTEN DIES**

Deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. Howard Malcolm and family, her sisters and their families on the death of their father Martin Kuysten at the Archer Memorial Hospital on Saturday night. Mr. Kuysten was a long-time resident of this district, having spent most of his 77 years here until he retired to Edmonton. For the past year he had been staying with the Malcolm family.

Services were held on Sunday afternoon in the United Church with the newly formed Junior Choir under the direction of Nell Bailey in attendance.

On Tuesday evening the Lamont Air Cadets had a banquet for the Cadets and their parents.

Thursday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Snider were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stadnick.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey and family and Ned's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bailey of Goldeen Spike had their family Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kwasnicki of Edmonton on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Snider attended a banquet at Andrew on Wednesday evening, when Elma's father and brother and one of their neighbors were the guests of honor having won ribbons for cattle shown at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto.

The Board of Directors of the Beaver Lake Mutual Telephone Co. held a meeting on Monday at the home of Percy Fairbairns. The date for the annual meeting is January 29 when all shareholders are urged to attend.

The Elk Island Park employees held their annual Christmas party on Sunday afternoon. Santa Claus arrived with gifts for all the children.

Merry Christmas to the management and staff of the Tofield Mercury and to all my friends and neighbors.

# Palmer-Earling district news briefs

(Mrs. Joe Knudsen)

PALMER - EARLING, Dec. 16 — Sunday evening dinner guests at the Carsten Omoe home, Camrose were Anton and Kay Peter, Mrs. Emelia Nodette and Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Urlacher and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Urlacher.

Callers at the L. Furre home over the weekend for Lewis' and Mrs. Frank Urlacher, Mr. birthday were the Helmut Rothe, and Mrs. Joe Peter Sr., Mrs. the Akers, Wm. Tunnicliffe, Archie Brown, the John and Elmer Bracey, Chris and Ray Borland, Jake Noulettes, Mrs. Fernie Furre, Clifford and Leroy Furre, Gordon Meadahle and Carl Sorenson.

Anton Peter, Kay Peter, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Urlacher and Mr. Emelia Nodette and Lee attended the funeral of Adam Klug in Camrose Sunday.

The Daniel Beum's were visitors in Edmonton with Mrs. Beum's sisters, Mrs. Christine Coverdale and Mrs. Wendlin.

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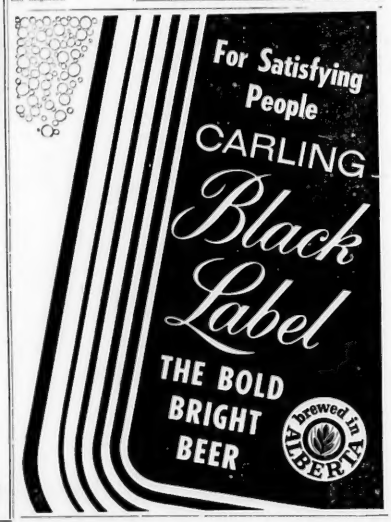





# County Council notes

Following are the minutes, in part, of the regular meeting of the Council of the County of Beaver No. 9, held November 23.

**Business Arising from Minutes**

In regards to Constable John Wall's request to be appointed County Constable, the secretary-treasurer advised that, according to the Dept. of the Attorney-General, it would be quite in order to appoint Constable Wall as County Constable subject to his authority in the County only being in effect for cases originating in the Town of Tofield.

It was moved and carried that Constable Wall of the Tofield Town Police be appointed County Constable, his authority to be used only to follow up investigations in the County for offences committed in the Town of Tofield; he/she, that no remuneration be attached to his appointment.

In regards to the C.N. culverts at Deidis, a letter from the Assistant B & B Master was referred to the Council. The letter indicated that the replacement material for a 24-foot culvert, that the County had installed under the roadway south of the crossing at Deidis, would be replaced by the CNR. In regards to the request for permission to clean out the ditch along the east side of the roadbed in existing culverts the letter indicated that, providing certain matters were conformed with, the CNR would have no objections.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted and the correspondence received and filed.

Concerning the meeting of the Proposed Regional Planning Commission on Wednesday, Oct. 26, Crs. Boddick and Krupelnicki, who had attended this meeting, reported briefly. Some 60 persons were present, some areas not represented at all. The Councillors were of the opinion that at the present time a Planning Commission would not be of much value to the County and, unless the Towns and Villages within the County entered into an Agreement as well, the Commission would be of no value. However, it could be that a Planning Commission would be of some value in the future.

Moved and carried that the report be accepted.

In regards to the Winter Works Incentive Program, the secretary-treasurer referred back to the type of employees that would be eligible to be employed under this program and it appeared to the Council that not very many persons in the County would be eligible. Cr. Knudsen stated that he had one mile of road that was very heavily covered with trees and brush and that he would like to experiment using a "cat" and dozer to remove this brush.

Moved and carried that Cr. Knudsen be authorized to use a cat and dozer for brush clearing.

**Correspondence**

Two letters from the Provincial Planning Director, concerning the Proposed Regional Planning Commission in the North-East Central Sector of the Province, were referred to the Council.

The first letter indicated the pleasure of the Provincial Planning Director of the County having been represented at the meeting at Vermilion on October 26. The Director now expressed his expectation that the Council would seriously consider the information that could be made available through those representatives that were at the Vermilion meeting and consider the membership in the Proposed Planning Commission.

The second letter indicated that a further meeting would be held in the Town Hall of Two Hills at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 30.

After some considerable discussion, it was decided to obtain some further information from areas that are now in a Planning Commission. It was moved and carried that no action be taken at this time pending further information as to the benefits that might be derived from being part of the Planning Commission and that there be no attendance at the meeting on November 30.

A letter from the Provincial Planning Director announcing a Planning Conference for 1966 to be held Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 12 and 13, in Calgary at the Holiday Inn. The Council felt that representation at this Conference was advisable, and that information as to the advisability of joining a Planning Commission could possibly be obtained at this time.

and it was moved and carried that Crs. Boddick and Krupelnicki attend this Planning Conference.

A letter from the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation advising that, due to the tight and expensive money, certain restrictions were being instituted. The A.M.F.C. would limit its amount of purchases of debentures to $30 (Continued on Page Fourteen) success.

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# County Council notes

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per capita for Municipalities borrowing during 1967. This would mean that a Municipality with a population of 1,000 could not borrow more than $50,000 from the A.M.F.C.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed and the contents noted.

A letter from L. Portier of Kinsella applying for a position as part time grader operator was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that this matter be referred to Cr. Johnston.

A letter from Clarence K. Klammer of Vermilville stated that when brush was burnt along his fence on the S.W. 20-39-15-W4 some 30 fence posts had been burnt, also the fence had been broken in two places. Mr. Klammer requested that the posts be replaced or he would settle the claim if the County would pay for 30 posts.

Moved and carried that this claim be settled by payment of 30 fence posts.

A letter from Mike Lestuz claiming damages to trees and shrubs on S.E. 1-47-15-W4 caused by road construction on the south side of this parcel; the claim was in the amount of $300. The construction was done some seven years ago and any claim in this connection was therefore outlawed.

Moved and carried that Mike Lestuz be advised that inasmuch as the claim was not presented within the prescribed time according to Sections 343, 344 and 345 of the Municipal District Act the claim can not be entertained.

A letter from the Village of Holden, advising that the Village is discontinuing the Subscriptions of the Holden Herald to the Village Residents as of December 31, 1966, and requesting that the Council of the County make the change-over where the Holden Herald is subscribed in in Holden area, was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed and that the Village of Holden be advised that this is a matter for the individual subscriber to take whatever action is desired.

Letter from Vegreville Veterinary Clinic, advising that, on account of shortage of qualified veterinarians, it was impossible to open a sub-office in Ryley, was referred to the Council.

Moved and carried that the letter be received and filed.

The Council was advised that K. M. Geddes, Supervisor of P.F.A.A., of Red Deer, had requested that the following Townships be applied for assistance under Sec. 3 of the P.F.A. Act; Township 48-16-W4; 48-15-W4; 47-12-W4; 46-13-W4 and part of 47-10-W4.

In view of the fact that the application had to be submitted prior to November 15, the application had been forwarded.

Moved and carried that the Council concurs in the action taken.

Orders from the Alberta Assessment Appeal Board concerning appeals against the General Assessment lodged by Lee Marusiecka, Martin Thacyck, Peter

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Of Preparation of Assessment Roll, 1967
Village Of Ryley
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA
NOTICE is hereby given that the assessment of the previous year has been adopted under the provisions of The Assessment Act, and that the Assessment Roll of the said Village has been duly prepared, and if any person thinks too high, or too low, or that his name or the name of any other person has been wrongfully entered or omitted from the roll, he may at any time within thirty (30) days from the date of this notice notify the Secretary-Treasurer in writing of the particulars and grounds of his complaint(s).
DATED at Ryley, Alberta this 21st day of December, 1966.
—GARNET BURNSTAD, Sec.-Treas.


## County Council ...

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Hrabec, Robert E. Bruce, Wm. D. Bruce and J. E. Manderson were referred to the Council. It was noted that the Appeal Board was of the opinion that the Assessment on N.E. 36-47-13-W4 and S.E. 3-50-14-W4 were not properly assessed.

Moved and carried that the orders be accepted, filed and that a request be made for an Order in Short reassessment of the two parcels referred to.

The secretary-treasurer advised that with the dial telephone coming in it would not be possible to have as many extensions in the office as was now in effect. A push-button communication service had been suggested by the Communications Consultants for A.G.T., and it was proposed to have all the office phones plus the Fieldman's phone in this circuit. The estimated monthly rental charge would be $44.15 and an estimated installation charge of $100. The secretary-treasurer stated that he was aware that this was higher rental than now in effect but that the benefits from the push-button system would possibly outweigh the extra cost.

Moved and carried that the proposed push-button communication system be installed in the County office.

A print of the proposed secondary road system in the County, submitted by Stewart, West, Stewart & Watson, was referred to the Council.

After the print had been studied, it was moved and carried that the Council goes on record as being satisfied with the proposed roads.

## Holden

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

LEGION AUXILIARY

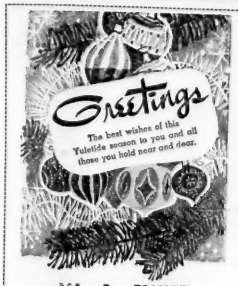
The Ladies Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion held their annual Christmas party Sunday evening, Dec. 18, at which they entertained their husbands to a sumptuous turkey supper. Various games were played after supper and gifts were exchanged. A ticket was drawn on the hand-crocheted bedspread on which the ladies had been selling tickets. The person having the lucky ticket was Mrs. Peter Kryss. Coffee and lunch was served before ending a very enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gleb Slykuza drove to Edmonton Saturday and brought home W. J. Burkin, who has been a patient in the general hospital for several weeks.

The teachers of Holden school held their annual Christmas party Saturday evening entertaining their guests to a turkey supper which was held in the Ben an Catholic church parlors and catered to by the ladies aid of the church. After the banquet a delightful sing-song was enjoyed by all.

HERE FROM ECUADOR

Visitors for a week and a half with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slater were their daughter Elwa and family, Dr. and Mrs. Avilla and baby son of Ecuador, South America, who were on holiday. They were hoping to spend the Christmas holiday with their parents, but were called back to Ecuador and left for that place Tuesday of last week, as all with relatives there are looking on Wednesday on their trip home. Mrs. Avilla and son were planning to stop over to visit relatives in the United States.

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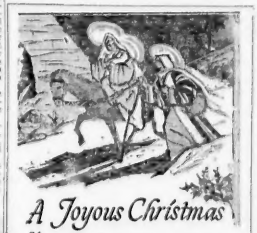
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## LOCALS . . .

**The Alberta Wheat Pool is moving the oldest Alberta Wheat Pool elevator in the province from Elrose, to Heritage Park, Calgary where it will be set up as a museum piece.**

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Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Weir returned recently from a trip of one month, being their first of such length in their married life. They visited relatives in Eastern Canada, one brother, Mr. Weir had not seen in over 43 years, and son Jay Weir in enjoyable. The trip started by Florida where weather was very fine to Montreal, and by air from there to Florida. Son Jay is employed by RCA Victor.

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Horace Seller spent last week in Calgary, where a conference of Bank of Montreal Branch managers were briefed on certain changes in administrative procedures.

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Santa Claus made an early visit to Lindbrook and district last Monday night, calling on everyone, and leaving treats, compliments of the Lindbrook Hall Board. Charlie McLeod and Lorne Fitpula took Santa on his rounds.

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Sunday visitors at the T. Gray home were Evie and Alan Fair and Diane of Lacombe and Patty and Butch Beaupre of Edmonton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barber of Camrose and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hallgren of Edmonton were guests at the D. C. McKenzie home on Sunday afternoon.

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## Holden news briefs

(Mrs. G. H. Taylor)

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow were visitors in Edmonton, Tuesday of last week, driving there with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Merta of Viking.

Austin Stanton of Edmonton, a former resident and business man in Holden, was visiting around Holden Wednesday afternoon of last week, calling on H. S. Beveridge and other friends.

Mrs. A. L. Gibson, who has been a patient in Daysland Hospital for the past two and a half weeks having treatments, is much improved, but due to having a cold is still confined to hospital. She was hoping to be home some time this week.

**HOME FROM TRIP**

Reuben Hovland who was away on a two week trip, returned home early Wednesday morning of last week. He visited in South Dakota on his way to Nebraska, where he stayed a couple of days with a cousin in Newman Grove and helped to combine corn, then driving to Texas to the Gulf of Mexico before returning home.

Mrs. Joe Hooper has been visiting with her families in Edmonton for the past two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Isavd Good and Mr. and Mrs. Russ McLeod are calling on her husband, Joe Hooper each day, who is now a guest in the Lynwood Auxiliary Nursing Home. Mr. Hooper is keeping in good health and we noticed his picture in the Edmonton Journal last week when a chef from one of the schools had been there singing carols for the patients.

Lars Olson was a Friday evening and overnight visitor in Edmonton attending a Teacher's Association meeting.

Mrs. Olaf Chetney was a shopping visitor in Edmonton Friday driving there with her son who had been visiting with her.

Stanley Kamarasky drove to Edmonton the early part of last week and was taking the bus to Calgary.

Con Trondt and Elizabeth Gielbelhaus, former Holden district residents, now of Camrose, were Wednesday afternoon visitors and lunch guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lars Rilland.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Liden were evening visitors and lunch guests Tuesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lars Rilland.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols were Thursday evening visitors at the Fleitrum home.

Bruce Appleby was visiting over the weekend with his family, the Bert Applebys.

On December 10, the Holden High School students held a very enjoyable Christmas party. The students were pleasantly entertained with the show "The Adventures of Sound" and later enjoyed a wonderful midnight supper.

**OBSERVES BIRTHDAY**

A birthday party was held December 18 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Forre to celebrate Mr. Forre's 64th birthday. Relatives and friends attending were Mr. and Mrs. John Bruce; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bruce; Mr. and Mrs. Helmut Reh; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tennant and daughter, Norma; Archie Brown; Leroy Forre; The Ahern; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Nesliet and Chris Hovland.

## Bethel Sunday School has Xmas program

(Mrs. A. Bray)

RYLEY. — Ryley Bethel Lutheran Sunday School Christmas program was held in the church Sunday evening, December 18, with a gathering of over 200 in attendance.

The program consisted of Christmas carols and recitations relating the story of our Saviour's Birthday, under the following headings: "Why Our Saviour Came", "How Our Saviour Came", "How Our Saviour Was Received".

The male chorus, under the direction of Paul Voegtlin, contributed their talent by singing "Silent Night".

The program closed with gifts and treats being passed out to the children.

## Lakeshore-McKenzie

(E. Wood)

Mrs. O. Eaton left Edmonton on Monday for Ancaster, Ont., to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. H. Niemets and family.

**NO SAD STORIES!**

Everyone who read page nine of last week's Mercury found it the pleasantest reading. All the news space was taken up with reports of year's activities, club work, school and sports, achievements of various kinds by boys and girls who are doing very commendable things. Not a single sad or sorry story on the page!

Clarice Jacobsen nurse-in-training at the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton arrived home Dec. 16 for her Christmas holidays.

**CHRISTMAS GET-TOGETHER**

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jones, their sons Arnold and Glen and their families motored to Camrose to join other members of the family of Mrs. A. Waterston at a Christmas party in the Moose Hall December 18. Mrs. Waterston is 93 years old but still active and able to thoroughly enjoy this annual Christmas time get-together.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wood had several weekend visitors on Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy MacDonald and baby of Glendon called, and Sunday afternoon and supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Majaksy of Edmonton, Monday evening callers were Mr. and Mrs. Vic Huhwa and Doug from Edmonton.

J. Miller of Onoway drove here Friday and Reuben. The good wishes of all were given to the guest of honor and several gifts from those present.

In-law, and daughter Mr. and Mrs. to spend the day with his son-Johnny Wood last Monday.

George Niemets had a busy day Monday helping Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gunbko move from Edmonton to Biggar, Sask., to which point Bob was recently transferred.

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